

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS (For Professional Services & Procurement Contracts)

a. General Liability, Automobile, Worker's Compensation and Professional Liability

Contractor shall procure, prior to commencement of service, and keep in force for the term of this contract, at Contractor's own cost and expense, the following policies of insurance or certificates or binders as necessary to represent that coverage as specified below is in place with companies doing business in California and acceptable to the City. If requested, Contractor shall provide the City with copies of all insurance policies. The insurance shall at a minimum include:

- i. Commercial General Liability insurance, shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent contractors, products-completed operations, personal and advertising injury, Bodily Injury, Broad Form Property Damage, and liability assumed under an insured contract [(including the tort liability of another assumed in a business contract)]. If such CGL insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this agreement.
 - A. Coverage afforded on behalf of the City shall be primary insurance and any other insurance available to the City under any other policies shall be excess insurance (over the insurance required by this Agreement).
 - B. Limits of liability: Contractor shall maintain commercial general liability (CGL) and, if necessary, commercial umbrella insurance with a limit of not less than \$2,000,000 each occurrence. If such CGL insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this location [project].
 - C. If the policy is a "claim made" type policy, the following should be included as endorsements:
 - 1) The retroactive date shall be the effective date of this Agreement or a prior date.
 - 2) The extended reporting or discovery period shall not be less than thirty-six (36) months.
- ii. Automobile Liability Insurance. Contractor shall maintain automobile liability insurance with a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 each accident. Such insurance shall cover liability arising out of any auto (including owned, hired, and non-owned autos). Coverage shall be written on ISO form CA 00 01, CA 00 05, CA 00 12, CA 00 20, or a substitute form providing equivalent liability coverage. If necessary, the policy shall be endorsed to provide contractual liability coverage equivalent to that provided in the 1990 and later editions of CA 00 01. In the event the Contractor does not own vehicles, but utilized non-owned and hired vehicles, evidence of such coverage is acceptable with a signed statement from Contractor stating that only non-owned and hired vehicles are used in the course of the contract.

iii. Worker's Compensation insurance as required by the laws of the State of California. Statutory coverage may include Employers Liability coverage with limits not less than \$1,000,000. The Contractor certifies that he/she is aware of the provisions of section 3700 of the California Labor Code, which requires every employer to provide Workers' Compensation coverage, or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of section 3700 of the California Labor Code before commencing performance of the work under this Agreement and thereafter as required by that code.

iv. Professional Liability/errors and omissions insurance in the amount of _____.

b. Terms Conditions and Endorsements

The aforementioned insurance shall be endorsed and have all the following conditions:

- i. Insured Status (Additional Insured): Contractor shall provide insured status using ISO endorsement CG 20 10 or its equivalent naming the City of Oakland, its Councilmembers, directors, officers, agents and employees as insureds in its Comprehensive Commercial General Liability policy. If Contractor submits the ACORD Insurance Certificate, the insured status endorsement must be set forth on a CG 20 10 (or equivalent). A STATEMENT OF ADDITIONAL INSURED STATUS ON THE ACORD INSURANCE CERTIFICATE FORM IS INSUFFICIENT AND WILL BE REJECTED AS PROOF OF MEETING THIS REQUIREMENT; and
- ii. Cancellation Notice: 30-day prior written notice of termination or material change in coverage and 10-day prior written notice of cancellation for non-payment;
- iii. Cross-liability coverage as provided under standard ISO forms' separation of insureds clause; and
- iv. Certificate holder is to be the same person and address as indicated in the "Notices" section of this Agreement; and
- v. Insurer shall carry a insurance from an admitted company with a Best Rating of A VII or better.

c. Replacement of Coverage

In the case of the breach of any of the insurance provisions of this Agreement, the City may, at the City's option, take out and maintain at the expense of Contractor, such insurance in the name of Contractor as is required pursuant to this Agreement, and may deduct the cost of taking out and maintaining such insurance from any sums which may be found or become due to Contractor under this Agreement.

d. Insurance Interpretation

All endorsements, certificates, forms, coverage and limits of liability referred to herein shall have the meaning given such terms by the Insurance Services Office as of the date of this Agreement.

e. Proof of Insurance

Contractor will be required to provide proof of all insurance required for the work prior to execution of the contract, including copies of Contractor's insurance policies if and when requested. Failure to provide the insurance proof requested or failure to do so in a timely manner shall constitute ground for rescission of the contract award.

f. Subcontractors

Should the Contractor subcontract out the work required under this agreement, they shall include all subcontractors as insureds under its policies or shall maintain separate certificates and endorsements for each subcontractor. As an alternative, the Contractor may require all subcontractors to provide at their own expense evidence of all the required coverages listed in this Schedule. If this option is exercised, both the City of Oakland and the Contractor shall be named as additional insured under the subcontractor's General Liability policy. All coverages for subcontractors shall be subject to all the requirements stated herein. The City reserves the right to perform an insurance audit during the course of the project to verify compliance with requirements.

g. Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions

Any deductible or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the City. At the option of the City, either: the insurer shall reduce or eliminate such deductible or self-insured retentions as respects the City, its Councilmembers, directors, officers, agents, employees and volunteers; or the Contractor shall provide a financial guarantee satisfactory to the City guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claim administration and defense expenses.

h. Waiver of Subrogation

Contractor waives all rights against the City of Oakland and its Councilmembers, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by the forms of insurance coverage required above.

i. Evaluation of Adequacy of Coverage

The City of Oakland maintains the right to modify, delete, alter or change these requirements, with reasonable notice, upon not less than ninety (90) days prior written notice.

