

**AGREEMENT FOR CONSULTING SERVICES
BETWEEN THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH
AND R. P. LAURAIN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.**

THIS AGREEMENT FOR CONSULTING SERVICES (this "Agreement") is made between the City of Redondo Beach, a chartered municipal corporation ("City") and R. P. Laurain and Associates, Inc., a California corporation ("Consultant").

The parties hereby agree as follows:

1. Description of Project or Scope of Services. The project description or scope of services to be provided by Consultant, and any corresponding responsibilities of City, or services required to be performed by City are set forth in Exhibit "A."
2. Term and Time of Completion. Consultant shall commence and complete the project or services described in Exhibit "A" in accordance with the schedule set forth in Exhibit "B".
3. Compensation. City agrees to pay Consultant for work performed in accordance with Exhibit "C".
4. Insurance. Consultant shall adhere to the insurance requirements outlined in Exhibit "D", unless otherwise waived by the City's Risk Manager.

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GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Independent Contractor. Consultant acknowledges, represents and warrants that Consultant is not a regular or temporary employee, officer, agent, joint venturer or partner of the City, but rather an independent contractor. This Agreement shall not be construed as a contract of employment. Consultant shall have no rights to any benefits which accrue to City employees unless otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement. Due to the independent contractor relationship created by this Agreement, the City shall not withhold state or federal income taxes, the reporting of which shall be Consultant's sole responsibility.
2. Brokers. Consultant acknowledges, represents and warrants that Consultant has not hired, retained or agreed to pay any entity or person any fee, commission, percentage, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement.
3. City Property. All plans, drawings, reports, calculations, data, specifications, videos, graphics or other materials prepared for or obtained pursuant to this Agreement shall upon request be delivered to the City within a reasonable time, and the rights thereto shall be deemed assigned to the City. If applicable,

Consultant shall prepare check prints upon request. Said plans, drawings, reports, calculations, data, specifications, videos, graphics or other materials, shall be specific for the project herein and shall not be used by the City for any other project without Consultant's consent. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Consultant shall not be obligated to assign any proprietary software or data developed by or at the direction of Consultant for Consultant's own use; provided, however, that Consultant shall, pursuant to Paragraph 14 below, indemnify, defend and hold the City harmless from and against any discovery or Public Records Act request seeking the disclosure of any such proprietary software or data.

4. Inspection. If the services set forth in Exhibit "A" shall be performed on City or other public property, the City shall have the right to inspect such work without notice. If such services shall not be performed on City or other public property, the City shall have the right to inspect such work upon reasonable notice. Inspections by the City shall not relieve or minimize the responsibility of Consultant to conduct any inspections Consultant has agreed to perform pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. Consultant shall be solely liable for said inspections performed by Consultant. Consultant shall certify in writing to the City as to the completeness and accuracy of each inspection required to be conducted by Consultant hereunder.
5. Services. The project or services set forth in Exhibit "A" shall be performed to the full satisfaction and approval of the City. In the event that the project or services set forth in Exhibit "A" are itemized by price in Exhibit "C", the City in its sole discretion may, upon notice to Consultant, delete certain items or services set forth in Exhibit "A", in which case there shall be a corresponding reduction in the amount of compensation paid to Consultant. City shall furnish Consultant to the extent available, with any City standards, details, specifications and regulations applicable to the Project and necessary for the performance of Consultant's services hereunder. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any and all additional data necessary for design shall be the responsibility of Consultant.
6. Records. Consultant, including any of its subcontractors shall maintain full and complete documents and records, including accounting records, employee time sheets, work papers, and correspondence pertaining to the project or services set forth in Exhibit "A". Consultant, including any of its subcontractors shall make such documents and records available for City review or audit upon request and reasonable notice, and shall keep such documents and records, for at least four (4) years after Consultant's completion of performance of this Agreement. Copies of all pertinent reports and correspondence shall be furnished to the City for its files.
7. Changes and Extra Work. Unless otherwise provided herein, all changes and/or extra work under this Agreement shall be provided for by a subsequent written amendment executed by City and Consultant.

8. Additional Assistance. If this Agreement requires Consultant to prepare plans and specifications, Consultant shall provide assistance as necessary to resolve any questions regarding such plans and specifications that may arise during the period of advertising for bids, and Consultant shall issue any necessary addenda to the plans and specifications as requested. In the event Consultant is of the opinion that City's requests for addenda and assistance is outside the scope of normal services, the parties shall proceed in accordance with the changes and extra work provisions of this Agreement.
9. Professional Ability. Consultant acknowledges, represents and warrants that Consultant is skilled and able to competently provide the services hereunder, and possesses all professional licenses, certifications, and approvals necessary to engage in its occupation. City has relied upon the professional ability and training of Consultant as a material inducement to enter into this Agreement. Consultant shall perform in accordance with generally accepted professional practices and standards of Consultant's profession.
10. Business License. Consultant shall obtain a Redondo Beach Business License before performing any services required under this Agreement. The failure to so obtain such license shall be a material breach of this Agreement and grounds for immediate termination by City; provided, however, that City may waive the business license requirement in writing under unusual circumstances without necessitating any modification of this Agreement to reflect such waiver.
11. Termination Without Default. Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, the City may, in its sole and absolute discretion and without cause, terminate this Agreement at any time prior to completion by Consultant of the project or services hereunder, immediately upon written notice to Consultant. In the event of any such termination, Consultant shall be compensated for: (1) all authorized work satisfactorily performed prior to the effective date of termination; and (2) necessary materials or services of others ordered by Consultant for this Agreement, prior to Consultant's receipt of notice of termination, irrespective of whether such materials or services of others have actually been delivered, and further provided that Consultant is not able to cancel such orders. Compensation for Consultant in such event shall be determined by the City in accordance with the percentage of the project or services completed by Consultant; and all of Consultant's finished or unfinished work product through the time of the City's last payment shall be transferred and assigned to the City. In conjunction with any termination of this Agreement, the City may, at its own expense, make copies or extract information from any notes, sketches, computations, drawings, and specifications or other data, whether complete or not.
12. Termination in the Event of Default. Should Consultant fail to perform any of its obligations hereunder, within the time and in the manner provided or otherwise violate any of the terms of this Agreement, the City may immediately terminate

