

# AGREEMENT Between Corelogic Solutions, Inc and Orange County Clerk-Recorder FOR

# **Property Fraud Prevention Courtesy Notices**

This Agreement Number MA-059-13010787 ("Original Agreement") is made and entered into on as of the date fully executed by and between the County of Orange, a political subdivision of the State of California, through its Department of the Clerk-Recorder (hereinafter "County") and Corelogic Solutions, Inc. (hereinafter "Contractor"). County and Contractor are hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties" and each individually as a "Party."

# **ATTACHMENTS**

This Contract is comprised of this document and the following Attachment, which is incorporated by reference into this Contract:

Attachment A – Scope of Work Attachment B – Payment Compensation

# **RECITALS**

**WHEREAS**, Contractor responded to an Invitation for Bid "IFB" offering the complete Scope of Work as requested in Attachment A, and Contractor has represented that its proposed goods and services shall meet and exceed the County's requirements and specifications as set forth herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the County desires to enter into Agreement for Property Fraud Prevention Courtesy Notices; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Parties mutually agree as follows:

- 1. Scope of Agreement: This Agreement specifies the terms and conditions by which County Clerk-Recorder will procure grant deed notification services from Contractor as set forth in Attachment A.
- 2. Term: Contractor shall commence work necessary for services upon full execution of this Agreement. Services shall begin Feb. 1, 2013, after board Approval, and expire Jan. 30, 2014 but shall be renewable for two (2) successive one-year terms by mutual agreement and concurrence of both parties. The renewal shall be documented by a written Agreement. The County does not have to give a reason if it elects not to renew.
- 3. Compensation: This is a fixed fee Agreement. Contractor agrees to accept the specified compensation for the Services as set forth on Attachment A. The total cost of this Agreement shall not to exceed \$216,000.

# **ARTICLES**

## **General Terms and Conditions:**

A. **Governing Law and Venue**: This Contract has been negotiated and executed in the state of California and shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the state of California. In the event of any legal action to enforce or interpret this Contract, the sole and exclusive venue shall be a court of competent jurisdiction located in Orange County, California, and the parties hereto agree to and do hereby submit to the jurisdiction of such court, notwithstanding Code of Civil Procedure Section 394.

- Furthermore, the parties specifically agree to waive any and all rights to request that an action be transferred for trial to another County.
- B. Entire Contract: This Contract, including Attachments and Exhibits, which are attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, when accepted by the Contractor either in writing or by the shipment of any article or other commencement of performance hereunder, contains the entire Contract between the parties with respect to the matters herein, and there are no restrictions, promises, warranties or undertakings other than those set forth herein or referred to herein. No exceptions, alternatives, substitutes or revisions are valid or binding on County unless authorized by County in writing. Electronic acceptance of any additional terms, conditions or supplemental Contracts by any County employee or agent, including but not limited to installers of software, shall not be valid or binding on County unless accepted in writing by County's Purchasing Agent or his designee, hereinafter "Purchasing Agent."
- C. Amendments: No alteration or variation of the terms of this Contract shall be valid unless made in writing and signed by the parties; no oral understanding or agreement not incorporated herein shall be binding on either of the parties; and no exceptions, alternatives, substitutes or revisions are valid or binding on County unless authorized by County in writing.
- D. **Taxes**: Unless otherwise provided herein or by law, price quoted does not include California state sales or use tax.
- E. **Delivery:** Time of delivery of services is of the essence in this Contract. County reserves the right to refuse any services and to cancel all or any part of the descriptions or services that do not conform to the prescribed statement of work. Delivery shall not be deemed to be complete until all services have actually been received and accepted in writing by County.
- F. **Acceptance/Payment**: Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the County, 1) acceptance shall not be deemed complete unless in writing and until all the services have actually been received to the satisfaction of County, and 2) payment shall be made in arrears after satisfactory acceptance.
- G. Warranty: Contractor expressly warrants that the services covered by this Contract are fit for the particular purpose for which they are intended. Acceptance of this order shall constitute an agreement upon Contractor's part to indemnify, defend and hold County and its indemnities as identified in paragraph "HH" below, and as more fully described in paragraph "HH", harmless from liability, loss, damage and expense, including reasonable counsel fees, incurred or sustained by County by reason of the failure of the services to conform to such warranties, faulty work performance, negligent or unlawful acts, and non-compliance with any applicable state or federal codes, ordinances, orders, or statutes, including the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) and the California Industrial Safety Act. Such remedies shall be in addition to any other remedies provided by law.
- H. Patent/Copyright Materials/Proprietary Infringement: Unless otherwise expressly provided in this Contract, Contractor shall be solely responsible for clearing the right to use any patented or copyrighted materials in the performance of this Contract. Contractor warrants that any software as modified through services provided hereunder will not infringe upon or violate any patent, proprietary right, or trade secret right of any third party. Contractor agrees that, in accordance with the more specific requirement contained in paragraph "HH" below, it shall indemnify, defend and hold County and County Indemnities harmless from any and all such claims and be responsible for payment of all costs, damages, penalties and expenses related to or arising from such claim(s), including, but not limited to, attorney's fees, costs and expenses.
- I. Assignment or Sub-Contracting: The terms, covenants, and conditions contained herein shall apply to and bind the heirs, successors, executors, administrators and assigns of the parties. Furthermore, neither the performance of this Contract nor any portion thereof may be assigned or sub-contracted by Contractor without the express written consent of County. Any attempt by Contractor to assign or sub-contract the performance or any portion thereof of this Contract without the express written consent of County shall be invalid and shall constitute a breach of this Contract.

