FROM: HOUSING AND WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS:

SUBJECT: HOUSING AND WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS/WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DIVISION (HWS/WDD): Approval of Homeless to Work Program and Form of Template Agreement; Authorize Director of HWS to Release Request(s) for Proposals, Award and Execute Agreement with the Recommended Service Provider; District 5. [$350,000 - 100% American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Find that the project is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3);

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ACTION: Policy

Heidi Marshall, Director
6/7/2023

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Perez, seconded by Supervisor Gutierrez and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Gutierrez
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: June 27, 2023
xc: HWS

Kimberly A. Rector
Clerk of the Board
By Deputy
RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

2. Authorize the Director of Housing and Workforce Solutions (HWS), or designee, to release request(s) for proposals for any eligible services necessary to implement the Homeless to Work Program;

3. Approve the form of the attached Homeless to Work Program Template Agreement (Template Agreement) for the agreement with the selected service provider under the Program;

4. Upon completion of the bid process, Authorize the Director of HWS, or designee, to submit and execute an Agreement for award of the contract, substantially conforming in form and substance to the Template Agreement, with the service provider selected for the Program as recommended for award by the evaluation team, in an amount not to exceed the funding amount approved under the Program, for a period commencing on or after September 1, 2023 and terminating no later than December 31, 2025, subject to availability of fiscal funding and as approved as to form by County Counsel, provided that, if any of the following occur, the award will be submitted to the Board of Supervisors for action: there is a bid protest, the lowest bid exceeds the estimated budget, the low bidder is disqualified, two or more bids are the same and are the lowest, or a bidder requests relief from its bid due to an error; and

5. Authorize the Director of HWS, or designee, to take all steps necessary to implement the Homeless to Work Program including, but not limited to, signing subsequent essential and relevant documents, and executing any amendments that exercise the options of the Agreement including modifications of the statement of work that stay within the intent of the Agreement, subject to availability of fiscal funding and as approved as to form by County Counsel.

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Budget Adjustment: No
For Fiscal Year: 2023/2024 - 2025/2026

C.E.O. Recommendation: Approve

BACKGROUND:

The COVID-19 pandemic and the corresponding economic crisis have undermined the health and economic wellbeing of American workers. The American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 provided support to communities that have struggled in the wake of COVID-19. Specifically, ARPA provided $130 billion in local funding for cities and counties. Of these funds, $65 billion is allocated for counties based on the county’s population. Eligible uses of these funds include, but is not limited to, assistance to small businesses, households, hard-hit industries, and economic recovery.

As a result of the unprecedented surge in financial instability, labor shortages, and
homelessness the County of Riverside Department of Housing and Workforce Solutions/Workforce Development Division (HWS/WDD) proposes to partner with a Service Provider to administer a transitional employment program called Homeless to Work. The Homeless to Work program aims to assist a minimum of 40 unemployed individuals experiencing homelessness (Participants) in the Pass Area, including the unincorporated community of Cabazon and cities of Beaumont and Banning (Service Area). The Service Provider will be selected via a Request for Proposals (RFP) and will serve as the Service Provider commencing September 2023 through December 31, 2025 (Program Term).

The Homeless to Work program is designed to be a 90-day subsidized employment program in which Participants will work a minimum of 20 subsidized hours per week on beautification projects located within the Service Areas. The Service Provider must also ensure Participants are suitable and eligible to partake in a transitional employment program, maintain full oversight of Participants during work hours, provide Participants with transportation to and from the worksite, and arrange placement of Participants into permanent full-time employment upon completion of Program Term. The Service Provider will also provide case management during the transitional employment program to ensure Participants are successful at completing and obtaining full-time permanent employment.

Service Provider will partner with local businesses, employers, cities, Riverside County resources and partners, as well as homeless service providers contracted with the County of Riverside Continuum of Care (CoC) through an executed Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to implement an integrated and seamless service delivery process for the Homeless to Work Program. The CoC will work with the Service Provider to secure temporary and permanent housing for Participants. The Service Provider will also work with partner agencies to recruit unemployed individuals experiencing homelessness, conduct eligibility and suitability assessment with individuals recruited, and work in a team-based approach to accomplish goals of job development, employment assistance, case management, record keeping and reporting.

The proposed Homeless to Work agreement was reviewed and determined to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3), Common Sense, General Rule Exemption. The project relates to the provision of workforce services and employment and training activities for Riverside County adults and employers. It can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the aforementioned services may have a significant effect on the environment and will not lead to any direct or reasonable indirect physical environmental impacts, as they will have purely financial and administrative impacts.

**Impact on Residents and Businesses**

Approving the Homeless to Work Program Agreement will serve a transformative role in revitalizing local economies experiencing high levels of homelessness and unemployment. It is anticipated that this program will strengthen employment opportunities for homeless individuals who have been disconnected from the workforce. Local business will gain the opportunities to address labor shortages. At the same time, residents in the service area will benefit from the
community improvement projects within their neighborhoods.

