

Professional Services Agreement

This Agreement is entered into between the Alameda Unified School District (AUSD) and Orbach, Huff & Henderson LLP (CONTRACTOR). AUSD is authorized by Government Code Section 53060 to contract for the furnishing of special services and advice in financial, economic, account, engineering, legal, and administrative matters with persons specially trained, experienced, and competent to perform such services. CONTRACTOR is specially trained, experienced, and competent to provide such services. The parties agree as follows:

1. Services. The CONTRACTOR shall provide the following services (include location, dates, to whom services are provided):

Legal consulting services for projects in the purview of the Construction Department.

2. Terms. The term of this agreement shall be from 07/01/2024 (or the day immediately following approval by the Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent(s) per (Education Code(s) §35161 and §17604) if the aggregate amount CONTRACTOR contracted with AUSD is below \$114,500; or, approval by the Board of Education if the total contract(s) exceeds \$114,500) to 06/30/2025. The work shall be completed no later than 06/30/2025.

3. Compensation. This sum shall be for full performance of this Agreement and includes fees, costs, and expenses incurred by CONTRACTOR including, but not limited to labor, materials, taxes, profit, overhead, travel, insurance, subcontractor costs, and other costs. **Select one of the following:**

- 3.1.1 CONTRACTOR is providing services for a flat fee which shall not exceed \$ _____.
- 3.1.2 CONTRACTOR will be compensated at an hourly rate. CONTRACTOR will provide a maximum hours of service at a rate of \$ ___/hour for a total not to exceed \$ _____.
- 3.1.3 Other: Varying hourly rates with a total not to exceed \$30,000.00.

AUSD shall not be liable to CONTRACTOR for any costs or expenses paid or incurred or equipment, materials or supplies used by CONTRACTOR in performing services for AUSD, except as follows _____; which shall not exceed a total cost of \$_____.

Payment for the work shall be made for all undisputed amounts in monthly installment payments within forty-five (45) days after the CONTRACTOR submits an invoice to AUSD for work actually completed and after AUSD's written approval of the work, or the portion of the work for which payment is to be made.

The granting of any payment by AUSD or the recipient thereof by CONTRACTOR, shall in no way lessen the liability of CONTRACTOR to correct unsatisfactory work, although the unsatisfactory character of that work may not have been apparent or detected at the time a payment was made. Work, which does not conform to the requirements of this Agreement, may be rejected by AUSD and in that case must be replaced by CONTRACTOR without delay.

4. Strategic Alignment. Select one of the following:

4.1 **School-based Agreements:** How does this service support academic goals and increase student achievement as described in the Board-approved School Site Plan? Provide legal expertise for complicated construction processes.

4.2 **Central Office Agreements:** How does this service support the overall strategic goals of the department and increase student achievement? _____

5. Conduct of Contractor. CONTRACTOR will adhere to the following staff requirements and provide AUSD with evidence of staff qualifications as identified prior to commencing the work under this Agreement and consistent with invoicing requirements outlined in Section 9.

5.1 Tuberculosis Screening. Select one of the following:

5.1.1 TB Clearance will be completed through AUSD prior to starting work or such records are already on file.

5.1.2 Agency certifies that they require all employees or subcontractors to complete TB testing and maintain such records.

5.1.3 **Waiver of TB Screening.** CONTRACTOR is not required to provide evidence of TB Clearance because CONTRACTOR will not work directly with students more than eight (8) hours.

GG (CONTRACTOR initials)

MP (AUSD Representative initials)

5.2 Fingerprinting of Employees and Agents. The fingerprinting and criminal background investigation requirements of Education Code Section 45125.1 apply to CONTRACTOR's services under this Agreement and CONTRACTOR certifies its compliance with these provisions as follows: "CONTRACTOR has complied with the fingerprinting and criminal background investigation requirements of Education Code Section 45125.1 with respect to all CONTRACTOR's employees, subcontractors, agents, and subcontractors' employees or agents ("Employees") regardless of whether those Employees are paid or unpaid, concurrently employed by AUSD or acting as independent contractors of CONTRACTOR, who may have contact with AUSD pupils in the course of providing services pursuant to the Agreement, and the California Department of Justice has determined that none of those Employees has been convicted of a felony, as that term is defined in Education Code Section 45122.1. CONTRACTOR further certifies that it has received and reviewed fingerprint results for each of its Employees and CONTRACTOR has requested and reviewed subsequent arrest records for all Employees who may come into contact with AUSD pupils in providing services to the AUSD under this Agreement."

Fingerprinting of Employees and Agents. Select one of the following:

- 5.2.1 Fingerprint Clearance will be completed through AUSD prior to starting work or records are already on file.
- 5.2.2 Agency or Organization certifies that they require all employees or subcontractors to complete fingerprinting and maintains such records.

5.2.3 **Waiver of Fingerprint Requirement.** CONTRACTOR is not required to comply with section 5.2 as:

CONTRACTOR staff will have no contact or interactions with students outside of the immediate and constant supervision and control of the pupil's parent or guardian or a school employee; or

CONTRACTOR services under this Agreement shall be limited to the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or repair of a school facility, and CONTRACTOR'S employees shall have only limited contact with students. Accordingly, the requirements of Education Code section 45125.2 shall not apply to services under this Agreement:

GG (CONTRACTOR initials)

MP (AUSD Representative initials)

5.3 **Removal of CONTRACTOR's Employee(s).** In the event that AUSD, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of this Agreement, desires the removal of any CONTRACTOR-related persons, employee, representative, or agent from an AUSD school site and/or property, CONTRACTOR shall immediately upon receiving notice from AUSD of such desire, cause the removal of such person or persons.

