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May 8, 2014

Sarah VanAusdle
City Of Sequim
152 W. Cedar Street

Sequim, WA 98382

RE: Public Works Trust Fund Loan Agreement Number EW13-961-094

Dear " Sarah VanAusdle:

Enclosed is a fully executed original of an amendment to your Public Works Trust Fund Loan Agreement EW13-961-094. Please keep this original with the other local records related to your approved Public Works Trust Fund Loan Agreement.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to call me at (360) 725-3088 or email me at Connie.Rivera@commerce.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Connie Rivera
Contracts Administration Unit
Project Manager

Enclosure

April 23, 2014

Sarah VanAusdle
City Of Sequim
152 W. Cedar Street
Sequim, WA 98382

RE: Amendment to Loan Agreement/Contract EW13-961-094

Dear Ms. VanAusdle:

Attached is an amendment that the Public Works Board requests you to sign. The purpose of this amendment is to rectify a processing error that resulted in an incorrect version of the 'Part 2: General Conditions' section to be printed out; causing many citations to be inaccurately referenced within the contract.

Please have both of the originals signed and dated by the appropriate authorities, and return them to the Contracts Administration Unit within 60 days of the date of this letter.

After the amendments are signed by the Board or its designee, an original executed amendment will be returned to you for your files.

If you have any questions, or need additional information, please contact me at the below listed address

Many thanks for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Jeff Hinckle
CAU Staff
(360) 725-3060
Jeff.hinckle@commerce.wa.gov

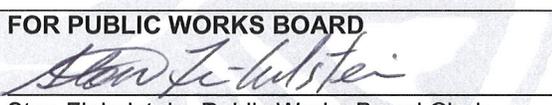
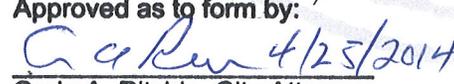
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AMENDMENT FACE SHEET

Contract Number: EW13-961-094
Amendment Number: A
Washington State Department of Commerce
Energy and Water Efficiency Program

1. Contractor City of Sequim 152 W. Cedar Street Sequim, WA 98382		2. Contractor Doing Business As (optional) N/A	
3. Contractor Representative (only if updated) N/A		4. Public Works Board Representative (only if updated) N/A	
5. Original Contract Amount \$520,000.00	6. Amendment Amount N/A	7. New Contract Amount N/A	
8. Amendment Funding Source Federal: <input type="checkbox"/> State: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="checkbox"/> N/A: <input type="checkbox"/>	9. Amendment Start Date Amendment Execution Date	10. Contract End Date June 1, 2027	
11. Federal Funds (as applicable): N/A	Federal Agency: N/A	CFDA Number: N/A	
12. Amendment Purpose: The purpose of this amendment is to rectify a processing error that caused the incorrect version of 'Part 2: General Conditions' to be included in the contract. The Board, defined as the Washington State Public Works Board, and Borrower/Contractor acknowledge and accept the terms of this Agreement/Contract As Amended and attachments and have executed this Contract on the date below to start as of this date of execution. The rights and obligations of both parties to this Agreement/Contract As Amended are governed by this Agreement/Contract Amendment and the following other documents incorporated by reference: Declarations Page, Amendment Terms and Conditions including all attachments. A copy of this Agreement/Contract Amendment shall be attached to and made a part of the original Agreement/Contract between the Board and the Borrower/Contractor. Any reference in the original Contract to "Agreement" or "Contract" shall mean the "Agreement As Amended" or "Contract As Amended," respectively.			
FOR THE BORROWER/CONTRACTOR		FOR PUBLIC WORKS BOARD	
			
Signature		Stan Finkelstein, Public Works Board Chair	
Steven Burkett		May 6, 2014	
Print Name		Date	
city manager		APPROVED AS TO FORM ONLY	
Title		This (17) th Day of March, 2014	
4-25-14		Bob Ferguson Attorney General	
Date		Signature on File	
Approved as to form by:		Kathryn Wyatt Assistant Attorney General	
			
