# **SERVICE PROVIDER AGREEMENT**

THIS SERVICE PROVIDER AGREEMENT ("**Agreement**") is entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2018, by and between CITY OF ALAMEDA, a municipal corporation (the "**City**"), and WITTMAN ENTERPRISES, LLC, whose address is 11093 Sun Center Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 (the "**Provider**"), in reference to the following:

# **RECITALS**:

A. City is a municipal corporation duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the State of California with the power to carry on its business as it is now being conducted under the statutes of the State of California and the Charter of the City.

B. The City is in need of the following services: billing services. City staff piggybacked on the City of Sacramento's competitive bidding process under RFP No. P17121441011 issued on April 28, 2017 and subsequent selection of the service provider.

C. Provider possesses the skill, experience, ability, background, certification and knowledge to provide the services described in this Agreement on the terms and conditions described herein.

D. City and Provider desire to enter into an agreement for billing services for the collection of EMS Billing Fees and Fire False Alarm Fees, upon the terms and conditions herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed by and between the undersigned parties as follows:

# 1. <u>TERM</u>:

The term of this Agreement shall commence on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of September 2018, and shall terminate on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 2019, unless terminated earlier as set forth herein. This Agreement may be mutually extended on a year-by-year basis, for up to four (4) additional years, at the sole discretion of the Fire Chief, based, at a minimum, upon satisfactory performance of all aspects of this Agreement. The Fire Chief may submit written notice that the Agreement is to be extended at the same terms and compensation as the existing Agreement.

# 2. <u>SERVICES TO BE PERFORMED</u>:

Provider agrees to do all necessary work at its own cost and expense, to furnish all labor, tools, equipment, materials, except as otherwise specified, and to do all necessary work included in <u>Exhibit A</u> as requested. The Provider acknowledges that the work plan included in <u>Exhibit A</u> is tentative and does not commit the City to request Provider to perform all tasks included therein.

# 3. <u>COMPENSATION TO PROVIDER</u>:

a. At the end of each month, Provider shall submit to the City an invoice for the total amount of work done the previous month. Pricing and accounting of charges are to be according to the fee schedule as set forth in Section 3b and 3c.

# b. EMS Billing Fees

- a. Percentage of Net Collections minus refunds: 3.99%
- b. Monthly reports: included
- c. Fire False Alarm Billing
  - a. Percentage of Net Collections minus refunds: 8.0%
  - b. Monthly reports: included

d. The compensation for the work under this Agreement is 3.99% of all monies collected by Provider for Emergency Medical Services (EMS) provided by City less refunds and 8.0% of all monies collected by the Provider for Fire False Alarm services provided by the City less refunds, for a total compensation not to exceed \$200,000.

e. Provider invoices unpaid by more than forty-five (45) days are subject to a monthly interest charge of 1.5% unless in dispute.

# 4. <u>TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE</u>:

Provider and City agree that time is of the essence regarding the performance of this Agreement.

# 5. <u>STANDARD OF CARE</u>:

Provider agrees to perform all services hereunder in a manner commensurate with the prevailing standards of like professionals or service providers, as applicable, in the San Francisco Bay Area and agrees that all services shall be performed by qualified and experienced personnel who are not employed by the City.

# 6. <u>INDEPENDENT PARTIES</u>:

Provider hereby declares that Provider is engaged as an independent business and Provider agrees to perform the services as an independent contractor. The manner and means of conducting the services and tasks are under the control of Provider, except to the extent they are limited by statute, rule or regulation and the express terms of this Agreement. No civil service status or other right of employment will be acquired by virtue of Provider's services. None of the benefits provided by City to its employees, including but not limited to unemployment insurance, workers' compensation plans, vacation and sick leave are available from City to Provider, its employees or agents. Deductions shall not be made for any state or federal taxes, FICA payments, PERS payments, or other purposes normally associated with an employer-employee relationship from any compensation due to Provider. Payments of the above items, if required, are the responsibility of Provider.

# 7. <u>IMMIGRATION REFORM AND CONTROL ACT (IRCA)</u>:

Provider assumes any and all responsibility for verifying the identity and employment authorization of all of its employees performing work hereunder, pursuant to all applicable IRCA or other federal, or state rules and regulations. Provider shall indemnify, defend, and hold City harmless from and against any loss, damage, liability, costs or expenses arising from any noncompliance of this provision by Provider.

## 8. <u>NON-DISCRIMINATION</u>:

Consistent with City's policy and state and federal law that harassment and discrimination are unacceptable conduct, Provider agrees that harassment or discrimination directed toward a job applicant, a City employee, or a citizen by Provider or Provider's employee on the basis of race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, handicap, disability, marital status, pregnancy, sex, age, or sexual orientation will not be tolerated. Provider agrees that any and all violations of this provision shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement.

## 9. <u>HOLD HARMLESS</u>:

a. Provider shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City, its City Council, boards, commissions, officials, employees, and volunteers ("**Indemnitees**") from and against any and all loss, damages, liability, claims, suits, costs and expenses whatsoever, including reasonable attorneys' fees ("**Claims**"), arising from or in any manner connected to Provider's negligent act or omission, whether alleged or actual, regarding performance of services or work conducted or performed pursuant to this Agreement. However, Provider shall not be obligated to indemnify Indemnitees from Claims arising from the sole negligence or willful misconduct of Indemnitees, whether alleged or actual.

b. **Indemnification for Claims for Professional Liability Only:** As to Claims for professional liability only, Provider's obligation to defend Indemnitees (as set forth above) is limited as provided in California Civil Code Section 2782.8.

c. Provider's obligation to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Indemnities shall expressly survive the expiration or early termination of this Agreement.