6. **Insurance.** The CONTRACTOR shall procure and maintain the following insurance coverage at all times. Failure to provide documentation or maintain coverage during the contract's term will result in termination.

6.1 Workers' Compensation and Employers' Liability Insurance. Workers' Compensation Insurance and Employers' Liability Insurance for all of its employees performing any portion of the Services in conformance with the laws of the State of California and Federal laws when applicable. Workers' Compensation shall meet statutory requirements and Employers' Liability Insurance shall not be less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence. **Select one of the following:**

The CONTRACTOR is aware of and in compliance of the provisions of Section 3700 of the Labor Code and will provide AUSD proof of coverage before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.

***CONTRACTOR acknowledgement** GG

The CONTRACTOR is exempt from Workers' Compensation Requirements as a Sole proprietor or Independent Contractor with no employees.

6.2 General Liability and Automobile Liability Insurance. Commercial General Liability Insurance and when applicable, Automobile Liability Insurance (Any Auto) that shall protect the CONTRACTOR and AUSD, from all claims of bodily injury, property damage, personal injury, death, advertising injury, and medical payments arising performing any portion of the Service with a minimum requirement of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence. Certain professional services provided through this Agreement may require higher cover limits as determined by AUSD.

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6.3 Professional Liability Insurance. If CONTRACTOR is providing AUSD professional or advice or consultation for implementation under this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall maintain errors and omissions insurance or professional liability insurance with coverage limits of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim.

Waiver of Professional Liability Insurance. CONTRACTOR is not required to maintain professional liability insurance due to the scope of services in this Agreement.

_____ (CONTRACTOR initials)

_____ (AUSD Representative initials)

6.4 Proof of Carriage of Insurance. CONTRACTOR shall not commence performing any portion of the Services until all required insurance has been obtained and certificates indicating the required coverages have been provided to AUSD and approved by AUSD. Certificates and insurance policies shall include the following:

6.4.1 A clause stating: “This policy shall not be canceled or reduced in required limits of liability or amounts of insurance until notice has been mailed to the AUSD, stating date of cancellation or reduction. Date of cancellation or reduction shall not be less than thirty (30) days after date of mailing notice.”

6.4.2 An endorsement stating that the AUSD are named additional insureds under all policies except Workers’ Compensation Insurance, Professional Liability, and Employers’ Liability Insurance. An endorsement shall also state that the Contractor’s insurance policies shall be primary to any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the AUSD.

6.4.3 All policies shall be written on an occurrence form.

6.4.4 Insurance is to be placed with insurers with a current A.M. Best’s rating of no less than A: VII, unless otherwise acceptable to the AUSD.

7. Notices. All notices provided for under this Agreement shall be in writing and either personally delivered during normal business hours or sent by U.S. Mail (certified, return receipt requested) with postage prepaid to the other party at the address set forth below:

AUSD	CONTRACTOR
Name: <u>Monty Patterson</u>	Name: <u>Glenn N. Gould</u>
Title: <u>Senior Director of Construction</u>	Title: <u>Attorney</u>
Address: <u>2060 Challenger Drive</u> <u>Alameda, CA 94501</u>	Address: <u>6200 Stoneridge Mall Rd. Ste 225</u> <u>Pleasanton, CA 94588</u>
Email: <u>mpatterson@alamedaunified.org</u>	Email: <u>ggould@ohhlegal.com</u>

Notice shall be effective when received if personally served or, if mailed, three days after mailing. Either party must give written notice of a change in address.

8. Invoicing. Invoices furnished by CONTRACTOR under this Agreement must be in a form acceptable to AUSD. All amounts paid by AUSD shall be subject to audit by AUSD.

8.1 Invoices shall be emailed directly to accountspayable@alamedaunified.org or mailed to Attn: Accounts Payable at 2060 Challenger Drive, Alameda, CA 94501. Invoice shall include but not be limited to: consultant name, consultant address, invoice date, invoice sequence number, purchase order number, name of school or department service was provided to, period of service, number of hours of service, brief description of services provided, hourly rate, and total payment requested.

9. Licenses and Permits. CONTRACTOR shall obtain and keep in force all licenses, permits, and certificates necessary for the performance of this Agreement.

10. Contractor Qualifications / Performance of Services.

10.1 Contractor Qualifications. CONTRACTOR is specially trained, experienced, competent and fully licensed to provide the Services required by this Agreement in conformity with the laws and regulations of the State of California, the United States of America, and all local laws, ordinances and regulations, as they may apply.

10.2 Standard of Care. CONTRACTOR represents that CONTRACTOR has the qualifications and ability to perform the Services in a professional manner, without the advice, control, or supervision of AUSD. Contractor's services will be performed, findings obtained, reports and recommendations prepared in accordance with generally and currently accepted principles and practices of its profession for services to California schools.

