

CITY OF MARGATE AGREEMENT FOR Website Design Services with CivicPlus, Inc.

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into the _____ day of _____, 2017 by and between the **City of Margate, Florida**, a municipal corporation of the State of Florida, holding tax exempt status, hereinafter referred to as the "CITY" and **CIVICPLUS, INC.** foreign limited liability company, located in Kansas, hereinafter referred to as the "CONTRACTOR". The CITY and the CONTRACTOR are collectively referred to herein as the Parties.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the CITY desires to retain the CONTRACTOR to provide **website design services**, as subsequently specifically set out in Purchase/Work Orders to be issued under this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the work to be performed includes re-designing, developing and implementing a new website for the City as identified in the bid specifications; and

WHEREAS, the CITY desires to employ the CONTRACTOR for the performance necessary to support the activities, programs and projects of the CITY upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, and the CONTRACTOR is desirous of performing and providing such goods/services upon said terms and conditions; and

WHEREAS, the CONTRACTOR hereby warrants and represents to the CITY that it is competent and otherwise able to provide professional and high quality goods and/or services to the CITY; and

WHEREAS, all CITY promulgated bid documents pertaining to **website design services** and all submissions submitted by the CONTRACTOR in the proposals/bid submitted to the CITY are hereby incorporated herein to the extent not inconsistent with the terms and conditions as set forth herein.

WHEREAS, the CITY desires to retain the CONTRACTOR to provide all labor, materials, equipment, facilities and services in accordance with, but not limited to, the guidelines in the Scope of Work; and

WHEREAS, this Agreement is not subject to the provisions of the *Consultants Competitive Negotiations Act*; and

WHEREAS, the CITY desires to use the expertise and knowledge of the CONTRACTOR; and

WHEREAS, the CONTRACTOR recognizes the importance to the public of strict adherence to all laws, rules and regulations with particular regard to safety procedure and process; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter contained and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, it is agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows:

SECTION 1: GENERAL PROVISIONS.

(a) The term "CONTRACTOR" as used in this Agreement is hereby defined herein as that person or entity, including employees, servants, partners, principals, agents and assignees providing services under this Agreement.

(b) The CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the CITY may retain other goods and/or service providers to provide the same goods and/or services for CITY projects. The CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the CITY, at the CITY's option, may request proposals from the CONTRACTOR and the other goods and/or service providers for CITY projects. The CITY reserves the right to select which provider shall provide goods and/or services for the CITY's projects.

(c) The CONTRACTOR agrees to provide and ensure coordination between goods/services providers.

(d) This Agreement is for **website design services**, as set forth herein and as otherwise directed by the CITY to include all labor and materials that may be required.

(e) The recitals herein are true and correct and form and constitute a material part of this Agreement upon which the parties have relied.

(f) Each party hereto represents to the other that it has undertaken all necessary actions to execute this Agreement, and that it has the legal authority to enter this Agreement and to undertake all obligations imposed on it. The person(s) executing this Agreement for the CONTRACTOR certify that he/she/they is/are authorized to bind the CONTRACTOR fully to the terms of this Agreement.

(g) Time is of the essence of the lawful performance of the duties and obligations contained in this Agreement to include, but not be limited to, each Purchase/Work Order. The parties covenant and agree that they shall diligently and expeditiously pursue their respective obligations set forth in this Agreement and each Purchase/Work Order.

(h) When the term "law" is used herein, said phrase shall include statutes, codes, rule and regulations of whatsoever type or nature enacted or adopted by a governmental entity of competent jurisdiction.

(i) Packages must be plainly marked with the shipper's name and the Purchase Order Number; charges are not allowed for boxing or crating unless previously agreed upon in writing.

(j) All materials must be shipped by the CONTRACTOR to the CITY. The CITY will not pay shipping, freight or express charges. The CONTRACTOR shall prepay shipping charges. Delivery must actually be affected within the time stated on the respective Purchase Order. The CITY reserves the right to cancel Purchase Orders and purchase elsewhere if delivery is not timely as stated on the Purchase Order. Deliveries shall be made between 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, unless otherwise stated. In case of default by the CONTRACTOR, the CITY may procure the articles or services covered by a Purchase Order from other sources and hold the CONTRACTOR responsible for any excess expense occasionally incurred thereby.

(k) The CONTRACTOR shall furnish the CITY with a current Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) on or before delivery or use of each and every hazardous chemical or substance purchased. Appropriate labels and MSDS's shall be provided for all shipments and relative to the usage of such materials.

(l) The CONTRACTOR hereby guarantees the CITY that all work and all material, supplies, services and equipment as listed on a Purchase Order meet the requirements, specifications and standards as provided for under the *Federal Occupations Safety and Health Act of 1970*, from time to time amended and in force on the date hereof.

(m) It is agreed that nothing herein contained is intended or should be construed as in any manner creating or establishing a relationship of co-partners between the parties, or as constituting the CONTRACTOR (including, but not limited to, its officers, employees, and agents) the agent, representative, or employee of the CITY for any purpose, or in any manner, whatsoever. The CONTRACTOR is to be and shall remain forever an independent contractor with respect to all services performed under this Agreement.