# 10. **INSURANCE**:

a. On or before the commencement of the terms of this Agreement, Provider shall furnish the City's Risk Manager with certificates showing the type, amount, class of operations covered, effective dates and dates of expiration of insurance coverage in compliance with subsections 10A, B, C and D. Such certificates, which do not limit Provider's indemnification, shall also contain substantially the following statement:

"Should any of the above insurance covered by this certificate be canceled or coverage reduced before the expiration date thereof, the insurer affording coverage shall provide ten (10) days' advance written notice to the City of Alameda. Attention: Risk Manager."

b. It is agreed that Provider shall maintain in force at all times during the performance of this Agreement all appropriate coverage of insurance required by this Agreement with an insurance company that is acceptable to City and licensed to do insurance business in the State of California. Endorsements naming the City, its City Council, boards, commissions,

officials, employees, and volunteers as additional insured shall be submitted with the insurance certificates.

A. <u>COVERAGE</u>:

Provider shall maintain the following insurance coverage:

(1) <u>Workers' Compensation</u>:

Statutory coverage as required by the State of California.

(2) <u>Liability</u>:

Commercial general liability coverage in the following minimum limits:

Bodily Injury:	\$1,000,000 each occurrence \$2,000,000 aggregate - all other
Property Damage:	\$1,000,000 each occurrence \$2,000,000 aggregate

If submitted, combined single limit policy with aggregate limits in the amounts of \$2,000,000 will be considered equivalent to the required minimum limits shown above.

(3) <u>Automotive:</u>

Comprehensive automobile liability coverage (any auto) in the following minimum limits:

Bodily injury: Property Damage:	\$1,000,000 each occurrence \$1,000,000 each occurrence
or	
Combined Single Limit:	\$2,000,000 each occurrence

(4) <u>Professional Liability</u>:

Professional liability insurance which includes coverage for the professional acts, errors and omissions of Provider in the following minimum limits:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence

#### B. <u>SUBROGATION WAIVER</u>:

Provider agrees that in the event of loss due to any of the perils for which it has agreed to provide comprehensive general and automotive liability insurance, Provider shall look solely to its insurance for recovery. Provider hereby grants to City, on behalf of any insurer providing comprehensive general and automotive liability insurance to either Provider or City with respect to the services of Provider herein, a waiver of any right to subrogation which any such insurer of said Provider may acquire against City by virtue of the payment of any loss under such insurance.

## C. <u>FAILURE TO SECURE</u>:

If Provider at any time during the term hereof should fail to secure or maintain the foregoing insurance, City shall be permitted to obtain such insurance in the Provider's name or as an agent of the Provider and shall be compensated by the Provider for the costs of the insurance premiums at the maximum rate permitted by law and computed from the date written notice is received that the premiums have not been paid.

#### D. <u>ADDITIONAL INSURED</u>:

City, its City Council, boards, commissions, officials, employees, and volunteers shall be named as an additional insured under all insurance coverages, except worker's compensation and professional liability insurance. The naming of an additional insured shall not affect any recovery to which such additional insured would be entitled under this policy if not named as such additional insured. An additional insured named herein shall not be held liable for any premium, deductible portion of any loss, or expense of any nature on this policy or any extension thereof. Any other insurance held by an additional insured shall not be required to contribute anything toward any loss or expense covered by the insurance provided by this policy.

#### E. <u>SUFFICIENCY OF INSURANCE:</u>

The insurance limits required by City are not represented as being sufficient to protect Provider. Provider is advised to consult Provider's insurance broker to determine adequate coverage for Provider.

#### 11. <u>CONFLICT OF INTEREST</u>:

Provider warrants that it is not a conflict of interest for Provider to perform the services required by this Agreement. Provider may be required to fill out a conflict of interest form if the services provided under this Agreement requires Provider to make certain governmental decisions or serve in a staff capacity as defined in Title 2, Division 6, Section 18700 of the California Code of Regulations.

#### 12. **PROHIBITION AGAINST TRANSFERS**:

a. Provider shall not assign, sublease, hypothecate, or transfer this Agreement, or any interest therein, directly or indirectly, by operation of law or otherwise, without prior written consent of the City Manager. Provider shall submit a written request for consent to transfer to the City Manager at least thirty (30) days in advance of the desired transfer. The City Manager may consent or reject such request in his/her sole and absolute discretion. Any attempt to do so without said consent shall be null and void, and any assignee, sublessee, hypothecate or transferee shall acquire no right or interest by reason of such attempted assignment, hypothecation or transfer. However, claims for money against the City under this Agreement may be assigned by Provider to a bank, trust company or other financial institution without prior written consent.

b. The sale, assignment, transfer or other disposition of any of the issued and outstanding capital stock of Provider, or of the interest of any general partner or joint venturer or syndicate member or cotenant, if Provider is a partnership or joint venture or syndicate or cotenancy, which shall result in changing the control of Provider, shall be construed as an

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assignment of this Agreement. Control means fifty percent or more of the voting power of the corporation.

## 13. <u>APPROVAL OF SUB-PROVIDERS</u>:

a. Only those persons and/or businesses whose names and resumes are attached to this Agreement shall be used in the performance of this Agreement. However, if after the start of this Agreement, Provider wishes to use sub-providers, at no additional costs to the City, then Provider shall submit a written request for consent to add sub-providers including the names of the sub-providers and the reasons for the request to the City Manager at least five (5) days in advance. The City Manager may consent or reject such requests in his/her sole and absolute discretion.

b. Each sub-provider shall be required to furnish proof of workers' compensation insurance and shall also be required to carry general, automobile and professional liability insurance (as applicable) in reasonable conformity to the insurance carried by the Provider. In addition, any tasks or services performed by sub-providers shall be subject to each provision of this Agreement.

c. The requirements in this Section 13 shall <u>not</u> apply to persons who are merely providing materials, supplies, data or information which the Provider then analyzes and incorporates into its work product.

## 14. <u>PERMITS AND LICENSES</u>:

Provider, at its sole expense, shall obtain and maintain during the term of this Agreement, all appropriate permits, certificates and licenses, including a City Business License that may be required in connection with the performance of the services and tasks hereunder.