11. Status of Contractor. This is not an employment contract. CONTRACTOR, in the performance of this Agreement, shall be and act as an independent contractor. CONTRACTOR certifies that s/he performs work that is outside the usual course of the AUSD's business. CONTRACTOR further certifies s/he is customarily engaged in an independently established trade, occupation, or business of the same nature as that involved in the work performed. CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that it and all of its employees shall not be considered officers, employees, agents, partner, or joint venture of AUSD, and are not entitled to benefits of any kind or nature normally provided employees of AUSD and/or to which AUSD's employees are normally entitled, including, but not limited to, State Unemployment Compensation or Workers' Compensation. CONTRACTOR shall assume full responsibility for payment of all federal, state, and local taxes or contributions, including unemployment insurance, social security, and income taxes with respect to CONTRACTOR's employees. In the performance of the work herein contemplated, CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor or business entity, with the sole authority for controlling and directing the performance of the details of the work. AUSD's interest is only in the results obtained.

12. Assignment. The obligations of CONTRACTOR under this Agreement shall not be assigned by CONTRACTOR without the express prior written consent of AUSD.

13. Site Access/Security. While providing services as set forth in this contract, it may be determined that keys are necessary for access or emergency response. In the event that keys are approved to be issued to the CONTRACTOR, the CONTRACTOR acknowledges and agrees to the responsibility of securely maintaining said keys. The CONTRACTORS' duty, along with its employees or subcontractors if applicable, is to ensure the keys are kept safe, used only for business purposes, and not misused (shared, duplicated, etc.). In the event of any lost or stolen keys, the organization must report the incident to the AUSD in no less than 24 hours. Furthermore, should any contractor be reassigned to another site or their contract with AUSD terminate or expire, all individuals must return all keys to the original issuer on their final day. The CONTRACTOR assumes all liability for re-keying costs at any AUSD school site associated with the use, loss, or failure to return AUSD keys, including the potential of reduced or withheld invoice payments if necessary.

14. Anti-Discrimination. It is the policy of AUSD that in connection with all work performed under contracts there be no discrimination against any employee engaged in the work because of race, color, ancestry, national origin, religious creed, physical disability, medical condition, marital status, sexual orientation, gender, or age and therefore the CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with applicable federal and California laws including, but not limited to, the California Fair Employment and Housing Act beginning with Government Code Section 12900 and Labor Code Section 1735 and AUSD policy. In addition, the CONTRACTOR agrees to require like compliance by all its subcontractors. Contractor shall not engage in unlawful discrimination in employment on the basis of actual or perceived race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, veteran status, gender, sex, or sexual orientation.

- 15. Drug-Free/Smoke Free Policy.** No drugs, alcohol, and/or smoking are allowed at any time in any buildings and/or grounds on AUSD property. No students, staff, visitors, CONTRACTORS, or subcontractors are to smoke or use drugs or alcohol on these sites.
- 16. Indemnification.** CONTRACTOR agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless AUSD, its Board, trustees, officers, agents, employees and volunteers from all claims, including active and passive claims, losses, costs, attorney fees and expenses arising out of any liability or claim of liability for personal injury, bodily injury to persons or death, contractual liability and damage to property sustained or claimed to have been sustained arising out of activities of the CONTRACTOR or its sub-Contractors, and any other person, firm or corporation furnishing or supplying services, materials or supplies in conjunction with the services of the CONTRACTOR, whether authorized by this Agreement or not. CONTRACTOR further agrees to waive all rights of subrogation against AUSD. The provisions of this article do not apply to any damage or losses caused solely by the negligence or willful misconduct of AUSD or any of its agents or employees
- 17. Copyright/Trademark/Patent/Ownership.** CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that all matters produced under this Agreement shall become the property of AUSD and cannot be used without AUSD's express written permissions. AUSD shall have all rights, title, and interest in said matters, including the right to secure and maintain the copyright, trademark and/or patent of said matter in the name of AUSD. CONTRACTOR consents to use of CONTRACTOR's name in conjunction with the sale, use, performance, and distribution of the matters, for any purpose and in any medium. These matters include, without limitation, drawings, plans, specifications, studies, reports, memoranda, computation sheets, the contents of computer diskettes, artworkcopy, posters, billboards, photographs, videotapes, audiotapes, systems designs, software, reports, diagrams, surveys, source codes, or any other original works of authorships, or other documents prepared by CONTRACTOR or its subcontractors in connection with the Services performed under this Agreement. All works shall be works for hire as defined under Title 17 of the United States Code, and all copyrights in those works are the property of AUSD.
- 18. Waiver.** No delay or omission by either party in exercising any right under this Agreement shall operate as a waiver of that or any other right or prevent a similar subsequent act from constituting a violation of the Agreement.
- 19. Termination.** AUSD may at any time terminate this Agreement upon written notice to CONTRACTOR. AUSD shall compensate CONTRACTOR for services satisfactorily provided through the date of termination. In addition, AUSD may terminate this Agreement for cause should CONTRACTOR fail to perform any part of this Agreement. In the event of termination for cause, AUSD may secure the required services from another contractor. If the cost to AUSD exceeds the cost of providing the services pursuant to the Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall pay the additional cost.
- 20. No Rights in Third Parties.** This Agreement does not create any rights in, or inure to the benefit of, any third party except as expressly provided herein.
- 21. AUSD's Evaluation of CONTRACTOR and CONTRACTOR's Employees and/or Subcontractors.** AUSD may evaluate the CONTRACTOR's work in any way that AUSD is entitled to do so pursuant to applicable law. The AUSD's evaluation may include, without limitation:
- 21.1** Requesting that AUSD employee(s) evaluate the CONTRACTOR and the CONTRACTOR's employees and subcontractors and each of their performance.
 - 21.2** Announced and unannounced observance of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR's employee(s), and/or subcontractor.