**Additional Fiscal Information**
The full cost of this project is $350,000. The funding source is strictly ARPA funds.

**ATTACHMENT:**

- Homeless to Work Program Template Agreement

Britannia Lontajo, Principal Management Analyst 6/21/2023

Lisa Sanchez, Deputy County Counsel 6/14/2023

Kristine Bell-Valdez, Supervising Deputy County Counsel 6/14/2023
PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AGREEMENT

for

HOMELESS TO WORK PROGRAM COORDINATOR SERVICES

Between

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

and

TBD
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This Professional Service Agreement for Homeless to Work Program Coordinator ("Agreement"), is made and entered into effective the _1st_ day of September 2023, by and between TBD, a partnership based in , (herein referred to as the "CONTRACTOR"), and the COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, a political subdivision of the State of California, by and through its DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS (HWS), WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DIVISION (WDD), (herein referred to as the "COUNTY").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the COUNTY has entered into a grant agreement with the State of California, hereinafter referred to as the “Grantor,” pursuant to the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (WIOA); and

WHEREAS, WIOA authorizes state and local workforce agencies such as the COUNTY, through the Riverside County Workforce Development Board, to provide oversight for the WIOA programs, including, but not limited to meeting State workforce performance goals, while addressing the workforce needs of the local economy; and

WHEREAS, The COUNTY has received funding from the American Rescue Plan Act as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic in stimulus packages of 2021 to implement strategic programs including but not limited to, assistance to small businesses, households, hard-hit industries, and general economic recovery within the COUNTY’s jurisdiction.

WHEREAS, in connection with the State of California to administer American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funded programs, the COUNTY issued a Request for Proposal, 2023, Program Year 2023-2024 (RFP) on June 2023 to solicit a Homeless to Work program coordinator to implement scope of services, outlined within the RFP. The RFP is incorporated herein by this reference; and

WHEREAS, CONTRACTOR responded to the RFP and based on CONTRACTORS prior experience working with target population and service area, COUNTY awarded CONTRACTOR with an allocation of WIOA funds to serve as the Homeless to Work coordinator; and

WHEREAS, County desires to enter into an Agreement with the CONTRACTOR based on its expertise, special skills, knowledge and experience in providing such services, as more specifically set forth in the Agreement below.
NOW, THEREFORE, based upon the foregoing recitals and for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by all Parties, the COUNTY and CONTRACTOR hereby agree as follows:

1. **Description of Services**
   
   1.1 The CONTRACTOR shall serve as the Homeless to Work program coordinator and provide services as outlined and specified in the Scope of Services attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit A, and the Program Budget attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit B, for the amount not to exceed that which is stated in paragraph 3.1.

   1.2 CONTRACTOR represents that it has the skills, experience, knowledge, personnel, equipment, and facilities necessary to perform under this Agreement and the COUNTY relies upon this representation. CONTRACTOR shall perform to the satisfaction of the COUNTY and in conformance to and consistent with the highest standards of firms/professionals in the same discipline in the State of California.

   1.3 CONTRACTOR affirms that it is fully apprised of all of the work to be performed under this Agreement; and the CONTRACTOR agrees it can properly perform this work at the prices stated in Exhibit B. CONTRACTOR is not to perform services or provide products outside of the Agreement.

   1.4 Acceptance by the COUNTY of the CONTRACTOR’s performance under this Agreement does not operate as a release of CONTRACTOR’s responsibility for full compliance with the terms of this Agreement.

2. **Period of Performance**

   The CONTRACTOR shall perform the scope of services for the COUNTY in a timely manner and COUNTY’S satisfaction, as more specifically set forth in Exhibit A, Scope of Services, and in Exhibit B, Program Budget, as such services are necessary for the implementation and execution of the Homeless to Work program. This Agreement shall commence effective September 1, 2023, and continues in effect through August 30, 2025, unless terminated earlier. CONTRACTOR shall commence performance upon the effective date of this Agreement and shall diligently and continuously perform thereafter. The Riverside County Board of Supervisors is the only authority that may obligate the County for a non-cancelable multi-year agreement.

3. **Compensation**

   3.1 The COUNTY shall pay the CONTRACTOR for services performed, products provided, and expenses incurred for the Scope of Services defined in Exhibit A, pursuant to the Program Budget set forth
in Exhibit B. Maximum payments by COUNTY to CONTRACTOR shall not exceed three hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($350,000) for the duration of the contract term, including all expenses. The COUNTY is not responsible for any fees or costs incurred above or beyond the contracted amount and shall have no obligation to purchase any specified number of services or products, unless agreed to by the COUNTY in writing.

3.2 No price increases will be permitted during the first year of this Agreement (if applicable). All price decreases (for example, if CONTRACTOR offers lower prices to another governmental entity) will automatically be extended to the COUNTY. The COUNTY requires written proof satisfactory to COUNTY of cost increases prior to any approved price adjustment. After the first year of the award, a minimum of 30-days advance notice in writing is required to be considered and approved by COUNTY. No retroactive price adjustments will be considered. Any price increases must be stated in a written amendment to this Agreement. The net dollar amount of profit will remain firm during the period of the Agreement. Annual increases shall not exceed the Consumer Price Index- All Consumers, All Items - Greater Los Angeles, Riverside and Orange County areas and be subject to satisfactory performance review by the COUNTY and approved (if needed) for budget funding by the Board of Supervisors.

3.3 CONTRACTOR shall be paid only in accordance with an invoice submitted to COUNTY by CONTRACTOR within fifteen (15) days from the last day of each calendar month, and conforming to Exhibit C, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, and COUNTY shall pay the invoice within thirty (30) working days from the date of receipt of the invoice. Payment shall be made to CONTRACTOR only after services have been rendered or delivery of materials or products, and acceptance has been made by COUNTY. Prepare invoices in duplicate. For this Agreement, send the original and duplicate copies of invoices to:

RIVERSIDE COUNTY
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DIVISION
ATTN: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE
1325 SPRUCE ST., SUITE 400
RIVERSIDE, CA 92507

a) Each invoice shall contain a minimum of the following information: invoice number and date; remittance address; itemization of the description of the work (hourly rate and extensions, if applicable); and an invoice total and shall conform to the Invoice Form attached hereto as Exhibit C.

b) Invoices shall be rendered monthly in arrears.