## 15. <u>REPORTS</u>:

a. Each and every report, draft, work product, map, record and other document produced, prepared or caused to be prepared by Provider pursuant to or in connection with this Agreement shall be the exclusive property of City.

b. No report, information or other data given to or prepared or assembled by Provider pursuant to this Agreement shall be made available to any individual or organization by Provider without prior approval of the City Manager or his/her designee.

c. Provider shall, at such time and in such form as City Manager or his/her designee may require, furnish reports concerning the status of services and tasks required under this Agreement.

## 16. <u>RECORDS</u>:

a. Provider shall maintain complete and accurate records with respect to the services, tasks, work, documents and data in sufficient detail to permit an evaluation of the Provider's performance under the Agreement, as well as maintain books and records related to sales, costs, expenses, receipts and other such information required by City that relate to the performance of the services and tasks under this Agreement (collectively the "**Records**").

b. All Records shall be maintained in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and shall be clearly identified and readily accessible. Provider shall provide free access to the Records to the representatives of City or its designees during regular business hours upon reasonable prior notice. The City has the right to examine and audit the Records, and to make copies or transcripts therefrom as necessary, and to allow inspection of all proceedings and activities related to this Agreement. Such Records, together with supporting documents, shall be kept separate from other documents and records and shall be maintained by Provider for a period of three (3) years after receipt of final payment.

c. If supplemental examination or audit of the Records is necessary due to concerns raised by City's preliminary examination or audit of records, and the City's supplemental examination or audit of the records discloses a failure to adhere to appropriate internal financial controls, or other breach of this Agreement or failure to act in good faith, then Provider shall reimburse the City for all reasonable costs and expenses associated with the supplemental examination or audit.

## 17. <u>NOTICES</u>:

a. All notices shall be in writing and delivered: (i) by hand; or (ii) sent by registered, express, or certified mail, with return receipt requested or with delivery confirmation requested from the U.S. postal service; or (iii) sent by overnight or same day courier service at the party's respective address listed in this Section.

b. Each notice shall be deemed to have been received on the earlier to occur of: (x) actual delivery or the date on which delivery is refused; or (y) three (3) days after notice is deposited in the U.S. mail or with a courier service in the manner described above (Sundays and City holidays excepted).

c. Either party may, at any time, change its notice address (other than to a post office box address) by giving the other party three (3) days prior written notice of the new address.

d. All notices, demands, requests, or approvals from Provider to City shall be addressed to City at:

City of Alameda Fire Department 1300 Park Street Alameda, CA 94501 ATTENTION: Edmond Rodriguez, Fire Chief Ph: (510) 337-2100 / Fax: (510) 521-7851

e. All notices, demands, requests, or approvals from City to Provider shall be addressed to Provider at:

Wittman Enterprises, LLC 11093 Sun Center Drive Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 ATTENTION: Corinne Wittman-Wong, CEO

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Ph: (916) 669-4621 / Fax: (916)471-5108 Email: cwittmanwong@webillems.com

Copy to: Signature Law Group 3400 Bradshaw Road, Ste. A-4A Sacramento, CA 95827 ATTENTION: Jon Riese, Esquire Ph: (916) 290-7616

## **18. SAFETY:**

a. The Provider will be solely and completely responsible for conditions of all vehicles owned or operated by Provider, including the safety of all persons and property during performance of the services and tasks under this Agreement. This requirement will apply continuously and not be limited to normal working hours. In addition, Provider will comply with all safety provisions in conformance with U.S. Department of Labor Occupational Safety and Health Act, any equivalent state law, and all other applicable federal, state, county and local laws, ordinances, codes, and any regulations that may be detailed in other parts of the Agreement. Where any of these are in conflict, the more stringent requirements will be followed. The Provider's failure to thoroughly familiarize itself with the aforementioned safety provisions will not relieve it from compliance with the obligations and penalties set forth herein.

## 19. <u>TERMINATION</u>:

a. In the event Provider fails or refuses to perform any of the provisions hereof at the time and in the manner required hereunder, Provider shall be deemed in default in the performance of this Agreement. If such default is not cured within thirty (30) business days after receipt by Provider from City of written notice of default, specifying the nature of such default and the steps necessary to cure such default; City may thereafter immediately terminate the Agreement forthwith by giving to the Provider written notice thereof.

b. The foregoing notwithstanding, City shall have the option, at its sole discretion and without cause, of terminating this Agreement by giving thirty (30) days' prior written notice to Provider as provided herein.

c. Upon termination of this Agreement either for cause or for convenience, each party shall pay to the other party that portion of compensation specified in this Agreement that is earned and unpaid prior to the effective date of termination. The obligation of the parties under this Section 19.c. shall survive the expiration or early termination of this Agreement.

## 20. <u>ATTORNEY'S FEES</u>:

a. Parties agree to attempt to mediate any dispute arising from this agreement prior to initiating litigation

b. In the event of the bringing of any action or suit by a party hereto against the other party by reason of any breach of any covenants, conditions, obligation or provision arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the non-prevailing

party all of its costs and expenses of the action or suit, including reasonable attorneys' fees, experts' fees, all court costs and other costs of action incurred by the prevailing party in connection with the prosecution or defense of such action and enforcing or establishing its rights hereunder (whether or not such action is prosecuted to a judgment). For the purposes of this Agreement, reasonable fees of attorneys of the Alameda City Attorney shall be based on the fees regularly charged by private attorneys with the equivalent number of years of experience in the subject matter area of the law for which the Alameda City Attorney's services were rendered who practice in Alameda County in law firms with approximately the same number of attorneys as employed by the Alameda City Attorney's Office.

#### 21. <u>COMPLIANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE LAWS</u>:

During the Term of this Agreement, Provider shall keep fully informed of all existing and future state and federal laws and all municipal ordinances and regulations of the City of Alameda which affect the manner in which the services or tasks are to be performed by the Provider, as well as all such orders and decrees of bodies or tribunals having any jurisdiction or authority over the same. Provider shall comply with all applicable laws, state and federal and all ordinances, rules and regulations enacted or issued by City.