this Agreement by giving written notice of such termination, stating the reasons for such termination. Consultant shall be compensated as provided immediately above, provided, however, there shall be deducted from such amount the amount of damages if any, sustained by the City by virtue of Consultant's breach of this Agreement.

13. Conflict of Interest. Consultant acknowledges, represents and warrants that Consultant shall avoid all conflicts of interest (as defined under any federal, state or local statute, rule or regulation, or at common law) with respect to this Agreement. Consultant further acknowledges, represents and warrants that Consultant has no business relationship or arrangement of any kind with any City official or employee with respect to this Agreement. Consultant acknowledges that in the event that Consultant shall be found by any judicial or administrative body to have any conflict of interest (as defined above) with respect to this Agreement, all consideration received under this Agreement shall be forfeited and returned to City forthwith. This provision shall survive the termination of this Agreement for one (1) year.
14. Indemnity. To the maximum extent permitted by law, Consultant hereby agrees, at its sole cost and expense, to defend protect, indemnify, and hold harmless the City, its elected and appointed officials, officers, employees, volunteers, attorneys, and agents (collectively "Indemnitees") from and against any and all claims, including, without limitation, claims for bodily injury, death or damage to property, demands, charges, obligations, damages, causes of action, proceedings, suits, losses, stop payment notices, judgments, fines, liens, penalties, liabilities, costs and expenses of every kind and nature whatsoever, in any manner arising out of, incident to, related to, in connection with or arising from any act, failure to act, error or omission of Consultant's performance or work hereunder (including any of its officers, agents, employees, Subcontractors) or its failure to comply with any of its obligations contained in the Agreement, or its failure to comply with any current or prospective law, except for such loss or damage which was caused by the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the City. Consultant's obligation to indemnify shall not be restricted to insurance proceeds, if any, received by Consultant or Indemnitees. This indemnification obligation shall survive this Agreement and shall not be limited by any term of any insurance policy required under this Agreement.
 - a. Nonwaiver of Rights. Indemnitees do not and shall not waive any rights that they may possess against Consultant because the acceptance by City, or the deposit with City, of any insurance policy or certificate required pursuant to this Agreement.
 - b. Waiver of Right of Subrogation. Consultant, on behalf of itself and all parties claiming under or through it, hereby waives all rights of subrogation and contribution against the Indemnitees.

15. Insurance. Consultant shall comply with the requirements set forth in Exhibit "D." Insurance requirements that are waived by the City's Risk Manager do not require amendments or revisions to this Agreement.
16. Non-Liability of Officials and Employees of the City. No official or employee of the City shall be personally liable for any default or liability under this Agreement.
17. Compliance with Laws. Consultant shall comply with all federal, state and local laws, statutes, ordinances, rules and regulations, and the orders and decrees of any courts or administrative bodies or tribunals, with respect to this Agreement, including without limitation all environmental laws, employment laws.
18. Non-Discrimination. Consultant shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, regulations, and codes prohibiting discrimination, including but not limited to the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and the California Fair Employment and Housing Act. Consultant shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment on the basis of race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, age, sexual orientation, or military and veteran status. Consultant shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of its employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Consultant shall include a similar non-discrimination provision in all subcontracts related to the performance of this Agreement.
19. Limitations upon Subcontracting and Assignment. Consultant acknowledges that the services which Consultant shall provide under this Agreement are unique, personal services which, except as otherwise provided herein, Consultant shall not assign or sublet to any other party without the prior written approval of City, which approval may be withheld in the City's sole and absolute discretion. In the event that the City, in writing, approves any assignment or subletting of this Agreement or the retention of subcontractors by Consultant, Consultant shall provide to the City upon request copies of each and every subcontract prior to the execution thereof by Consultant and subcontractor. Any attempt by Consultant to assign any or all of its rights under this Agreement without first obtaining the City's prior written consent shall constitute a material default under this Agreement.