(n) Persons employed by the CONTRACTOR in the provision and performance of the goods and/or services and functions pursuant to this Agreement shall have no claim to pension, workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, civil service or other employee rights or privileges granted to the CITY's officers and employees either by operation of law or by the CITY.

(o) No claim for goods and/or services furnished by the CONTRACTOR not specifically provided for herein or in a Purchase/Work Order shall be honored by the CITY.

SECTION 2: SCOPE OF SERVICES.

(a) The CONTRACTOR shall safely, diligently and in a professional and timely manner perform, with its own equipment and assets, and provide goods and/or services included in each subsequently entered Purchase/Work Order. Unless modified in writing by the parties hereto, the duties of the CONTRACTOR shall not be construed to exceed the provision of the goods and/or services pertaining to this Agreement.

(b) The CONTRACTOR shall provide the goods and/or services as generally set forth and described in Exhibit "A" to this Agreement and specifically detailed in various Purchase/Work Orders as may be issued from time-to-time by the City; provided, however, that the provisions of this Agreement shall prevail over all provision of any exhibit to this Agreement.

SECTION 3: PURCHASE/WORK ORDERS.

(a) The provision of goods and/or services to be performed under the provisions of this Agreement shall be commenced as set forth in the CITY's bid/procurement documents upon the execution of this Agreement and a Purchase/Work Order issued on a form provided by the CITY hereunder commencing the provision of goods and services. Additional services to be performed or goods to be provided by the CONTRACTOR to the CITY, shall be authorized in written Purchase/Work Orders issued by the CITY on a form provided by the CITY. Purchase/Work Orders executed by the CITY shall include a detailed description of quantities, services and a completion schedule. The CONTRACTOR shall review Purchase/Work Orders and notify the CITY in writing of asserted inadequacies for the City's correction, if warranted. In every case, if work is completed by the CONTRACTOR without authorization by a purchase/work order or a change order, the CITY is not obligated to compensate the CONTRACTOR for the unauthorized work.

(b) If the services required to be performed by a Work Order are clearly defined, the Work Order shall be issued on a "Fixed Fee" basis. The CONTRACTOR shall perform all services required by the Work Order but, in no event, shall the CONTRACTOR be paid more than the negotiated Fixed Fee amount stated therein.

(c) If the services are not clearly defined, the Work Order may be issued on a "Time Basis Method" and contain a Not-to-Exceed amount. If a Not-to-Exceed amount is provided, the CONTRACTOR shall perform all work required by the Work Order; but in no event, shall the CONTRACTOR be paid more than the Not-to-Exceed amount specified in the applicable Work Order.

(d) If the services are not clearly defined, the Work Order may be issued on a "Time Basis Method" and contain a Limitation of Funds amount. The CONTRACTOR is not authorized to exceed that amount without the prior written approval of the CITY. Said approval, if given by the CITY, shall indicate a new Limitation of Funds amount. The CONTRACTOR shall advise the CITY whenever the CONTRACTOR has incurred expenses on any Work Order that equals or exceeds eighty percent (80%) of the Limitation of Funds amount.

(e) For Work Orders issued on a "Fixed Fee Basis", the CONTRACTOR may invoice the amount due based on the percentage of total Work Order services actually performed and completed; but, in no event, shall the invoice amount exceed a percentage of the Fixed Fee amount equal to a percentage of the total services actually completed.

(f) For Work Orders issued on a "Time Basis Method" with a Not-to-Exceed amount, the CONTRACTOR may invoice the amount due for actual work hours performed but, in no event, shall the invoice amount exceed a percentage of the Not-to- Exceed amount equal to a percentage of the total services actually completed.

(g) Each Work Order issued on a "Fixed Fee Basis" or "Time Basis Method" with a Not-to-Exceed amount shall be treated separately for retainage purposes which shall be prescribed on the face of the Work Order. If the CITY determines that work is substantially complete and the amount retained is considered to be in excess, the CITY may, at its sole and absolute discretion, release the retainage or any portion thereof.

(h) For Work Orders issued on a "Time Basis Method" with a Limitation of Funds amount, the CONTRACTOR may invoice the amount due for services actually performed and completed. The CITY shall pay the CONTRACTOR one hundred percent (100%) of the approved amount on Work Orders issued on a "Time Basis Method" with a Limitation of Funds amount.

(i) Payments shall be made by the CITY to the CONTRACTOR when requested as work progresses for services furnished, but not more than once monthly. Each Work Order shall be invoiced separately. The CONTRACTOR shall render to the CITY, at the close of each calendar month, an itemized invoice properly dated, describing any services rendered, the cost of the services, the name and address of the CONTRACTOR, Work Order Number, Contract Number and all other information required by this Agreement.

SECTION 4: CONTRACTOR UNDERSTANDING OF GOODS/SERVICES REQUIRED.

Execution of this Agreement by the CONTRACTOR is a representation that the CONTRACTOR is familiar with the goods and/or services to be provided and/or performed and with local conditions. The CONTRACTOR shall make no claim for

additional time or money based upon its failure to comply with this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR has informed the CITY, and hereby represents to the CITY, that it has extensive experience in performing and providing the services and/or goods described in this Agreement and to be identified in the Purchase/Work Orders, and that it is well acquainted with the work conditions and the components that are properly and customarily included within such projects and the requirements of laws, ordinance, rules, regulations or orders of any public authority or licensing entity having jurisdiction over the CITY's Projects. Execution of a Purchase/Work Order shall be an affirmative and irrefutable representation by the CONTRACTOR to the CITY that the CONTRACTOR is fully familiar with any and all requisite work conditions of the provisions of the goods and/or services.