## 22. <u>CONFLICT OF LAW</u>:

This Agreement shall be interpreted under, and enforced by the laws of the State of California without regard to any choice of law rules which may direct the application of laws of another jurisdiction. The Agreement and obligations of the parties are subject to all valid laws, orders, rules, and regulations of the authorities having jurisdiction over this Agreement (or the successors of those authorities.) Any suits brought pursuant to this Agreement shall be filed with the courts of the County of Alameda, State of California.

## 23. <u>WAIVER</u>:

A waiver by City of any breach of any term, covenant, or condition contained herein shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any subsequent breach of the same or any other term, covenant, or condition contained herein, whether of the same or a different character.

## 24. <u>INTEGRATED CONTRACT</u>:

The Recitals and Exhibits are a material part of this Agreement and are expressly incorporated herein. This Agreement represents the full and complete understanding of every kind or nature whatsoever between the parties hereto, and all preliminary negotiations and agreements of whatsoever kind or nature are merged herein. No verbal agreement or implied covenant shall be held to vary the provisions hereof. Any modification of this Agreement will be effective only by written execution signed by both City and Provider.

## 25. <u>CAPTIONS</u>:

The captions in this Agreement are for convenience only, are not a part of the Agreement and in no way affect, limit or amplify the terms or provisions of this Agreement.

## 26. <u>NONDISCRIMINATION – FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS</u>:

a. Provider certifies and agrees that it will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, age, or condition or physical or mental handicap (as defined in 41 C.F.R. Section 60-741, et. seq.), in accordance with requirement of state or federal law. Provider shall take affirmative action to ensure that qualified applicants are employed and that employees are treated during employment without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, age, or condition of physical or mental handicap in accordance with requirements of state and federal law. Such shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

A. Employment upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation.

B. Selection for training, including interns and apprentices.

(i) Provider agrees to post in conspicuous places in each of Provider's facilities providing services hereunder, available and open to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

(ii) Provider shall, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of Provider, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, age, or condition of physical or mental handicap, in accordance with requirements of state and federal law.

(iii) Provider shall send to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding a notice advising the labor union or workers' representative of Provider's commitments under this paragraph.

(iv) Provider certifies and agrees that it will deal with its subcontractors, bidders, or vendors without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, age, or condition of physical or mental handicap, in accordance with requirement of state and federal law.

(v) In accordance with applicable state and federal law, Provider shall allow duly authorized county, state and federal representatives access to its employment records during regular business hours in order to verify compliance with the anti-discrimination provisions of this paragraph. Provider shall provide such other information and records as such representatives may require in order to verify compliance with the anti-discrimination provisions of this paragraph.

b. If the City finds that any of the provisions of this paragraph have been violated, the same shall constitute a material breach of Agreement upon which City may determine to cancel, terminate, or suspend this Agreement. City reserves the right to determine independently that the anti-discrimination provisions of this Agreement have been violated. In addition, a determination by the California Fair Employment Practices Commission or the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission that Provider has violated state and federal antidiscrimination laws shall constitute a finding by City that Provider has violated the antidiscrimination provisions of Agreement.

c. The parties agree that in the event Provider violates any of the anti-discrimination provisions of this paragraph, City shall be entitled, at its option, to the sum of \$500.00 pursuant to California Civil Code Section 1671 as liquidated damages in lieu of canceling, terminating, or suspending this Agreement.

d. Provider hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. Section 794), all requirements imposed by the applicable regulations (45 C.F.R.), and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto, to the end that no qualified handicapped person shall, on the basis of handicap, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity of Provider receiving Federal Financial Assistance. In addition, Provider shall comply with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards, and Provider, Engineer, or Architect responsible for any design, construction or alteration shall certify compliance with those Standards.

e. Provider's attention is directed to laws, including but not limited to:

## A. CIVIL RIGHTS/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

(i) Civil Rights Act of 1964. Under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, no person shall, on the grounds of race, sex, religion, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance.

(ii) Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. No person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity funded in whole or in part with funds made available under this title.

(iii) Section 109 of the Act further provides that any prohibition against discrimination on the basis of age under the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.) or with respect to an otherwise qualified handicapped individual as provided in Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 794) shall also apply to any program or activity funded in whole or in part with funds made available pursuant to the Act.

# B. PROGRAM ACCESSIBILITY FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES

This Agreement is subject to laws and regulations concerning the rights of otherwise qualified individuals with handicaps for equal participation in, and benefit from federally assisted programs and activities, including but not limited to:

(i) Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) (28 C.F.R. 35). Title II, Subpart A of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 applies to all publicly funded activities and programs. Provider shall also comply with the public accommodations requirements of Title III of the ADA, as applicable.

(ii) Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicap (24 CFR 8). These regulations, which implement Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and as cited in Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act, apply to all federally assisted activities and programs and are implemented through the regulations at 24 C.F.R. 8.

(iii) Architectural Barrier Act of 1968. Any building or facility, excluding privately owned residential structures, designed, constructed, or altered with federal funds, shall comply with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards, 1984 (41 C.F.R. 3) and the Handicapped Accessibility Requirements of the State of California Title 24. The Consultant, Engineer or Architect responsible for such design, construction or alteration shall certify compliance with the above standards.

(iv) In resolving any conflict between the accessibility standards cited in paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) above, the more stringent standard shall apply.

## 27. <u>NONDISCRIMINATION – HUD REQUIREMENTS</u>:

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b. If the City finds that any of the provisions of this paragraph have been violated, the same shall constitute a material breach of Agreement upon which City may determine to cancel, terminate, or suspend this Agreement. City reserves the right to determine independently that the anti-discrimination provisions of this Agreement have been violated. In addition, a determination by the California Fair Employment Practices Commission or the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission that Provider has violated state and federal anti-discrimination laws shall constitute a finding by City that Provider has violated the anti-discrimination provisions of this Agreement.