Craig A. Ritchie, City Attorney			

AMENDMENT DECLARATIONS

CLIENT INFORMATION

<i>Legal Name</i>	City of Sequim
<i>Loan Number</i>	EW13-961-094
<i>Amendment Number</i>	A
<i>Award Year</i>	2013
<i>State Wide Vendor Number</i>	SWV0002070-00

PROJECT INFORMATION

<i>Project Title</i>	Aerobic Digester Energy Efficiency Improvements
<i>Project City</i>	Sequim
<i>Project State</i>	Washington
<i>Project Zip</i>	98382

LOAN TERMS and CONDITIONS

<i>Loan Amount</i>	\$520,000.00
<i>Loan Term</i>	14
<i>Interest Rate</i>	1.00
<i>Loan Reimbursement Start Date</i>	7/1/2012
<i>Payment Month</i>	June 1
<i>Time of Performance</i>	36 months from Contract Execution to Project Completion date.

AMENDMENT DECLARATIONS (continued)

SCOPE OF WORK

<i>Loan Number</i>	EW13-961-094
<i>Project Title</i>	Aerobic Digester Energy Efficiency Improvements
<i>Amendment Number</i>	A
<i>Scope of Work</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Prepare Investment Grade Energy Audit.2. Prepare plans and specifications for public bidding.3. Publicly bid the project and award to lowest responsible bidder.4. Construct improvements will include replacing the existing four 25-HP submersible aerators in the aerobic digester basins at the City of Sequim Water Reclamation Facility (WRF) with fine bubble diffusers and a dissolved oxygen (DO) sensor controlled variable frequency drive (VFD) controlled turboblowers.

AMENDMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Contract Number: EW13-961-094
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Washington State Department of Commerce
Energy and Water Efficiency Program

Contractor/Borrower: City of Sequim
Contract Number: EW13-961-094
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The Public Works Board (or its successors), a department of the State of Washington, (hereafter referred to as the "Board") and the Contractor, listed on the Face Sheet, agree to amend the declared loan by modifying the following sections as set for below.

Part 2: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

2.1. DEFINITIONS

As used throughout this Contract, the following terms shall have the meaning set forth below:

- A. "Authorized Representative" shall mean the Public Works Board Chair and/or the designee authorized in writing to act on the Chair's behalf.
- B. "Contractor" shall mean the entity identified on the face sheet performing service(s) under this Contract, and shall include all employees and agents of the Contractor.
- C. "BOARD" shall mean the Washington State Public Works Board created in Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 43.155.030, and which is a Party to the Contract
- D. "Personal Information" shall mean information identifiable to any person, including, but not limited to, information that relates to a person's name, health, finances, education, business, use or receipt of governmental services or other activities, addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, driver license numbers, other identifying numbers, and any financial identifiers.
- E. "State" shall mean the state of Washington.
- F. "Subcontractor" shall mean one not in the employment of the Contractor, who is performing all or part of those services under this Contract under a separate contract with the Contractor. The terms "subcontractor" and "subcontractors" mean subcontractor(s) in any tier.

2.2. ALLOWABLE COSTS

Costs allowable under this Contract are actual expenditures according to an approved budget up to the maximum amount stated on the Contract Award or Amendment Face Sheet.

2.3. ALL WRITINGS CONTAINED HEREIN

This Contract contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Contract shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

2.4 AMENDMENTS

This Contract may be amended by mutual agreement of the parties. Such amendments shall not be binding unless they are in writing and signed by personnel authorized to bind each of the parties.

2.5 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) OF 1990, PUBLIC LAW 101-336, also referred to as the "ADA" 28 CFR Part 35

The Contractor must comply with the ADA, which provides comprehensive civil rights protection to individuals with disabilities in the areas of employment, public accommodations, state and local government services, and telecommunications.

2.6 APPROVAL

This contract shall be subject to the written approval of the Board's Authorized Representative and shall not be binding until so approved. The contract may be altered, amended, or waived only by a written amendment executed by both parties.

2.7 ASSIGNMENT

Neither this Contract, nor any claim arising under this Contract, shall be transferred or assigned by the Contractor without prior written consent of the Board.