The sale, assignment, transfer or other disposition, on a cumulative basis, of twenty-five percent (25%) or more of the ownership interest in Consultant or twenty-five percent (25%) or more the voting control of Consultant (whether Consultant is a corporation, limited liability company, partnership, joint venture or otherwise) shall constitute an assignment for purposes of this Agreement. Further, the involvement of Consultant or its assets in any transaction or series of transactions (by way of merger, sale, acquisition, financing, transfer, leveraged

buyout or otherwise), whether or not a formal assignment or hypothecation of this Agreement or Consultant's assets occurs, which reduces Consultant's assets or net worth by twenty-five percent (25%) or more shall also constitute an assignment for purposes of this Agreement.

20. Subcontractors. Consultant shall provide properly skilled professional and technical personnel to perform any approved subcontracting duties. Consultant shall not engage the services of any person or persons now employed by the City without the prior written approval of City, which approval may be withheld in the City's sole and absolute discretion.
21. Integration. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter hereof and supersedes any previous oral or written agreement; provided, however, that correspondence or documents exchanged between Consultant and City may be used to assist in the interpretation of the exhibits to this Agreement.
22. Amendment. This Agreement may be amended or modified only by a subsequent written amendment executed by both parties.
23. Conflicting Provisions. In the event of a conflict between the terms and conditions of this Agreement and those of any exhibit or attachment hereto, this Agreement proper shall prevail. In the event of a conflict between the terms and conditions of any two or more exhibits or attachments hereto, those prepared by the City shall prevail over those prepared by Consultant.
24. Non-Exclusivity. Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, the services provided by Consultant hereunder shall be non-exclusive, and City reserves the right to employ other contractors in connection with the project.
25. Exhibits. All exhibits hereto are made a part hereof and incorporated herein by reference; provided, however, that any language in Exhibit "A" which does not pertain to the project description, proposal, or scope of services (as applicable) to be provided by Consultant, or any corresponding responsibilities of City, shall be deemed extraneous to, and not a part of, this Agreement.
26. Time of Essence. Time is of the essence of this Agreement.
27. Confidentiality. To the extent permissible under law, Consultant shall keep confidential its obligations hereunder and the information acquired during the performance of the project or services hereunder.
28. Third Parties. Nothing herein shall be interpreted as creating any rights or benefits in any third parties. For purposes hereof, transferees or assignees as permitted under this Agreement shall not be considered "third parties."

29. Governing Law and Venue. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California without regard to principles of conflicts of law. Venue for any litigation or other action arising hereunder shall reside exclusively in the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, Southwest Judicial District.
30. Attorneys' Fees. In the event either party to this Agreement brings any action to enforce or interpret this Agreement, the prevailing party in such action shall be entitled to reasonable attorneys' fees (including expert witness fees) and costs. This provision shall survive the termination of this Agreement.
31. Claims. Any claim by Consultant against City hereunder shall be subject to Government Code §§ 800 *et seq.* The claims presentation provisions of said Act are hereby modified such that the presentation of all claims hereunder to the City shall be waived if not made within six (6) months after accrual of the cause of action.
32. Interpretation. Consultant acknowledges that it has had ample opportunity to seek legal advice with respect to the negotiation of this Agreement. This Agreement shall be interpreted as if drafted by both parties.
33. Warranty. In the event that any product shall be provided to the City as part of this Agreement, Consultant warrants as follows: Consultant possesses good title to the product and the right to transfer the product to City; the product shall be delivered to the City free from any security interest or other lien; the product meets all specifications contained herein; the product shall be free from material defects in materials and workmanship under normal use for a period of one (1) year from the date of delivery; and the product shall be fit for its intended purpose(s). Notwithstanding the foregoing, consumable and maintenance items (such as light bulbs and batteries) shall be warranted for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of delivery. All repairs during the warranty period shall be promptly performed by Consultant, at Consultant's expense, including shipping. Consultant shall not be liable under this warranty for an amount greater than the amount set forth in Exhibit "C" hereto.
34. Severance. Any provision of this Agreement that is found invalid or unenforceable shall be deemed severed and all remaining provisions of this Agreement shall remain enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.
35. Authority. City warrants and represents that upon City Council approval, the Mayor of the City of Redondo Beach is duly authorized to enter into and execute this Agreement on behalf of City. The party signing on behalf of Consultant warrants and represents that he or she is duly authorized to enter into and execute this Agreement on behalf of Consultant, and shall be personally liable to City if he or she is not duly authorized to enter into and execute this Agreement on behalf of Consultant.

36. Waiver. The waiver by the City of any breach of any term or provision of this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver of any subsequent breach.


SIGNATURES FOLLOW ON NEXT PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement in Redondo Beach, California, as of this 1st day of October, 2024.

CITY OF REDONDO BEACH,
a chartered municipal corporation

R. P. LAURAIN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.,
a California corporation

James A. Light, Mayor

Signed by:

By: _____
Name: John P. Laurain
Title: President

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Eleanor Manzano, City Clerk

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Diane Strickfaden, Risk Manager

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael W. Webb, City Attorney

EXHIBIT "A"

SCOPE OF SERVICES

CONSULTANT'S DUTIES

Consultant shall perform the following duties in connection with the appraisal of the property identified below:

A. Preparation of the Appraisal Report

Within fifty (50) days of the City's issuance of the notice to proceed, Consultant shall prepare and deliver an Appraisal Report for APN 4156-003-022 (the "Subject Property"). The Subject Property is located at the southwest corner of Artesia Boulevard and Green Lane within the City, identified as Assessor Parcel Number (APN) 4156-003-022. The Property is privately owned, comprising approximately 26,000 square feet of land area (0.597 acres), and zoned MU-1 (Mixed Use). It is improved with a one-story, wood-frame commercial building with approximately 8,436 square feet, constructed in 1974. The Subject Property is currently leased to and occupied by the City's Community Services Department.

