



JURUPA COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

For Various On-Call Professional Services

Jurupa Community Services District
11201 Harrel Street
Jurupa Valley, CA 91752

Issue Date: April 21, 2025
Due Date: May 15, 2025
Thursday, 10:00 a.m.

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1. REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ)

A. OVERVIEW

Statements of Qualifications (SOQs) are being accepted by Jurupa Community Services District (JCSD or District) from qualified consulting professionals to provide (1) Water Resources Services (2) Landscape Architectural Services (3) Public Affairs Services to support the District's various programs on an as-needed basis, via a professional services contract.

Proposals shall be submitted by firms that have a skilled and demonstrable background in the type of work described in Section A, "Scope of Services, of this notice. In addition, all interested firms shall have sufficient, readily available resources in the form of trained personnel, support services, specialized consultants, and financial resources to carry out the work without delay or shortcomings.

District intends to select multiple firms in each category to be short-listed over a time period of two (2) years. The district reserves the right to prequalify any number of firms. Due to the as-needed nature of the work, no work is guaranteed regardless of selection. The goal of this process is to award to a consultant willing to provide the requested services on an on-call basis and/or by the issuance of project-specific task orders for work that falls within the contract term. The awarded professional services contracts will generally be task-order based and funded on a project-specific basis.

B. PROPOSAL SUBMITTAL DETAILS

Proposals are due on or before **Thursday, May 15, 2025**, by **10:00 A.M. PST**.

- Potential proposers who wish to submit to JCSD must submit their SOQ electronically (PDF format) to Keith Backus kbackus@jcsd.us

Email subject shall read **"Proposal from (Consultant's Name): Task Order/On-Call Professional Services."**

- Proposals will be sent to Keith Backus by **Thursday, May 15, 2025** no later than **10:00 A.M. PST**; all proposals after the deadline shall be rejected
- Proposers are encouraged to send their electronic proposals utilizing the DELIVERY and READ receipts enabled
- The delivery receipt will be the proposer's verification that the proposal has been sent to JCSD prior to the 10:00 A.M. deadline; all electronic files must be less than 20MB in size, as this is JCSD's limit for email submission

C. DISCLAIMER

This Request for Qualifications does not commit the District to award a contract or pay any costs incurred in preparing the proposal. The District reserves the right to extend the due date for the proposal, to accept or reject any or all proposals received as a result of this request, to negotiate with any qualified consultant, to cancel this request in part or its entirety, and to procure alternate or additional consulting services.

More than one proposal from an individual, firm, partnership, corporation or association under the same or different names shall not be considered. JCSD shall not be liable for any pre-contractual expense incurred by the Consultant.

2. ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE

The following estimated dates have been set for this Project:

RFQ Advertisement Date	April 21, 2025
Pre-Proposal Q&A (Teams)	May 1, 2025 @ 2 P.M.
RFQ Questions Due Date	May 9, 2025, via email only
JCSD Response to Questions Due Date	May 12, 2025
Proposal Due Date	May 15, 2025 @ 10:00 AM via email
Proposal Review and Interviews (if applicable)	TBD
Anticipated Board Approval	July 28, 2025

Questions regarding the RFQ shall be addressed to the Project Manager, Keith Backus, via email at **kbackus@jcsd.us**. All questions must be received prior to the deadline shown in the Project Schedule above. Answers to these questions will be sent to all prospective Consultants. No answers will be given on an individual basis. **All prospective bidders must email Keith Backus at kbackus@jcsd.us to be added to the prospective bidders list.**

Pre-proposal Q&A (non-mandatory) – May 1, 2025, @ 2 P.M. (Microsoft Teams)

- ✓ For all interested parties, please email Keith Backus at kbackus@jcsd.us, to be added to the prospective Proposers list to be provided with meeting instructions.

PROPOSAL FORMAT

A. PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

Consultants are requested to prepare a proposal in accordance with the following sections, identifying clearly what category(ies) your firm is submitting on with categories separated in the proposal. The proposal shall be submitted with a maximum of 15 typewritten pages with a maximum of 5 additional pages per each additional category. The page count does not include the proposal covers, cover letter (maximum two pages), dividers, or appendices, which may contain material to support the proposal, such as detailed resumes and other pre-printed material. The proposal shall contain the following information as a minimum:

- **Firm Qualifications/Experiences:** Qualifications must show evidence of technical capability and experience in the key areas identified in the Scope of Services. The experience presented should be for a period covering the last five years. Provide a description of your firm's expertise related to each type of service requested and a complete discussion of your recent experience directly related to the services requested.
- **Personnel Qualifications/Experiences:** The experience presented should be for a period covering the last five years. Provide a description of your personnel's expertise related to each type of service requested, and a full discussion of your recent experience directly related to the services requested
- **Conflicts/Contractual Issues:** Indicate any personnel or organizational conflicts of interest. If there are none, then provide a statement to this effect. Provide a description of any exceptions requested to JCSD's PSA (Attachment A), including indemnity and insurance provisions. If there are no exceptions, a statement to that effect shall be included in the proposal.
- **Availability:** The District is looking for a responsive consultants to execute necessary services in an expeditious manner. When specific tasks are identified, Consultant shall endeavor to submit a proposal within seven days of request and commence work within seven days upon receiving the task order. Consultants will be required to provide the necessary staff resources to complete the task in a timely manner.
- **Knowledge of JCSD Standards/Guidelines**
- **Hourly Rates or fee schedule for the proposed services for the duration of the three (3) year on-call contract**

3. SELECTION OF CONSULTANT

1. CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

Selection among the proposals received shall be based upon (but not necessarily in the order given) the following: The firm's organization, team members, history, reputation, location, and capability to perform all aspects of the work.