2.8 ATTORNEYS' FEES

Unless expressly permitted under another provision of the Contract, in the event of litigation or other action brought to enforce Contract terms, each party agrees to bear its own attorneys fees and costs.

2.9 AUDIT

A. General Requirements

Contractors are to procure audit services based on the following guidelines.

The Contractor shall maintain its records and accounts so as to facilitate the audit requirement and shall ensure that Subcontractors also maintain auditable records.

The Contractor is responsible for any audit exceptions incurred by its own organization or that of its Subcontractors.

The Board reserves the right to recover from the Contractor all disallowed costs resulting from the audit.

As applicable, Contractors required to have an audit must ensure the audits are performed in accordance with Generally Accepted Auditing Standards (GAAS); Government Auditing Standards (the Revised Yellow Book) developed by the Comptroller General.

Responses to any unresolved management findings and disallowed or questioned costs shall be included with the audit report. The Contractor must respond to the Board's requests for information or corrective action concerning audit issues within thirty (30) days of the date of request.

B. State Funds Requirements

Contractors expending \$100,000 or more in total state funds in a fiscal year must have a financial audit as defined by Government Auditing Standards (The Revised Yellow Book) and according to Generally Accepted Auditing Standards (GAAS). The Schedule of State Financial Assistance must be included. The schedule includes:

- Grantor agency name
- State program name
- BARS account number
- Grantor
- Agency contract number
- Contract award amount including amendments (total grant award)
- Beginning balance
- Current year revenues

Current year expenditures
Ending balance
Program total

If the Contractor is a state or local government entity, the Office of the State Auditor shall conduct the audit. Audits of non-profit organizations are to be conducted by a certified public accountant selected by the Contractor.

The Contractor shall include the above audit requirements in any subcontracts.

In any case, the Contractor's financial records must be available for review by the Board.

C. Documentation Requirements

The Contractor must send a copy of any audit report no later than nine (9) months after the end of the Contractor's fiscal year(s) by sending a scanned copy to auditreview@commerce.wa.gov or a hard copy to:

Department of Commerce
ATTN: Audit Review and Resolution Office
1011 Plum Street SE
PO Box 42525
Olympia WA 98504-2525

In addition to sending a copy of the audit, when applicable, the Contractor must include:

- Corrective action plan for audit findings within three (3) months of the audit being received by COMMERCE.
- Copy of the Management Letter and Management Decision Letter, where applicable.

If the Contractor is required to obtain a Single Audit consistent with Circular A-133 requirements, a copy must be provided to Commerce; no other report is required.

2.10 CODE REQUIREMENTS

All construction and rehabilitation projects must satisfy the requirements of applicable local, state, and federal building, mechanical, plumbing, fire, energy and barrier-free codes. Compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 28 C.F.R. Part 35 will be required, as specified by the local building Department.

2.11 CONFIDENTIALITY/SAFEGUARDING OF INFORMATION

A. "Confidential Information" as used in this section includes:

1. All material provided to the Contractor by the Board that is designated as "confidential" by the Board;
2. All material produced by the Contractor that is designated as "confidential" by the Board; and
3. All personal information in the possession of the Contractor that may not be disclosed under state or federal law. "Personal information" includes but is not limited to information related to a person's name, health, finances, education, business, use of government services, addresses, telephone numbers, social security number, driver's license number and other identifying numbers, and "Protected Health Information" under the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

B. The Contractor shall comply with all state and federal laws related to the use, sharing, transfer, sale, or disclosure of Confidential Information. The Contractor shall use Confidential Information solely for the purposes of this Contract and shall not use, share, transfer, sell or disclose any Confidential Information to any third party except with the prior written consent of the Board or as

may be required by law. The Contractor shall take all necessary steps to assure that Confidential Information is safeguarded to prevent unauthorized use, sharing, transfer, sale or disclosure of Confidential Information or violation of any state or federal laws related thereto. Upon request, the Contractor shall provide THE BOARD with its policies and procedures on confidentiality. The Board may require changes to such policies and procedures as they apply to this Contract whenever the Board reasonably determines that changes are necessary to prevent unauthorized disclosures. The Contractor shall make the changes within the time period specified by the Board. Upon request, the Contractor shall immediately return to the Board any Confidential Information that the Board reasonably determines has not been adequately protected by the Contractor against unauthorized disclosure.

