

**AMENDMENT NO. 1
 FOR
 GENERAL PUBLIC FINANCE LEGAL SERVICES**

This AMENDMENT is made and entered into as of the date fully executed by and between the County of Orange, a political subdivision of the State of California (“County”) and Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth LLP, (“Contractor”), with County and Contractor sometimes individually referred to as “Party” or collectively referred to as “Parties”.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, County and Contractor, formerly known as Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth a Professional Corporation, entered into Contract MA-017-23010759 for General Public Finance Legal Services, effective April 11, 2023, through April 10, 2026, (hereinafter referred to as “Contract”); and,

WHEREAS, the Parties now desire to amend the Contract to change vendors name from Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth a Professional Corporation to Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth LLP; and,

WHEREAS, Contractor wishes to continue to provide General Public Finance Legal Services with respect to the contract; and,

WHEREAS, the Parties now desire to renew the Contract, increase the Contract amount for two (2) additional years in the amount of \$400,000 effective April 11, 2026, through April 10, 2028, with a new Not-to-Exceed amount of \$1,000,000; and,

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT ARTICLES

1. The Contractor name in the Contract will now be changed from “Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth a Professional Corporation” to Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth LLP and all references in the Contract to “Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth a Professional Corporation” shall be references to “Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth LLP”.
2. The Assignment and Consent Agreement is attached hereto as Attachment “A” and is hereby incorporated by reference.

3. **"Term of Contract"** of the Contract shall be to include the following:

Contract shall renew for two (2) years, effective April 11, 2026, through April 10, 2028, unless otherwise terminated as provided herein.

4. **Attachment B**, Section Compensation/Payment, Item 2. Payment Schedule shall be amended to include the following:

Payment Schedule: County shall pay Contractor for services in accordance with the hourly rates as set forth below for services provided as described in Attachment A – Scope of Work. Fees for services described in Attachment A – Scope of Work shall not exceed \$200,000 in any contract year.

Not-to-Exceed Amount: \$1,000,000

Hourly Rates	
<u>Title</u>	<u>Hourly Rate</u>
Shareholders/Partners	\$550
Associates/Attorneys	\$340
Paralegal	\$130

In addition to the hourly rates set forth above, travel-related expenses (such as airfare or lodging) may be reimbursed at the discretion of the County. All travel-related expenses must be negotiated with the Finance Team Lead prior to engagement of services.

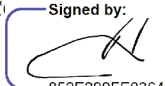
The amounts paid to the Contractor under this paragraph shall constitute payment in full for all services rendered under this Contract.

5. All other terms and conditions in this Contract shall remain unchanged and with full force and effect.

**County of Orange, County Procurement Office
Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth LLP**

MA-017-23010759

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this Amendment on the date first written above.

STRADLING YOC  **Signed by: RAUTH LLP***

By: _____
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Print Name: Lawrence Chan

Title: Vice President

Title: Corporate Officer

Date: 1/28/2026

By: NA

Print Name: NA

Title: NA

Title: Corporate Officer

Date: NA

COUNTY OF ORANGE, a political subdivision of the State of California

By: _____

Print Name: Roy Aragon

Title: Deputy Purchasing Agent

Date: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

County Counsel

By:  **Signed by:** _____
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Date: Deputy

Date: 1/29/2026

* If the contracting party is a corporation, (2) two signatures are required: one (1) signature by the Chairman of the Board, the President or any Vice President; and one (1) signature by the Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, the Chief Financial Officer or any Assistant Treasurer. The signature of one person alone is sufficient to bind a corporation, as long as he or she holds corporate offices in each of the two categories described above. For County purposes, proof of such dual office holding will be satisfied by having the individual sign the instrument twice, each time indicating his or her office that qualifies under the above described provision. In the alternative, a single corporate signature is acceptable when accompanied by a corporate resolution demonstrating the legal authority of the signator to bind the corporation.