- 22. Limitation of AUSD Liability.** Other than as provided in this Agreement, AUSD's financial obligations under this Agreement shall be limited to the payment of the compensation provided in this Agreement. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, in no event shall AUSD be liable, regardless of whether any claim is based on contract or tort, for any special, consequential, indirect, or incidental damages, including, but not limited to, lost profits or revenue, arising out of or in connection with this Agreement for the services performed in connection with this Agreement.
- 23. Confidentiality.** CONTRACTOR and all personnel designated by CONTRACTOR to perform under this Agreement shall maintain the confidentiality of information received in the course of performing this Agreement. This requirement shall extend beyond the effective termination or expiration date of this Agreement. In the event CONTRACTOR receives student data protected by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA"), Provider shall abide by Education Code section 49073, including the following: (a) Provider shall not use the student data provided, for an unauthorized purpose, transfer the student data to an unauthorized third party, or sell said data (b) Provider shall delete or otherwise dispose of student data in its possession after the termination of services under this Agreement (c) Provider shall undertake reasonable precautions to protect the student data and shall promptly report to the AUSD any unauthorized access to the student data.
- 24. Conflict of Interest.** CONTRACTOR shall abide by and be subject to all applicable AUSD policies, regulations, statutes or other laws regarding conflict of interest. CONTRACTOR shall not hire any officer or employee of AUSD to perform any service by this Agreement. CONTRACTOR affirms to the best of his/her/its knowledge, there exists no actual or potential conflict of interest between CONTRACTOR's family, business or financial interest and the services provided under this Agreement. In the event of change in either private interest or services under this Agreement, any question regarding possible conflict of interest which may arise as a result of such change will be brought to AUSD's attention in writing. Through its execution of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that it is familiar with the provisions of Section 1090 et seq. and Section 87100 et seq. of the Government Code of the State of California, and certifies that it does not know of any facts which constitute a violation of said provisions. In the event CONTRACTOR receives any information subsequent to execution of this Agreement, which might constitute a violation of said provisions, CONTRACTOR agrees it shall notify AUSD of this information.
- 25. Integration/Entire Agreement of Parties.** This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties and supersedes all prior discussions, negotiations, and agreements, whether oral or written. This Agreement may be amended or modified only by a written instrument executed by both Parties.
- 26. Litigation.** This Agreement shall be performed in Alameda, California and is governed by the laws of the State of California. The Alameda County Superior Court shall have jurisdiction over any state court litigation initiated to enforce or interpret this Agreement. If litigation is initiated, the prevailing party shall be entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs.
- 27. Agreement Contingent on Governing Board Approval.** The AUSD shall not be bound by the terms of this Agreement until it has been formally approved or ratified by the AUSD's Governing Board, and/or Executive Cabinet as its designee, and no payment shall be owed or made to CONTRACTOR absent formal approval.
- 28. Counterparts.** This Agreement and all amendments and supplements to it may be executed in counterparts, and all counterparts together shall be construed as one document. The Recitals and each Exhibit attached hereto are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

- 29. Contract Publicly Posted.** This contract, its contents, and all incorporated documents are public documents and will be made available by AUSD to the public online via the Internet.
- 30. Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion.** CONTRACTOR certifies to the best of his/her/its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency according to Federal Acquisition Regulation Subpart 9.4, and by signing this contract, certifies that this vendor does not appear on the Excluded Parties List.
- 31. Force Majeure.** At the AUSD's discretion, the Parties shall be excused from performance hereunder during the time and to the extent that it is prevented from performing in the customary manner by an act of God, fire, flood, war, riot, civil disturbance, terrorism, epidemic, quarantine/shelter in place order, strike, lockout, labor dispute, or any other occurrence which is beyond the control of the parties, when evidence thereof is presented to the other party. The AUSD shall not be responsible for any costs associated with this Agreement while performance is so excused.
- 32. Other.** Additional terms attached or edits to must be approved by AUSD.

I. SITE

CONTRACTOR

Print Name & Title: Glenn N. Gould, Partner

CONTRACTOR Signature:  Date: June 10, 2024

SOURCE OF FUNDS (check appropriate):

Unrestricted Funds (Fund 01) Donated Funds Restricted Funds

21-9503-0-0000-8110-5845-077-77-0000 15%

21-9504-0-0000-8110-5845-077-77-0000 75%

Budget Code: 40-0000-0-0000-8110-5845-077-77-0000 10%

Monty Patterson

06/13/2024

Requesting Administrator


Date

The person(s) signing this Agreement on behalf of each party has been given the proper authority and empowered to enter into this Agreement.