- C. Unauthorized Use or Disclosure. The Contractor shall notify the Board within five (5) working days of any unauthorized use or disclosure of any confidential information, and shall take necessary steps to mitigate the harmful effects of such use or disclosure.

2.12 CONFORMANCE

If any provision of this contract violates any statute or rule of law of the state of Washington, it is considered modified to conform to that statute or rule of law.

2.13 COPYRIGHT PROVISIONS

Unless otherwise provided, all Materials produced under this Contract shall be considered "works for hire" as defined by the U.S. Copyright Act and shall be owned by the Board. The Board shall be considered the author of such Materials. In the event the Materials are not considered "works for hire" under the U.S. Copyright laws, the Contractor hereby irrevocably assigns all right, title, and interest in all Materials, including all intellectual property rights, moral rights, and rights of publicity to the Board effective from the moment of creation of such Materials.

"Materials" means all items in any format and includes, but is not limited to, data, reports, documents, pamphlets, advertisements, books, magazines, surveys, studies, computer programs, films, tapes, and/or sound reproductions. "Ownership" includes the right to copyright, patent, register and the ability to transfer these rights.

For Materials that are delivered under the Contract, but that incorporate pre-existing materials not produced under the Contract, the Contractor hereby grants to the Board a nonexclusive, royalty-free, irrevocable license (with rights to sublicense to others) in such Materials to translate, reproduce, distribute, prepare derivative works, publicly perform, and publicly display. The Contractor warrants and represents that the Contractor has all rights and permissions, including intellectual property rights, moral rights and rights of publicity, necessary to grant such a license to the Board.

The Contractor shall exert all reasonable effort to advise the Board, at the time of delivery of Materials furnished under this Contract, of all known or potential invasions of privacy contained therein and of any portion of such document which was not produced in the performance of this Contract. The Contractor shall provide the Board with prompt written notice of each notice or claim of infringement received by the Contractor with respect to any Materials delivered under this Contract. The Board shall have the right to modify or remove any restrictive markings placed upon the Materials by the Contractor.

2.14 DISALLOWED COSTS

The Contractor is responsible for any audit exceptions or disallowed costs incurred by its own organization or that of its Subcontractors.

2.15 DISPUTES

Except as otherwise provided in this Contract, when a dispute arises between the parties and it cannot be resolved by direct negotiation, either party may request a dispute hearing with the Chair of the Board, who may designate a neutral person to decide the dispute.

The request for a dispute hearing must:

- be in writing;
- state the disputed issues;
- state the relative positions of the parties;
- state the Contractor's name, address, and Contract number; and
- be mailed to the Chair and the other party's (respondent's) Representative within three (3) working days after the parties agree that they cannot resolve the dispute.

The respondent shall send a written answer to the requestor's statement to both the Chair or the Chair's designee and the requestor within five (5) working days.

2.16 DUPLICATE PAYMENT

The Contractor certifies that work to be performed under this contract does not duplicate any work to be charged against any other contract, subcontract, or other source.

2.17 ETHICS/CONFLICT OF INTEREST

In performing under this Contract, the Contractor shall assure compliance with the Ethics in Public Service Act (Chapter 42.52 RCW) and any other applicable state or federal law related to ethics or conflicts of interest.

2.18 GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE

This Contract shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the state of Washington, and the venue of any action brought hereunder shall be in the Superior Court for Thurston County.

2.19 INDEMNIFICATION

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the state of Washington, the Board, all other agencies of the state and all officers, agents and employees of the state, from and against all claims or damages for injuries to persons or property or death arising out of or incident to the Contractor's performance or failure to perform the Contract. The Contractor's obligation to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless includes any claim by the Contractor's agents, employees, representatives, or any Subcontractor or its agents, employees, or representatives.