SECTION 5: CHANGE ORDERS.

(a) The CITY may revise the scope of services or order for goods set forth in any particular Purchase/Work Order.

(b) Revisions to any Purchase/Work Order shall be authorized in writing by the CITY as a Change Order. Each Change Order shall include a schedule of completion for the goods and/or services authorized. Change Orders shall identify this Agreement and the appropriate Purchase/Work Order number. Change Orders may contain additional instructions or provisions specific upon certain aspects of this Agreement pertinent to the goods and/or services to be provided. Such supplemental instructions or provisions shall not be construed as a modification of this Agreement. An Agreement between the parties on and execution of any Change Order shall constitute a final settlement and a full accord and satisfaction of all matters relating to the change and to the impact of the change on unchanged goods and/or work, including all direct and indirect costs of whatever nature, and all adjustments to the CONTRACTOR's schedule.

SECTION 6: CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES.

(a) The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the professional quality, accepted standards, technical accuracy, neatness of appearance of employees, employee conduct, safety, and the coordination of all goods and/or services furnished by the CONTRACTOR under this Agreement as well as the conduct of its staff, personnel, employees and agents. For purposes of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010, including, but not limited to, Code Section 4980H (the "Employer Mandate"), Contractor hereby agrees that it is the common-law employer of any Personnel provided by Contractor to the City. Contractor agrees to provide "affordable," "minimum value" health coverage to any and all Personnel determined to be "full-time employees" (as those terms are defined under the Employer Mandate). In no event shall the City be considered the common-law employer or a joint employer of Personnel for purposes of the Employer Mandate. The CONTRACTOR shall provide to the CITY a list of employee working days, times and assignments within two (2) hours

of the CITY's request for such information and the CITY may request and the CONTRACTOR shall provide employee addresses and drivers' licenses. All CONTRACTOR employees shall at all times when performing work wear identification badges which, at a minimum, provides the name of the employee and the CONTRACTOR. The CONTRACTOR shall work closely with the CITY on all aspects of the provision of the goods and/or services. With respect to services, the CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the professional quality, technical accuracy, competence, methodology, accuracy and the coordination of all of the following which are listed for illustration purposes only and not as a limitation: documents, analysis, reports, data, plans, plats, maps, surveys, specifications, and any and all other services of whatever type or nature furnished by the CONTRACTOR under this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR shall, without additional compensation, correct or revise any errors or deficiencies in his/her/its plans, analysis, data, reports, designs, drawings, specifications, and any and all other services of whatever type or nature. The CONTRACTOR's submissions in response to the subject bid or procurement processes are incorporated herein by this reference thereto.

(b) Neither the CITY's review, approval or acceptance of, nor payment for, any of the goods and/or services required shall be construed to operate as a waiver of any rights under this Agreement or of any cause of action arising out of the performance of this Agreement and the CONTRACTOR shall be and remain liable to the CITY in accordance with applicable law for all damages to the CITY caused by the CONTRACTOR's negligent or improper performance or failure to perform any of the goods and/or services furnished under this Agreement.

(c) The rights and remedies of the CITY, provided for under this Agreement, are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law.

(d) Time is of the essence in the performance of all goods and/or services provided by the CONTRACTOR under the terms of this Agreement and each and every Purchase/Work Order.

SECTION 7: CITY RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

(a) The CITY shall reasonably cooperate with the CONTRACTOR in a timely fashion at no cost to the CONTRACTOR as set forth in this Section.

(b) The CITY shall furnish a CITY representative, as appointed by the designated representative to administer, review and coordinate the provision of services under Purchase/Work Orders.

(c) The CITY shall make CITY personnel available where, in the CITY's opinion, they are required and necessary to assist the CONTRACTOR. The availability and necessity of said personnel to assist the CONTRACTOR shall be determined solely at the discretion of the CITY.

(d) The CITY shall examine all of the CONTRACTOR's goods and/or services and indicate the CITY's approval or disapproval within a reasonable time so as not to materially delay the provisions of the goods and/or services of the CONTRACTOR.

(e) The CITY shall transmit instructions, relevant information, and provide interpretation and definition of CITY policies and decisions with respect to any and all materials and other matters pertinent to the services covered by this Agreement.

(f) The CITY shall give written notice to the CONTRACTOR whenever the CITY's designated representative knows of a development that affects the goods and/or services provided and performed under this Agreement, timing of the CONTRACTOR's provision of goods and/or services, or a defect or change necessary in the goods and/or services of the CONTRACTOR.

(g) The rights and remedies of the CITY provided for under this Agreement are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law. The CITY may assert its right of recovery by any appropriate means including, but not limited to, set-off, suit, withholding, recoupment, or counterclaim, either during or after performance of this Agreement as well as the adjustment of payments made to the CONTRACTOR based upon the quality of work of the CONTRACTOR.

(h) The CITY shall be entitled to recover any and all legal costs including, but not limited to, attorney fees and other legal costs that it may incur in any legal actions it may pursue in the enforcement of the terms and conditions of this Agreement or the responsibilities of the CONTRACTOR in carrying out the duties and responsibilities deriving from this Agreement.