SEND TO: Business Services

II. HR

Human Resource Approval Yes No


Timothy Erwin (Jun 13, 2024 15:31 PDT)

06/13/2024

Signature of Human Resource Administrator

Date

III. BOARD DELEGATES

- Superintendent, Pasquale Scuderi
- Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources, Tim Erwin
- Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services, Kirsten Zazo
- Assistant Superintendent of Business Services, Shariq Khan


Shariq Khan (Jun 13, 2024 15:36 PDT)

06/13/2024

Signature of Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent

Date

IV. BOARD

BOE Approval Required for Contracts Equal To Or Greater Than \$114,500:

Signature of President, Board of Education

Date

Signature of Secretary, Board of Education

Date

NOTEPAD:HOLDER CODE
INSURED'S NAME Orbach Huff & Henderson LLPORBAC-1
OP ID: BGPAGE 2
Date 10/25/2023

Except for Worker's Compensation Insurance, Alameda Unified School District, its trustees, employees, and agents, the State of California are named as Additional Insured under all policies per terms of the attached endorsement(s) and as required by a written contract. 30 Day notice of cancellation, except 10 day notice for non-payment of premium applies per policy provisions

NOTEPAD:HOLDER CODE
INSURED'S NAME Orbach Huff & Henderson LLPORBAC-1
OP ID: AJPAGE 2
Date 05/06/2024

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(b) Rented to, in the care, custody or control of, or over which physical control is being exercised for any purpose by you, any of your "employees", "volunteer workers", any partner or member (if you are a partnership or joint venture), or any member (if you are a limited liability company).

b. Real Estate Manager

Any person (other than your "employee" or "volunteer worker"), or any organization while acting as your real estate manager.

c. Temporary Custodians Of Your Property

Any person or organization having proper temporary custody of your property if you die, but only:

- (1) With respect to liability arising out of the maintenance or use of that property; and
- (2) Until your legal representative has been appointed.

d. Legal Representative If You Die

Your legal representative if you die, but only with respect to duties as such. That representative will have all your rights and duties under this insurance.

e. Unnamed Subsidiary

Any subsidiary and subsidiary thereof, of yours which is a legally incorporated entity of which you own a financial interest of more than 50% of the voting stock on the effective date of this Coverage Part.

The insurance afforded herein for any subsidiary not shown in the Declarations as a named insured does not apply to injury or damage with respect to which an insured under this insurance is also an insured under another policy or would be an insured under such policy but for its termination or upon the exhaustion of its limits of insurance.

3. Newly Acquired Or Formed Organization

Any organization you newly acquire or form, other than a partnership, joint venture or limited liability company, and over which you maintain financial interest of more than 50% of the voting stock, will qualify as a Named Insured if there is no other similar insurance available to that organization. However:

- a. Coverage under this provision is afforded only until the 180th day after you acquire or form the organization or the end of the policy period, whichever is earlier; and

b. Coverage under this provision does not apply to:

- (1) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" that occurred; or
- (2) "Personal and advertising injury" arising out of an offense committed

before you acquired or formed the organization.

4. Operator Of Mobile Equipment

With respect to "mobile equipment" registered in your name under any motor vehicle registration law, any person is an insured while driving such equipment along a public highway with your permission. Any other person or organization responsible for the conduct of such person is also an insured, but only with respect to liability arising out of the operation of the equipment, and only if no other insurance of any kind is available to that person or organization for this liability. However, no person or organization is an insured with respect to:

- a. "Bodily injury" to a co-"employee" of the person driving the equipment; or
- b. "Property damage" to property owned by, rented to, in the charge of or occupied by you or the employer of any person who is an insured under this provision.

5. Operator of Nonowned Watercraft

With respect to watercraft you do not own that is less than 51 feet long and is not being used to carry persons for a charge, any person is an insured while operating such watercraft with your permission. Any other person or organization responsible for the conduct of such person is also an insured, but only with respect to liability arising out of the operation of the watercraft, and only if no other insurance of any kind is available to that person or organization for this liability.

However, no person or organization is an insured with respect to:

- a. "Bodily injury" to a co-"employee" of the person operating the watercraft; or
- b. "Property damage" to property owned by, rented to, in the charge of or occupied by you or the employer of any person who is an insured under this provision.

6. Additional Insureds When Required By Written Contract, Written Agreement Or Permit

The person(s) or organization(s) identified in Paragraphs a. through f. below are additional insureds when you have agreed, in a written

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contract, written agreement or because of a permit issued by a state or political subdivision, that such person or organization be added as an additional insured on your policy, provided the injury or damage occurs subsequent to the execution of the contract or agreement, or the issuance of the permit.

A person or organization is an additional insured under this provision only for that period of time required by the contract, agreement or permit.

However, no such person or organization is an additional insured under this provision if such person or organization is included as an additional insured by an endorsement issued by us and made a part of this Coverage Part, including all persons or organizations added as additional insureds under the specific additional insured coverage grants in Section F. – Optional Additional Insured Coverages.

a. Vendors

Any person(s) or organization(s) (referred to below as vendor), but only with respect to "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of "your products" which are distributed or sold in the regular course of the vendor's business and only if this Coverage Part provides coverage for "bodily injury" or "property damage" included within the "products-completed operations hazard".

