

## Request for Proposal

RFP#2526-001

## **Graffiti Removal Services**

Proposals Due: Thursday, August 7, 2025 at 4:00 P.M. PDT

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or submitted by courier, mail or in-person to:

City of Redondo Beach Robert Norman - Purchasing Attn: RFP# 2526-001 415 Diamond St., Door 1 Redondo Beach, CA 90277

## **TIMELINE**

Activity	Date
RFP issued	Thursday, July 17, 2025
Deadline to submit questions	Wednesday, July 30, 2025
Response to questions (addendum) issued	Friday, August 1, 2025
Proposals due	Thursday, August 7, 2025 by 4:00 p.m. PDT
Evaluation of proposals by City staff	August 8 – 22, 2025
Final vendor selection and contract initiation	August 25, 2025
Contract Development	September 2025
Contract execution	October 7, 2025

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#### 1. Introduction

The City of Redondo Beach ("City") is soliciting proposals from qualified companies to provide Graffiti Removal Services. The specific scope of work is detailed in Section 4.

The award resulting from this RFP will be a fixed 3-year contract with two (2) optional 1-year extensions. The initial term is projected to begin October 2025. There is no expressed or implied obligation for the City to reimburse responding organizations for any expenses incurred in preparing proposals in response to this request.

City staff will evaluate proposals submitted. During the evaluation process, the City reserves the right to request additional information or clarifications from Proposers, or to allow corrections of errors or omissions. At the discretion of the City, Proposers may be requested to make oral presentations as part of the evaluation process. The City reserves the right to retain all proposals submitted and to use any ideas in a proposal regardless of whether that proposal is selected. Submission of a proposal indicates acceptance by the organization of the conditions contained in this request for proposal, unless clearly and specifically noted otherwise in the proposal submitted and confirmed in the contract between the City and the selected organization.

## 2. City Profile

Redondo Beach is a full-service city that funds and provides proprietary police, fire, and public works departments, two public libraries, a performing arts center, fifteen parks, thirteen parkettes, a large recreational and commercial harbor including King Harbor, a 1,500-slip private craft port, the Redondo Beach Pier and Seaside Lagoon, and a bathing and surfing beach covering approximately 6.2 square miles of land.

Located in the choice coastal edge of Los Angeles County, approximately twenty miles from downtown Los Angeles and seven miles south of Los Angeles International Airport, Redondo Beach has been a preferred resort destination for more than a century and one of the most desirable areas to live in the country. The City's population has been slowly but steadily growing in the past few years. As of 2020, the Census reports a total population of 71,576. Median home price is approximately \$1.4 million.

Redondo Beach is a "charter city" governed by a council-manager form of government. The Mayor is elected at large, and one Council Member is elected from each of the five City districts. The Mayor and Council appoint the City Manager as the chief administrative officer of the City to guide day-to-day operations.

The City receives approximately 2,000 reports of graffiti on public property per fiscal year (July – June). This averages to approximately 167 reports per month, with higher-than-average reports in the late summer months, and below average in the winter months. Public property includes, but may not be limited to, walls, City structures, sidewalks and curbs, street and traffic signs, streetlights and poles, bus stops and benches, park benches and tables, and utility boxes.

## 3. Objectives

The goal of this RFP is to select a qualified contractor to provide timely graffiti removal services on public property throughout the City. Potential vendors are hereby invited to submit their proposal and qualifications.

## 4. Scope of Work

Selected contractor shall be responsible to perform graffiti removal on public property City-wide, in a timely manner, and subject to the following specifications:

- 1. Vendor shall offer a dedicated website link or email address as an electronic method of reporting, and a phone number for the public and City staff to report graffiti.
- 2. Graffiti removal shall occur a minimum of three (3) times per week on specified days agreed to between the City and the selected contractor.
- 3. Emergency service option for response and removal of vulgar or egregious subjects within 24-hours, with a direct telephone number provided to City staff.
- 4. Vendor shall maintain a log which includes the date and time of each instance of reported graffiti, the location, and the response date and time. Logs shall be submitted monthly to the City as part of invoicing.
- 5. Vendor shall determine the most appropriate method of removal. Proposal should include descriptions of all methods utilized by the vendor.
- 6. Work shall be performed by qualified and trained staff in a professional manner. Personnel shall wear uniforms clearly identifying the company name and present an identification badge upon request. Uniforms shall be clean and neat.
- 7. Company vehicles shall have identifying company name and logo. Employees must utilize only a company vehicle when providing services.
- 8. Vendor shall maintain before and after digital photos, which shall be available to City staff upon request.
- 9. Vendor must be licensed by the California Contractor's State License Board (CSLB) with the appropriate classifications related to graffiti removal services (C-33, C-61/D-38). All licenses must be active, current, and in good standing. Vendor shall include copies of licenses with their proposal, for verification by the City.
- 10. Vendor shall furnish at its own expense all labor, equipment, and materials necessary for the performance graffiti removal services.

- 11. Vendor shall comply with Prevailing Wage Laws, including California Labor Code Section 1720, et seq., and 1770, et seq., as well as California Code of Regulations, Title 8, Section 1600, et seq. Work under this contract constitutes a "public work" or "maintenance' as defined in the Prevailing Wage Laws and by local ordinance. The prevailing wage rates are determined by the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR).
- 12. Vendor shall comply with storm water and urban runoff pollution prevention requirements and the City's National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit requirements.
- 13. Selected vendor shall provide to the City a W-9 and a copy of the official Fictitious Business Name Statement filed and recorded with the vendor's respective County office.
- 14. Selected vendor shall obtain and maintain a City of Redondo Beach Business License through the duration of the project services agreement.

## 5. Standard Agreement and Insurance Requirements

The City of Redondo Beach will utilize its Standard Agreement for Project Services, which is included as Attachment A for reference. There will be no changes to the indemnification or insurance requirements.

Companies should make note of Exhibit D Insurance Requirements. Selected vendor will be required to carry at <a href="mailto:minimum">minimum</a> \$2,000,000 <a href="mailto:Each Occurrence">Each Occurrence</a> in General Liability Insurance Coverage, and \$1,000,000 minimum for Automobile Liability and Worker's Compensation/Employer Liability. The City of Redondo Beach shall be included as a certificate holder, with the following required additional insured endorsement language:

"The City, its officers, elected and appointed officials, employees, and volunteers are to be covered as insureds with respect to liability arising out of work performed by or on behalf of the Contractor."

General liability coverage can be provided in the form of an endorsement to the Consultant's insurance, or as a separate owner's policy.

The City's insurance requirements are mandatory and cannot be altered or waived.

## 6. Proposals

In order to assist in the review of all responses, Proposers are asked to submit the following in their proposal:

• A letter of introduction describing the company, identifying those able to sign on behalf of the company, a contact person, the headquarters of the company, tax identification number, and Unique Entity Indentifier (UEI) number (if applicable).

- Company background and experience in providing the required services. Company must have provided these services continuously for a minimum of five years.
- Provide a "Scope of Services" complete with descriptive information and outlining how the company meets each of the requirements listed in Section 4 of this RFP, including a list of all equipment and methods utilized for graffiti removal, reporting and response model, copies of applicable State licenses, and compliance with prevailing wage laws.
- Provide a cost proposal and fee structure for the services, inclusive of all service options encompassed in the scope of work. If feasible, provide a sample 1-month cost estimate based on the average monthly calls for service of 167.
- Provide three current clients as references, with the services utilized, length of service, contact person, title, and telephone number.

## 7. Evaluation of Proposals

Proposals submitted in response to this RFP shall be reviewed and evaluated by the City. Proposals will be evaluated on the basis of their responses to all provisions of this RFP and cost effectiveness.

The evaluation of proposals and recommendation of how to proceed with any contract award will be carried out by the City and may involve further discussions with Proposers to clarify items contained in the written proposal.