B. Property Inspection

As part of the appraisal process, Consultant shall conduct an on-site inspection of the Subject Property. The inspection shall include, but is not limited to, the following tasks:

1. Familiarization with the physical and functional characteristics of the property.
2. Evaluation of the immediate physical environment and its influence on the property, as well as the general economic environment.
3. Photographing the Subject Property and adjacent streets.
4. Measurement of the Subject Property and documentation of pertinent construction details.
5. Determination of the current fair market value of the unencumbered fee simple interest in the Subject Property as of a current date.

C. Sales Comparison Approach

Consultant shall conduct a detailed analysis comparing the Subject Property with similar properties recently sold in the market. The analysis shall consider relevant elements of comparability between the comparable sales and the Subject Property.

D. Income Capitalization Approach

Subject to the availability of relevant market data, Consultant shall apply the Income Capitalization Approach to support the valuation. This approach shall include analysis of rental rates, capitalization rates at comparable retail and office properties, and leased sales data.

E. Appraisal Report Contents

Consultant shall ensure that the Appraisal Report includes a comprehensive Market Data section, which shall contain:

1. Detailed descriptions of each comparable sale used in the analysis.
2. Photographs of each comparable sale property.
3. A map showing the location of each comparable sale property and the Subject Property.

F. Compliance with Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice

Consultant shall prepare the Appraisal Report in compliance with the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice ("USPAP") as a complete Appraisal Report in narrative format. The final report shall be delivered to the City in electronic PDF format.

EXHIBIT “B”

SCHEDULE FOR COMPLETION

TERM. The term of this Agreement shall commence on October 1, 2024 and expire September 30, 2025, unless otherwise terminated as herein provided.

EXHIBIT "C"

COMPENSATION

Provided Consultant is not in default under this Agreement, Consultant shall be compensated as provided below.

- A. **AMOUNT.** Consultant shall be compensated in the amount of \$5,800 for the services described in Exhibit "A" of this Agreement. In no event shall the total compensation paid to Consultant exceed this amount.
- B. **METHOD OF PAYMENT.** Consultant shall submit invoice(s) after the completion of services, specifying the dates of service, the tasks and services performed, and the corresponding amounts, for the City's review and approval. Invoice(s) must be itemized, adequately detailed, based on accurate records, and in a form reasonably satisfactory to City. Consultant may be required to provide back-up material upon request.
- C. **SCHEDULE FOR PAYMENT.** City agrees to pay Consultant within forty-five (45) days of receipt of invoice(s), provided, however, that services are completed to City's full satisfaction and there is no dispute over the amount.
- D. **NOTICE.** Written notices to City and Contractor shall be given by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, or personally served, and addressed to the following parties.

Consultant: R. P. Laurain & Associates, Inc.
3353 Linden Avenue, Suite 200
Long Beach, CA 90807
Attention: John P. Laurian, President

City: City of Redondo Beach
415 Diamond Street
Redondo Beach, CA 90277
Attention: Elizabeth Hause, Interim Community Services Director

All notices, including notices of address changes, provided under this Agreement are deemed received as follows: (1) on the third day after mailing if sent by registered or certified mail; or (2) upon personal delivery. Changes in the respective address set forth above may be made from time to time by any party upon written notice to the other party in accordance with this section.

EXHIBIT "D"

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR CONSULTANTS

Without limiting Consultant's indemnification obligations under this Agreement, Consultant shall procure and maintain for the duration of the contract insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by the Consultant, its agents, representatives, or employees.

Minimum Scope of Insurance

Coverage shall be at least as broad as:

Insurance Services Office Commercial General Liability coverage (occurrence form CG 0001).

Insurance Services Office form number CA 0001 (Ed. 1/87) covering Automobile Liability, code 1 (any auto).

Workers' Compensation insurance as required by the State of California.

Employer's Liability Insurance.

Minimum Limits of Insurance

Consultant shall maintain limits no less than:

General Liability: \$2,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage. The general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this project.

Automobile Liability: \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury and property damage.

Employer's Liability: \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury or disease.

Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions

Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the City. At the option of the City, either: (1) the insurer shall reduce or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions as respects the City, its officers, officials, employees and volunteers or (2) the Consultant shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the City guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claim administration and defense expenses.

Other Insurance Provisions

The general liability and automobile liability policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:

Additional Insured Endorsement:

General Liability: The City, its officers, elected and appointed officials, employees, and volunteers shall be covered as insureds with respect to liability arising out of work performed by or on behalf of the Consultant. General liability coverage can be provided in the form of an endorsement to the Consultant's insurance, or as a separate owner's policy.

Automobile Liability: The City, its officers, elected and appointed officials, employees, and volunteers shall be covered as insureds with respect to liability arising out of automobiles owned, leased, hired or borrowed by or on behalf of the Consultant.