3.4 The COUNTY obligation for payment of this Agreement beyond the current fiscal year end is contingent upon and limited by the availability of COUNTY funding from which payment can be made, and invoices shall be rendered “monthly” in arrears. In the State of California, the COUNTY is not allowed
to pay excess interest and late charges, per Government Code Section 926.10. No legal liability on the part of the COUNTY shall arise for payment beyond June 30 of each calendar year unless funds are made available for such payment. In the event that such funds are not forthcoming for any reason, COUNTY shall immediately notify CONTRACTOR in writing; and this Agreement shall be deemed terminated and have no further force and effect.

4. **Alteration or Changes to the Agreement**

4.1 The Board of Supervisors and the COUNTY Purchasing Agent, or designee, are the only authorized COUNTY representatives who may at any time, by written order, alter this Agreement. If any such alteration causes an increase or decrease in the cost of, or the time required for the performance under this Agreement, an equitable adjustment shall be made in the Agreement price or delivery schedule, or both, and the Agreement shall be modified by written amendment accordingly.

4.2 Any claim by the CONTRACTOR for additional payment related to this Agreement shall be made in writing by the CONTRACTOR within 30 days of when the CONTRACTOR has or should have notice of any actual or claimed change in the work, which results in additional and unanticipated cost to the CONTRACTOR. If the COUNTY Purchasing Agent decides that the facts provide sufficient justification, he may authorize additional payment to the CONTRACTOR pursuant to the claim. Nothing in this section shall excuse the CONTRACTOR from proceeding with performance of the Agreement even if there has been a change.

5. **Termination**

5.1 COUNTY may terminate this Agreement without cause upon thirty (30) days written notice served upon the CONTRACTOR stating the extent and effective date of termination.

5.2 COUNTY may, upon five (5) days written notice terminate this Agreement for CONTRACTOR's default, if CONTRACTOR refuses or fails to comply with the terms of this Agreement or fails to make progress that may endanger performance and does not immediately cure such failure. In the event of such termination, the COUNTY may proceed with the work in any manner deemed proper by COUNTY.

5.3 After receipt of the notice of termination, CONTRACTOR shall:

(a) Stop all work under this Agreement on the date specified in the notice of termination; and

(b) Transfer to COUNTY and deliver in the manner as directed by COUNTY any materials, reports, or other products, which, if the Agreement had been completed or continued, would have been required to be furnished to COUNTY.
5.4 After termination, COUNTY shall make payment only for CONTRACTOR’s performance up to the date of termination in accordance with this Agreement.

5.5 CONTRACTOR’s rights under this Agreement shall terminate (except for fees accrued prior to the date of termination) upon dishonesty or a willful or material breach of this Agreement by CONTRACTOR; or in the event of CONTRACTOR’s unwillingness or inability for any reason whatsoever to perform the terms of this Agreement. In such event, CONTRACTOR shall not be entitled to any further compensation under this Agreement.

5.6 If the Agreement is federally or State funded, CONTRACTOR cannot be debarred from the System for Award Management (SAM). CONTRACTOR must notify the COUNTY immediately of a debarment. Reference: System for Award Management (SAM) at https://www.sam.gov for Central Contractor Registry (CCR), Federal Agency Registration (Fedreg), Online Representations and Certifications Application, and Excluded Parties List System (EPLS). Excluded Parties Listing System (EPLS) (https://www.visualofac.com/regulations/excluded-parties-list-system/) (Executive Order 12549, 7 CFR Part 3017, 45 CFR Part 76, and 44 CFR Part 17). The System for Award Management (SAM) is the Official U.S. Government system that consolidated the capabilities of CCR/FedReg, ORCA, and EPLS.

5.7 The rights and remedies of COUNTY provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or this Agreement.

6. **Ownership/Use of Contract Materials and Products**

The CONTRACTOR agrees that all materials, reports, or products in any form, including electronic, created by CONTRACTOR for which CONTRACTOR has been compensated by COUNTY pursuant to this Agreement shall be the sole property of the COUNTY. The material, reports or products may be used by the COUNTY for any purpose that the COUNTY deems to be appropriate, including, but not limit to, duplication and/or distribution within the COUNTY or to third parties. CONTRACTOR agrees not to release or circulate in whole or part such materials, reports, or products without prior written authorization of the COUNTY.

7. **Conduct of Contractor**

7.1 The CONTRACTOR covenants that it presently has no interest, including, but not limited to, other projects or contracts, and shall not acquire any such interest, direct or indirect, which would conflict in any manner or degree with CONTRACTOR’s performance under this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR further covenants that no person or subcontractor having any such interest shall be employed or retained by CONTRACTOR under this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR agrees to inform the COUNTY of all the
CONTRACTOR’s interests, if any, which are or may be perceived as incompatible with the COUNTY’s interests.

7.2 The CONTRACTOR shall not, under circumstances which could be interpreted as an attempt to influence the recipient in the conduct of his/her duties, accept any gratuity or special favor from individuals or firms with whom the CONTRACTOR is doing business or proposing to do business, in accomplishing the work under this Agreement.

7.3 The CONTRACTOR or its employees shall not offer gifts, gratuity, favors, and entertainment directly or indirectly to COUNTY employees.