- J. Non-Discrimination: In the performance of this Contract, Contractor agrees that it will comply with the requirements of Section 1735 of the California Labor Code and not engage nor permit any subcontractors to engage in discrimination in employment of persons because of the race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, or sex of such persons. Contractor acknowledges that a violation of this provision shall subject Contractor to all the penalties imposed for a violation of Section 1720 et seq. of the California Labor Code.
- K. **Termination**: In addition to any other remedies or rights it may have by law, County has the right to terminate this Contract without penalty immediately with cause or after thirty (30) days' written notice without cause, unless otherwise specified. Cause shall be defined as any breach of Contract, any misrepresentation or fraud on the part of the Contractor. Exercise by County of its right to terminate the Contract shall relieve County of all further obligations.
- L. Consent to Breach Not Waiver: No term or provision of this Contract shall be deemed waived and no breach excused, unless such waiver or consent shall be in writing and signed by the party claimed to have waived or consented. Any consent by any party to, or waiver of, a breach by the other, whether express or implied, shall not constitute consent to, waiver of, or excuse for any other different or subsequent breach.
- M. Remedies Not Exclusive: The remedies for breach set forth in this Contract are cumulative as to one another and as to any other provided by law, rather than exclusive; and the expression of certain remedies in this Contract does not preclude resort by either party to any other remedies provided by law.
- N. **Independent Contractor**: Contractor shall be considered an independent Contractor and neither Contractor, its employees nor anyone working under Contractor shall be considered an agent or an employee of County. Neither Contractor, its employees nor anyone working under Contractor shall qualify for workers' compensation or other fringe benefits of any kind through County.
- O. **Performance**: Contractor shall perform all work under this Contract, taking necessary steps and precautions to perform the work to County's satisfaction. Contractor shall be responsible for the professional quality, technical assurance, timely completion and coordination of all documentation and other services furnished by the Contractor under this Contract. Contractor shall perform all work diligently, carefully, and in a good and workman-like manner; shall furnish all labor, supervision, machinery, equipment, materials, and supplies necessary therefore; shall at its sole expense obtain and maintain all permits and licenses required by public authorities, including those of County required in its governmental capacity, in connection with performance of the work; and, if permitted to subcontract, shall be fully responsible for all work performed by sub-contractors.
- P. <u>Insurance Provisions</u>: Prior to the provisions of services under this contract, the CONTRACTOR agrees to purchase all required insurance at CONTRACTOR's expense and to deposit with the COUNTY Certificates of Insurance, including all endorsements required herein, necessary to satisfy the COUNTY that the insurance provisions of this contract have been complied with and to keep such insurance coverage and the certificates therefore on deposit with the COUNTY during the entire term of this contract. In addition, all subcontractors performing work on behalf of CONTRACTOR pursuant to this contract shall obtain insurance subject to the same terms and conditions as set forth herein for CONTRACTOR.