For any claims related to this project, the Consultant's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects the City, its officers, elected and appointed officials, employees, and volunteers. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the City, its officers, officials, employees, or volunteers shall be excess of the Consultant's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

Each insurance policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be canceled by either party, except after thirty (30) days prior written notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, has been given to the City.

Each insurance policy shall be endorsed to state that the inclusion of more than one insured shall not operate to impair the rights of one insured against another insured, and the coverages afforded shall apply as though separate policies had been issued to each insured.

Each insurance policy shall be in effect prior to awarding the contract and each insurance policy or a successor policy shall be in effect for the duration of the project. The maintenance of proper insurance coverage is a material element of the contract and failure to maintain or renew coverage or to provide evidence of renewal may be treated by the City as a material breach of contract on the Consultant's part.

Acceptability of Insurers

Insurance shall be placed with insurers with a current A.M. Best's rating of no less than A:VII and which are authorized to transact insurance business in the State of California by the Department of Insurance.

Verification of Coverage

Consultant shall furnish the City with original certificates and amendatory endorsements effecting coverage required by this clause. The endorsements should be on the City authorized forms provided with the contract specifications. Standard ISO forms which shall be subject to City approval and amended to conform to the City's requirements may be acceptable in lieu of City authorized forms. All certificates and endorsements shall be received and approved by the City before the contract is awarded. The City reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements effecting the coverage required by these specifications at any time.

Subcontractors

Consultant shall include all subcontractors as insured under its policies or shall furnish separate certificates and endorsements for each subcontractor. All coverages for subcontractors shall be subject to all of the requirements stated herein.

Risk Management

Consultant acknowledges that insurance underwriting standards and practices are subject to change, and the City reserves the right to make changes to these provisions in the reasonable discretion of its Risk Manager.

ACORDTM**CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE**

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

9/12/2024

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an **ADDITIONAL INSURED**, the policy(ies) must have **ADDITIONAL INSURED** provisions or be endorsed. If **SUBROGATION** IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer any rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

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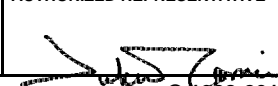
City of Redondo Beach, it's officers, officials, employees, agents, and volunteers are named as additional insured with respect to General Liability and Auto Liability as per written contract.
 Primary and Non-Contributory wording applies. Waiver of Subrogation applies with respects to Workers Compensation.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER**CANCELLATION**

City of Redondo Beach
 Public Works Department
 Engineering Services Division
 415 Diamond Street
 Redondo Beach, CA 90277

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE



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BUSINESSOWNERS LIABILITY ENHANCEMENTS ENDORSEMENT

Named Insured RP LAURAIN & ASSOCIATES, INC			Endorsement Number BOP47635a0716
Policy Symbol SER	Policy Number D02133386	Policy Period 02-11-2024 to 02-11-2025	Effective Date of Endorsement 02-11-2024
Issued By (Name of Insurance Company) ACE Property And Casualty Insurance Company			

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

BUSINESSOWNERS COVERAGE FORM

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This endorsement modifies the coverages provided under the Businessowners Coverage Form.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, the provisions of the Businessowners Coverage Form apply, except as provided in this endorsement. The titles of the various paragraphs of this endorsement are inserted solely for convenience or reference and are not to be deemed in any way to limit or affect the provisions to which they relate.

A. SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS – BAIL BONDS AND BONDS TO APPEAL JUDGMENTS - NO SUBLIMIT

In Section II - Liability, Paragraph A. Coverages, 1. f. Coverage Extension – Supplementary Payments, subparagraphs (1)(b) and (c) are replaced by the following:

- (b)** The cost of bail bonds, but only for bond amounts within the available limit of insurance. We do not have to furnish these bonds.

- (c) The cost of bonds to appeal judgments or release attachments, but only for amounts within the available limit of insurance. We do not have to furnish these bonds.

B. MEDICAL EXPENSES – THREE YEARS TO REPORT EXPENSES

In **Section II – Liability**, Paragraph **A. Coverages, 2. Medical Expenses**, subparagraph **a.(b)** is replaced by the following:

- (b) The expenses are incurred and reported to us within three years of the date of the accident; and

C. NON-OWNED WATERCRAFT UNDER 55 FEET

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **B. Exclusions**, subparagraph (2) of Exclusion **1.g. Aircraft, Auto Or Watercraft** is replaced by the following:

This exclusion does not apply to:

- (2) A watercraft you do not own that is:
- (a) Less than 55 feet long; and
 - (b) Not being used to carry persons or property for a charge;

D. NON-OWNED AIRCRAFT

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **B. Exclusions**, the following exception is added to Exclusion **1.g. Aircraft, Auto or Watercraft in Section II – Liability**:

This exclusion does not apply to an aircraft you do not own provided:

1. The pilot in command holds a currently effective certificate, issued by the duly constituted authority of the United States of America or Canada, designating that person as a commercial or airline transport pilot;
2. It is rented with a trained, paid crew; and
3. It does not transport persons or cargo for a charge.