8. **Inspection of Service; Quality Control/Assurance**

8.1 All performance (which includes services, workmanship, materials, supplies and equipment furnished or utilized in the performance of this Agreement) shall be subject to inspection and test by the COUNTY or other regulatory agencies at all times. The CONTRACTOR shall provide adequate cooperation to any inspector or other COUNTY representative to permit him/her to determine the CONTRACTOR’s conformity with the terms of this Agreement. If any services performed or products provided by CONTRACTOR are not in conformance with the terms of this Agreement, the COUNTY shall have the right to require the CONTRACTOR to perform the services or provide the products in conformance with the terms of the Agreement at no additional cost to the COUNTY. When the services to be performed or the products to be provided are of such nature that the difference cannot be corrected; the COUNTY shall have the right to: (1) require the CONTRACTOR immediately to take all necessary steps to ensure future performance in conformity with the terms of the Agreement; and/or (2) reduce the Agreement price to reflect the reduced value of the services performed or products provided. The COUNTY may also terminate this Agreement for default and charge to CONTRACTOR any costs incurred by the COUNTY because of the CONTRACTOR’s failure to perform.

8.2 CONTRACTOR shall establish adequate procedures for self-monitoring and quality control and assurance to ensure proper performance under this Agreement; and shall permit a COUNTY representative or other regulatory official to monitor, assess, or evaluate CONTRACTOR’s performance under this Agreement at any time, upon reasonable notice to the CONTRACTOR.

9. **Independent Contractor/Employment Eligibility**

9.1 The CONTRACTOR is, for purposes relating to this Agreement, an independent contractor and shall not be deemed an employee of the COUNTY. It is expressly understood and agreed that the CONTRACTOR (including its employees, agents, and subcontractors) shall in no event be entitled to any benefits to which COUNTY employees are entitled, including but not limited to overtime, any retirement
benefits, worker's compensation benefits, and injury leave or other leave benefits. There shall be no employer-employee relationship between the parties; and CONTRACTOR shall hold COUNTY harmless from any and all claims that may be made against COUNTY based upon any contention by a third party that an employer-employee relationship exists by reason of this Agreement. It is further understood and agreed by the parties that CONTRACTOR in the performance of this Agreement is subject to the control or direction of COUNTY merely as to the results to be accomplished and not as to the means and methods for accomplishing the results.

9.2 CONTRACTOR warrants that it shall make its best effort to fully comply with all federal and state statutes and regulations regarding the employment of aliens and others and to ensure that employees performing work under this Agreement meet the citizenship or alien status requirement set forth in federal statutes and regulations. 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. CONTRACTOR shall retain all such documentation for all covered employees, for the period prescribed by the law.

9.3 Ineligible Person shall be any individual or entity who: Is currently excluded, suspended, debarred or otherwise ineligible to participate in the federal health care programs; or has been convicted of a criminal offense related to the provision of health care items or services and has not been reinstated in the federal health care programs after a period of exclusion, suspension, debarment, or ineligibility.

9.4 CONTRACTOR shall screen prospective Covered Individuals prior to hire or engagement. CONTRACTOR shall not hire or engage any Ineligible Person to provide services directly relative to this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall screen all current Covered Individuals within sixty (60) days of execution of this Agreement to ensure that they have not become Ineligible Persons unless CONTRACTOR has performed such screening on same Covered Individuals under a separate agreement with COUNTY within the past six (6) months. Covered Individuals shall be required to disclose to CONTRACTOR immediately any debarment, exclusion or other event that makes the Covered Individual an Ineligible Person. CONTRACTOR shall notify COUNTY within five (5) business days after it becomes aware if a Covered Individual providing services directly relative to this Agreement becomes debarred, excluded, or otherwise becomes an Ineligible Person.

9.5 CONTRACTOR acknowledges that Ineligible Persons are precluded from providing federal and state funded health care services by contract with COUNTY in the event that they are currently sanctioned or excluded by a federal or state law enforcement regulatory or licensing agency. If
CONTRACTOR becomes aware that a Covered Individual has become an Ineligible Person, CONTRACTOR shall remove such individual from responsibility for, or involvement with, COUNTY business operations related to this Agreement.

9.6 CONTRACTOR shall notify COUNTY within five (5) business days if a Covered Individual or entity is currently excluded, suspended, or debarred, or is identified as such after being sanction screened. Such individual or entity shall be promptly removed from participating in any activity associated with this Agreement.

10. **Subcontract for Work or Services**

No contract shall be made by the CONTRACTOR with any other party for furnishing any of the work or services under this Agreement without the prior written approval of the COUNTY; but this provision shall not require the approval of contracts of employment between the CONTRACTOR and personnel assigned under this Agreement, or for parties named in the proposal and agreed to under this Agreement.

11. **Disputes**

11.1 The parties shall attempt to resolve any disputes amicably at the working level. If that is not successful, the dispute shall be referred to the senior management of the parties. Any dispute relating to this Agreement, which is not resolved by the parties, shall be decided by the COUNTY’s Purchasing Department’s Compliance Contract Officer who shall furnish the decision in writing. The decision of the COUNTY’s Compliance Contract Officer shall be final and conclusive unless determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to have been fraudulent, capricious, arbitrary, or so grossly erroneous to imply bad faith. The CONTRACTOR shall proceed diligently with the performance of this Agreement pending the resolution of a dispute.

11.2 Prior to the filing of any legal action related to this Agreement, the parties shall be obligated to attend a mediation session in Riverside County before a neutral third-party mediator. A second mediation session shall be required if the first session is not successful. The parties shall share the cost of the mediations. The parties shall jointly select a mediator acceptable to the CONTRACTOR and COUNTY. The mediation shall take place in Riverside County. Each party shall be responsible for its own legal fees and other expenses incident to the preparation for mediation. If the dispute cannot be resolved by mediation, neither COUNTY nor CONTRACTOR waives their rights to bring the appropriate legal action in a court of competent jurisdiction within the County of Riverside.
12. **Licensing and Permits**

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all State or other licensing requirements, including but not limited to the provisions of Chapter 9 of Division 3 of the Business and Professions Code. All licensing requirements shall be met at the time proposals are submitted to the COUNTY. CONTRACTOR warrants that it has all necessary permits, approvals, certificates, waivers and exemptions necessary for performance of this Agreement as required by the laws and regulations of the United States, the State of California, the County of Riverside and all other governmental agencies with jurisdiction, and shall maintain these throughout the term of this Agreement relative to the Scope of Services to be performed under Exhibit A, and that service(s) will be performed by properly trained and licensed staff.