All self-insured retentions (SIRs) and deductibles shall clearly be clearly stated on the Certificate of Insurance. If no SIRs or deductibles apply, indicate this on the Certificate of Insurance with a 0 by the appropriate line of coverage. Any self-insured retention (SIR) or deductible in an amount in excess of \$25,000 (\$5,000 for automobile liability), shall specifically be approved by the COUNTY Executive Office (CEO)/Office of Risk Management.

If the CONTRACTOR fails to maintain insurance acceptable to the COUNTY for the full term of this CONTRACT, the COUNTY may terminate this CONTRACT.

<u>Qualified Insurer:</u> The policy or policies of insurance must be issued by an insurer licensed to do business in the state of California (California Admitted Carrier).

Minimum insurance company ratings as determined by the most current edition of the <u>Best's Key Rating Guide/Property-Casualty/United States or ambest.com</u> shall be A-(Secure Best's Rating) and VIII (Financial Size Category).

The policy or policies of insurance must be issued by an insurer licensed to do business in the state of California (California Admitted Carrier). If the carrier is a non-admitted carrier in the state of California and does not meet or exceed an A.M. Best rating of A-/VIII, CEO/Office of Risk Management retains the right to approve or reject carrier after a review of the company's performance and financial ratings. If the non-admitted carrier meets or exceeds the minimum A.M. Best rating of A-/VIII, the agency can accept the insurance.

This policy or policies of insurance maintained by the CONTRACTOR shall provide the minimum limits and coverage as set forth below:

Coverage	Minimum Limits		
Commercial General Liability with	\$1,000,000 combined single limit		
broad form property damage and	per occurrence \$2,000,000		
contractual liability	aggregate		
Automobile Liability including	\$1,000,000 combined single limit		
coverage for owned, non-owned and	per occurrence		
hired vehicles			
Workers' Compensation	Statutory		
Employers' Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000 per occurrence		

## **Required Coverage Forms**

The Commercial General Liability coverage shall be written on Insurance Services Office (ISO) form CG 00 01, or a substitute form providing liability coverage at least as broad.

The Business Auto Liability coverage shall be written on ISO form CA 00 01, CA 00 05, CA 0012, CA 00 20, or a substitute form providing coverage at least as broad.

# Required Endorsements

The Commercial General Liability policy shall contain the following endorsements, which shall accompany the Certificate of insurance:

- An Additional Insured endorsement using ISO form CG 2010 or CG 2033 or a form at least as broad naming the COUNTY of Orange, its elected and appointed officials, officers, employees, agents as Additional Insured.
- 2) A primary non-contributing endorsement evidencing that the CONTRACTOR's insurance is primary and any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the COUNTY of Orange shall be excess and non-contributing.

All insurance policies required by this contract shall waive all rights of subrogation against the COUNTY of Orange and members of the Board of Supervisors, its elected and appointed officials, officers, agents and employees when acting within the scope of their appointment or employment.

The Workers' Compensation policy shall contain a waiver of subrogation endorsement waiving all rights of subrogation against the COUNTY of Orange, and members of the Board of Supervisors, its elected and appointed officials, officers, agents and employees.

All insurance policies required by this contract shall give the COUNTY of Orange 30 days notice in the event of cancellation and 10 days for non-payment of premium. This shall be evidenced by policy provisions or an endorsement separate from the Certificate of Insurance.

If CONTRACTOR's Professional Liability policy is a "claims made" policy, CONTRACTOR shall agree to maintain professional liability coverage for two years following completion of contract.

The Commercial General Liability policy shall contain a severability of interests' clause also known as a "separation of insured" clause (standard in the ISO CG 0001 policy).

Insurance certificates should be forwarded to the agency/department address listed on the solicitation.

If the CONTRACTOR fails to provide the insurance certificates and endorsements within seven days of notification by CEO/Purchasing or the agency/department purchasing division, award may be made to the next qualified vendor.