- Proposal Review: A committee will review and evaluate each proposal to determine if it meets each Category of Service requirements. Failure to meet the requirements will be cause for eliminating the applicant from further consideration.
 - Qualifications and experience of the project team, including appropriate professional registrations, based on work performed on similar projects, the capacity of the team to handle all aspects of the project, and capability to manage the project
 - Firm's experience, including past performance on similar projects
 - Exceptions to the request for proposals taken by the Consultant
- Selection: Based on the committee's evaluation and scoring of each applicant's qualifications, the firms will be ranked by the evaluation committee. It is anticipated that three to five contracts per category will be awarded, with the highest firms being selected. However, the District reserves the right to consider the overall distribution of contracts and may award agreements as it deems necessary to achieve balance, regardless of the assigned rank.
- Short List: The approved "Short List" will be valid for two years with an option to extend two terms- (2) years per term. The District has the right to add and remove firms from the list during the three-year contract period. The District has the right, at its sole discretion, to qualify additional firms throughout this period.

2. INTERVIEWS

JCSD may elect to conduct interviews with some or all the firms depending on the rankings of the proposals.

3. NOTIFICATION OF UNSUCCESSFUL CONSULTANTS

Unsuccessful potential Consultants shall be notified as soon as possible by JCSD following the determination of the recommended Consultant.

4. SCOPE OF WORK

Project background and a Scope of Work for this RFQ are provided in Attachment B.

5. LIST OF ATTACHMENT AND REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

The following attachments are included in the RFP:

Attachment "A" - JCSD's Standard Professional Services Agreement

Attachment "B" - Scope of Work

- This RFQ will be available on the District's web page at: <http://www.jcsd.us/bids>
- District's Standards Manual consists of basic specifications, and standard drawings are available at <https://www.jcsd.us/business/standards-manual>.
- District's current Water and Sewer master plan documents can be viewed at <http://www.jcsd.us/documents>

ATTACHMENT A

JCSD STANDARD PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT (SAMPLE)

**JURUPA COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT**

1. PARTIES AND DATE.

This Agreement is made and entered into this _____ day of _____ in the year Two Thousand ____, by and between the Jurupa Community Services District, an independent special district of the State of California with its principal place of business at 11201 Harrel Street, Jurupa Valley, California 91752 (“**District**”) and _____ with a place of business at _____ (“**Consultant**”). District and Consultant are sometimes individually referred to as “**Party**” and collectively as “**Parties**” in this Agreement.

2. RECITALS.

2.1 Consultant.

Consultant desires to perform and assume responsibility for the provision of certain professional services required by the District on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. Consultant represents that it is experienced in providing the professional services described herein, is licensed in the State of California, and is familiar with the plans of District.

2.2 Project

District desires to engage Consultant to render such services for _____ (“**Project**”) as set forth in this Agreement.

3. TERMS.

3.1 Scope of Services and Term.

3.1.1 General Scope of Services. Consultant promises and agrees to furnish to the District all labor, materials, tools, equipment, services, and incidental and customary work necessary to fully and adequately perform the _____ services necessary for the Project (“**Services**”). The Services are more particularly described in Exhibit “A” attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. All Services shall be subject to, and performed in accordance with, this Agreement, the exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and all applicable local, state and federal laws, rules, and regulations.

3.1.2 Term. The term of this Agreement shall be from _____ to _____, unless earlier terminated as provided herein. Consultant shall complete the Services within the term of this Agreement, and shall meet any other established schedules and deadlines. The Parties may, by mutual, written consent, extend the term of this Agreement if necessary to complete the Services.

3.2 Responsibilities of Consultant.

3.2.1 Control and Payment of Subordinates; Independent Contractor. The Services shall be performed by Consultant or under its supervision. Consultant will determine the means, methods and details of performing the Services subject to the requirements of this Agreement. District retains Consultant on an independent contractor basis and not as an employee. Consultant retains the right to perform similar or different services for others during the term of this Agreement. Any additional personnel performing the Services under this Agreement on behalf of Consultant shall also not be employees of District and shall at all times be under Consultant's exclusive direction and control. Consultant shall pay all wages, salaries, and other amounts due such personnel in connection with their performance of Services under this Agreement and as required by law. Consultant shall be responsible for all reports and obligations respecting such additional personnel, including, but not limited to: social security taxes, income tax withholding, unemployment insurance, disability insurance, and workers' compensation insurance.

3.2.2 Schedule of Services. Consultant shall perform the Services expeditiously, within the term of this Agreement, and in accordance with the Schedule of Services set forth in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Consultant represents that it has the professional and technical personnel required to perform the Services in conformance with such conditions. In order to facilitate Consultant's conformance with the Schedule, District shall respond to Consultant's submittals in a timely manner. Upon request of District, Consultant shall provide a more detailed schedule of anticipated performance to meet the Schedule of Services.

3.2.3 Conformance to Applicable Requirements. All work prepared by Consultant shall be subject to the approval of District.

3.2.4 Substitution of Key Personnel. Consultant has represented to District that certain key personnel will perform and coordinate the Services under this Agreement. Should one or more of such personnel become unavailable, Consultant may substitute other personnel of at least equal competence upon written approval of District. In the event that District and Consultant cannot agree as to the substitution of key personnel, District shall be entitled to terminate this Agreement for cause. As discussed below, any personnel who fail or refuse to perform the Services in a manner acceptable to the District, or who are determined by the District to be uncooperative, incompetent, a threat to the adequate or timely completion of the Project or a threat to the safety of persons or property, shall be promptly removed from the Project by the Consultant at the request of the District. Consultant's key personnel for performance of this Agreement are as follows:

_____.

3.2.5 District's Representative. The District hereby designates _____, or his or her designee, to act as its representative for the performance of this Agreement ("**District's Representative**"). District's Representative shall have the power to act on behalf of the District for all purposes under this Contract. Consultant shall not accept direction or orders from any person other than the District's Representative or his or her designee.