13. **Use By Other Political Entities**

The CONTRACTOR agrees to extend the same pricing, terms, and conditions as stated in this Agreement to each and every political entity, special district, and related non-profit. It is understood that other entities shall make purchases in their own name, make direct payment, and be liable directly to the CONTRACTOR; and COUNTY shall in no way be responsible to CONTRACTOR for other entities’ purchases.

14. **Non-Discrimination**

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions found in Section 188 of WIOA and 29 CFR Part 38 prohibit discrimination on the basis of race; color; religion; sex (including pregnancy, childbirth, and related medical conditions, transgender status, and gender identity); national origin (including Limited English Proficiency); age; disability; political affiliation or belief; or, for beneficiaries, applicants, and participants only, on the basis of citizenship status or participation in a WIOA Title I-financially assisted program or activity. The CONTRACTOR will “comply fully with the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions of the WIOA” (29 CFR Part 38 Preamble) and acknowledge the government’s right to seek judicial enforcement of the nondiscrimination assurance; and, to the extent they shall be found to be applicable hereto, shall comply with the provisions of the California Fair Employment Practices Act (commencing with Section 1410 of the Labor Consultant), the Federal Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352), the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. §1210 et seq.) and all other applicable laws or regulations.
CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability, and all applicable federal and state laws and regulations, guidelines, and interpretations issued hereto in the execution of the duties and responsibilities under the Agreement.

15. **Record Retention and Documents**

CONTRACTOR agrees to retain all records pertaining to this Agreement for a period of seven (7) years after termination of this Agreement. If, at the end of seven (7) years, there is an ongoing litigation or an audit involving those records, the CONTRACTOR shall retain the records until the resolution of such litigation or audit is completed. The Department of Labor, the Grantor, and the COUNTY reserve the right to monitor and visit, announced or unannounced, the CONTRACTOR facilities at any time during normal business hours. The monitoring shall be conducted in accordance with the COUNTY WIOA Monitoring Guide and WIOA State Directives.

16. **Confidentiality**

16.1 The CONTRACTOR shall not use for personal gain or make other improper use of privileged or confidential information which is acquired in connection with this Agreement. The term "privileged or confidential information" includes but is not limited to: unpublished or sensitive technological or scientific information; medical, personnel, or security records; anticipated material requirements or pricing/purchasing actions; COUNTY information or data which is not subject to public disclosure; COUNTY operational procedures; and knowledge of selection of contractors, subcontractors or suppliers in advance of official announcement.

16.2 The CONTRACTOR shall protect from unauthorized disclosure names and other identifying information concerning persons receiving services pursuant to this Agreement, except for general statistical information not identifying any person. The CONTRACTOR shall not use such information for any purpose other than carrying out the CONTRACTOR's obligations under this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR shall promptly transmit to the COUNTY all third-party requests for disclosure of such information. The CONTRACTOR shall not disclose, except as otherwise specifically permitted by this Agreement or authorized in advance in writing by the COUNTY, any such information to anyone other than the COUNTY. For purposes of this paragraph, identity shall include, but not be limited to, name, identifying number, symbol, or other identifying particulars assigned to the individual, such as finger or voice print or a photograph.
17. **Administration/Contract Liaison**  

The COUNTY Purchasing Agent, or designee, shall administer this Agreement on behalf of the COUNTY. The Purchasing Department is to serve as the liaison with CONTRACTOR in connection with this Agreement.

18. **Notices**  

All correspondence and notices required or contemplated by this Agreement shall be delivered to the respective parties at the addresses set forth below and are deemed submitted two days after their deposit in the United States mail, postage prepaid:

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19. **Force Majeure**  

If either party is unable to comply with any provision of this Agreement due to causes beyond its reasonable control, and which could not have been reasonably anticipated, such as acts of God, acts of war, civil disorders, or other similar acts, such party shall not be held liable for such failure to comply.

20. **EDD Reporting Requirements**  

In order to comply with child support enforcement requirements of the State of California, the COUNTY may be required to submit a Report of Independent Contractor(s) form **DE 542** to the Employment Development Department. The CONTRACTOR agrees to furnish the required data and certifications to the COUNTY within 10 days of notification of award of Agreement when required by the EDD. This data will be transmitted to governmental agencies charged with the establishment and enforcement of child support orders. Failure of the CONTRACTOR to timely submit the data and/or certificates required may result in the contract being awarded to another contractor. In the event a contract has been issued, failure of the CONTRACTOR to comply with all federal and state reporting requirements for child support enforcement or to comply with all lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignments Orders and Notices of Assignment shall constitute a material breach of Agreement. If CONTRACTOR has any questions concerning this reporting requirement, please call (916) 657-0529. CONTRACTOR should also
contact its local Employment Tax Customer Service Office listed in the telephone directory in the State Government section under “Employment Development Department” or access their Internet site at www.edd.ca.gov.

21. **Hold Harmless/Indemnification**

21.1 CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and representatives (individually and collectively hereinafter referred to as Indemnитees) from any liability, action, claim or damage whatsoever, based or asserted upon any services of CONTRACTOR, its officers, employees, subcontractors, agents or representatives arising out of or in any way relating to this Agreement, including but not limited to property damage, bodily injury, or death or any other element of any kind or nature. CONTRACTOR shall defend the Indemnitees at its sole expense including all costs and fees (including, but not limited, to attorney fees, cost of investigation, defense and settlements or awards) in any claim or action based upon such acts, omissions or services.