Review of the proposals may include:

- Reviewing and evaluating all proposals for completeness and conformance with the proposal specifications contained in the RFP and eliminating those which are found to be nonresponsive.
- City shall evaluate and score all eligible, responsible and responsive proposals received in response to this RFP. The City is not obligated to select the lowest cost proposal. Contract award will be made to the most responsive and responsible Proposer whose proposal represents the best overall value to the City by taking into consideration the evaluation criteria set forth in this RFP.
- Conducting any meetings or discussions with Proposers for the purpose of clarification
- Evaluation of the proposals by the City shall include, but not limited to, the following criteria:
  - o Quality, clarity, completeness, responsiveness of proposal
  - o Knowledge of and past experience with similar projects
  - o Qualifications of the company and assigned staff
  - o Appropriateness and acceptability of service method
  - o Reasonableness of cost to the City
  - o Quality and utility of website and telephone reporting options
  - o Demonstrated ability to work in a cooperative and collaborative manner with clients
  - o Responses from references
  - o Compliance with RFP specifications

The award of the contract will be based upon the proposal which represents a combination of responsiveness, price, qualifications, experience, references, and perceived ability to successfully fulfill the services. Final approval of any contract award recommendation will be contingent upon review and approval by the Redondo Beach City Council.

#### 8. Questions and Communications

Proposers must submit all written questions and requests for clarification or additional information regarding this RFP by Wednesday, July 30, 2025, through the City's online procurement portal hosted by OpenGov on the City's website at the following link: https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/redondo

If you have any procedural questions or issues obtaining information or documents, please contact:

Robert Norman
Purchasing Administrative Analyst
E-mail: <a href="mailto:robert.norman@Redondo.org">robert.norman@Redondo.org</a>

Telephone: (310) 697-3128

The City will not respond to questions received after the deadline. Responses to the questions will be documented and distributed simultaneously to all proposers on record through the form of an addendum and posted on the City's procurement portal hosted by OpenGov on the City's website by Friday, August 1, 2025.

#### 9. Submittals

Proposals may be submitted electronically through the City's procurement portal hosted by OpenGov on the City's website at <a href="https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/redondo">https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/redondo</a>, or submitted by courier, mail or in-person to:

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The deadline for submission of proposals is Thursday, August 7, 2025, by 4:00 p.m. PDT. Responses received after the deadline will not be accepted.

It is the responsibility of Proposers to ensure that the proposal arrives on time at the right place. Any proposals received after the above time will be disqualified.

All submitted proposals and information included therein or attached thereto shall become public record upon delivery to the City, per the requirements of the California Public Records Act (CPRA).

The City reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, wave any informalities and minor irregularities, or to select the proposal that best meets the needs of the City, even though it may not be the lowest.

Proposals shall be valid for a period of 180 days. No changes will be allowed following the proposal due date and time.

#### 10. Attachment A

City of Redondo Beach Standard Agreement for Project Services including Exhibit D Insurance Requirements, and Exhibit E Agreement to Comply with California Labor Law Requirements – follows on next page.

# AGREEMENT FOR PROJECT SERVICES BETWEEN THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH AND <INSERT CONTRACTOR NAME>.

THIS AGREEMENT FOR PROJECT SERVICES (this "Agreement") is made between the City of Redondo Beach, a Chartered Municipal Corporation ("City") and <INSERT CONTRACTOR NAME,> a <INSERT BUSINESS TYPE> ("Contractor" or "Consultant").

The parties hereby agree as follows:

- A. <u>Description of Project or Scope of Services</u>. The project description or scope of services to be provided by Contractor, and any corresponding responsibilities of City or services required to be performed by City are set forth in Exhibit "A".
- B. <u>Term and Time of Completion</u>. Contractor shall commence and complete the project or services described in Exhibit "A" in accordance with the schedule set forth in Exhibit "B".
- C. <u>Compensation</u>. City agrees to pay Contractor for work performed in accordance with Exhibit "C".