- (1) The insurance afforded to the vendor is subject to the following additional exclusions:

This insurance does not apply to:

- (a) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" for which the vendor is obligated to pay damages by reason of the assumption of liability in a contract or agreement. This exclusion does not apply to liability for damages that the vendor would have in the absence of the contract or agreement;
- (b) Any express warranty unauthorized by you;
- (c) Any physical or chemical change in the product made intentionally by the vendor;
- (d) Repackaging, except when unpacked solely for the purpose of inspection, demonstration, testing, or the substitution of parts under instructions from the manufacturer, and then repackaged in the original container;

- (e) Any failure to make such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as the vendor has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products;

- (f) Demonstration, installation, servicing or repair operations, except such operations performed at the vendor's premises in connection with the sale of the product;

- (g) Products which, after distribution or sale by you, have been labeled or relabeled or used as a container, part or ingredient of any other thing or substance by or for the vendor; or

- (h) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of the sole negligence of the vendor for its own acts or omissions or those of its employees or anyone else acting on its behalf. However, this exclusion does not apply to:

- (i) The exceptions contained in Subparagraphs (d) or (f); or

- (ii) Such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as the vendor has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products.

- (2) This insurance does not apply to any insured person or organization from whom you have acquired such products, or any ingredient, part or container, entering into, accompanying or containing such products.

b. Lessors Of Equipment

- (1) Any person or organization from whom you lease equipment; but only with respect to their liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by your maintenance, operation or use of equipment leased to you by such person or organization.

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This Paragraph f. applies separately to you and any additional insured.

3. Financial Responsibility Laws

- a. When this policy is certified as proof of financial responsibility for the future under the provisions of any motor vehicle financial responsibility law, the insurance provided by the policy for "bodily injury" liability and "property damage" liability will comply with the provisions of the law to the extent of the coverage and limits of insurance required by that law.
- b. With respect to "mobile equipment" to which this insurance applies, we will provide any liability, uninsured motorists, underinsured motorists, no-fault or other coverage required by any motor vehicle law. We will provide the required limits for those coverages.

4. Legal Action Against Us

No person or organization has a right under this Coverage Form:

- a. To join us as a party or otherwise bring us into a "suit" asking for damages from an insured; or
- b. To sue us on this Coverage Form unless all of its terms have been fully complied with.

A person or organization may sue us to recover on an agreed settlement or on a final judgment against an insured; but we will not be liable for damages that are not payable under the terms of this insurance or that are in excess of the applicable limit of insurance. An agreed settlement means a settlement and release of liability signed by us, the insured and the claimant or the claimant's legal representative.

5. Separation Of Insureds

Except with respect to the Limits of Insurance, and any rights or duties specifically assigned in this policy to the first Named Insured, this insurance applies:

- a. As if each Named Insured were the only Named Insured; and
- b. Separately to each insured against whom a claim is made or "suit" is brought.

6. Representations**a. When You Accept This Policy**

By accepting this policy, you agree:

- (1) The statements in the Declarations are accurate and complete;
- (2) Those statements are based upon representations you made to us; and

- (3) We have issued this policy in reliance upon your representations.

b. Unintentional Failure To Disclose Hazards

If unintentionally you should fail to disclose all hazards relating to the conduct of your business at the inception date of this Coverage Part, we shall not deny any coverage under this Coverage Part because of such failure.

7. Other Insurance

If other valid and collectible insurance is available for a loss we cover under this Coverage Part, our obligations are limited as follows:

a. Primary Insurance

This insurance is primary except when **b.** below applies. If other insurance is also primary, we will share with all that other insurance by the method described in **c.** below.

b. Excess Insurance

This insurance is excess over any of the other insurance, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis:

(1) Your Work

That is Fire, Extended Coverage, Builder's Risk, Installation Risk or similar coverage for "your work";

(2) Premises Rented To You

That is fire, lightning or explosion insurance for premises rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner;

(3) Tenant Liability

That is insurance purchased by you to cover your liability as a tenant for "property damage" to premises rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner;

(4) Aircraft, Auto Or Watercraft

If the loss arises out of the maintenance or use of aircraft, "autos" or watercraft to the extent not subject to Exclusion **g.** of Section **A.** – Coverages.

(5) Property Damage To Borrowed Equipment Or Use Of Elevators

If the loss arises out of "property damage" to borrowed equipment or the use of elevators to the extent not subject to Exclusion **k.** of Section **A.** – Coverages.

(6) When You Are Added As An Additional Insured To Other Insurance

That is other insurance available to you covering liability for damages arising out of the premises or operations, or products and completed operations, for which you have been added as an additional insured by that insurance; or

(7) When You Add Others As An Additional Insured To This Insurance

That is other insurance available to an additional insured.

However, the following provisions apply to other insurance available to any person or organization who is an additional insured under this Coverage Part:

(a) Primary Insurance When Required By Contract

This insurance is primary if you have agreed in a written contract, written agreement or permit that this insurance be primary. If other insurance is also primary, we will share with all that other insurance by the method described in **c.** below.

(b) Primary And Non-Contributory To Other Insurance When Required By Contract

If you have agreed in a written contract, written agreement or permit that this insurance is primary and non-contributory with the additional insured's own insurance, this insurance is primary and we will not seek contribution from that other insurance.

Paragraphs **(a)** and **(b)** do not apply to other insurance to which the additional insured has been added as an additional insured.

When this insurance is excess, we will have no duty under this Coverage Part to defend the insured against any "suit" if any other insurer has a duty to defend the insured against that "suit". If no other insurer defends, we will undertake to do so, but we will be entitled to the insured's rights against all those other insurers.

When this insurance is excess over other insurance, we will pay only our share of the amount of the loss, if any, that exceeds the sum of:

- (1)** The total amount that all such other insurance would pay for the loss in the absence of this insurance; and
- (2)** The total of all deductible and self-insured amounts under all that other insurance.