21.2 With respect to any action or claim subject to indemnification herein by CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall, at their sole cost, have the right to use counsel of their own choice and shall have the right to adjust, settle, or compromise any such action or claim without the prior consent of COUNTY; provided, however, that any such adjustment, settlement or compromise in no manner whatsoever limits or circumscribes CONTRACTOR indemnification to Indemnitees as set forth herein.

21.3 CONTRACTOR’S obligation hereunder shall be satisfied when CONTRACTOR has provided to COUNTY the appropriate form of dismissal relieving COUNTY from any liability for the action or claim involved.

21.4 The specified insurance limits required in this Agreement shall in no way limit or circumscribe CONTRACTOR’S obligations to indemnify and hold harmless the Indemnitees herein from third party claims.

22. **Insurance**

22.1 Without limiting or diminishing the CONTRACTOR’S obligation to indemnify or hold the COUNTY harmless, CONTRACTOR shall procure and maintain or cause to be maintained, at its sole cost and expense, the following insurance coverage’s during the term of this Agreement. As respects to the insurance section only, the COUNTY herein refers to the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts, and Departments, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, employees, elected or appointed officials, agents, or representatives as Additional Insureds.
A. Workers' Compensation:

If the CONTRACTOR has employees as defined by the State of California, the CONTRACTOR shall maintain statutory Workers' Compensation Insurance (Coverage A) as prescribed by the laws of the State of California. Policy shall include Employers' Liability (Coverage B) including Occupational Disease with limits not less than $1,000,000 per person per accident. The policy shall be endorsed to waive subrogation in favor of The County of Riverside.

B. Commercial General Liability:

Commercial General Liability insurance coverage, including but not limited to, premises liability, unmodified contractual liability, products and completed operations liability, personal and advertising injury, and cross liability coverage, covering claims which may arise from or out of CONTRACTOR'S performance of its obligations hereunder. Policy shall name the COUNTY as Additional Insured. Policy's limit of liability shall not be less than $2,000,000 per occurrence combined single limit. If such insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this agreement or be no less than two (2) times the occurrence limit.

C. Vehicle Liability:

If vehicles or mobile equipment is used in the performance of the obligations under this Agreement, then CONTRACTOR shall maintain liability insurance for all owned, non-owned, or hired vehicles so used in an amount not less than $1,000,000 per occurrence combined single limit. If such insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this agreement or be no less than two (2) times the occurrence limit. Policy shall name all the Agencies, Districts, Special Districts, and Departments of the County of Riverside, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, employees, elected or appointed officials, agents or representatives as Additional Insureds.

D. Professional Liability

CONTRACTOR shall maintain Professional Liability Insurance providing coverage for the CONTRACTOR's performance of work included within this Agreement, with a limit of liability of not less than $1,000,000 per occurrence and $2,000,000 annual aggregate. If CONTRACTOR's Professional Liability Insurance is written on a claims made basis rather than an occurrence basis, such insurance shall continue through the term of this Agreement and CONTRACTOR shall purchase at his sole expense either 1) an Extended Reporting Endorsement (also, known as Tail Coverage); or 2) Prior Dates Coverage from new insurer with a retroactive date back to the date of, or prior to, the inception of this Agreement; or 3) demonstrate through Certificates of Insurance that CONTRACTOR has Maintained continuous coverage
with the same or original insurer. Coverage provided under items; 1), 2), or 3) will continue as long as the law allows.

E. General Insurance Provisions - All lines:

1) Any insurance carrier providing insurance coverage hereunder shall be admitted to the State of California and have an A M BEST rating of not less than A: VIII (A:8) unless such requirements are waived, in writing, by the County Risk Manager. If the County’s Risk Manager waives a requirement for a particular insurer such waiver is only valid for that specific insurer and only for one policy term.

2) The CONTRACTOR must declare its insurance self-insured retention for each coverage required herein. If any such self-insured retention exceeds $500,000 per occurrence each such retention shall have the prior written consent of the County Risk Manager before the commencement of operations under this Agreement. Upon notification of self-insured retention unacceptable to the COUNTY, and at the election of the Country’s Risk Manager, CONTRACTOR’S carriers shall either; 1) reduce or eliminate such self-insured retention as respects this Agreement with the COUNTY, or 2) procure a bond which guarantees payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration, and defense costs and expenses.

3) CONTRACTOR shall cause CONTRACTOR’S insurance carrier(s) to furnish the County of Riverside with either 1) a properly executed original Certificate(s) of Insurance and certified original copies of Endorsements effecting coverage as required herein, and 2) if requested to do so orally or in writing by the County Risk Manager, provide original Certified copies of policies including all Endorsements and all attachments thereto, showing such insurance is in full force and effect. Further, said Certificate(s) and policies of insurance shall contain the covenant of the insurance carrier(s) that thirty (30) days written notice shall be given to the County of Riverside prior to any material modification, cancellation, expiration or reduction in coverage of such insurance. In the event of a material modification, cancellation, expiration, or reduction in coverage, this Agreement shall terminate forthwith, unless the County of Riverside receives, prior to such effective date, another properly executed original Certificate of Insurance and original copies of endorsements or certified original policies, including all endorsements and attachments thereto evidencing coverage’s set forth herein and the insurance required herein is in full force and effect. CONTRACTOR shall not commence operations until the COUNTY has been furnished original Certificate (s) of Insurance and certified original copies of endorsements and if requested, certified original policies of insurance including all endorsements and any and all other attachments as required in this Section. An individual authorized by the insurance carrier shall sign the original endorsements for each policy and the Certificate of Insurance.
4) It is understood and agreed to by the parties hereto that the CONTRACTOR’S insurance shall be construed as primary insurance, and the COUNTY'S insurance and/or deductibles and/or self-insured retentions or self-insured programs shall not be construed as contributory.