The Contractor's obligation to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless shall not be eliminated by any actual or alleged concurrent negligence of the state or its agents, agencies, employees and officers.

Subcontracts shall include a comprehensive indemnification clause holding harmless the Contractor, the Board, the state of Washington, its officers, employees and authorized agents.

The Contractor waives its immunity under Title 51 RCW to the extent it is required to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the state and its agencies, officers, agents or employees.

2.20 INDEPENDENT CAPACITY OF THE CONTRACTOR

The parties intend that an independent contractor relationship will be created by this Contract. The Contractor and its employees or agents performing under this Contract are not employees or agents of the state of Washington or the Board. The Contractor will not hold itself out as or claim to be an officer or employee of the Board or of the state of Washington by reason hereof, nor will the Contractor make any claim of right, privilege or benefit which would accrue to such officer or employee under law. Conduct and control of the work will be solely with the Contractor.

2.21 INDUSTRIAL INSURANCE COVERAGE

The Contractor shall comply with all applicable provisions of Title 51 RCW, Industrial Insurance. If the Contractor fails to provide industrial insurance coverage or fails to pay premiums or penalties on behalf of its employees as may be required by law, the Board may collect from the Contractor the full amount payable to the Industrial Insurance Accident Fund. The Board may deduct the amount owed by the Contractor to the accident fund from the amount payable to the Contractor by the Board under this Contract, and transmit the deducted amount to the Department of Labor and Industries, (L&I) Division of Insurance Services. This provision does not waive any of L&I's rights to collect from the Contractor.

2.22 LAWS

The Contractor shall comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, codes, regulations and policies of local and state and federal governments, as now or hereafter amended including, but not limited to:

Washington State Laws and Regulations

- A. Affirmative action, RCW 41.06.020 (11).
- B. Boards of directors or officers of non-profit corporations – Liability - Limitations, RCW 4.24.264.
- C. Disclosure-campaign finances-lobbying, Chapter 42.17 RCW.
- D. Discrimination-human rights commission, Chapter 49.60 RCW.
- E. Ethics in public service, Chapter 42.52 RCW.
- F. Housing assistance program, Chapter 43.185 RCW
- G. Interlocal cooperation act, Chapter 39.34 RCW.
- H. Noise control, Chapter 70.107 RCW.
- I. Office of minority and women's business enterprises, Chapter 39.19 RCW and Chapter 326-02 WAC.
- J. Open public meetings act, Chapter 42.30 RCW.
- K. Prevailing wages on public works, Chapter 39.12 RCW.
- L. Public records act, Chapter 42.56 RCW.
- M. Relocation assistance - real property acquisition policy, Chapter 8.26 RCW.
- N. Shoreline management act of 1971, Chapter 90.58 RCW.
- O. State budgeting, accounting, and reporting system, Chapter 43.88 RCW.
- P. State building code, Chapter 19.27 RCW and Energy-related building standards, Chapter 19.27A RCW, and Provisions in buildings for aged and handicapped persons, Chapter 70.92 RCW.
- Q. State Coastal Zone Management Program, Publication 01-06-003, Shorelands and Environmental Assistance Program, Washington State Department of Ecology.
- R. State environmental policy, Chapter 43.21C RCW.
- S. State Executive Order 05-05 Archeological and Cultural Resources.

2.23 LICENSING, ACCREDITATION AND REGISTRATION

The Contractor shall comply with all applicable local, state, and federal licensing, accreditation and registration requirements or standards necessary for the performance of this Contract.

2.24 LIMITATION OF AUTHORITY

Only the Authorized Representative or Authorized Representative’s designee by writing (designation to be made prior to action) shall have the express, implied, or apparent authority to alter, amend, modify, or waive any clause or condition of this Contract.

2.25 LOCAL PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION COORDINATION

Where applicable, Contractor shall participate in local public transportation forums and implement strategies designed to ensure access to services.