3.2.6 Consultant's Representative. Consultant hereby designates _____, or his or her designee, to act as its representative for the performance of this Agreement ("**Consultant's Representative**"). Consultant's Representative shall have full

authority to represent and act on behalf of the Consultant for all purposes under this Agreement. The Consultant's Representative shall supervise and direct the Services, using his best skill and attention, and shall be responsible for all means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures and for the satisfactory coordination of all portions of the Services under this Agreement.

3.2.7 Coordination of Services. Consultant agrees to work closely with District staff in the performance of Services and shall be available to District's staff, consultants and other staff at all reasonable times.

3.2.8 Standard of Care; Performance of Employees. Consultant shall perform all Services under this Agreement in a skillful and competent manner, consistent with the standards generally recognized as being employed by professionals in the same discipline in the State of California. Consultant represents and maintains that it is skilled in the professional calling necessary to perform the Services. Consultant warrants that all employees and subconsultants shall have sufficient skill and experience to perform the Services assigned to them. Finally, Consultant represents that it, its employees and subconsultants have all licenses, permits, qualifications and approvals of whatever nature that are legally required to perform the Services, and that such licenses and approvals shall be maintained throughout the term of this Agreement. As provided for in the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, Consultant shall perform, at its own cost and expense and without reimbursement from the District, any services necessary to correct willful or negligent errors or omissions which are caused by the Consultant's failure to comply with the standard of care provided for herein. Any employee of the Consultant or its subconsultants who is determined by the District to be uncooperative, incompetent, a threat to the adequate or timely completion of the Project, a threat to the safety of persons or property, or any employee who fails or refuses to perform the Services in a manner acceptable to the District, shall be promptly removed from the Project by the Consultant and shall not be re-employed to perform any of the Services or to work on the Project.

3.2.9 Period of Performance and Damages. Consultant shall perform and complete all Services under this Agreement within the term set forth in Section 3.1.2 above ("**Performance Time**"). Consultant shall also perform the Services in strict accordance with any completion schedule or Project milestones described in Exhibits "A" or "B" attached hereto, or which may be separately agreed upon in writing by the District and Consultant ("**Performance Milestones**"). Consultant agrees that if the Services are not completed within the aforementioned Performance Time and/or pursuant to any such Project Milestones developed pursuant to provisions of this Agreement due to Consultant's willful behavior or negligence, it is understood, acknowledged and agreed that the District will suffer damage.

3.2.10 Laws and Regulations; Employee/Labor Certifications. Consultant shall keep itself fully informed of and in compliance with all local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations in any manner affecting the performance of the Project or the Services, including all Cal/OSHA requirements, and shall give all notices required by law. Consultant shall be liable for all violations of such laws and regulations in connection with Services. If the Consultant performs any work knowing it to be contrary to such laws, rules and regulations and without giving written notice to the District, Consultant shall be solely responsible for all costs arising therefrom. Consultant shall defend, indemnify and hold District, its officials, directors, officers, employees, and agents free and harmless, pursuant to the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, from

any claim or liability arising out of any failure or alleged failure to comply with such laws, rules or regulations.

3.2.10.1 Employment Eligibility; Consultant. By executing this Agreement, Consultant verifies that it fully complies with all requirements and restrictions of state and federal law respecting the employment of undocumented aliens, including, but not limited to, the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, as may be amended from time to time. Such requirements and restrictions include, but are not limited to, examination and retention of documentation confirming the identity and immigration status of each employee of the Consultant. Consultant also verifies that it has not committed a violation of any such law within the five (5) years immediately preceding the date of execution of this Agreement, and shall not violate any such law at any time during the term of the Agreement. Consultant shall avoid any violation of any such law during the term of this Agreement by participating in an electronic verification of work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security, by participating in an equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, or by some other legally acceptable method. Consultant shall maintain records of each such verification, and shall make them available to the District or its representatives for inspection and copy at any time during normal business hours. The District shall not be responsible for any costs or expenses related to Consultant's compliance with the requirements provided for in Section 3.2.10 or any of its sub-sections.

3.2.10.2 Employment Eligibility; Subcontractors, Consultants, Sub-subcontractors and Subconsultants. To the same extent and under the same conditions as Consultant, Consultant shall require all of its subcontractors, consultants, sub-subcontractors and subconsultants performing any work relating to the Project or this Agreement to make the same verifications and comply with all requirements and restrictions provided for in Section 3.2.10.1.

3.2.10.3 Employment Eligibility; Failure to Comply. The persons executing this Agreement on behalf of Consultant verify that they are duly authorized officers of Consultant, and understand that any of the following shall be grounds for the District to terminate the Agreement for cause: (1) failure of Consultant or its subcontractors, consultants, sub-subcontractors or subconsultants to meet any of the requirements provided for in Sections 3.2.10.1 or 3.2.10.2; (2) any misrepresentation or material omission concerning compliance with such requirements (including in those verifications provided to the Consultant under Section 3.2.10.2); or (3) failure to immediately remove from the Project any person found not to be in compliance with such requirements.

3.2.10.4 Labor Certification. By its signature hereunder, Consultant certifies that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and agrees to comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the Services.