(i) The failure of the CITY to insist in any instance upon the strict performance of any provision of this Agreement, or to exercise any right or privilege granted to the CITY hereunder shall not constitute or be construed as a waiver of any such provision or right and the same shall continue in force.

(j) Neither the CITY's review, approval or acceptance of, nor payment for, any of the goods and/or services required shall be construed to operate as a waiver of any rights under this Agreement nor or any cause of action arising out of the performance of this Agreement and the CONTRACTOR shall be and always remain liable to the CITY in accordance with applicable law for any and all damages to the CITY or the public caused by the CONTRACTOR's negligent or wrongful provision or performance of any of the goods and/or services furnished under this Agreement.

(k) All deliverable analysis, reference data, survey data, plans and reports or any other form of written instrument or document that may result from the CONTRACTOR's services or have been created during the course of the

CONTRACTOR's performance under this Agreement shall become the property of the CITY after final payment is made to the CONTRACTOR.

SECTION 8: COMPENSATION.

(a) Compensation to the CONTRACTOR shall be as set forth in each Purchase/Work Order which assigns goods to be provided or services to be accomplished by the CONTRACTOR.

(b) The CONTRACT shall be paid in accordance with the schedule of charges as set forth in Exhibit "B" attached hereto.

(c) There are no reimbursable expenses to be paid to the CONTRACTOR except as specifically set forth herein.

SECTION 9: INVOICE PROCESS.

(a) Invoices, which are in an acceptable form to the CITY and without disputable items, which are received by the CITY, will be processed for payment within thirty (30) days of receipt by the CITY.

(b) The CONTRACTOR will be notified of any disputable items contained in invoices submitted by the CONTRACTOR within fifteen (15) days of receipt by the CITY with an explanation of the deficiencies.

(c) The CITY and the CONTRACTOR will make every effort to resolve all disputable items contained in the CONTRACTOR's invoices.

(d) Each invoice shall reference this Agreement, the appropriate Purchase/Work Order and Change Order if applicable, and billing period.

(e) The *Florida Local Government Prompt Payment Act* shall apply when applicable. A billing period represents the dates in which the CONTRACTOR completed goods and/or services referenced in an invoice.

SECTION 10: COMMENCEMENT/IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE OF AGREEMENT.

(a) The CONTRACTOR shall commence the provision of goods and/or services as described in this Agreement upon execution of this Agreement or execution of a Purchase/Work Order issued by the CITY.

(b) The CONTRACTOR and the CITY agree to make every effort to adhere to the schedules required by the CITY or as established for the various Purchase/Work Orders as described in each Purchase/Work Order. However, if the CONTRACTOR is

delayed at any time in the provision of goods and/or services by any act or omission of the CITY, or of any employee, tumult of the CITY, or by any other contractor employed by the CITY, or by changes ordered by the CITY, or by strikes, lock outs, fire, unusual delay in transportation, terrorism, unavoidable casualties, or any other causes of *force majeure* not resulting from the inactions or actions of the CONTRACTOR and beyond the CONTRACTOR's control which would not reasonably be expected to occur in connection with or during performance or provision of the goods and/or services, or by delay authorized by the CITY pending a decision, or by any cause which the CITY shall decide to justify the delay, the time of completion shall be extended for such reasonable time as the CITY may decide in its sole and absolute discretion. It is further expressly understood and agreed that the CONTRACTOR shall not be entitled to any damages or compensation, or be reimbursed for any losses on account of any delay or delays resulting from any of the aforesaid causes or any other cause whatsoever.

SECTION 11: TERM/LENGTH OF AGREEMENT.

- (a) The initial term of this Agreement shall be for a period of five (5) years.
- (b) After the initial term, this agreement may be renewed for additional one year periods if mutually agreeable to both parties.

SECTION 12: DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVES.

(a) The CITY designates the City Manager or his/her designated representative, to represent the CITY in all matters pertaining to and arising from the work and the performance of this Agreement.

(b) The City Manager, or his/her designated representative, shall have the following responsibilities:

(1) Examination of all work and rendering, in writing, decisions indicating the CITY's approval or disapproval within a reasonable time so as not to materially delay the work of the CONTRACTOR;

(2) Transmission of instructions, receipt of information, and interpretation and definition of CITY's policies and decisions with respect to design, materials, and other matters pertinent to the work covered by this Agreement;

(3) Giving prompt written notice to the CONTRACTOR whenever the CITY official representative knows of a defect or change necessary in the project; and

(4) Coordinating and managing the CONTRACTOR's preparation of any necessary applications to governmental bodies, to arrange for submission of such applications.

SECTION 13: TERMINATION/SUSPENSION OF AGREEMENT.