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### B. EMPLOYMENT AND CONTRACTING OPPORTUNITIES

(i) <u>Section 3</u>. The work to be performed under this Agreement is on a project assisted under a program providing direct Federal financial assistance from the Department of Housing and Urban Development Department and is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. 1701u. Section 3 requires that to the greatest extent feasible, opportunities for training and employment be given to lower income residents of the area of the Section 3 covered project, and contracts for work in connection with the project be awarded to business concerns which are located in, or owned in substantial part by persons residing in the area of the Section 3 covered project.

(ii) The parties to this Agreement will comply with the provisions of said Section 3 and the regulations issued pursuant thereto by the Secretary of the Housing and Urban Development set forth in 24 Part C.F.R. 135, and all applicable rules and orders of the Department issued thereunder prior to the execution of this Agreement. The parties to this Agreement certify and agree that they are under no contractual or other disability which would prevent them from complying with these requirements.

(iii) Provider will send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, if any, a notice advising the said labor organization or workers' representative of its commitments under this Section 3 clause and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment or training.

(iv) Provider will include this Section 3 clause in every subcontract for work in connection with the project and will, at the direction of the applicant for or recipient of Federal financial assistance, take appropriate action pursuant to the subcontract upon a finding that the subcontractor is in violation of regulations issued by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, 24 C.F.R. Part 135. Provider will not subcontract with any subcontractor where it has notice or knowledge that the latter has been found in violation of regulations under 24 C.F.R. part 135 and will not let any subcontract unless the subcontractor has first provided it with a preliminary statement of ability to comply with the requirements of these regulations.

(v) Compliance with the provisions of Section 3, the regulations set forth in 24 C.F.R. Part 135, and all applicable rules and orders of the Department issued

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thereunder prior to the execution of the Agreement, is a condition of the Federal financial assistance provided to the project, binding upon the applicant or recipient, its contractors and subcontractors, its successors, and assigns to those sanctions specified by the grant or loan agreement or contract through which Federal assistance is provided, and to such sanctions as are specified by 24 C.F.R. Part 135.

# C. PROGRAM ACCESSIBILITY FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES

This Agreement is subject to laws and regulations concerning the rights of otherwise qualified individuals with handicaps for equal participation in, and benefit from federally assisted programs and activities including but not limited to:

(i) Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) (28 C.F.R. 35). Title II, Subpart A of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 applies to all publicly funded activities and programs. Provider shall also comply with the public accommodations requirements of Title III of the ADA, as applicable.

(ii) Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicap (24 C.F.R. 8). These regulations, which implement Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and as cited in Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act, apply to all federally assisted activities and programs and are implemented through the regulations at 24 C.F.R. 8.

(iii) Architectural Barrier Act of 1968. Any building or facility, excluding privately owned residential structures, designed, constructed, or altered with federal funds, shall comply with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards, 1984 (41 C.F.R. 3) and the Handicapped Accessibility Requirements of the State of California Title 24. The Consultant, Engineer or Architect responsible for such design, construction or alteration shall certify compliance with the above standards.

(iv) In resolving any conflict between the accessibility standards cited in paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) above, the more stringent standard shall apply.

#### 28. **RESTRICTIONS ON LOBBYING – FEDERAL REQUIREMENT:**

This Agreement is subject to 24 C.F.R. 87 which prohibits the payment of Federal funds to any person for influencing or attempting to influence, any public officer or employee in connection with the award, making, entering into, extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or agreement.

#### Signatures on next page

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused the Agreement to be executed on the day and year first above written.

## WITTMAN ENTERPRISES, LLC

CITY OF ALAMEDA A Municipal Corporation

ran-la Corinne Wittman-Wong CEO

Elizabeth D. Warmerdam Acting City Manager

## RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL

FOR

Edmond Rodriguez Fire Chief

APPROVED AS TO FORM: City Attorney

Alan Cohen Assistant City Attorney

#### Exhibit A: Scope of Services

## A. Provider shall will perform services as set forth in this section.

#### 1. Private Billing

Provider to prepare all invoices and follow-up mailings. Initial invoicing with both English and Spanish instructions will be on 8 x 11 billings and will be placed in envelopes, sealed and mailed, postage prepaid. Initial invoicing occurs within four (4) days of receipt of transport tickets. The Patient may also have the option to receive billing electronically. A toll free 800-like telephone number will be provided to patients. An initial telephone call will also be made at this time to elicit any insurance information from the patient or patient's family. If they receive no answer on this call, Provider will send an inquiry letter in addition to the initial invoice. The standard bill schedule is as follows:

Private Bill Schedule

Invoice	Immediately
Statement	30 days
Past Due	20 days
Final Demand	10 days
	Statement Past Due

2. Medicare and Medicaid

Provider will prepare all invoices and electronically convey to Medicare and Medicaid fiscal intermediaries within seven (7) days of receipt patient documentation.

All secondary and coinsurance billing will be transferred immediately to the appropriate secondary pay source and billed within 24 hours to that source.

3. Workers' Compensation and Private Insurance

Provider to bill private insurance, supplemental insurance, secondary insurance and Workers' Compensation billed according to specific requirements. Electronic billing of insurance companies is performed where appropriate. Any correspondence for additional information or follow up necessary to secure insurance payments will be performed by Provider.

4. Delinquent Claim Handling

Telephone follow up at a minimum of 3 calls will continue to the patient until payment in full is received, acceptable payment arrangements are established or account is returned to the City for collection or other handling. Provider will provide City a report listing all accounts that have been inactive for six (6) months in a format specified by City.

5. Receipts Processing

Provider will accept payments in the form of cash, check, money order, cashier's check or credit card. All cash receipts will be deposited and posted within one (1) day of receipt of funds. All funds will be deposited into a City-designated bank account. Bank deposit receipts will be sent electronically to City. Provider shall have no access to the proceeds of the receipts. All funds are under the exclusive control of City.