2.26 NONCOMPLIANCE WITH NONDISCRIMINATION LAWS

During the performance of this Contract, the Contractor shall comply with all federal, state, and local nondiscrimination laws, regulations and policies. In the event of the Contractor’s non-compliance or refusal to comply with any nondiscrimination law, regulation or policy, this contract may be rescinded, canceled or terminated in whole or in part, and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further contracts with the Board. The Contractor shall, however, be given a reasonable time in which to cure this noncompliance. Any dispute may be resolved in accordance with the “Disputes” procedure set forth herein.

2.27 POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

Political activity of Contractor employees and officers are limited by the State Campaign Finances and Lobbying provisions of Chapter 42.17 RCW and the Federal Hatch Act, 5 USC 1501 - 1508.

No funds may be used for working for or against ballot measures or for or against the candidacy of any person for public office.

2.28 PREVAILING WAGE LAW

The Contractor certifies that all contractors and subcontractors performing work on the Project shall comply with state Prevailing Wages on Public Works, Chapter 39.12 RCW, as applicable to the Project funded by this contract, including but not limited to the filing of the “Statement of Intent to Pay Prevailing Wages” and “Affidavit of Wages Paid” as required by RCW 39.12.040. The Contractor shall maintain records sufficient to evidence compliance with Chapter 39.12 RCW, and shall make such records available for the Board’s review upon request.

2.29 PROHIBITION AGAINST PAYMENT OF BONUS OR COMMISSION

The funds provided under this Contract shall not be used in payment of any bonus or commission for the purpose of obtaining approval of the application for such funds or any other approval or concurrence under this Contract provided, however, that reasonable fees or bona fide technical consultant, managerial, or other such services, other than actual solicitation, are not hereby prohibited if otherwise eligible as project costs.

2.30 PUBLICITY

The Contractor agrees not to publish or use any advertising or publicity materials in which the state of Washington or the Board’s name is mentioned, or language used from which the connection with the state of Washington’s or the Board’s name may reasonably be inferred or implied, without the prior written consent of the Board.

2.31 RECAPTURE

In the event that the Contractor fails to perform this contract in accordance with state laws, federal laws, and/or the provisions of this contract, the Board reserves the right to recapture funds in an amount to compensate the Board for the noncompliance in addition to any other remedies available at law or in equity.

Repayment by the Contractor of funds under this recapture provision shall occur within the time period specified by the Board. In the alternative, the Board may recapture such funds from payments due under this contract.

2.32 RECORDS MAINTENANCE

The Contractor shall maintain all books, records, documents, data and other evidence relating to this Contract and performance of the services described herein, including but not limited to accounting procedures and practices which sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of any nature expended in the performance of this Contract. Contractor shall retain such records for a period of six years following the date of final payment.

If any litigation, claim or audit is started before the expiration of the six (6) year period, the records shall be retained until all litigation, claims, or audit findings involving the records have been finally resolved.

2.33 REGISTRATION WITH DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

If required by law, the Contractor shall complete registration with the Washington State Department of Revenue.

2.34 RIGHT OF INSPECTION

At no additional cost all records relating to the Contractor's performance under this Contract shall be subject at all reasonable times to inspection, review, and audit by the Board, the Office of the State Auditor, and federal and state officials so authorized by law, in order to monitor and evaluate performance, compliance, and quality assurance under this Contract. The Contractor shall provide access to its facilities for this purpose.

2.35 SAVINGS

In the event funding from state, federal, or other sources is withdrawn, reduced, or limited in any way after the effective date of this Contract and prior to normal completion, the Board may terminate the Contract under the "Termination for Convenience" clause, without the ten business day notice requirement. In lieu of termination, the Contract may be amended to reflect the new funding limitations and conditions.

2.36 SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Contract or any provision of any document incorporated by reference shall be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions of this Contract that can be given effect without the invalid provision, if such remainder conforms to the requirements of law and the fundamental purpose of this Contract and to this end the provisions of this Contract are declared to be severable.

2.37 SUBCONTRACTING

The Contractor may only subcontract work contemplated under this Contract if it obtains the prior written approval of the Board.