(a) The CITY may terminate this Agreement or any Purchase/Work Order for convenience at any time or this Agreement or any Purchase/Work Order for any one (1) or more of the reasons as follows:

(1) If, in the CITY's opinion, adequate progress to be provided or under a Purchase/Work Order is not being made by the CONTRACTOR due to the CONTRACTOR's failure to perform; or

(2) If, in the CITY's opinion, the quality of the goods and/or services provided by the CONTRACTOR is/are not in conformance with commonly accepted professional standards, standards of the CITY, and the requirements of Federal and/or State regulatory agencies, and the CONTRACTOR has not corrected such deficiencies in a timely manner as reasonably determined by the CITY; or

(3) The CONTRACTOR or any employee or agent of the CONTRACTOR is indicted or has a direct charge issued against him/her for any crime arising out of or in conjunction with any work that has been performed by the CONTRACTOR; or

(4) The CONTRACTOR becomes involved in either voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy proceedings, or makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors; or

(5) The CONTRACTOR violates the Standards of Conduct provisions herein or any provision of Federal, State or local law or any provision of the CITY's Code of Conduct.

(b) In the event of any of the causes described in this Section, the CITY's designated representative may send a certified letter to the CONTRACTOR requesting that the CONTRACTOR show cause why the Agreement or any Purchase/Work Order should not be terminated. If assurance satisfactory to the CITY of corrective measures to be made within a reasonable time is not given to the CITY within seven (7) calendar days of the date of the letter, the CITY may consider the CONTRACTOR to be in default, and may then immediately terminate this Agreement or any Purchase/Work Order in progress under this Agreement.

(c) In the event that this Agreement or a Purchase/Work Order is terminated for cause and it is later determined that the cause does not exist, then this Agreement or the Purchase/Work Order shall be deemed terminated for convenience by the CITY and the CITY shall have the right to so terminate this Agreement without any recourse by the CONTRACTOR.

SECTION 14: TERMINATION BY CONTRACTOR FOR CAUSE.

(a) The CONTRACTOR may terminate this Agreement only if the CITY fails to pay the CONTRACTOR in accordance with this Agreement.

(b) In the event of the cause described in Subsection (a), the CONTRACTOR shall send a certified letter requesting that the CITY show cause why the Agreement should not be terminated. If adequate assurances are not given to the CONTRACTOR within fifteen (15) days of the receipt by the CITY of said show cause notice, then the CONTRACTOR may consider the CITY to be in default, and may immediately terminate this Agreement.

SECTION 15: TERMINATION BY THE CITY WITHOUT CAUSE.

(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the CITY shall have the right at any time to terminate this Agreement in its entirety without cause, or terminate any specific Purchase/Work Order without cause, if such termination is deemed by the CITY to be in the public interest, in writing of deficiencies or default in the performance of its duties under the Agreement and the CONTRACTOR shall have ten (10) days to correct same or to request, in writing, a hearing.

(b) Failure of the CONTRACTOR to remedy said specified items of deficiency or default in the notice by either the CITY's designated representative within ten (10) days of receipt of such notice of such decisions, shall result in the termination of the Agreement, and the CITY shall be relieved of any and all responsibilities and liabilities under the terms and provisions of the Agreement.

(c) The CITY shall have the right to terminate this Agreement without cause with a one-hundred twenty (120) day written notice to the CONTRACTOR. The CITY reserves the right to terminate any Agreement for cause with a five (5) day written notice to the CONTRACTOR. Notice shall be served to the parties as specified in the Agreement.

(d) In the event that this Agreement is terminated, the CITY shall identify any specific Purchase/Work Order(s) being terminated and the specific Purchase/Work Order(s) to be continued to completion pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement.

(e) This Agreement will remain in full force and effect as to all authorized Purchase/Work Order(s) that is/are to be continued to completion.

(f) In the event that after the CITY's termination for cause for failure of the CONTRACTOR to fulfill its obligations under this Agreement it is found that the CONTRACTOR has not so failed, the termination shall be deemed to have been for convenience and without cause.

SECTION 16: PAYMENT IN THE EVENT OF TERMINATION.

In the event this Agreement or any Purchase/Work Order is terminated or canceled prior to final completion without cause, payment for the unpaid portion of the services provided by the CONTRACTOR to the date of termination and any additional services shall be paid to the CONTRACTOR.

SECTION 17: ACTION FOLLOWING TERMINATION.

Upon receipt of notice of termination given by either party, the terminated party shall promptly discontinue the provision of all goods and/or services, unless the notice provides otherwise.

SECTION 18: SUSPENSION.

(a) The performance or provision of the CONTRACTOR's goods and/or services under any Purchase/Work Order or under this Agreement may be suspended by the CITY at any time.

(b) In the event the CITY suspends the performance or provision of the CONTRACTOR's services hereunder, the CITY shall so notify the CONTRACTOR in writing, such suspension becoming effective within seven (7) days from the date of mailing, and the CITY shall pay to the CONTRACTOR within thirty (30) days all compensation which has become due to and payable to the CONTRACTOR to the effective date of such suspension. The CITY shall thereafter have no further obligation for payment to the CONTRACTOR for the suspended provision of goods and/or services unless and until the CITY's designated representative notifies the CONTRACTOR in writing that the provision of the goods and/or services of the CONTRACTOR called for hereunder are to be resumed by the CONTRACTOR.

(c) Upon receipt of written notice from the CITY that the CONTRACTOR's provision of goods and/or services hereunder are to be resumed, the CONTRACTOR shall continue to provide the services to the CITY.

SECTION 19: EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYMENT/NON-DISCRIMINATION.