All credit card fees incurred through payment processing will be the responsibility of the City. A credit card processor/merchant account will be designated and set up by City.

#### 6. Refunds

Provider will research and verify all overpayments. If a refund is required, Provider will submit electronically all supporting documentation to City upon completion of research. City will issue payment directly to specified party and will send an electronic copy to Provider, to be posted to the Patients account within 24 hours.

7. Reports

Monthly, Provider will perform accurate month end close procedures that will result, as a minimum, in the following reports:

- o Monthly Ticket Survey
- o Monthly Sales Journal
- o Monthly Cash Receipts Journal
- o Monthly Receivables Aging
- o Management A/R Analysis
- o Statistical Reports customized to client needs

Such reports will be available to City on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the date of service, or ten (10) business days after the final submission of patient care records from the previous month

8. Source Documents

Provider will retain in electronic format all source documents including attachments for six (6) years from the date of the reported incident. When service contracted is terminated, all source documents are returned to City in an electronic format at City's expense.

### 9. Training

Provider will provide annual revenue enhancement training for EMS and financial staff. This includes four (4) hours of teleconference, webinar or Skype-facilitated training for City general staff and six (6) hours for EMS management. Additional training as requested by City at a contract rate of \$85.00 per instructional hour. Additional onsite training as requested by City at a contract rate of \$100.00 per hour plus travel expenses.

#### 10. Sub-Consulting Partners

Provider is responsible for conducting all billing and collection work on behalf of City and incorporates the following administrative sub-consultants as part of the process:

- a. InfoSend (Anaheim, CA): Invoicing and mailings exchanged through a secured and HIPAA-compliant method and fully executed Business Associate Agreements.
- b. Technosoft (Southfield, MI): Pre-billing and pre-cash receipt posting data processing exchanged through a secured and HIPAA-compliant method and fully executed Business Associate Agreements.
- c. Change Healthcare (Nashville, TN): Electronic insurance eligibility checker.

#### **B. Provider Service and Responsibilities**

Provider shall perform the following services for City.

- a. Screen, prepare, and submit claims to any and all payors including but not necessarily limited to individual persons, Medicare intermediaries, insurance carriers, companies, government and quasi-government agencies and any other source of pay for ambulance.
- b. Track and trace all claims submitted,
- c. Resubmit or otherwise resolve denied or disallowed claims,
- d. Retain all source documents for 72 months,
- e. Provide adequate precautions to protect confidentiality of patient records in accordance with applicable state and federal law.
- f. Timely submit claims, predicated upon normal working conditions and subject to adjustment at any time in the event of any cause or causes beyond the control of Provider.
- g. Conduct all contact and correspondence with beneficiaries or responsible parties.

#### C. City Responsibilities

City shall have the following responsibilities to Provider.

- a. Give Provider the proper documentation necessary to prepare claims and reach final adjudication,
- b. Give Provider any correspondence from the fiscal intermediaries, insurance, attorneys, patients in order for Provider to perform proper follow up of outstanding billings and proper posting and tracking of accounts receivable.
- c. Obtain patient signature or patient representative signature on trip ticket, or indicate why unable to obtain signature.

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LIABILITY EXTENSION ENDORSEMENT

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

#### BUSINESSOWNERS LIABILITY COVERAGE FORM BUSINESSOWNERS COMMON POLICY CONDITIONS

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Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured any person or organization (referred to below as vendor) with whom you agreed under a "written contract" to provide insurance, but only with respect to "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of "your products" which are distributed or sold in the regular course of the vendor's business, subject to the following additional exclusions:

- 1. The insurance afforded the vendor does not apply to:
  - a. "Bodily injury" or "property damage" for which the vendor is obligated to pay damages by reason of the assumption of liability in a contract or agreement. This exclusion does not apply to liability for damages that the vendor would have in the absence of the contract or agreement;

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- b. Any express warranty unauthorized by you;
- c. Any physical or chemical change in the product made intentionally by the vendor;
- d. Repackaging, except when unpacked solely for the purpose of inspection, demonstration, testing, or the substitution of parts under instructions from the manufacturer, and then repackaged in the original container;

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- e. Any failure to make such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as the vendor has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products;
- f. Demonstration, installation, servicing or repair operations, except such operations performed at the vendor's premises in connection with the sale of the product;
- **g.** Products which, after distribution or sale by you, have been labeled or relabeled or used as a container, part or ingredient of any other thing or substance by or for the vendor; or
- h. "Bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of the sole negligence of the vendor for its own acts or omissions or those of its employees or anyone else acting on its behalf. However, this exclusion does not apply to:
  - (1) The exceptions contained in Subparagraphs d. or f.; or
  - (2) Such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as the vendor has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products.
- 2. This insurance does not apply to any insured person or organization, from whom you have acquired such products, or any ingredient, part or container, entering into, accompanying or containing such products.
- 3. This provision 2. does not apply to any vendor included as an insured by an endorsement issued by us and made a part of this Policy.
- 4. This provision 2. does not apply if "bodily injury" or "property damage" included within the "productscompleted operations hazard" is excluded either by the provisions of the Policy or by endorsement.

#### **B. MISCELLANEOUS ADDITIONAL INSUREDS**

- 1. Who is An insured is amended to include as an insured any person or organization (called additional insured) described in paragraphs 3.a. through 3.j. below whom you are required to add as an additional insured on this policy under a "written contract.":
- 2. However, subject always to the terms and conditions of this policy, including the limits of insurance, we will not provide the additional insured with:
  - a. A higher limit of insurance than required by such "written contract";
  - **b.** Coverage broader than required by such "written contract" and in no event greater than that described by the applicable paragraph a. through k. below; or
  - c. Coverage for "bodily injury" or "property damage" included within the "products-completed operations hazard." But this paragraph c. does not apply to the extent coverage for such liability is provided by paragraph 3.j. below.