COUNTY expressly retains the right to require CONTRACTOR to increase or decrease insurance of any of the above insurance types throughout the term of this Contract. Any increase or decrease in insurance will be as deemed by COUNTY of Orange Risk Manager as appropriate to adequately protect COUNTY.

COUNTY shall notify CONTRACTOR in writing of changes in the insurance requirements. If CONTRACTOR does not deposit copies of acceptable certificates of insurance and endorsements with COUNTY incorporating such changes within thirty days of receipt of such notice, this Contract may be in breach without further notice to CONTRACTOR, and COUNTY shall be entitled to all legal remedies.

The procuring of such required policy or policies of insurance shall not be construed to limit CONTRACTOR's liability hereunder nor to fulfill the indemnification provisions and requirements of this Contract, nor act in any way to reduce the policy coverage and limits available from the insurer.

- Q. **Bills and Liens:** CONTRACTOR shall pay promptly all indebtedness for labor, materials and equipment used in performance of the work. CONTRACTOR shall not permit any lien or charge to attach to the work or the premises, but if any does so attach, CONTRACTOR shall promptly procure its release and, in accordance with the requirements of paragraph "HH" above, indemnify, defend, and hold COUNTY harmless and be responsible for payment of all costs, damages, penalties and expenses related to or arising from or related thereto.
- R. **Changes:** CONTRACTOR shall make no changes in the work or perform any additional work without the COUNTY'S specific written approval.
- S. Change of Ownership: CONTRACTOR agrees that if there is a change or transfer in ownership of CONTRACTOR'S business prior to completion of this CONTRACT, the new owners shall be required under terms of sale or other transfer to assume CONTRACTOR'S duties and obligations contained in this CONTRACT and complete them to the satisfaction of COUNTY.

- T. **Force Majeure**: CONTRACTOR shall not be assessed with liquidated damages or unsatisfactory performance penalties during any delay beyond the time named for the performance of this CONTRACT caused by any act of God, war, civil disorder, employment strike or other cause beyond its reasonable control, provided CONTRACTOR gives written notice of the cause of the delay to COUNTY within 36 hours of the start of the delay and CONTRACTOR avails himself of any available remedies.
- U. Confidentiality: CONTRACTOR agrees to maintain the confidentiality of all COUNTY and COUNTY-related records and information pursuant to all statutory laws relating to privacy and confidentiality that currently exist or exist at any time during the term of this CONTRACT. All such records and information shall be considered confidential and kept confidential by CONTRACTOR and CONTRACTOR'S staff, agents and employees.
- V. Compliance with Laws: CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that services to be provided under this CONTRACT shall fully comply, at CONTRACTOR'S expense, with all standards, laws, statutes, restrictions, ordinances, requirements, and regulations (collectively "laws"), including, but not limited to those issued by COUNTY in its governmental capacity and all other laws applicable to the services at the time services are provided to and accepted by COUNTY. CONTRACTOR acknowledges that COUNTY is relying on CONTRACTOR to ensure such compliance, and pursuant to the requirements of paragraph "HH" above, CONTRACTOR agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold COUNTY and COUNTY INDEMNITEES harmless from all liability, damages, costs and expenses arising from or related to a violation of such laws.
- W. **Freight (F.O.B. Destination)**: CONTRACTOR assumes full responsibility for all transportation scheduling, packaging, handling, insurance, and other services associated with delivery of all products deemed necessary under this CONTRACT.
- X. Pricing: The CONTRACT bid price shall include full compensation for providing all required goods, in accordance with required specifications, or services, as specified herein or when applicable, in the scope of services attached to this CONTRACT, and no additional compensation will be allowed therefore, unless otherwise provided for in this CONTRACT.
- Y. Waiver of Jury Trial: Each party acknowledges that it is aware of and has had the opportunity to seek advice of counsel of its choice with respect to its rights to trial by jury, and each party, for itself and its successors, creditors, and assigns, does hereby expressly and knowingly waive and release all such rights to trial by jury in any action, proceeding or counterclaim brought by any party hereto against the other (and/or against its officers, directors, employees, agents, or subsidiary or affiliated entities) on or with regard to any matters whatsoever arising out of or in any way connected with this CONTRACT and/or any other claim of injury or damage.
- Z. **Terms and Conditions**: CONTRACTOR acknowledges that it has read and agrees to all and conditions included in this CONTRACT.
- AA. **Headings:** The various headings and numbers herein, the grouping of provisions of this CONTRACT into separate clauses and paragraphs, and the organization hereof are for the purpose of convenience only and shall not limit or otherwise affect the meaning hereof.
- BB. **Severability:** If any term, covenant, condition or provision of this CONTRACT is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the remainder of the provisions hereof shall remain in full force and effect and shall in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated thereby.
- CC. **Calendar Days:** Any reference to the word "day" or "days" herein mean calendar day or calendar days, respectively, unless otherwise expressly provided.