The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment for work under this Agreement because of race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin or disability and will take affirmative steps to ensure that applicants are employed and employees are treated during employment without regard

to race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin or disability. This provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or their forms or compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The CONTRACTOR, moreover, shall comply with all the requirements as imposed by the *Americans with Disability Act*, the regulations of the Federal government issued thereunder, and any and all requirements of Federal or State law related thereto.

SECTION 20: INDEMNITY

To the extent permitted by Florida law, Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, save, and hold harmless the City of Margate, their officers and employees, from or on account of all damages, losses, liabilities, including but not limited to reasonable attorneys fees, and costs to the extent caused by the negligence, recklessness or intentional wrongful misconduct of the Contractor and persons employed or utilized by the Contractor in the performance of this agreement. Nothing contained in the foregoing indemnification shall be construed to be a waiver of any immunity or limitation of liability the City may have under the doctrine of sovereign immunity or Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.

SECTION 21: INSURANCE.

The Consultant shall, at its sole cost and expense, procure and maintain throughout the term of this contract, Comprehensive General Liability and Worker's Compensation insurance, including Employer Liability insurance with minimum policy limits as set forth below, or to the extent and in such amounts as required and authorized by Florida law, and will provide endorsed certificates of insurance generated and executed by a licensed insurance broker, brokerage or similar licensed insurance professional evidencing such coverage, and name the City as a named, additional insured, as well as furnishing the City with a certified copy, or copies, of said insurance policies. Certificates of insurance and certified copies of these insurance policies must accompany this signed contract. Said insurance coverages procured by the Consultant as required herein shall be considered, and the City agrees that said insurance coverages it procures as required herein shall be considered, as primary insurance over and above any other insurance, or self-insurance, available to the City, and that any other insurance, or self-insurances available to the City shall be considered secondary to, or in excess of, the insurance coverages(s) procured by the Consultant as required herein.

Nothing herein shall be construed to extend the City's liability beyond that provided in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.

(1) Workers Compensation/Employer Liability: The CONTRACTOR shall provide Worker's Compensation for all employees at limits not less than the following:

\$500,000 Each Accident
\$500,000 Each Employee

\$500,000 Policy Limit for Disease

(2) Commercial General Liability: The CONTRACTOR will provide coverage for all operations including, but not limited to, contractual, products and complete operations and personal injury at limits not less than the following:

\$1,000,000 Bodily Injury & Property Damage - each occurrence
\$1,000,000 Personal & Advertising Injury - each occurrence
\$2,000,000 General Aggregate
\$2,000,000 Products/Completed Operations Aggregates limit
\$ 5,000 Medical Payments
\$ 100,000 Fire Damage Legal Liability

(3) Commercial Business Automobile Liability: The CONTRACTOR shall provide complete coverage for owned and non-owned vehicles for limits not less than \$1,000,000 CSL or its equivalent.

SECTION 22: STANDARDS OF CONDUCT.

(a) The CONTRACTOR warrants that it has not employed or retained any company or person, other than a *bona fide* employee working solely for the CONTRACTOR, to solicit or secure this Agreement and that the CONTRACTOR has not paid or agreed to pay any person, company, corporation, individual or firm other than a *bona fide* employee working solely for the CONTRACTOR, any fee, commission, percentage, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award of making this Agreement.

(b) The CONTRACTOR shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin in the performance of work under this Agreement or violate any laws pertaining to civil rights, equal protection or discrimination.

(c) The CONTRACTOR hereby certifies that no undisclosed (in writing) conflict of interest exists with respect to the Agreement, including, but not limited to, any conflicts that may be due to representation of other clients, customers or vendees, other contractual relationships of the CONTRACTOR, or any interest in property that the CONTRACTOR may have. The CONTRACTOR further certifies that any conflict of interest that arises during the term of this Agreement shall be immediately disclosed in writing to the CITY. Violation of this Section shall be considered as justification for immediate termination of this Agreement.

(d) The CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all taxes due from the CONTRACTOR are paid in a timely and complete manner including, but not limited to, occupational license tax.

(e) If the CITY determines that any employee or representative of the CONTRACTOR is not satisfactorily performing his/her assigned duties or is

demonstrating improper conduct pursuant to any assignment or work performed under this Agreement, the CITY shall so notify the CONTRACTOR, in writing. The CONTRACTOR shall immediately remove such employee or representative of the CONTRACTOR from such assignment.

(f) The CONTRACTOR shall not publish any documents or release information regarding this Agreement to the media without prior approval of the CITY.

(g) The CONTRACTOR shall certify, upon request by the CITY, that the CONTRACTOR maintains a drug free workplace policy in accordance with Section 287.0878, *Florida Statutes*. Failure to submit this certification may result in termination of this Agreement.

(h) If the CONTRACTOR or an affiliate is placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime, such action may result in termination of this Agreement by the CITY. The CONTRACTOR shall provide a certification of compliance regarding the public crime requirements set forth in State law upon request by the CITY.

(i) The CITY reserves the right to unilaterally terminate this Agreement if the CONTRACTOR refuses to allow public access to all documents, papers, letters, or other materials subject to provisions of *Chapter 119, Florida Statutes*, and other applicable law, and made or received by the CONTRACTOR in conjunction, in any way, with this Agreement.

(j) The CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of the *Americans with Disabilities Act* (ADA), and any and all related Federal or State laws which prohibits discrimination by public and private entities on the basis of disability.