Any coverage granted by this endorsement shall apply only to the extent permitted by law.

- 3. Only the following persons or organizations can qualify as additional insureds under this endorsement:
  - a. Controlling Interest

Any persons or organizations with a controlling interest in you but only with respect to their liability arising out of:

- (1) such person or organization's financial control of you; or
- (2) Premises such person or organization owns, maintains or controls while you lease or occupy these premises;

provided that the coverage granted to such additional insureds does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by or for such additional insured.

#### b. Co-owner of Insured Premises

A co-owner of a premises co-owned by you and covered under this insurance but only with respect to the co-owners liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" as co-owner of such premises.

#### c. Grantor of Franchise

Any person or organization that has granted a franchise to you, but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for "bodily injury", "property damage", or "personal and advertising injury" as grantor of a franchise to you.

#### d. Lessor of Equipment

Any person or organization from whom you lease equipment, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused in whole or in part by your maintenance, operation or use of such equipment, provided that the "occurrence" giving rise to such "bodily injury" or "property damage" or the offense giving rise to such "personal and advertising injury" takes place prior to the termination of such lease.

#### e. Lessor of Land

Any person or organization from whom you lease land, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of that specific part of the land leased to you, provided that the "occurrence" giving rise to such "bodily injury" or "property damage" or the offense giving rise to such "personal and advertising injury", takes place prior to the termination of such lease. The insurance hereby afforded to the additional insured does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of or for such additional insured.

#### f. Lessor of Premises

An owner or lessor of premises leased to you, or such owner or lessor's real estate manager, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of such part of the premises leased to you, and provided that the "occurrence" giving rise to such "bodily injury" or "property damage" or the offense giving rise to such "bodily injury" or "property damage" or the offense giving rise to such "personal and advertising injury", takes place prior to the termination of such lease. The insurance hereby afforded to the additional insured does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of or for such additional insured.

#### g. Mortgagee, Assignee or Receiver

A mortgagee, assignee or receiver of premises but only with respect to such mortgagee, assignee, or receiver's liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use of a premises by you.

This insurance does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of or for such additional insured.

#### h. State or Political Subdivisions

A state or government agency or subdivision or political subdivision that has issued a permit or authorization, but only with respect to such government agency or subdivision or political subdivision's liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of:

- (1) The following hazards in connection with premises you own, rent, or control and to which this insurance applies:
  - (a) The existence, maintenance, repair, construction, erection, or removal of advertising signs, awnings, canopies, cellar entrances, coal holes, driveways, manholes, marquees, hoistaway openings, sidewalk vaults, street banners, or decorations and similar exposures; or
  - (b) The construction, erection, or removal of elevators; or
  - (c) The ownership, maintenance or use of any elevators covered by this insurance; or

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- (2) The permitted or authorized operations performed by you or on your behalf. But the coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to:
  - (a) "Bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of operations performed for the state or government agency or subdivision or political subdivision; or
  - (b) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" included within the "products-completed operations hazard."

With respect to this provision's requirement that additional insured status must be requested under a "written contract", we will treat as a "written contract" any governmental permit that requires you to add the governmental entity as an additional insured.

#### i. Trade Show Event Lessor

With respect to your participation in a trade show event as an exhibitor, presenter or displayer, any person or organization .whom you are required to include as an additional insured, but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for "bodily injury", "property damage", or "personal and advertising injury" cause by:

- a. Your acts or omissions; or
- b. Acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf;

in the performance of your ongoing operations at the trade show premises during the trade show event.

#### j. Other Person or Organization

Any person or organization who is not an additional insured under paragraphs **a.** through **i.** above. Such additional insured is an insured solely for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" for which such additional insured is liable because of your acts or omissions.

The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to any person or organization:

- (1) For "bodily injury," "property damage," or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the rendering or failure to render any professional services;
- (2) For "bodily injury" or "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard." But this provision (2) does not apply to such "bodily injury" or "property damage" if:
  - (a) It is entirely due to your negligence and specifically results from your work for the additional insured which is the subject to the "written contract"; and
  - (b) The "written contract" requires you to make the person or organization an additional insured for such "bodily injury" or "property damage"; or
- (3) Who is afforded additional insured coverage under another endorsement attached to this policy.

#### C. ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS PERTINENT TO ADDITIONAL INSURED COVERAGE

With respect only to additional insured coverage provided under paragraphs A. and B. above:

1. The BUSINESSOWNERS COMMON POLICY CONDITIONS are amended to add the following to the Condition entitled Other Insurance:

This insurance is excess of all other insurance available to an additional insured whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis. However, if a "written contract" requires that this insurance be either primary or primary and noncontributing, then this insurance will be primary and non-contributory relative solely to insurance on which the additional insured is a named insured.

2. Under Liability and Medical Expense Definitions, the following definition is added:

"Written contract" means a written contract or agreement that requires you to make a person or organization an additional insured on this policy, provided the contract or agreement:

- a. Is currently in effect or becomes effective during the term of this policy; and
- **b.** Was executed prior to:



- (1) The "bodily injury" or "property damage"; or
- (2) The offense that caused the "personal and advertising injury";

for which the additional insured seeks coverage.

#### **II. LIABILITY EXTENSION COVERAGES**

It is understood and agreed that this endorsement amends the **Businessowners Liability Coverage Form**. If any other endorsement attached to this policy amends any provision also amended by this endorsement, then that other endorsement controls with respect to such provision, and the changes made by this endorsement to such provision do not apply.

#### A. Bodily Injury – Expanded Definition

Under Liability and Medical Expenses Definitions, the definition of "Bodily injury" is deleted and replaced by the following:

"Bodily injury" means physical injury, sickness or disease sustained by a person, including death, humiliation, shock, mental anguish or mental injury by that person at any time which results as a consequence of the physical injury, sickness or disease.