3.2.10.5 Equal Opportunity Employment. Consultant represents that it is an equal opportunity employer and it shall not discriminate against any subconsultant, employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, national origin, handicap, ancestry,

sex or age. Such non-discrimination shall include, but not be limited to, all activities related to initial employment, upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination. Consultant shall also comply with all relevant provisions of District's Minority Business Enterprise program, Affirmative Action Plan or other related programs or guidelines currently in effect or hereinafter enacted.

3.2.11 Accounting Records. Consultant shall maintain complete and accurate records with respect to all costs and expenses incurred under this Agreement. All such records shall be clearly identifiable. Consultant shall allow a representative of District during normal business hours to examine, audit, and make transcripts or copies of such records and any other documents created pursuant to this Agreement. Consultant shall allow inspection of all work, data, documents, proceedings, and activities related to the Agreement for a period of three (3) years from the date of final payment under this Agreement.

3.2.12 Insurance.

3.2.12.1 Time for Compliance. Consultant shall not commence Work under this Agreement until it has provided evidence satisfactory to the District that it has secured all insurance required under this section. In addition, Consultant shall not allow any subconsultant to commence work on any subcontract until it has provided evidence satisfactory to the District that the subconsultant has secured all insurance required under this section. Failure to provide and maintain all required insurance shall be grounds for the District to terminate this Agreement for cause.

3.2.12.2 Minimum Requirements. Consultant shall, at its expense, procure and maintain for the duration of the Agreement insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the Agreement by the Consultant, its agents, representatives, employees or subconsultants. Consultant shall also require all of its subconsultants to procure and maintain the same insurance for the duration of the Agreement. Such insurance shall meet at least the following minimum levels of coverage:

(A) Minimum Scope of Insurance. Coverage shall be at least as broad as the latest version of the following: (1) *General Liability*: Insurance Services Office Commercial General Liability coverage (occurrence form CG 0001); (2) *Automobile Liability*: Insurance Services Office Business Auto Coverage form number CA 0001, code 1 (any auto); and (3) *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability*: Workers' Compensation insurance as required by the State of California and Employer's Liability Insurance.

(B) Minimum Limits of Insurance. Consultant shall maintain limits no less than: (1) *General Liability*: \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage. If Commercial General Liability Insurance or other form with general aggregate limit is used including, but not limited to, form CG 2503, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this Agreement/location or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit; (2) *Automobile Liability*: \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury and property damage; and (3) *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability*: Workers'

Compensation limits as required by the Labor Code of the State of California. Employer's Liability limits of \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury or disease.

3.2.12.3 Professional Liability. Errors and omissions coverage with limits of liability no less than \$1 million per occurrence.

3.2.12.4 Insurance Endorsements. The insurance policies shall contain the following provisions, or Consultant shall provide endorsements on forms supplied or approved by the District to add the following provisions to the insurance policies:

(A) General Liability. The general liability policy shall include or be endorsed (amended) to state that: (1) the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be covered as additional insured with respect to the Work or operations performed by or on behalf of the Consultant, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection with such work; and (2) the insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers, or if excess, shall stand in an unbroken chain of coverage excess of the Consultant's scheduled underlying coverage. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be excess of the Consultant's insurance and shall not be called upon to contribute with it in any way.

(B) Automobile Liability. The automobile liability policy shall include or be endorsed (amended) to state that: (1) the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be covered as additional insureds with respect to the ownership, operation, maintenance, use, loading or unloading of any auto owned, leased, hired or borrowed by the Consultant or for which the Consultant is responsible; and (2) the insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers, or if excess, shall stand in an unbroken chain of coverage excess of the Consultant's scheduled underlying coverage. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be excess of the Consultant's insurance and shall not be called upon to contribute with it in any way.

(C) Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Coverage. The insurer shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers for losses paid under the terms of the insurance policy which arise from work performed by the Consultant.

(D) All Coverages. Each insurance policy required by this Agreement shall be endorsed to state that: (A) coverage shall not be suspended, voided, reduced or canceled except after thirty (30) days prior written notice by mail has been given to the District; and (B) any failure to comply with reporting or other provisions of the policies, including breaches of warranties, shall not affect coverage provided to the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers.

3.2.12.5 Separation of Insureds; No Special Limitations. All insurance required by this Section shall contain standard separation of insureds provisions. In addition, such

insurance shall not contain any special limitations on the scope of protection afforded to the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers.

3.2.12.6 Deductibles and Self-Insurance Retentions. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the District. Consultant shall guarantee that, at the option of the District, either: (1) the insurer shall reduce or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions as respects the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers; or (2) the Consultant shall procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation costs, claims, and administrative and defense expenses.

3.2.12.7 Acceptability of Insurers. Insurance is to be placed with insurers with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than A:VIII, licensed to do business in California, and satisfactory to the District.

3.2.12.8 Verification of Coverage. Consultant shall furnish District with original certificates of insurance and endorsements effecting coverage required by this Agreement on forms satisfactory to the District. The certificates and endorsements for each insurance policy shall be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf, and shall be on forms provided by the District if requested. All certificates and endorsements must be received and approved by the District before work commences. The District reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, at any time.

3.2.12.9 Reporting of Claims. Consultant shall report to the District, in addition to Consultant's insurer, any and all insurance claims submitted by Consultant in connection with the Services under this Agreement.