E. DAMAGE TO PROPERTY - EXCEPTION FOR EQUIPMENT LOANED OR RENTED TO THE INSURED

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **B. Exclusions**, the following exception is added to Exclusion **1.k. Damage To Property**:

Paragraphs (3) and (4) of this exclusion do not apply to “property damage” to equipment rented or loaned to the insured, provided such equipment is not being used to perform any operations at a construction job site.

F. WHO IS AN INSURED - SUBSIDIARIES OR NEWLY ACQUIRED OR FORMED ORGANIZATIONS

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **C. Who is an Insured** is amended to include the following:

If there is no other insurance available, each of the following is also a Named Insured:

1. A subsidiary organization of the first Named Insured shown in the Declarations of which, at the beginning of the policy period and at the time of loss, the first Named Insured controls, either directly or indirectly, more than 50 percent of the interests entitled to vote generally in the election of the governing body of such organization; or
2. A subsidiary organization of the first Named Insured shown in the Declarations that the first Named Insured acquires or forms during the policy period, if at the time of loss the first Named Insured controls, either directly or indirectly, more than 50 percent of the interests entitled to vote generally in the election of the governing body of such organization.

G. WHO IS AN INSURED - EMPLOYEES (INCLUDING CPR AND FIRST AID) AND VOLUNTEER WORKERS

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **C. Who is an Insured**, Paragraph **2.a.** is replaced by the following:

2. Each of the following is also an insured:
 - a. Your "employees" but only for acts within the scope of their employment by you or while performing duties related to the conduct of your business. However, no "employee" is an insured for:

(1) "Bodily injury" or "personal and advertising injury":

- (a) To you, to any of your directors, managers, members, "executive officers" or partners (whether or not an "employee") or to any co-"employee" while such injured person is either in the course of his or her employment or while performing duties related to the conduct of your business;
- (b) To the brother, child, parent, sister or spouse of such injured person as a consequence of any injury described in Paragraph (a) above; or
- (c) For which there is any obligation to share damages with or repay someone else who must pay damages because of any injury described in Paragraph (a) or (b) above.

With respect to "bodily injury" only, the limitations described in Paragraph **2.a.(1)** above do not apply to you or to your directors, managers, members, "executive officers", partners or supervisors as insureds. The limitations also do not apply to your "employees" as insureds, with respect to such damages caused by cardiopulmonary resuscitation or first aid services administered by such an "employee".

- (2) "Property damage" to any property owned, occupied or used by you or by any of your directors, managers, members, "executive officers" or partners (whether or not an "employee") or by any of your "employees". This limitation does not apply to "property damage" to premises while rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with the permission of the owner.
- b. Your "volunteer workers", but only while acting within the scope of their activities for you and at your direction.

H. ADDITIONAL INSUREDS

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **C. Who is an Insured**, the following is added:

2. Each of the following is also an insured:

LESSOR OF LEASED EQUIPMENT

- e. Any person or organization from whom you lease equipment, but only with respect to 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 and only if you are required by a contract or agreement to provide them with such insurance as is afforded by this policy.

However, the insurance afforded to such additional insured:

- (1) Only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
- (2) Will not be broader than that which you are required by the contract or agreement to provide for such additional insured.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, this insurance does not apply to any "occurrence" which takes place after the equipment lease expires.

MANAGERS OR LESSORS OF PREMISES

- f. Any person or organization from whom you lease premises, but only with respect to liability arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of that part of the premises leased to you and only if you are required by a contract or agreement to provide them with such insurance as is afforded by this policy.

However, the insurance afforded to such additional insured:

- (1) Only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
- (2) Will not be broader than that which you are required by the contract or agreement to provide for such additional insured.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to:

- (1) Any “occurrence” that takes place after you cease to be a tenant in such premises.
- (2) Structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by or for such additional insureds.

VENDORS

- g. Any person or organization who is a vendor of “your products”, 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.

However:

- (1) The insurance afforded to such vendor only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
- (2) If coverage provided to the vendor is required by a contract or agreement, the

insurance afforded to such vendor will not be broader than that which you are required by the contract or agreement to provide for such vendor.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these vendors, the following additional exclusions apply:

(1) This insurance afforded the vendor 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 the 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 Subparagraph (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.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these vendors, the following is added to Paragraph D.
Liability And Medical Expenses Limits Of Insurance:

If coverage provided by the vendor is required by a contract or agreement, the most we will pay on behalf of the vendor is the amount of insurance:

- (1) Required by the contract or agreement; or
- (3) Available under the applicable Limits Of Insurance shown in the Declarations;

whichever is less.

This shall not increase the applicable Limits Of Insurance shown in the Declarations.

OTHER PERSONS OR ORGANIZATIONS PURSUANT TO CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT

h. Any persons or organizations that you are required by a contract or agreement to provide with such insurance as is afforded by this policy. However, such a person or organization is an insured only:

- (1)** To the extent such contract or agreement requires the additional insured to be afforded status as an insured; and
- (2)** For activities that did not occur, in whole or in part, before the execution of the contract or agreement.

No person or organization is an insured under this provision:

- (1)** That is more specifically identified under any other provision of Paragraph **C. Who Is An Insured** (regardless of any limitation applicable thereto).
- (2)** With respect to any assumption of liability in a contract or agreement. This limitation does not apply to the liability for damages the additional insured would have in the absence of the contract or agreement.