We will share the remaining loss, if any, with any other insurance that is not described in this Excess Insurance provision and was not bought specifically to apply in excess of the Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations of this Coverage Part.

c. Method Of Sharing

If all the other insurance permits contribution by equal shares, we will follow this method also. Under this approach, each insurer contributes equal amounts until it has paid its applicable limit of insurance or none of the loss remains, whichever comes first.

If any of the other insurance does not permit contribution by equal shares, we will contribute by limits. Under this method, each insurer's share is based on the ratio of its applicable limit of insurance to the total applicable limits of insurance of all insurers.

8. Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us

a. Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery

If the insured has rights to recover all or part of any payment, including Supplementary Payments, we have made under this Coverage Part, those rights are transferred to us. The insured must do nothing after loss to impair them. At our request, the insured will bring "suit" or transfer those rights to us and help us enforce them. This condition does not apply to Medical Expenses Coverage.

b. Waiver Of Rights Of Recovery (Waiver Of Subrogation)

If the insured has waived any rights of recovery against any person or organization for all or part of any payment, including Supplementary Payments, we have made under this Coverage Part, we also waive that right, provided the insured waived their rights of recovery against such person or organization in a contract, agreement or permit that was executed prior to the injury or damage.



COMMON POLICY CONDITIONS

All coverages of this policy are subject to the following conditions.

A. Cancellation

1. The first Named Insured shown in the Declarations may cancel this policy by mailing or delivering to us advance written notice of cancellation.
2. We may cancel this policy by mailing or delivering to the first Named Insured written notice of cancellation at least:
 - a. 5 days before the effective date of cancellation if any one of the following conditions exists at any building that is Covered Property in this policy:
 - (1) The building has been vacant or unoccupied 60 or more consecutive days. This does not apply to:
 - (a) Seasonal unoccupancy; or
 - (b) Buildings in the course of construction, renovation or addition.
Buildings with 65% or more of the rental units or floor area vacant or unoccupied are considered unoccupied under this provision.
 - (2) After damage by a Covered Cause of Loss, permanent repairs to the building:
 - (a) Have not started; and
 - (b) Have not been contracted for, within 30 days of initial payment of loss.
 - (3) The building has:
 - (a) An outstanding order to vacate;
 - (b) An outstanding demolition order; or
 - (c) Been declared unsafe by governmental authority.
 - (4) Fixed and salvageable items have been or are being removed from the building and are not being replaced. This does not apply to such removal that is necessary or incidental to any renovation or remodeling.

(5) Failure to:

- (a) Furnish necessary heat, water, sewer service or electricity for 30 consecutive days or more, except during a period of seasonal unoccupancy; or
 - (b) Pay property taxes that are owing and have been outstanding for more than one year following the date due, except that this provision will not apply where you are in a bona fide dispute with the taxing authority regarding payment of such taxes.
 - b. 10 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for nonpayment of premium.
 - c. 30 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for any other reason.
3. We will mail or deliver our notice to the first Named Insured's last mailing address known to us.
 4. Notice of cancellation will state the effective date of cancellation. The policy period will end on that date.
 5. If this policy is canceled, we will send the first Named Insured any premium refund due. Such refund will be pro rata. If the first Named Insured cancels, the refund may be less than pro rata. The cancellation will be effective even if we have not made or offered a refund.
 6. If notice is mailed, proof of mailing will be sufficient proof of notice.

B. Changes

This policy contains all the agreements between you and us concerning the insurance afforded. The first Named Insured shown in the Declarations is authorized to make changes in the terms of this policy with our consent. This policy's terms can be amended or waived only by endorsement issued by us and made a part of this policy.

liability at least as high as set forth in the Extension Schedule of Underlying Insurance Policies, subject to all the limitations upon coverage and all other policy terms and conditions of such "underlying insurance" and this policy.

2. Any person or organization with whom you agreed, because of a written contract, written agreement or because of a permit issued by a state or political subdivision, to provide insurance such as is afforded under this policy, but only with respect to your operations, "your work" or facilities owned or used by you.

This provision does not apply:

- a. Unless the written contract or written agreement has been executed, or the permit has been issued, prior to the "bodily injury," "property damage," or "personal and advertising injury"; and
 - b. Unless the limits of liability specified in such written contract, written agreement or permit are greater than the limits of liability provided by the "underlying insurance".
 - c. Beyond the period of time required by the written contract, written agreement or permit.
3. Any person or organization having proper temporary custody of your property if you die, but only:
- a. With respect to liability arising out of the maintenance or use of that property; and
 - b. Until your legal representative has been appointed
4. Your legal representative if you die, but only with respect to his or her duties as such. That representative will have all your rights and duties under this policy.
- C. With respect to any "auto", any "insured" in the "underlying insurance" is an "insured" under this insurance policy, subject to all the limitations of such "underlying insurance".
- D. With respect to "mobile equipment" registered in your name under any motor vehicle registration law, any person is an "insured" while driving such equipment along a public highway with your permission. Any other person or organization responsible for the conduct of such person is also an "insured", but only with respect to liability arising out of the operation of the equipment, and only if no other insurance of any kind is available to that person or organization for this liability. However, no person or organization is an "insured" with respect to:

1. "Bodily injury" to a co-"employee" of the person driving the equipment; or
2. "Property damage" to property owned by, rented to, in the charge of or occupied by you or the employer of any person who is an "insured" under this provision.