3.2.13 Safety. Consultant shall execute and maintain its work so as to avoid injury or damage to any person or property. In carrying out its Services, the Consultant shall at all times be in compliance with all applicable local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations, and shall exercise all necessary precautions for the safety of employees appropriate to the nature of the work and the conditions under which the work is to be performed. Safety precautions as applicable shall include, but shall not be limited to: (A) adequate life protection and life saving equipment and procedures; (B) instructions in accident prevention for all employees and subconsultants, such as safe walkways, scaffolds, fall protection ladders, bridges, gang planks, confined space procedures, trenching and shoring, equipment and other safety devices, equipment and wearing apparel as are necessary or lawfully required to prevent accidents or injuries; and (C) adequate facilities for the proper inspection and maintenance of all safety measures.

3.3 Fees and Payments.

3.3.1 Compensation. Consultant shall receive compensation, including authorized reimbursements, for all Services rendered under this Agreement at the rates set forth in Exhibit "C" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The total compensation shall not exceed _____ without written approval of District. Extra Work may be authorized, as described below, and if authorized, will be compensated at the rates and manner set forth in this Agreement.

3.3.2 Payment of Compensation. Consultant shall submit to District a monthly itemized statement which indicates work completed and hours of Services rendered by Consultant. The statement shall describe the amount of Services and supplies provided since the initial commencement date, or since the start of the subsequent billing periods, as appropriate, through the date of the statement. District shall, within 45 days of receiving such statement, review the statement and pay all approved charges thereon.

3.3.3 Reimbursement for Expenses. Consultant shall not be reimbursed for any expenses unless authorized in writing by District.

3.3.4 Extra Work. At any time during the term of this Agreement, District may request that Consultant perform Extra Work. As used herein, “**Extra Work**” means any work which is determined by District to be necessary for the proper completion of the Project, but which the parties did not reasonably anticipate would be necessary at the execution of this Agreement. Consultant shall not perform, nor be compensated for, Extra Work without written authorization from District’s Representative.

3.3.5 Prevailing Wages. Consultant is aware of the requirements of California Labor Code Section 1720, et seq., and 1770, et seq., as well as California Code of Regulations, Title 8, Section 16000, et seq., (“**Prevailing Wage Laws**”), which require the payment of prevailing wage rates and the performance of other requirements on “public works” and “maintenance” projects. If the Services are being performed as part of an applicable “public works” or “maintenance” project, as defined by the Prevailing Wage Laws, and if the total compensation is \$1,000 or more, Consultant agrees to fully comply with such Prevailing Wage Laws, including the requirement to be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations and to file certified payroll records electronically with the Department. District shall provide Consultant with a copy of the prevailing rates of per diem wages in effect at the commencement of this Agreement. Consultant shall make copies of the prevailing rates of per diem wages for each craft; classification or type of worker needed to execute the Services available to interested parties upon request, and shall post copies at the Consultant’s principal place of business and at the project site. Consultant shall defend, indemnify and hold the District, its elected officials, officers, employees and agents free and harmless from any claim or liability arising out of any failure or alleged failure to comply with the Prevailing Wage Laws.

3.4 Termination of Agreement.

3.4.1 Grounds for Termination. District may, by written notice to Consultant, terminate the whole or any part of this Agreement at any time and without cause by giving written notice to Consultant of such termination, and specifying the effective date thereof, at least seven (7) days before the effective date of such termination. Upon termination, Consultant shall be compensated only for those services which have been adequately rendered to District, and Consultant shall be entitled to no further compensation. Consultant may not terminate this Agreement except for cause.

3.4.2 Effect of Termination. If this Agreement is terminated as provided herein, District may require Consultant to provide all finished or unfinished Documents and Data and other information of any kind prepared by Consultant in connection with the performance of

Services under this Agreement. Consultant shall be required to provide such document and other information within fifteen (15) days of the request.

3.4.3 Additional Services. In the event this Agreement is terminated in whole or in part as provided herein, District may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it may determine appropriate, services similar to those terminated.

3.5 Ownership of Materials and Confidentiality.

3.5.1 Documents & Data; Licensing of Intellectual Property. This Agreement creates a non-exclusive and perpetual license for District to copy, use, modify, reuse, or sublicense any and all copyrights, designs, and other intellectual property embodied in plans, specifications, studies, drawings, estimates, and other documents or works of authorship fixed in any tangible medium of expression, including but not limited to, physical drawings or data magnetically or otherwise recorded on computer diskettes, which are prepared or caused to be prepared by Consultant under this Agreement (“**Documents & Data**”). All Documents & Data shall be and remains the property of District, and shall not be used in whole or in substantial part by Consultant on other projects without the District's express written permission. Within thirty (30) days following the completion, suspension, abandonment or termination of this Agreement, Consultant shall provide to District reproducible copies of all Documents & Data, in a form and amount required by District. District reserves the right to select the method of document reproduction and to establish where the reproduction will be accomplished. The reproduction expense shall be borne by District at the actual cost of duplication. In the event of a dispute regarding the amount of compensation to which the Consultant is entitled under the termination provisions of this Agreement, Consultant shall provide all Documents & Data to District upon payment of the undisputed amount. Consultant shall have no right to retain or fail to provide to District any such documents pending resolution of the dispute. In addition, Consultant shall retain copies of all Documents & Data on file for a minimum of fifteen (15) years following completion of the Project, and shall make copies available to District upon the payment of actual reasonable duplication costs. Before destroying the Documents & Data following this retention period, Consultant shall make a reasonable effort to notify District and provide District with the opportunity to obtain the documents.

3.5.2 Subconsultants. Consultant shall require all subconsultants to agree in writing that District is granted a non-exclusive and perpetual license for any Documents & Data the subconsultant prepares under this Agreement. Consultant represents and warrants that Consultant has the legal right to license any and all Documents & Data. Consultant makes no such representation and warranty in regard to Documents & Data which were prepared by design professionals other than Consultant or its subconsultants, or those provided to Consultant by the District.