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## **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

- 1. <u>Independent Contractor</u>. Contractor acknowledges, represents and warrants that Contractor 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. Contractor 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 Contractor's sole responsibility.
- 2. <u>Brokers</u>. Contractor acknowledges, represents and warrants that Contractor 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. <u>City Property</u>. 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, Contractor 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 Contractor's consent. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Contractor shall not be obligated to assign any proprietary software or data developed by or at the direction of Contractor for Contractor's own use; provided, however, that Contractor 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. <u>Inspection</u>. 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 Contractor to conduct any inspections Contractor has agreed to perform pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. Contractor shall be solely liable for said inspections performed by Contractor. Contractor shall certify in writing to the City as to the completeness and accuracy of each inspection required to be conducted by Contractor 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 Contractor, 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 Contractor. City shall furnish Contractor, to the extent available, with any City standards, details, specifications and regulations applicable to the Project and necessary for the performance of Contractor's services hereunder. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any and all additional data necessary for design shall be the responsibility of Contractor.
- 6. Records. Contractor, 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". Contractor, 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 Contractor's completion of performance of this Agreement. Copies of all pertinent reports and correspondence shall be furnished to the City for its files.
- 7. <u>Changes and Extra Work</u>. All changes and/or extra work under this Agreement shall be performed and paid for in accordance with the following:

Only the City Council, City Manager, or the Department Head responsible for the administration of, or supervision of the scope of work under, this Agreement may authorize extra and/or changed work. Contractor expressly recognizes that other

City personnel are without authorization to either order extra and/or changed work or waive contract requirements. Failure of Contractor to secure the written authorization for such extra and/or changed work shall constitute a waiver of any and all right to adjustment in contract price due to such unauthorized work and Contractor thereafter shall be entitled to no compensation whatsoever for performance of such work.

If Contractor is of the opinion that any work which Contractor has been directed to perform is beyond the scope of this Agreement and constitutes extra work, Contractor shall promptly notify the City of the fact. The City shall make a determination as to whether or not such work is, in fact, beyond the scope of this Agreement and constitutes extra work. In the event that the City determines that such work does constitute extra work, City shall provide extra compensation to Contractor on a fair and equitable basis. A written amendment providing for such compensation for extra work shall be executed by Contractor and the City.

- 8. <u>Additional Assistance</u>. If this Agreement requires Contractor to prepare plans and specifications, Contractor 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 Contractor shall issue any necessary addenda to the plans and specifications as requested. In the event Contractor 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. <u>Professional Ability</u>. Contractor acknowledges, represents and warrants that Contractor 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 Contractor as a material inducement to enter into this Agreement. Contractor shall perform in accordance with generally accepted professional practices and standards of Contractor's profession.
- 10. <u>Business License</u>. Contractor 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. <u>Termination Without Default</u>. 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 Contractor of the project or services hereunder, immediately upon written notice to Contractor. In the event of any such termination, Contractor 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 Contractor for this Agreement prior to Contractor's receipt of notice of termination, irrespective of whether such materials or services of others have actually been delivered, and further provided that Contractor is not able to cancel such orders. Compensation for Contractor in such event shall be determined by the City in accordance with the percentage of the project or services completed by Contractor; and all of Contractor'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. <u>Termination in the Event of Default</u>. Should Contractor 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. Contractor 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 Contractor's breach of this Agreement.
- 13. Conflict of Interest. Contractor acknowledges, represents and warrants that Contractor 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. Contractor further acknowledges, represents and warrants that Contractor has no business relationship or arrangement of any kind with any City official or employee with respect to this Agreement. Contractor acknowledges that in the event that Contractor 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. <a href="Indemnity">Indemnity</a>. To the maximum extent permitted by law, Contractor 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 Contractor's performance or work hereunder (including any of its officers, agents, employees, Subcontractors) 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. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this Section 14 shall be construed to encompass Indemnitees' active negligence to the limited extent that this Agreement is subject to Civil Code Section 2782(b). Contractor's obligation to indemnify shall not be restricted to insurance proceeds, if any, received by Contractor 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. <u>Nonwaiver of Rights</u>. Indemnitees do not and shall not waive any rights that they may possess against Contractor because the acceptance by City, or the deposit with City, of any insurance policy or certificate required pursuant to this Agreement.
- b. <u>Waiver of Right of Subrogation</u>. Contractor, on behalf of itself and all parties claiming under or through it, hereby waives all rights of subrogation and contribution against the Indemnitees.
- 15. <u>Insurance</u>. Contractor 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. <u>Non-Liability of Officials and Employees of the City</u>. No official or employee of the City shall be personally liable for any default or liability under this Agreement.
- 17. <u>Compliance with Laws</u>. Contractor 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, and non-discrimination laws.
  - a. Acknowledgement. Contractor acknowledges that eight (8) hours labor constitutes a legal day's work. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by Labor Code Section 1810. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by the provisions of Labor Code Section 1813 concerning penalties for workers who work excess hours. Contractor shall, as a penalty to the City, forfeit twenty-five dollars (\$25) for each worker employed in the performance of this Agreement by the Contractor or by any subcontractor for each calendar day during which such worker is required or permitted to work more than eight (8) hours in any one (1) calendar day and forty (40) hours in any one calendar week. Pursuant to Labor Code section 1815, work performed by employees of Contractor in excess of 8 hours per day, and 40 hours during any one week shall be permitted upon public work upon compensation for all hours worked in excess of 8 hours per day at not less than 11/2 times the basic rate of pay. For every subcontractor who will perform work on the project. Contractor shall be responsible for such subcontractor's compliance with Labor Code Sections 1810, 1813 and 1815, and Contractor shall include in the written contract