- DD. **Attorney Fees:** In any action or proceeding to enforce or interpret any provisions of this CONTRACT, or where any provisions hereof is validly asserted as a defense, each party shall bear its own attorney's fees, costs and expenses.
- EE. Interpretation: This CONTRACT has been negotiated at arm's length and between persons sophisticated and knowledgeable in the matters dealt with in this CONTRACT. In addition, each party has been represented by experienced and knowledgeable independent legal counsel of their own choosing or has knowingly declined to seek such counsel despite being encouraged and given the opportunity to do so. Each party further acknowledges that they have not been influenced to any extent whatsoever in executing this CONTRACT by any other party hereto or by any person representing them, or both. Accordingly, any rule or law (including California Civil Code Section 1654) or legal decision that would require interpretation of any ambiguities in this CONTRACT against the party that has drafted it is not applicable and is waived. The provisions of this CONTRACT shall be interpreted in a reasonable manner to affect the purpose of the parties and this CONTRACT.
- FF. **Authority:** The parties to this CONTRACT represent and warrant that this CONTRACT has been duly authorized and executed and constitute the legally binding obligation of their respective organization or entity, enforceable in accordance with its terms.
- GG. Employee Eligibility Verification: The Contractor warrants that it fully complies with all Federal and State statutes and regulations regarding the employment of aliens and others and that all its employees performing work under this CONTRACT meet the citizenship or alien status requirement set forth in Federal statutes and regulations. The Contractor shall obtain, from all employees performing work hereunder, all verification and other documentation of employment eligibility status required by Federal or State statutes and regulations including, but not limited to, the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, 8 U.S.C. §1324 et seq., as they currently exist and as they may be hereafter amended. The Contractor shall retain all such documentation for all covered employees for the period prescribed by the law. The Contractor shall indemnify, defend with counsel approved in writing by County, and hold harmless, the County, its agents, officers, and employees from employer sanctions and any other liability which may be assessed against the Contractor or the County or both in connection with any alleged violation of any Federal or State statutes or regulations pertaining to the eligibility for employment of any persons performing work under this CONTRACT.
- HH. Indemnification Provisions: CONTRACTOR agrees to indemnify, defend with counsel approved in writing by COUNTY, and hold COUNTY, its elected and appointed officials, officers, employees, agents and those special districts and agencies which COUNTY'S Board of Supervisors acts as the governing Board ("COUNTY INDEMNITEES") harmless from any claims, demands or liability of any kind or nature, products or other performance provided by CONTRACTOR pursuant to this CONTRACT. If judgment is entered against CONTRACTOR and COUNTY by a court of competent jurisdiction because of the concurrent active negligence of COUNTY or COUNTY INDEMNITEES, CONTRACTOR and COUNTY agree that liability will be apportioned as determined by the court. Neither party shall request a jury apportionment.

## ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. USAGE: No guarantee is given by COUNTY to the CONTRACTOR regarding usage of this CONTRACT. Usage figures, if provided, are approximate, based upon the last usage. The CONTRACTOR agrees to supply services requested, as needed by the County of Orange, at prices listed in the CONTRACT, regardless of quantity requested.