3.5.3 Right to Use. District shall not be limited in any way in its use or reuse of the Documents & Data or any part of them at any time for purposes of this Project or another project, provided that any such use not within the purposes intended by this Agreement or on a project other than this Project without employing the services of Consultant shall be at District's sole risk. If District uses or reuses the Documents & Data on any project other than this Project, it shall remove the Consultant's seal from the Documents & Data and indemnify and hold harmless

Consultant and its officers, directors, agents and employees from claims arising out of the negligent use or re-use of the Documents & Data on such other project. Consultant shall be responsible and liable for its Documents & Data, pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, only with respect to the condition of the Documents & Data at the time they are provided to the District upon completion, suspension, abandonment or termination. Consultant shall not be responsible or liable for any revisions to the Documents & Data made by any party other than Consultant, a party for whom the Consultant is legally responsible or liable, or anyone approved by the Consultant.

3.5.4 Indemnification. Consultant shall defend, indemnify and hold the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents free and harmless, pursuant to the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, for any alleged infringement of any patent, copyright, trade secret, trade name, trademark, or any other proprietary right of any person or entity in consequence of the use on the Project by District of the Documents & Data, including any method, process, product, or concept specified or depicted.

3.5.5 Confidentiality. All Documents & Data, either created by or provided to Consultant in connection with the performance of this Agreement, shall be held confidential by Consultant. All Documents & Data shall not, without the prior written consent of District, be used or reproduced by Consultant for any purposes other than the performance of the Services. Consultant shall not disclose, cause or facilitate the disclosure of the Documents & Data to any person or entity not connected with the performance of the Services or the Project. Nothing furnished to Consultant that is otherwise known to Consultant or is generally known, or has become known, to the related industry shall be deemed confidential. Consultant shall not use District's name or insignia, photographs of the Project, or any publicity pertaining to the Services or the Project in any magazine, trade paper, newspaper, television or radio production or other similar medium without the prior written consent of District.

3.6 General Provisions.

3.6.1 Delivery of Notices. All notices permitted or required under this Agreement shall be given to the respective parties at the following address, or at such other address as the respective parties may provide in writing for this purpose:

Consultant:

Attn: _____

District:

Jurupa Community Services District
11201 Harrel Street
Jurupa Valley, CA 91752
Attn: _____

Such notice shall be deemed made when personally delivered or when mailed, forty-eight (48) hours after deposit in the U.S. Mail, first class postage prepaid and addressed to the party at its applicable address. Actual notice shall be deemed adequate notice on the date actual notice occurred, regardless of the method of service.

3.6.2 Indemnification.

3.6.2.1 Scope of Indemnity. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Consultant shall defend, indemnify and hold the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents free and harmless from any and all claims, demands, causes of action, costs, expenses, liability, loss, damage or injury of any kind, in law or equity, to property or persons, including wrongful death, to the extent caused by any willful or negligent acts, errors or omissions of Consultant, its officials, officers, employees, subcontractors, consultants or agents in connection with the performance of the Consultant's Services, the Project or this Agreement, including without limitation the payment of expert witness fees and attorneys fees and other related costs and expenses. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent Consultant's Services are subject to Civil Code Section 2782.8, the above indemnity shall be limited, to the extent required by Civil Code Section 2782.8, to claims that arise out of, pertain to, or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of the Consultant.

3.6.2.2 Indemnity Obligations. Consultant shall defend, with Counsel of District's choosing and at Consultant's own cost, expense and risk, any and all claims, suits, actions or other proceedings of every kind covered by Section 3.6.2.1 that may be brought or instituted against District or its directors, officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents to the extent such allegations are caused by Consultant's willful or negligent acts, errors or omissions. Consultant shall pay and satisfy any judgment, award or decree that may be rendered against District or its directors, officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents as part of any such claim, suit, action or other proceeding. Consultant shall also reimburse District for the cost of any settlement paid by District or its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents or volunteers as part of any such claim, suit, action or other proceeding. In the event the subject action alleges willful behavior or negligence on the part of Consultant and/or the District, or any third parties not under contract with Consultant, Consultant's obligations regarding the District's defense under this paragraph include only the reimbursement of the District's defense costs incurred to the extent of Consultant's negligence. Such reimbursement shall include payment for attorney's fees and costs, including expert witness fees. Consultant shall reimburse District and its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and/or volunteers, for any and all legal expenses and costs incurred by each of them in connection therewith or in enforcing the indemnity herein provided. Consultant's obligation to indemnify shall survive expiration or termination of this Agreement, and shall not be restricted to insurance proceeds, if any, received by the District, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, or volunteers.

3.6.3 Governing Law; Government Code Claim Compliance. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Venue shall be in Riverside County. In addition to any and all contract requirements pertaining to notices of and requests for compensation or payment for extra work, disputed work, claims and/or changed conditions, Consultant must comply with the claim procedures set forth in Government Code sections 900 et seq. prior to filing

any lawsuit against the District. Such Government Code claims and any subsequent lawsuit based upon the Government Code claims shall be limited to those matters that remain unresolved after all procedures pertaining to extra work, disputed work, claims, and/or changed conditions have been followed by Consultant. If no such Government Code claim is submitted, or if any prerequisite contractual requirements are not otherwise satisfied as specified herein, Consultant shall be barred from bringing and maintaining a valid lawsuit against the District.

3.6.4 Time of Essence. Time is of the essence for each and every provision of this Agreement.

3.6.5 District's Right to Employ Other Consultants. District reserves right to employ other consultants in connection with this Project.