5) If, during the term of this Agreement or any extension thereof, there is a material change in the scope of services; or, there is a material change in the equipment to be used in the performance of the scope of work (such as the use of aircraft or watercraft); or, the term of this Agreement, including any extensions thereof, exceeds five (5) years; the COUNTY reserves the right to adjust the types of insurance and the monetary limits of liability required under this Agreement, if in the County Risk Manager's reasonable judgment, the amount or type of insurance carried by the CONTRACTOR has become inadequate.

6) CONTRACTOR shall pass down the insurance obligations contained herein to all tiers of subcontractors working under this Agreement.

7) The insurance requirements contained in this Agreement may be met with a program(s) of self-insurance acceptable to the COUNTY.

8) CONTRACTOR agrees to notify COUNTY of any claim by a third party or any incident or event that may give rise to a claim arising from the performance of this Agreement.

23. **General**

23.1 CONTRACTOR shall not delegate or assign any interest in this Agreement, whether by operation of law or otherwise, without the prior written consent of COUNTY. Any assignment or purported assignment of this Agreement by CONTRACTOR without the prior written consent of COUNTY will be deemed void and of no force or effect.

23.2 Any waiver by COUNTY of any breach of any one or more of the terms of this Agreement shall not be construed to be a waiver of any subsequent or other breach of the same or of any other term of this Agreement. Failure on the part of COUNTY to require exact, full, and complete compliance with any terms of this Agreement shall not be construed as in any manner changing the terms or preventing COUNTY from enforcement of the terms of this Agreement.

23.3 In the event the CONTRACTOR receives payment under this Agreement, which is later disallowed by COUNTY for nonconformance with the terms of the Agreement, the CONTRACTOR shall promptly refund the disallowed amount to the COUNTY on request; or at its option the COUNTY may offset the amount disallowed from any payment due to the CONTRACTOR.

23.4 CONTRACTOR shall not provide partial delivery or shipment of services or products unless specifically stated in the Agreement.
23.5 CONTRACTOR shall not provide any services or products subject to any chattel mortgage or under a conditional sales contract or other agreement by which an interest is retained by a third party. The CONTRACTOR warrants that it has good title to all materials or products used by CONTRACTOR or provided to COUNTY pursuant to this Agreement, free from all liens, claims, or encumbrances.

23.6 Nothing in this Agreement shall prohibit the COUNTY from acquiring the same type or equivalent equipment, products, materials, or services from other sources, when deemed by the COUNTY to be in its best interest. The COUNTY reserves the right to purchase more or less than the quantities specified in this Agreement.

23.7 The COUNTY agrees to cooperate with the CONTRACTOR in the CONTRACTOR's performance under this Agreement, including, if stated in the Agreement, providing the CONTRACTOR with reasonable facilities and timely access to COUNTY data, information, and personnel.

23.8 CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR will comply with all applicable COUNTY policies and procedures. In the event that there is a conflict between the various laws or regulations that may apply, the CONTRACTOR shall comply with the more restrictive law or regulation.

23.9 CONTRACTOR shall comply with all air pollution control, water pollution, safety and health ordinances, statutes, or regulations, which apply to performance under this Agreement.

23.10 CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) standards and codes as set forth by the U.S. Department of Labor and the State of California (Cal/OSHA).

23.11 This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any legal action related to the performance or interpretation of this Agreement shall be filed only in the Superior Court of the State of California located in Riverside, California, and the parties waive any provision of law providing for a change of venue to another location. In the event any provision in this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the remaining provisions will nevertheless continue in full force without being impaired or invalidated in any way.

23.12 This Agreement, including any attachments or exhibits, constitutes the entire Agreement of the parties with respect to its subject matter and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous representations, proposals, discussions, and communications, whether oral or in writing. This Agreement may be changed or modified only by a written amendment signed by authorized representatives of both parties. No oral understanding or agreement not incorporated herein shall be binding on any of the parties hereto.
23.13 If any project produces patentable items, patent rights, processes, or inventions in the course of work under a Department of Labor (DOL) grant or agreement, the CONTRACTOR shall report the fact promptly and fully to the COUNTY. The COUNTY shall report the fact to the Grant Officer at DOL. Unless there is a prior agreement between the COUNTY and the DOL or its representative on these matters, DOL shall determine whether to seek protection on the invention or discovery. DOL or its representative shall determine how the rights in the invention or discovery, including rights under any patent issued thereon, will be allocated and administered in order to protect the public interest consistent with the following Patent Policy found at 29 CFR 95.36 and 29 CFR 97.34.

23.14 Unless otherwise provided in terms of the Grant or the Agreement, when copyrighted material is developed in the course of or under this Agreement, the author and the COUNTY which developed the work are free to copyright material or to permit others to do so. The COUNTY and the Workforce Development Board shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive, and irrevocable license to produce, publish, and use and to authorize other to use all copyrighted material.

23.15 All original reports, preliminary findings, or data assembled or compiled by CONTRACTOR under this Agreement become the property of the COUNTY. The COUNTY reserves the right to authorize others to use or reproduce such materials. Therefore, such materials may not be circulated in whole or in part, nor released to the public, without the direct authorization of the COUNTY.