- 2. STATE FUNDS -AUDITS: When and if state funds are used in whole or part to pay for the goods and/or services under this CONTRACT the CONTRACTOR agrees to allow the CONTRACTOR'S financial records to be audited by auditors from the state of California, the County of Orange or a private auditing firm hired by the state or the COUNTY. The COUNTY or state shall provide reasonable notice of such audit.
- 3. FISCAL APPROPRIATIONS: This CONTRACT is subject to and contingent upon applicable budgetary appropriations being approved by the County of Orange Board of Supervisors for each fiscal year during the term of this CONTRACT. If such appropriations are not approved, the CONTRACT will be terminated without penalty to the COUNTY.
- 4. NOTICES: Any and all notices, requests demands and other communications contemplated, called for, permitted, or required to be given hereunder shall be in writing, except through the course of the parties' project managers' routine exchange of information and cooperation during the terms of the work and services. Any written communications shall be deemed to have been duly given upon actual in-person delivery, if delivery is by direct hand, or upon delivery on the actual day of receipt or no greater than four calendar days after being mailed by US certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, whichever occurs first. The date of mailing shall count as the first day. All communications shall be addressed to the appropriate party at the address stated herein or such other address as the parties hereto may designate by written notice from time to time in the manner aforesaid.

**FOR COUNTY:** County of Orange Clerk-Recorder Department, Attn: Renee Ramirez, 12 Civic Center Plaza, Room 101, Telephone: (714) 834-2248, Fax: (714) 834-2675.

- 5. COUNTY OF ORANGE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT (WITHIN 30 DAYS OF AWAR OF CONTRACT) In order to comply with the child support enforcement requirements of the County of Orange, within 30 days of award of contract, the contractor agrees to furnish to the contract administrator, the Purchasing Agent, or the agency/department deputy purchasing agent:
  - **A**. In the case of an individual contractor, his/her name, date of birth, Social Security number, and residence address;
  - **B**. In the case of a contractor doing business in a form other than as an individual, the name, date of birth, Social Security number, and residence address of each individual who owns an interest of 10 percent or more in the contracting entity;
  - **C**. A certification that the contractor has fully complied with all applicable federal and reporting requirements regarding its employees; and
  - **D**. A certification that the contractor has fully complied with all lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment Orders and Notices of Assignment and will continue to so comply. Failure of the contractor to timely submit the data and/or certifications required or to comply with all federal, state, and local reporting requirements for child support enforcement or to comply with all lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment Orders and Notices of Assignment shall constitute a material breach of the contract. Failure to cure such breach within 60 calendar days of notice from the County shall constitute grounds for termination of the contract.

signatures below.		
Corelogic Solutions Inc *		
Print Name	Title	
Signature	Date	
Print Name	Title	
Signature	Date	
* If the Contractor is a corp set forth.	poration, signatures of two specific corporate	e officers are required as further
The first corporate officer s President; 3) any Vice Pres	signature must be one of the following:1) the sident.	e Chairman of the Board; 2) the
	cer signature must be one of the following: 1 ial Officer; 4) Assistant Treasurer.	) Secretary; 2) Assistant
	corporation signature is acceptable when ac the legal authority of the signature to bind th	
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COUNTY OF ORANGE, a p	olitical subdivision of the State of California	
Print Name	Title	
Signature	Date	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:		
Print Name	Title	
Signature	Date	

In Witness Hereof, the parties hereto have executed this Contract on the dates shown opposite their respective

#### ATTACHMENT A

#### SCOPE OF WORK

#### A. General

The County will be selecting a vendor capable of notifying, by first class U.S. Mail, each listed owner(s) on a recorded grant deed as soon as possible, but not more than five (5) days after the date that the recorded grant deed is made available to the vendor by the County. Recorded grant deeds which reflect the initial transaction between developers, or agents of, and new owners will be exempt from this notification process. Approximately 100, 000 grant deeds are recorded by this office annually.

#### **B.** Notification Details

The CONTRACTOR will determine the property address of the recorded deed by what is listed on the document or through the Assessor Department.

Notices must be mailed to each of the listed owner(s) at the property address of the recorded deed.