between it and each subcontractor copies of Labor Code Sections 1810, 1813 and 1815 and a requirement that each subcontractor shall comply with these aforementioned sections. Contractor shall be required to take all actions necessary to enforce such contractual provisions and ensure subcontractor's compliance, including without limitation, conducting a periodic review of the certified payroll records of the subcontractor and upon becoming aware of the failure of the subcontractor comply with Labor Code Sections 1810, 1813 and 1815, Contractor shall diligently take corrective action to halt or rectify the failure.

- b. <u>Prevailing Wages</u>. City and Contractor acknowledge that this project is a public work to which prevailing wages apply. Contractor shall comply with the Agreement to Comply with California Labor Law Requirements set forth in Exhibit "E", which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.
- 18. <u>Limitations upon Subcontracting and Assignment</u>. Contractor acknowledges that the services which Contractor shall provide under this Agreement are unique, personal services which, except as otherwise provided herein, Contractor 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 Contractor, Contractor shall provide to the City upon request copies of each and every subcontract prior to the execution thereof by Contractor and subcontractor. Any attempt by Contractor 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 Contractor or twenty-five percent (25%) or more the voting control of Contractor (whether Contractor is a corporation, limited liability company, partnership, joint venture or otherwise) shall constitute an assignment for purposes of this Agreement. Further, the involvement of Contractor 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 Contractor's assets occurs, which reduces Contractor's assets or net worth by twenty-five percent (25%) or more shall also constitute an assignment for purposes of this Agreement.

- 19. <u>Subcontractors</u>. Contractor shall provide properly skilled professional and technical personnel to perform any approved subcontracting duties. Contractor 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.
- 20. <u>Integration</u>. 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 Contractor and City may be used to assist in the interpretation of the exhibits to this Agreement.
- 21. <u>Amendment</u>. This Agreement may be amended or modified only by a subsequent written amendment executed by both parties.
- 22. <u>Conflicting Provisions</u>. 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 Contractor.
- 23. <u>Non-Exclusivity</u>. Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, the services provided by Contractor hereunder shall be non-exclusive, and City reserves the right to employ other contractors in connection with the project.
- 24. <u>Exhibits</u>. 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 Contractor, or any corresponding responsibilities of City, shall be deemed extraneous to, and not a part of, this Agreement.
- 25. <u>Time of Essence</u>. Time is of the essence of this Agreement.
- 26. <u>Confidentiality</u>. To the extent permissible under law, Contractor shall keep confidential its obligations hereunder and the information acquired during the performance of the project or services hereunder.
- 27. <u>Third Parties</u>. 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."
- 28. <u>Governing Law and Venue</u>. 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.
- 29. <u>Attorneys' Fees</u>. 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.
- 30. <u>Claims</u>. Any claim by Contractor 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.
- 31. <u>Interpretation</u>. Contractor 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.
- 32. Warranty. In the event that any product shall be provided to the City as part of this Agreement, Contractor warrants as follows: Contractor 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 Contractor, at Contractor's expense, including shipping. Contractor shall not be liable under this warranty for an amount greater than the amount set forth in Exhibit "C" hereto.
- 33. <u>Severance</u>. 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.
- 34. <u>Authority</u>. 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 Contractor warrants and represents that he or she is duly authorized to enter into and execute this Agreement on behalf of Contractor, 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 Contractor.
- 35. <u>Waiver</u>. 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