3.6.6 Successors and Assigns. This Agreement shall be binding on the successors and assigns of the parties.

3.6.7 Assignment or Transfer. Consultant shall not assign, hypothecate, or transfer, either directly or by operation of law, this Agreement or any interest herein without the prior written consent of the District. Any attempt to do so shall be null and void, and any assignees, hypothecates or transferees shall acquire no right or interest by reason of such attempted assignment, hypothecation or transfer.

3.6.8 Construction; References; Captions. Since the Parties or their agents have participated fully in the preparation of this Agreement, the language of this Agreement shall be construed simply, according to its fair meaning, and not strictly for or against any Party. Any term referencing time, days or period for performance shall be deemed calendar days and not work days. All references to Consultant include all personnel, employees, agents, and subconsultants of Consultant, except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. All references to District include its elected officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. The captions of the various articles and paragraphs are for convenience and ease of reference only, and do not define, limit, augment, or describe the scope, content or intent of this Agreement.

3.6.9 Amendment; Modification. No supplement, modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be binding unless executed in writing and signed by both Parties.

3.6.10 Waiver. No waiver of any default shall constitute a waiver of any other default or breach, whether of the same or other covenant or condition. No waiver, benefit, privilege, or service voluntarily given or performed by a Party shall give the other Party any contractual rights by custom, estoppel or otherwise.

3.6.11 No Third Party Beneficiaries. There are no intended third party beneficiaries of any right or obligation assumed by the Parties.

3.6.12 Invalidity; Severability. If any portion of this Agreement is declared invalid, illegal, or otherwise unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

3.6.13 Prohibited Interests. Consultant maintains and warrants that it has not employed nor retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Consultant, to solicit or secure this Agreement. Further, Consultant warrants that it has not paid nor has it agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Consultant, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift or other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement. Consultant further agrees to file, or shall cause its employees or subconsultants to file, a Statement of Economic Interest with the District's Filing Officer as required under state law in the performance of the Services. For breach or violation of this warranty, District shall have the right to rescind this Agreement without liability. For the term of this Agreement, no member, officer or employee of District, during the term of his or her service with District, shall have any direct interest in this Agreement, or obtain any present or anticipated material benefit arising therefrom.

3.6.14 Cooperation; Further Acts. The Parties shall fully cooperate with one another, and shall take any additional acts or sign any additional documents as may be necessary, appropriate or convenient to attain the purposes of this Agreement.

3.6.15 Attorney's Fees. If either party commences an action against the other party, either legal, administrative or otherwise, arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the prevailing party in such litigation shall be entitled to have and recover from the losing party reasonable attorney's fees and all other costs of such action.

3.6.16 Authority to Enter Agreement. Consultant has all requisite power and authority to conduct its business and to execute, deliver, and perform the Agreement. Each Party warrants that the individuals who have signed this Agreement have the legal power, right, and authority to make this Agreement and bind each respective Party.

3.6.17 Counterparts. This Agreement may be signed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original.

3.6.18 Entire Agreement. This Agreement contains the entire Agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes all prior negotiations, understandings or agreements. This Agreement may only be modified by a writing signed by both parties.

**JURUPA COMMUNITY SERVICES
DISTRICT**

By:

Chris Berch, P.E.
General Manager

ATTEST:

Maria Ayala
Executive Services Manager/Secretary to
the Board of Directors

CONSULTANT

By:

Signature

Name (Print)

Title (Print)

By:

Signature

Name (Print)

Title (Print)

EXHIBIT “A”
SCOPE OF SERVICES

EXHIBIT “B”
SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

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**EXHIBIT “C”
COMPENSATION**

ATTACHMENT B

SCOPE OF SERVICES

Scope of Work

Background:

JCSD was established in 1956 to provide sewer service to the Jurupa area. JCSD began providing water service in 1966 with the consolidation of the Jurupa Heights Water Company, La Bonita Mutual Water Company, and the Monte Rue Acres Mutual Water Company. JCSD expanded its service area west to an unincorporated area of the County, which is now the City of Eastvale, and expanded its scope of services to include streetlight maintenance, frontage landscape maintenance, graffiti abatement, and parks and recreation services.

Today, the JCSD service area covers 40.8 square miles of northwest Riverside County and includes the city of Eastvale and the majority of the city of Jurupa Valley. JCSD serves 128,792 people and is governed by five elected representatives from both cities. This Board of Directors consists of representatives from each of the five districts within this service area.

Water System

JCSD maintains approximately 452 miles of potable water lines, sixteen (16) water storage reservoirs with a total storage capacity of 57 MG, eight (8) booster pump stations serving seven (7) pressure zones, and operates eighteen (18) potable water wells in the Chino Basin.

The District operates two ion-exchange plants to de-nitrify water from several wells. The first is the Roger D. Teagarden Ion Exchange Facility (18 MGD Capacity) which removes nitrates from eight (8) potable wells. The other plant is the Well 17/18 Ion Exchange Facility (2.88 MGD Capacity) that removes nitrates from JCSD Well Nos. 17 and 18.

Sewer System

JCSD's sewer system consists of approximately 385 miles of pipe, ranging from 6 inches to 42 inches in diameter, eight (8) active lift stations, and three (3) standby lift stations. The District's sewer system can be divided into three sewer systems based upon the three different treatment plants they primarily discharge to. The older portion of the District discharges to the City of Riverside Treatment Plant, mainly from the Jurupa Valley side. The newest portion of the District in the City of Eastvale discharges to the Western Riverside County Regional Wastewater Authority (WRCRWA) treatment plant. The Community Facilities District 1 (CFD 1) discharges to the Inland Empire Brine Line (Brine Line). The Brine Line is owned and operated by the Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority and discharges to Orange County Sanitation District for treatment and ocean discharge. The Brine Line is designed for non-reclaimable and industrial waste.