All notices sent to all listed owners for the specific recorded grant deed shall be considered one (1) fraud notification unit for which the CONTRACTOR shall be paid one (1) unit rate by the COUNTY. A unit will be comprised of all documents listed under Section C of this Scope of Work, as well as all costs for labor, postage, and associated materials such as paper and envelopes.

## The negotiated and agreed upon unit rate shall be as follows:

Year 1 - \$2.65

Year 2 - \$2.51

Year 3 - \$2.36

Price adjustments can be made due to the unforeseen increase of postage, gasoline, etc., but will only be enacted if both the County and Contractor agree in writing and does not exceed ten (10) percent of the total agreed upon unit price.

#### C. Notices to be Sent Out

The vendor shall notify each listed owner(s) of the recording affecting their real property by providing them with the following:

- 1. A copy of the recorded document(s).
- 2. A single page (8 ½" X 11") notice informing the party of the purpose of the notification. The page shall be two-sided with one side in English and the other side in Spanish.
- 3. All outgoing notifications must be sent by U.S. First-class mail.
- 4. All of the above documents will be furnished by the CONTRACTOR and will be produced on 24lb paper.

## All of the above documents shall be furnished by the vendor.

## D. Postage and Handling Supplies

The vendor shall supply all postage, envelopes and any other supplies required to complete this work.

- 1. Each envelope shall contain a notification for each listed owner(s) of the recorded document. The vendor shall send each listed owner the two documents listed above.
- 2. The vendor shall determine the property address of the recorded deed by what is listed on the document or through the Assessor Department.
- 3. The vendor shall not invoice the County for any notifications that are.
  - a. Not placed in first class U.S. Mail
  - b. Mailed with less than the 2 items specified above included
  - c. Mailed to incorrect addresses

## E. Monthly Status Report

The vendor shall provide the County, within fourteen (14) days after the end of each calendar month a written status report indicating the following:

- 1. The total number of Real Property Fraud Prevention notifications mailed during the preceding month. This shall consist of a daily subtotal of all recorded documents received and target units for each day's mailing.
- 2. The document number of the recorded documents to which each fraud notification applies.
- 3. The date of mailing for each notification.

The vendor must be capable of resolving discrepancies by working with designated Orange County Clerk-Recorder staff to determine the correct course of action.

# Payment/Compensation

- Payment Invoicing Instructions: The Contractor will provide an invoice on the Contractor's letterhead
  for goods delivered and/or services rendered. Invoices must be submitted to address indicated in the
  Subordinate Contract created by the individual agency/department. Each invoice must have a unique
  number and must include the following information:
  - a) Contractor's name and address;
  - b) Contractor's remittance address;
  - c) Contractor's Federal Tax I.D. Number;
  - d) Name of County Agency/Department;
  - e) Delivery/Service address;
  - f) PO Number/Agreement Number
  - g) Date of order/services rendered;
  - h) Product/Service description, quantity, and prices
  - i) Sales tax, if applicable
  - i) Freight/delivery charges, if applicable
  - k) Total
- 2. Payment Terms: The Invoice is to be submitted in arrears to the bill-to address, unless otherwise directed in this Contract. Contractor shall reference Contract number on invoice. Payment will be net 30 days after receipt of the invoice in a format acceptable to the County and verified and approved by the agency/department and subject to routine processing requirements. The responsibility for providing an acceptable invoice rests with the Contractor.
- Billing shall cover services not previously invoiced. The Contractor shall reimburse the County for any monies paid to the Contractor for services not provided or when services do not meet the Contract requirements.
- 4. Payments made by the County shall not preclude the right of the County from thereafter disputing any services involved or billed under this Contract and shall not be construed as acceptance of any part of the services.
- 5. Compensation: This is a fixed price Contract between the County and Contractor for Professional Services as provided in this Contract. The Contractor agrees to accept the specified compensation as set forth in this Contract as full remuneration for performing all services and furnishing all staffing and materials required, for any reasonably unforeseen difficulties which may arise or be encountered in the execution of the services until acceptance, for risks connected with the services, and for performance by the Contractor of all its duties and obligations hereunder. The County shall have no obligation to pay any sum in excess of Contract price specified below unless authorized by amendment.