## RFP #2526-001 ATTACHMENT A

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties has Beach, California, as of this day of	ave executed this Agreement in Redondo, 20
CITY OF REDONDO BEACH	<insert contractor="" name=""></insert>
James A. Light, Mayor	By: Name: Title:
ATTEST:	APPROVED:
Eleanor Manzano, City Clerk	Diane Strickfaden, Risk Manager
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Joy A. Ford, City Attorney	

## EXHIBIT "A"

## PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND/OR SCOPE OF SERVICES

## **CONTRACTOR'S DUTIES**

Contractor shall perform the following duties.

## **EXHIBIT "B"**

## **SCHEDULE FOR COMPLETION**

TERM.	The term of this Agreement shall commence	, 20 and expire		
, 20 ("Term"), unless otherwise terminated as herein provided.				

## **EXHIBIT "C"**

## **COMPENSATION**

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

- 1. **AMOUNT.** [monthly, hourly, annual amounts, etc.]
- 2. **METHOD OF PAYMENT.** Contractor shall provide invoices indicating the services and tasks performed during the prior month to City for approval and payment. Invoices must be itemized, adequately detailed, based on accurate records, and in a form reasonably satisfactory to City. Contractor may be required to provide back-up material upon request.
- 3. **SCHEDULE FOR PAYMENT**. [payment terms]
- 4. **NOTICE.** Written notices to City and Contractor shall be given by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid and addressed to or personally served on the following parties.

Contractor

City

All notices, including notices of address changes, provided under this Agreement are deemed received on the third day after mailing if sent by registered or certified mail. 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.

## **EXHIBIT "D"**

## INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR CONTRACTORS

Without limiting Contractor's indemnification obligations under this Agreement, Contractor 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 Contractor, 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

Contractor 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 Contractor 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 Contractor. General liability coverage can be provided in the form of an endorsement to the Contractor'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 Contractor.

For any claims related to this project, the Contractor'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 Contractor'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 Contractor'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.

## <u>Verification of Coverage</u>

Contractor 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**

Contractor 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

Contractor 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.