However, the insurance afforded to such persons or organizations:

- (1)** Only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
- (2)** Will not be broader than that which you are required by the contract or agreement to provide for such additional insured.

The following is added at the end of Paragraph **C. Who Is An Insured**:

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.

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

- a.** Ownership, maintenance or use of any assets; or
- b.** Conduct of any person or organization whose assets, business or organization;

any Named Insured acquires, either directly or indirectly, for any:

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

in whole or in part, before such acquisition is executed.

With respect to the insurance afforded to the persons or organizations described in Paragraphs **e.**, **f.**, and **h.** above, the following is added to Paragraph **D. Liability And Medical Expenses Limits Of Insurance**:

The most we will pay on behalf of such person or organization is the amount of insurance:

- (1) Required by the contract or agreement; or
 - (2) Available under the applicable Limits Of Insurance shown in the Declarations;
- whichever is less.

This shall not increase the applicable Limits Of Insurance shown in the Declarations.

I. DAMAGE TO PREMISES RENTED TO YOU – \$1,000,000

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **D. Liability and Medical Expenses Limits of Insurance**, Paragraphs **3.** and **4.** are deleted and replaced with the following:

3. Subject to the **Liability And Medical Expenses Limits Of Insurance**, the most we will pay under Business Liability Coverage for damages because of "property damage" to any one premises while rented to you or while temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner is \$1,000,000.

4. Aggregate Limits

The most we will pay for:

- a. All "bodily injury" and "property damage" that is included in the "products-completed operations hazard" is twice the Liability and Medical Expenses limit.
- b. All:
 - (1) "Bodily injury" and "property damage" except damages because of "bodily injury" or "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard";
 - (2) Plus medical expenses;
 - (3) Plus all "personal and advertising injury" caused by offenses committed;is twice the Liability and Medical Expenses Limit.

The Limits of Insurance of Section II – Liability apply separately to each consecutive annual period and to any remaining period of less than 12 months, starting with the beginning of the policy period shown in the Declarations, unless the policy period is extended after issuance for an additional period of less than 12 months. In that case, the additional period will be deemed part of the last preceding period for purposes of determining the Limits of Insurance.

J. PER LOCATION GENERAL AGGREGATE LIMIT WITH COMBINED TOTAL AGGREGATE LIMIT

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **D. Liability and Medical Expenses Limits of Insurance**, the following is added:

1. Subject to the Combined Total Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, for the sum of all damages that the insured becomes legally obligated to pay for all "bodily injury" and "property damage" caused by "occurrences" under Paragraph **A.1.** Business Liability, and for all medical expenses caused by accidents under Paragraph **A.2.** Medical Expenses, which can be attributed only to a single "location":

- a. A separate Location General Aggregate Limit will apply to each "location", and that limit is equal to the Other Than Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations.
 - b. The separate Location General Aggregate Limit is the most we will pay for the sum of all damages for "bodily injury" or "property damage" under Paragraph **A.1. Business Liability**, except in connection with "bodily injury" or "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard", and for medical expenses under Paragraph **A.2. Medical Expenses**, regardless of the number of:
 - (1) Insureds;
 - (2) Claims made or "suits" brought; or
 - (3) Persons or organizations making claims or bringing "suits".
 - c. Any payments made under Paragraph **A.1.** or under Paragraph **A.2. Medical Expenses** shall reduce the separate Location General Aggregate Limit for that "location". Such payments shall not reduce the Other Than Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations nor shall they reduce the separate Location General Aggregate Limit for any other "location".
 - d. The limits shown in the Declarations for Each Occurrence, Damage To Premises Rented To You and Medical Expense continue to apply. However, instead of being subject to the Other Than Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, such limits will be subject to the applicable separate Location General Aggregate Limit.
2. Subject to the Combined Total Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, for the sum of all damages that the Insured becomes legally obligated to pay for all "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused by occurrences under Paragraph **A.1. Business Liability** and for all medical expenses caused by accidents under Paragraph **A.2.**, which cannot be attributed only to operations at a single "location".
 - a. Any payments made under Paragraph **A.1. Business Liability** for damages or under Paragraph **A.2.** for medical expenses shall reduce the amount available under the Other Than Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit or the Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit, whichever is applicable; and
 - b. Such payments shall not reduce the separate Location General Aggregate Limit applicable to a single "location".
 3. Subject to the separate Location General Aggregate Limit and all other applicable limits, the Combined Total Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations is the most we will pay for the combined sum of amounts described above, regardless of the number of "locations".
 4. Any payments we make for "bodily injury" or "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard" will reduce the Products-Completed Operations Aggregate Limit regardless of the number of "locations", and not reduce the Other Than Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit nor the separate Location General Aggregate Limit applicable to a single "location."
 5. As used in this endorsement, "location" means premises involving the same or connecting lots, or premises whose connection is interrupted only by a street, roadway, waterway or right-of-way of a railroad.
 6. The provisions of Paragraph **D. Liability and Medical Expenses Limits Of Insurance** not otherwise modified by this endorsement shall continue to apply as stipulated.