(k) The CITY will not intentionally award publicly-funded contracts to any contractor who knowingly employs unauthorized alien workers, constituting a violation of the employment provisions contained in 8 U.S.C. Section 1324a(e) Section 274A(e) of the *Immigration and Nationally Act (INA)*. The CITY shall consider the employment by the CONTRACTOR of unauthorized aliens, a violation of Section 274A(e) of the *INA*. Such violation by the CONTRACTOR of the employment provisions contained in Section 274A(e) of the *INA* shall be grounds for immediate termination of this Agreement by the CITY.

(l) The CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with Federal, State, and local environmental, health, and safety laws and regulations applicable to the goods and/or services provided to the CITY. The CONTRACTOR agrees that any program or initiative involving the work that could adversely affect any personnel involved, citizens, residents, users, neighbors or the surrounding environment will ensure compliance with any and all employment safety, environmental and health laws.

(m) The CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all goods and/or services are provided to the CITY after the CONTRACTOR has obtained, at its sole and exclusive

expense, any and all permits, licenses, permissions, approvals or similar consents.

(n) If applicable, in accordance with Section 216.347, *Florida Statutes*, the CONTRACTOR shall not use funds provided by this Agreement for the purpose of lobbying the Legislature, the judicial branch or State agency.

(o) The CONTRACTOR shall advise the CITY in writing of it who has been placed on a discriminatory vendor list, may not submit a bid on a contract to provide goods or services to a public entity, or may not transact business with any public entity.

(p) The CONTRACTOR shall not engage in any action that would create a conflict of interest in the performance of that actions of any CITY employee or other person during the course of performance of, or otherwise related to, this Agreement or which would violate or cause others to violate the provisions of Part III, Chapter 112, *Florida Statutes*, relating to ethics in government.

SECTION 23: ACCESS TO RECORDS/AUDIT/PUBLIC RECORDS.

In accordance with Florida Statute, 119.0701 - Contracts; public records, the Contract shall keep, maintain and make available all records, regardless of format, including but not limited to finance records, statistical records, correspondence, and supporting documents pertinent to this contract for a period determined by the nature of the document, pursuant to state and federal records retention and disposition requirements, and after termination of this contract; provide the public with access to public records on the same terms and conditions that the public agency would provide the records and at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in this chapter or as otherwise provided by law; ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law ; meet all requirements for retaining public records and transfer, at no cost, to the public agency all public records in possession of the contractor upon termination of the contract and destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements; all records stored electronically must be provided to the public agency in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the public agency. If a contractor does not comply with a public records request, the public agency shall enforce the contract provisions in accordance with the contract.

SECTION 24: CODES AND DESIGN STANDARDS.

(a) All goods and/or services to be provided for performed by the CONTRACTOR shall, at a minimum, be in conformance with commonly accepted industry and professional codes and standards, standards of the CITY, and the laws of any and all Federal, State and local regulatory agencies.

(b) The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for keeping apprised of any

changing laws, applicable to the goods and/or services to be performed under this Agreement.

SECTION 25: ASSIGNABILITY.

(a) The CONTRACTOR shall not sublet, assign or transfer any interest in this Agreement, or claims for the money due or to become due out of this Agreement to a bank, trust company, or other financial institution without written CITY approval. When approved by the CITY, written notice of such assignment or transfer shall be furnished promptly to the CITY.

(b) The CONTRACTOR agrees to reasonably participate in the contract "piggybacking" programs pertinent to local governments.

SECTION 26: SUBCONTRACTORS.

(a) Any CONTRACTOR's proposed subcontractors shall be submitted to the CITY for written approval prior to the CONTRACTOR entering into a subcontract. Subcontractor information shall include, but not be limited to, State registrations, business address, occupational license tax proof of payment, and insurance certifications.

(b) The CONTRACTOR shall coordinate the provision of goods and/or services and work product of any CITY approved subcontractors, and remain fully responsible for such goods and/or services and work under the terms of this Agreement.

(c) Any subcontract shall be in writing and shall incorporate this Agreement and require the subcontractor to assume performance of the CONTRACTOR's duties commensurately with the CONTRACTOR's duties to the CITY under this Agreement, it being understood that nothing herein shall in any way relieve the CONTRACTOR from any of its duties under this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR shall provide the CITY with executed copies of all subcontracts.

(d) The CONTRACTOR shall reasonably cooperate always with the CITY and other CITY contractors and professionals.

SECTION 27: CONTROLLING LAWS/VENUE/INTERPRETATION.

This agreement shall have been deemed to have been executed within the State of Florida. The validity, construction, and effect of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida. Any claim, objection or dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be litigated only in the courts of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit in and for Broward County, Florida.

SECTION 28: FORCE MAJEURE.

Neither party shall be considered in default in performance of its obligations hereunder to the extent that performance of such obligations, or any of them, is delayed or prevented by *Force Majeure*. *Force Majeure* shall include, but not be limited to, hostility, terrorism, revolution, civil commotion, strike, epidemic, fire, flood, wind, earthquake, explosion, any law, proclamation, regulation, or ordinance or other act of government, or any act of God or any cause whether of the same or different nature, existing or future; provided that the cause whether or not enumerated in this Section is beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the party seeking relief under this Section.