#### **EXHIBIT "E"**

## AGREEMENT TO COMPLY WITH CALIFORNIA LABOR LAW REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Contractor acknowledges that the project as defined in this Agreement between Contractor and the City, to which this Agreement to Comply with California Labor Law Requirements is attached and incorporated by reference, is a "public work" as defined in Division 2, Part 7, Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 1720) of the California Labor Code ("Chapter 1"), and that this Agreement is subject to (a) Chapter 1, including without limitation Labor Code Section 1771 and (b) the rules and regulations established by the Director of Industrial Relations ("DIR") implementing such statutes. Contractor shall perform all work on the project as a public work. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by all the terms, rules and regulations described in 1(a) and 1(b) as though set forth in full herein.
- 2. California law requires the inclusion of specific Labor Code provisions in certain contracts. The inclusion of such specific provisions below, whether or not required by California law, does not alter the meaning or scope of Section 1 above.
- 3. Pursuant to Labor Code Section 1771.4, Contractor shall post job site notices, as prescribed by regulation.
- 4. Pursuant to Labor Code Section 1773.2, copies of the prevailing rate of per diem wages for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to perform the Agreement are on file at City Hall and will be made available to any interested party on request. Contractor acknowledges receipt of a copy of the DIR determination of such prevailing rate of per diem wages, and Contractor shall post such rates at each job site covered by this Agreement.
- 5. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by the provisions of Labor Code Sections 1774 and 1775 concerning the payment of prevailing rates of wages to workers and the penalties for failure to pay prevailing wages. The Contractor shall, as a penalty to the City, forfeit the maximum amount allowable by law for each calendar day, or portion thereof, for each worker paid less than the prevailing rates as determined by the DIR for the work or craft in which the worker is employed for any public work done pursuant to this Agreement by Contractor or by any subcontractor.
- 6. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by the provisions of Labor Code Section 1776, which requires Contractor and each subcontractor to (1) keep accurate payroll records and verify such records in writing under penalty of perjury, as specified in Section 1776, (2) certify and make such payroll records available for inspection as provided by Section 1776, and (3) inform the City of the location of the records.
- 7. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by the provisions of Labor Code Sections 1777.5, 1777.6 and 1777.7 and California Administrative Code title 8, section 200 et seq. concerning the employment of apprentices on public works projects. Contractor shall be responsible for compliance with these aforementioned Sections for all apprenticeable occupations. Prior to commencing work under this Agreement, Contractor shall provide City with a copy of the information submitted to any applicable apprenticeship program. Within sixty (60) days after concluding work pursuant to this

Agreement, Contractor and each of its subcontractors shall submit to the City a verified statement of the journeyman and apprentice hours performed under this Agreement.

- 8. Contractor acknowledges that eight (8) hours labor constitutes a legal day's work. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by Labor Code Section 1810. Contractor shall comply with and be bound by the provisions of Labor Code Section 1813 concerning penalties for workers who work excess hours. The Contractor shall, as a penalty to the City, forfeit twenty-five dollars (\$25) for each worker employed in the performance of this Agreement by the Contractor or by any subcontractor for each calendar day during which such worker is required or permitted to work more than eight (8) hours in any one (1) calendar day and forty (40) hours in any one calendar week in violation of the provisions of Division 2, Part 7, Chapter 1, Article 3 of the Labor Code. Pursuant to Labor Code section 1815, work performed by employees of Contractor in excess of 8 hours per day, and 40 hours during any one week shall be permitted upon public work upon compensation for all hours worked in excess of 8 hours per day at not less than 1 and 1/2 times the basic rate of pay.
- 9. California Labor Code Sections 1860 and 3700 provide that every employer will be required to secure the payment of compensation to its employees. In accordance with the provisions of California Labor Code Section 1861, Contractor hereby certifies as follows:
  - "I am aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this contract."
- 10. For every subcontractor who will perform work on the project, Contractor shall be responsible for such subcontractor's compliance with Chapter 1 and Labor Code Sections 1860 and 3700, and Contractor shall include in the written contract between it and each subcontractor a copy of those statutory provisions and a requirement that each subcontractor shall comply with those statutory provisions. Contractor shall be required to take all actions necessary to enforce such contractual provisions and ensure subcontractor's compliance, including without limitation, conducting a periodic review of the certified payroll records of the subcontractor and upon becoming aware of the failure of the subcontractor to pay his or her workers the specified prevailing rate of wages. Contractor shall diligently take corrective action to halt or rectify any failure.
- 11. To the maximum extent permitted by law, Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend (at Contractor's expense with counsel acceptable to the City) the City, its officials, officers, employees, agents, independent contractors, and volunteers from and against any demand or claim for damages, compensation, fines, penalties or other amounts arising out of or incidental to any acts or omissions listed above by any person or entity (including Contractor, its subcontractors, and each of their officials, officers, employees and agents) in connection with any work undertaken or in connection with the Agreement, including without limitation the payment of all consequential damages, attorneys' fees, and other related costs and expenses. All duties of Contractor under this Section shall survive termination of the Agreement.