#### B. Broad Knowledge of Occurrence

Under Businessowners Liability Conditions, the Condition entitled Duties In The Event of Occurrence, Offense, Claim or Suit is amended to add the following:

Paragraphs a. and b. above apply to you or to any additional insured only when such "occurrence," offense, claim or "suit" is known to:

- (1) You or any additional insured that is an individual;
- (2) Any partner, if you or an additional insured is a partnership;
- (3) Any manager, if you or an additional insured is a limited liability company;
- (4) Any "executive officer" or insurance manager, if you or an additional insured is a corporation;
- (5) Any trustee, if you or an additional insured is a trust; or
- (6) Any elected or appointed official, if you or an additional insured is a political subdivision or public entity.

This paragraph applies separately to you and any additional insured.

#### C. Estates, Legal Representatives and Spouses

The estates, heirs, legal representatives and spouses of any natural person insured shall also be insured under this policy; provided, however, coverage is afforded to such estates, heirs, legal representatives and spouses only for claims arising solely out of their capacity as such and, in the case of a spouse, where such claim seeks damages from marital common property, jointly held property, or property transferred from such natural person insured to such spouse. No coverage is provided for any act, error or omission of an estate, heir, legal representative or spouse outside the scope of such person's capacity as such, provided however that the spouse of a natural person Named Insured and the spouses of members or partners of joint venture or partnership Named Insureds are insureds with respect to such spouses' acts, errors or omissions in the conduct of the Named Insured's business.

#### D. Legal Liability – Damage To Premises

1. Under B. Exclusions, 1. Applicable to Business Liability Coverage, Exclusion k. Damage To Property, is replaced by the following:

#### k. Damage To Property

"Property damage" to:

1. Property you own, rent or occupy, including any costs or expenses incurred by you, or any other person, organization or entity, for repair, replacement, enhancement, restoration or maintenance of

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such property for any reason, including prevention of injury to a person or damage to another's property;

- 2. Premises you sell, give away or abandon, if the "property damage" arises out of any part of those premises:
- **3.** Property loaned to you;
- 4. Personal property in the care, custody or control of the insured;
- 5. That particular part of any real property on which you or any contractors or subcontractors working directly or indirectly in your behalf are performing operations, if the "property damage" arises out of those operations; or
- 6. That particular part of any property that must be restored, repaired or replaced because "your work" was incorrectly performed on it.

Paragraph 2 of this exclusion does not apply if the premises are "your work" and were never occupied, rented or held for rental by you.

Paragraphs 1, 3, and 4, of this exclusion do not apply to "property damage" (other than damage by fire or explosion) to premises:

- (1) rented to you:
- (2) temporarily occupied by you with the permission of the owner, or
- (3) to the contents of premises rented to you for a period of 7 or fewer consecutive days.

A separate limit of insurance applies to Damage To Premises Rented To You as described in Section D – Liability and Medical Expenses Limits of Insurance.

Paragraphs 3, 4, 5, and 6 of this exclusion do not apply to liability assumed under a sidetrack agreement.

Paragraph 6 of this exclusion does not apply to "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard."

2. Under B. Exclusions, 1. Applicable to Business Liability Coverage, the following paragraph is added, and replaces the similar paragraph, if any, beneath paragraph (14) of the exclusion entitled Personal and Advertising injury:

Exclusions c, d, e, f, g, h, i, k, l, m, n, and o, do not apply to damage by fire to premises while rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner or to the contents of premises rented to you for a period of 7 or fewer consecutive days. A separate limit of insurance applies to this coverage as described in Section D. Liability And Medical Expenses Limits Of Insurance.

3. The first Paragraph under item 5. Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit of the section entitled Liability And Medical Expenses Limits Of Insurance is replaced by the following:

The most we will pay under Business Liability for damages because of "property damage" to any one premises, while rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with the permission of the owner, including contents of such premises rented to you for a period of 7 or fewer consecutive days, is the Damage to Premises Rented to You limit shown in the Declaration.

#### E. Personal and Advertising Injury – Discrimination or Humiliation

- 1. Under Liability and Medical Expenses Definitions, the definition of "personal and advertising injury" is amended to add the following:
  - **h.** Discrimination or humiliation that results in injury to the feelings or reputation of a natural person, but only if such discrimination or humiliation is
    - (1) Not done intentionally by or at the direction of: (1)
      - (a) The insured; or

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- (b) Any "executive officer," director, stockholder, partner, member or manager (if you are a limited liability company) of the insured; and
- (2) Not directly or indirectly related to the employment, prospective employment, past employment or termination of employment of any person or person by any insured.
- 2. Under B. Exclusions, 1. Applicable to Business Liability Coverage, the exclusion entitled Personal and Advertising injury is amended to add the following additional exclusions:

#### (15) Discrimination Relating to Room, Dwelling or Premises

Caused by discrimination directly or indirectly related to the sale, rental, lease or sub-lease or prospective sale, rental, lease or sub-lease of any room, dwelling or premises by or at the direction of any insured.

#### (16) Employment Related Discrimination

Discrimination or humiliation directly or indirectly related to the employment, prospective employment, past employment or termination of employment of any person by any insured.

#### (17) Fines or Penalties

Fines or penalties levied or imposed by a governmental entity because of discrimination.

3. This provision (Personal and Advertising Injury – Discrimination or Humiliation) does not apply if Personal and Advertising Injury Liability is excluded either by the provisions of the Policy or by endorsement.

#### F. Personal and Advertising Injury - Broadened Eviction

Under Liability and Medical Expenses Definitions, the definition of "Personal and advertising injury" is amended to delete Paragraph c. and replace it with the following:

c. The wrongful eviction from, wrongful entry into, or invasion of the right of private occupancy of a room dwelling or premises that a person or organization occupies committed by or on behalf of its owner, landlord or lessor.

## G. Waiver of Subrogation - Blanket

We waive any right of recovery we may have against:

a. Any person or organization with whom you have a written contract that requires such a waiver.

All other terms and conditions of the Policy remain unchanged.

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