- E. Any organization you newly acquire or form, other than a partnership, joint venture or limited liability company, and over which you maintain financial interest of more than 50% of the voting stock, will qualify as an "insured" if there is no other similar insurance available to that organization.

However:

1. Coverage under this provision is afforded only until the 180th day after you acquire or form the organization or the end of the "policy period", whichever is earlier;
2. This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" that occurred before you acquired or formed the organization; and
3. This insurance does not apply to "personal and advertising injury" arising out of an offense committed before you acquired or formed the organization.

- F. Each person or organization, not included as an "insured" in Paragraphs **A.**, **B.**, **C.**, **D.**, or **E.**, who is an "insured" in the "underlying insurance" is an "insured" under this insurance subject to all the terms, conditions and limitations of such "underlying insurance".

No person or organization is an "insured" with respect to the conduct of any current or past partnership, joint venture or limited liability company that is not shown as a Named Insured in the Declarations.

With respect to any person or organization who is not an "insured" under "underlying insurance", coverage under this policy shall apply only to loss in excess of the amount of the "underlying insurance" or "self-insured retention" applicable to you.

However, coverage afforded by reason of the provisions set forth above applies only to the extent:

- (i) Of the scope of coverage provided by the "underlying insurance" but in no event shall coverage be broader than the scope of coverage provided by this policy and any endorsements attached hereto; and
- (ii) That such coverage provided by the "underlying insurance" is maintained having limits as set forth in the Extension Schedule of Underlying Insurance Policies.

Workers' Compensation and Employers' Liability Policy

Named Insured ORBACH HUFF & HENDERSON LLP	Endorsement Number
	Policy Number Symbol: Number: (24) 7179-68-74
Policy Period 06/01/2023 TO 06/01/2024	Effective Date of Endorsement 06/01/2023
Issued By (Name of Insurance Company) Westchester Fire Insurance Company	
Insert the policy number. The remainder of the information is to be completed only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to the preparation of the policy.	

CALIFORNIA WAIVER OF OUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM OTHERS ENDORSEMENT

This endorsement applies only to the insurance provided by the policy because California is shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.

We have the right to recover our payments from anyone liable for an injury covered by this policy. We will not enforce our right against the person or organization named in the Schedule, but this waiver applies only with respect to bodily injury arising out of the operations described in the Schedule, where you are required by a written contract to obtain this waiver from us.

You must maintain payroll records accurately segregating the remuneration of your employees while engaged in the work described in the Schedule.

Schedule

1. () Specific Waiver
 Name of person or organization:

 (X) Blanket Waiver
 Any person or organization for whom the Named Insured has agreed by written contract to furnish this waiver.

2. Operations:

3. Premium:

 The premium charge for this endorsement shall be 1% percent of the California premium developed on payroll in connection with work performed for the above person(s) or organization(s) arising out of the operations described.

4. Minimum Premium:

Authorized Representative

CALIFORNIA CANCELATION ENDORSEMENT

This endorsement applies only to the insurance provided by the policy because California is shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.

The cancellation condition in Part Six (Conditions) of the policy is replaced by these conditions:

Cancellation:

1. You may cancel this policy. You must mail or deliver advance written notice to us stating when the cancellation is to take effect.
2. We may cancel this policy for one or more of the following reasons:
 - a. Non-payment of premium;
 - b. Failure to report payroll;
 - c. Failure to permit us to audit payroll as required by the terms of this policy or of a previous policy issued by us;
 - d. Failure to pay any additional premium resulting from an audit of payroll required by the terms of this policy or any previous policy issued by us;
 - e. Material misrepresentation made by you or your agent;
 - f. Failure to cooperate with us in the investigation of a claim;
 - g. Material failure to comply with federal or state safety orders or written recommendations of our designated loss control representatives;
 - h. The occurrence of a material change in the ownership of your business;
 - i. The occurrence of any change in your business or operations that materially increases the hazard for frequency or severity of loss;
 - j. The occurrence of any change in your business or operation that requires additional or different classification for premium calculation;
 - k. The occurrence of any change in your business or operation which contemplates an activity excluded by our reinsurance treaties.
3. If we cancel your policy for any of the reasons listed in (a) through (f), we will give you 10 days advance written notice, stating when the cancellation is to take effect. Mailing that notice to you at your mailing address shown in Item 1 of the Information Page will be sufficient to prove notice. If we cancel your policy for any of the reasons listed in Items (g) through (k), we will give you 30 days advance written notice; however, we agree that in the event of cancellation and reissuance of a policy effective upon a material change in ownership or operations, notice will not be provided.
4. If we mail the notice to you, the stated periods of notice and your right to remedy the condition will be extended by 5 days if the place of mailing and your mailing address is within California, 10 days if the place of mailing or your mailing address is outside of California and 20 days if the place of mailing or your mailing address is outside of the United States.
5. The policy period will end on the day and hour stated in the cancellation notice.

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.
(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

Endorsement Effective **06-01-23** Policy No. **71796874**

Insured **ORBACH HUFF & HENDERSON LLP**

Insurance Company **Westchester Fire Insurance Company**

Endorsement No.

Premium \$ **Incl.**

Countersigned By _____