If the Board approves subcontracting, the Contractor shall maintain written procedures related to subcontracting, as well as copies of all subcontracts and records related to subcontracts. For cause, the Board in writing may: (a) require the Contractor to amend its subcontracting procedures as they relate to this Contract; (b) prohibit the Contractor from subcontracting with a particular person or entity; or (c) require the Contractor to rescind or amend a subcontract.

Every subcontract shall bind the Subcontractor to follow all applicable terms of this Contract. The Contractor is responsible to the Board if the Subcontractor fails to comply with any applicable term or

condition of this Contract. The Contractor shall appropriately monitor the activities of the Subcontractor to assure fiscal conditions of this Contract. In no event shall the existence of a subcontract operate to release or reduce the liability of the Contractor to the Board for any breach in the performance of the Contractor's duties.

Every subcontract shall include a term that the Board and the State of Washington are not liable for claims or damages arising from a Subcontractor's performance of the subcontract.

2.38 SURVIVAL

The terms, conditions, and warranties contained in this Contract that by their sense and context are intended to survive the completion of the performance, cancellation or termination of this Contract shall so survive.

2.39 TAXES

All payments accrued on account of payroll taxes, unemployment contributions, the Contractor's income or gross receipts, any other taxes, insurance or expenses for the Contractor or its staff shall be the sole responsibility of the Contractor.

2.40 TERMINATION FOR CAUSE / SUSPENSION

In event the Board determines that the Contractor failed to comply with any term or condition of this Contract, the Board may terminate the Contract in whole or in part upon written notice to the Contractor. Such termination shall be deemed "for cause." Termination shall take effect on the date specified in the notice.

In the alternative, the Board upon written notice may allow the Contractor a specific period of time in which to correct the non-compliance. During the corrective-action time period, the Board may suspend further payment to the Contractor in whole or in part, or may restrict the Contractor's right to perform duties under this Contract. Failure by the Contractor to take timely corrective action shall allow the Board to terminate the Contract upon written notice to the Contractor.

"Termination for Cause" shall be deemed a "Termination for Convenience" when the Board determines that the Contractor did not fail to comply with the terms of the Contract or when the Board determines the failure was not caused by the Contractor's actions or negligence.

If the Contract is terminated for cause, the Contractor shall be liable for damages as authorized by law, including, but not limited to, any cost difference between the original contract and the replacement contract, as well as all costs associated with entering into the replacement contract (i.e., competitive bidding, mailing, advertising, and staff time).

2.41 TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

Except as otherwise provided in this Contract the Board may, by ten (10) business days written notice, beginning on the second day after the mailing, terminate this Contract, in whole or in part. If this Contract is so terminated, the Board shall be liable only for payment required under the terms of this Contract for services rendered or goods delivered prior to the effective date of termination.

2.42 TERMINATION PROCEDURES

After receipt of a notice of termination, except as otherwise directed by the Board, the Contractor shall:

- A.** Stop work under the Contract on the date, and to the extent specified, in the notice;
- B.** Place no further orders or subcontracts for materials, services, or facilities related to the Contract;
- C.** Assign to the State all of the rights, title, and interest of the Contractor under the orders and subcontracts so terminated, in which case the Board has the right, at its discretion, to settle or pay

any or all claims arising out of the termination of such orders and subcontracts. Any attempt by the Contractor to settle such claims must have the prior written approval of the Board; and

- D. Preserve and transfer any materials, contract deliverables and/or the Board property in the Contractor's possession as directed by the Board.

Upon termination of the Contract, the Board shall pay the Contractor for any service provided by the Contractor under the Contract prior to the date of termination. The Board may withhold any amount due as the Board reasonably determines is necessary to protect the Board against potential loss or liability resulting from the termination. The Board shall pay any withheld amount to the Contractor if the Board later determines that loss or liability will not occur.

The rights and remedies of the Board under this section are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided under this Contract or otherwise provided under law.

2.43 WAIVER

Waiver of any default or breach shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any subsequent default or breach. Any waiver shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms of this Contract unless stated to be such in writing and signed by Authorized Representative of the Board.