Recycled Water System

JCSD is in the process of building a recycled water system in to convey recycled water from the Western Riverside County Regional Wastewater Authority's (WRCWRA) wastewater treatment plan to irrigation customers within JCSD's service area. The proposed system consists of various pipe sizes ranging from 8" to 24" and a booster station to provide approximately 500 ac-ft/yr of recycled water. The project is currently in the preliminary design phase, and construction is expected to begin in 2022, with anticipated completion by early 2024.

Parks Department

The JCSD Parks & Recreation Department is comprised of three divisions: Administration, Park/Facility Maintenance and Operations, and Recreation / Community Services. Together, they manage over 250 acres of parkland, including 15 parks, various facilities, and frontage landscaping, while also offering a wide range of recreation programs, activities, and special events.

Project Overview and Objectives:

The District is soliciting proposals from professional consulting firms to provide professional services on an as-needed basis. The Consultant shall provide professional services supporting the categories described below as appropriate.

Water Resources Services

Under this on-call contract, typical water resource services are expected to include:

- Evaluate groundwater, surface water, imported water, and other supply sources for characteristics such as water quality, yield, reliability, and long-term sustainability
- Integrate source water analysis into supply portfolio planning
- Prepare feasibility studies and master plans for recycled water systems
- Assess infrastructure needs and identify potable and non-potable reuse opportunities
- Provide regulatory guidance and permitting support
- Develop and apply hydrologic models
- Conduct demand forecasting and scenario analysis
- Evaluate model under climate variability and drought conditions
- Design and evaluate water conservation programs
- Analyze customer usage and develop demand management strategies
- Support compliance with state water use efficiency regulations
- Conduct conceptual and preliminary design for treatment plants (potable, non-potable, advanced treatment)

- Evaluate treatment technologies and system improvements
- Perform demand studies across all customer sectors (residential, commercial, industrial, institutional)
- Analyze historical and projected water use trends
- Integrate demand forecasts into long-term supply planning
- Prepare master planning documents such as Urban Water Management Plans (UWMP), Water Master Plans, and Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM) plans
- Develop, evaluate, and recommend medications to supply portfolios and adaptive management strategies
- Coordinate with regional and multi-agency planning efforts

Landscape Architectural Services:

The work, in general, consists of providing landscape architecture design services. Qualified firms shall have experience in the preparation of design plans, specifications, cost estimates, and contract documents for capital projects, including park and recreation facilities, streetscapes, green infrastructure, and open space projects, as well as constructability reviews of the above-mentioned. Under this on-call contract, typical services are expected to include:

- Preparation of technical studies, assessments, plans, and specifications, including planting and irrigation design, hardscape elements, site amenities, and grading plans.
- Provide project management and coordination with District staff, including preparation and updates on project scope, schedule, and cost.
- Site analysis and field investigation to assess existing conditions, topography, vegetation, drainage, and utilities.
- Preparation of conceptual designs, renderings, and presentations for public engagement and stakeholder review.
- Utility research and coordination with utility providers.
- Geotechnical investigation and soil analysis for landscape suitability.
- Development of water-efficient irrigation systems and compliance with local water conservation regulations.
- Bidding support services, including preparation of bid documents and responding to contractor inquiries.
- Perform QA/QC to ensure compliance with project goals and industry standards.
- Submit monthly invoices conforming to District requirements.
- Prepare and perform presentations to District staff, the public, and other stakeholders.
- Prepare and attend project coordination meetings with District staff and other permitting agencies.

- Prepare cost estimates and project schedules for budgeting and planning purposes.
- Prepare meeting agendas and minutes.
- Landscape architecture support services during construction, including site visits and contractor coordination.
- Risk management and permitting assistance.
- Preparation of legal descriptions and plat maps for landscape-related easements.
- Environmental documentation preparation to comply with CEQA requirements.
- Special landscape studies, reports, and compliance investigations.
- Regulatory compliance with federal, state, and local agencies related to landscape architecture and environmental sustainability.
- Financial/cash flow analysis for capital improvement programs related to landscape projects.
- Development of sustainable landscape strategies, including drought-tolerant plant selection, stormwater management, and habitat restoration.
- Public outreach services, including community workshops and design charrettes.
- Condition assessment of existing landscapes and site amenities.
- Tree assessment and management plans, including inventory, health analysis, and preservation recommendations.
- Integration of landscape elements with civil, electrical, structural, and mechanical services as needed for interdisciplinary projects.

Public Affairs Services:

Under this on-call contract, typical services are expected to include the following services:

Consulting Services

- Communications project management services (projects, outreach, etc.)
- Crisis communications services

Content Development

- Newsletter content creation
- Website content development

Graphic Design

- Design and layout for printed materials (flyers, brochures, trifold, etc.)
- Design and layout for publications (newsletters, booklets, etc.)

- Digital graphic design

Printing and Apparel Services

- Printing services (flyers, brochures, tri-folds, etc.)
- Complex printing services (reports, newsletters, etc.)
- Production of apparel (pre-designed polo shirts, jackets, etc.)

Conservation

- Landscape design services
- Landscape construction and maintenance services

Videography

- Video production services
- Video editing services
- Video project management
- Event and Project Videography

Photography

- Event Photography
- Industrial Photography

Events

- Event Planning and Coordination
- Event Management Services
- A/V Support and Equipment Rental