K. KNOWLEDGE/NOTICE OF OCCURRENCE

In Section II - Liability, Paragraph E. Liability and Medical Expenses General Conditions, 2. Duties In the Event Of Occurrence, Offense, Claim or Suit is amended to include the following:

- e. Knowledge of an “occurrence” or offense by an agent or “employee” of the insured will not constitute knowledge by the insured, unless an “executive officer” (whether or not an “employee”) of any insured or an “executive officer’s” designee knows about such “occurrence” or offense. Failure of an agent or “employee” of the insured, other than an “executive officer” (whether or not an “employee”) of any insured or an “executive officer’s” designee, to notify us of an “occurrence” or offense that such person knows about will not affect the insurance afforded to you.
- f. If a claim or loss does not reasonably appear to involve this insurance, but it later develops into a claim or loss to which this insurance applies, the failure to report it to us will not violate this condition, provided the insured gives us immediate notice as soon as the insured is aware that this insurance may apply to such loss or claim.

L. BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING RESULTING MENTAL ANGUISH

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **F. Liability and Medical Expenses Definitions**, paragraph 3. is deleted and replaced with the following:

3. "Bodily injury" means physical:

- a. Injury;
- b. Sickness; or
- c. Disease;

sustained by a person, including resulting death, humiliation, mental anguish, mental injury or shock at any time. All such loss shall be deemed to occur at the time of the physical injury, sickness or disease.

M. COVERAGE TERRITORY, LIMITED WORLDWIDE

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **F. Liability and Medical Expenses Definitions**, paragraph 4. is deleted and replaced by the following:

4. "Coverage territory" means all parts of the world.

However, “coverage territory” does not include any:

- a. “Bodily injury” or “property damage” that takes place or any offense committed outside of the United States of America (including its possessions and territories), Canada and Puerto Rico, unless the insured’s responsibility to pay damages is determined by a “suit” on the merits that is brought in the United States of America (including its possessions and territories), Canada or Puerto Rico; or
- b. Injury or damage in connection with any “suit” brought outside the United States of America (including its possessions and territories), Canada and Puerto Rico.

N. PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING DISCRIMINATION, HARASSMENT AND SEGREGATION

In **Section II - Liability**, Paragraph **F. Liability and Medical Expenses Definitions**, paragraph 14. is amended to include the following:

- h. Discrimination, harassment or segregation based on a person’s age, color, national origin, race, religion or sex unless committed by or at the direction of any “executive officer”, director, stockholder, partner or member of the insured.

O. UNINTENTIONAL FAILURE TO DISCLOSE HAZARDS

In **Section III – Common Policy Conditions**, Paragraph **C. Concealment, Misrepresentation or Fraud** is amended to include the following additional paragraph:

Unintentional failure of an “employee” of the insured to disclose a hazard or other material information will not violate this condition, unless an “executive officer” (whether or not an “employee”) of any insured knows about such hazard or other material information.

P. OTHER INSURANCE, INCLUDING PRIMARY PROVISION

In **Section III – Common Policy Conditions**, Paragraph **H. Other Insurance**, subparagraphs **2.** and **3.** are replaced by the following:

H. Other Insurance

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

1. Primary Insurance

This insurance is primary except when Paragraph 2 below applies. If this insurance is primary, our obligations are not affected unless any of the other insurance is also primary. Then, we will share with all that other insurance by the method described in Paragraph 3 below.

2. Excess Insurance

a. This insurance is excess over:

(1) Any of the other insurance, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis:

(a) That is Fire, Extended Coverage, Builder’s Risk, Installation Risk or similar coverage for “your work”;

(b) That is insurance that applies to “property damage” to premises rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner; or

(c) If the loss arises out of aircraft, “autos” or watercraft to the extent not subject to Exclusion **g.** of Section II.B. Exclusions, 1. Applicable to Business Liability Coverage; or

(2) Any other primary insurance available to you covering liability for damages arising out of the premises or operations for which you have been added as an additional insured.

b. When this insurance is excess, we will have no duty 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.

c. 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;

(2) The total of all deductible and self-insured amounts under all that other insurance.

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

3. Method of Sharing

If all of 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.

Q. WAIVER OF SUBROGATION REQUIRED BY CONTRACT

In **Section III – Common Policy Conditions**, Paragraph **K. Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others To Us**, subparagraph **2.** is replaced by the following:

2. Applicable to Businessowners Liability Coverage:

We will waive the rights of recovery we would otherwise have had against another person or organization, for loss to which this insurance applies, provided the insured has waived their rights of recovery against such person or organization in a contract or agreement that is executed before such loss.

To the extent that the insured's rights to recover all or part of any payment made under this Coverage Part have not been waived, 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 paragraph does not apply to Medical Expenses Coverage.

All other terms and conditions of the policy remain unchanged.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

PRIMARY AND NONCONTRIBUTORY – OTHER INSURANCE CONDITION

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

BUSINESSOWNERS COVERAGE FORM

The following is added to Paragraph H. **Other Insurance** of **Section III – Common Policy Conditions** and supersedes any provision to the contrary:

Primary And Noncontributory Insurance

This insurance is primary to and will not seek contribution from any other insurance available to an additional insured under your policy provided that:

1. The additional insured is a Named Insured under such other insurance; and
2. You have agreed in writing in a contract or agreement that this insurance would be primary and would not seek contribution from any other insurance available to the additional insured.