SECTION 29: EXTENT OF AGREEMENT/INTEGRATION/AMENDMENT.

(a) This Agreement, together with the exhibit(s), if any, constitutes the entire integrated Agreement between the CITY and the CONTRACTOR and supersedes all prior written or oral understandings in connection therewith. This Agreement, and all the terms and provisions contained herein, including without limitation the exhibits hereto, constitute the full and complete agreement between the parties hereto to the date hereof, and supersedes and controls over any and all prior agreements, understandings, representations, correspondence and statements whether written or oral.

(b) This Agreement may only be amended, supplemented or modified by a formal written amendment.

(c) Any alterations, amendments, deletions, or waivers of the provisions of this Agreement shall be valid only when expressed in writing and duly signed by the parties.

SECTION 30: NOTICES.

(a) Whenever either party desires to give notice unto the other, it must be given by written notice, sent by registered United States mail, with return receipt requested, addressed to the party for whom it is intended, at the place last specified, and the place for giving of notice shall remain such until it shall have been changed by written notice in compliance with the provisions of this Section.

(b) Written notice requirements of this Agreement shall be strictly construed and such requirements are a condition precedent to pursuing any rights or remedies hereunder. The CONTRACTOR agrees not to claim any waiver by CITY of such notice requirements based upon CITY having actual knowledge, implied, verbal or constructive notice, lack of prejudice or any other grounds as a substitute for the failure of the CONTRACTOR to comply with the express written notice requirements herein. Computer notification (e-mails and message boards) shall not constitute proper written notice under the terms of the Agreement.

SECTION 31: NO WAIVER.

No waiver of any provision, covenant or condition within this agreement or of the breach of any provision, covenant or condition within this agreement shall be taken to

constitute a waiver of any subsequent breach of such provision, covenant or condition.

SECTION 32: NO GENERAL CITY OBLIGATION.

(a) In no event shall any obligation of the CITY under this Agreement be or constitute a general obligation or indebtedness of the CITY, a pledge of the *ad valorem* taxing power of the CITY or a general obligation or indebtedness of the CITY within the meaning of the *Constitution of the State of Florida* or any other applicable laws, but shall be payable solely from legally available revenues and funds.

(b) The CONTRACTOR shall not have the right to compel the exercise of the *ad valorem* taxing power of the CITY.

SECTION 33: EXHIBITS.

Each exhibit referred to and attached to this Agreement is an essential part of this Agreement. The exhibits and any amendments or revisions thereto, even if not physically attached hereto, shall be treated as if they are part of this Agreement.

SECTION 34: CAPTIONS.

The Section headings and captions of this Agreement are for convenience and reference only and in no way define, limit, describe the scope or intent of this Agreement or any part thereof, or in any way affect this Agreement or construe any provision of this Agreement.

SECTION 35: SEVERABILITY/CONSTRUCTION.

(a) If any term, provision or condition contained in this Agreement shall, to any extent, be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such term, provision or condition to persons or circumstances other than those in respect of which it is invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby, and each term, provision and condition of this Agreement shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law when consistent with equity and the public interest.

(b) All provisions of this Agreement shall be read and applied in *para materia* with all other provisions hereof.

SECTION 36: ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ADR).

(a) In the event of a dispute related to any performance or payment obligation arising under this Agreement, the parties agree to exhaust any alternative dispute resolution procedures reasonably imposed by the CITY prior to filing suit or otherwise pursuing legal remedies.

(b) The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will file no suit or otherwise pursue legal

remedies based on facts or evidentiary materials that were not presented for consideration to the CITY in alternative dispute resolution procedures or which the CONTRACTOR had knowledge and failed to present during the CITY procedures.

(c) In the event that CITY procedures are exhausted and a suit is filed or legal remedies are otherwise pursued, the parties shall exercise best efforts to resolve disputes through voluntary mediation. Mediator selection and the procedures to be employed in voluntary mediation shall be mutually acceptable to the parties. Costs of voluntary mediation shall be shared equally among the parties participating in the mediation.

SECTION 37: COUNTERPARTS.

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same document.

SECTION 38: WAIVER OF JURY TRAIL.

The parties to this agreement hereby knowingly, irrevocably, voluntarily and intentionally waive any right either may have to a trial by jury in respect to any action, proceeding, lawsuit or counterclaim based upon the contract, arising out of, under, or in connection with the matters to be accomplished in this Agreement, or any course of conduct, course of dealing, statements (whether oral or written) or the actions or inactions of any party.

SECTION 39: ENTIRE AGREEMENT.

This Agreement contains the entire agreement and understanding between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and there are no other promises; representations, or warranties affecting it.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have made and executed this Agreement on the respective dates under each signature: the CITY through its City Council taking action on the ____ day of _____, 2017, and the CONTRACTOR signing by and through its duly authorized corporate officer having the full and complete authority to execute same.



CONTRACTOR

Tim Grant, Director of Sales
9th day of March, 2017

CITY OF MARGATE

Tommy Ruzzano, Mayor
____ day of _____, 2017

Samuel A. May, Interim City Manager
____ day of _____, 2017

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Joseph J. Kavanagh, City Clerk
____ day of _____, 2017

Douglas R. Gonzales, City Attorney
____ day of _____, 2017