23.16 Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, 34 CFR Part 85, Section 85.510 (Lower Tier). The CONTRACTOR certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency. Where the CONTRACTOR is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, CONTRACTOR shall attach an explanation to this Agreement.

23.17 The CONTRACTOR shall assure that funds provided by this Agreement must be used exclusively for activities that are authorized under WIOA. Co-mingling and/or diverting of funds to support the activities of other programs are not authorized. Documentation supporting expenditures will be kept on file at the CONTRACTOR’s office and made available at all times for audit and monitoring purposes for a period of no less than seven (7) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all pending matters are closed.
23.18 The CONTRACTOR will comply with controls, recordkeeping, and accounting procedure requirements of WIOA, federal and state regulations and directives to ensure the proper accounting for funds paid under this Agreement. At such times and in such form, the COUNTY may require statements, records, reports, data, and information pertaining to this Agreement be maintained on file for purpose of an audit or examination. Retention of all records for seven (7) years after the County makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, is required.

23.19 The CONTRACTOR shall establish and implement appropriate internal management procedures to prevent fraud, abuse, and criminal activity. Further, the CONTRACTOR shall establish a reporting process to ensure that the COUNTY is notified immediately of any allegation of WIOA-related fraud, abuse, or criminal activity or any suspected or proven fraud, abuse or criminal acts committed by staff or participants. If the allegation is of any emergency and/or fiscal nature, it shall be reported to the COUNTY’S Administration Unit at (951) 955-3100, and immediately thereafter, a written report shall be submitted. Proof of such report will be maintained in the CONTRACTOR’s file.

23.20 Should the CONTRACTOR fail to perform the services as outlined in Exhibit A, the COUNTY and the CONTRACTOR will meet and confer to modify the Scope of Services and compensation arrangements.

23.21 CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that CONTRACTOR is registered to do business in the State of California with the California Secretary of State.

23.22 This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which will be an original, but all of which together will constitute one instrument. Each party of the Agreement agrees to the use of electronic signatures, such as a digital signature that meet the requirements of the California Uniform Electronic Transactions Act ("CUETA") Cal. Civ. Code §§ 1633.1 to 1633.17, for executing this Agreement. The parties further agree that the electronic signatures of the parties in this Agreement are intended to authenticate this writing and to have the same force and effect as manual signatures. Electronic signature means an electronic sound, symbol, or process attached to or logically associated with an electronic record and executed or adopted by a person with the intent to sign the electronic record pursuant to the CUETA as amended from time to time. The CUETA authorizes use of an electronic signature for transactions and contracts amount parties in California, including a government agency. Digital signature means an electronic identifier, created by computer, intended by the party using it to have the same force
and effect as the use of a manual signature, and shall be reasonably relied upon by the parties. For purposes of this section, a digital signature is a type of "electronic signature" as defined in subdivision (i) of Section 1633.2 of the Civil Code.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused their duly authorized representatives to execute this Agreement.

COUNTY:  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, a political subdivision of the State of California, by and through its Department of Housing and Workforce Solutions, Workforce Development Division

By:  
Heidi Marshall  
Deputy Director of HWS

Dated: _____________________

CONTRACTOR:  
TBD  
Dated: _____________________

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
MINH C. TRAN  
County Counsel

By:  
Lisa Sanchez  
Deputy County Counsel

Dated: _____________________
EXHIBIT A
DESCRIPTION & SCOPE OF SERVICES

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE HOMELESS TO WORK PROGRAM SERVICES COORDINATOR

CONTRACTOR shall ensure the provision of any and all necessary services to achieve execution of Homeless to Work program items listed include but no limited to.

CONTRACTOR must be able to serve the entire service area defined as; the Pass Area in District 5 of the County of Riverside including the unincorporated area of Cabazon, Beaumont, and Banning.

CONTRACTOR is expected to assist unemployed individuals within the service area described under subsection 2.a. above experiencing homelessness as defined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under the Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing Act (HEARTH Act) (24 CFR Parts 91, 582, and 583).

CONTRACTOR must agree to implement the scope of services under this agreement as it relates to the provision of services throughout the service area and with targeted population, as those two terms are more specifically defined in the sections above. Specifically, the scope of services included but is not limited to the following.

1. Partnership – Partner with local businesses, employers, cities, Riverside County resources and partners, as well as homeless service providers contracted with the County of Riverside Continuum of Care (CoC) with executed Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to implement an integrated and seamless service delivery process for the Homeless to Work Program based on a transitional employment program model for community beautification project(s).

2. Recruitment – Work with partner agencies to recruit unemployed homeless individuals as described in detail in section above.

3. Eligibility and Suitability Assessment – Conduct eligibility and suitability assessment with individuals recruited based on the following criteria:

4. Experiencing homelessness as defined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under the Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing Act (HEARTH Act) (24 CFR Parts 91, 582, and 583) within Service Area(s) as described in subsection 2.a. above. And
a. Suitable and willing to obtain long-term full-time employment with no definite end date.

b. Job Development – Work with partnering agencies and entities in the Service Area(s) as described in subsection 2.a. to operate a transitional employment program that offers employment opportunities in community beautification project(s) with wage/stipend subsidies for a minimum of 90 calendar days at a minimum of 20 subsidized work hours per week and at least at minimum wage.

5. Employment Assistance – Provide complete employment services including but not limited to; job applications, resume and cover letter assistance, job readiness workshops, job referrals, case management, post-employment follow-up services, transportation from customers’ residence to worksite(s), program oversight, employer of record, etc. Enroll and assist at least 40 eligible and suitable customers to become gainfully employed. Customer must obtain long-term full-time employment that includes a period of 90-day subsidized employment and successful transition to unsubsidized employment for at least 30 calendar days with no definite end date of employment within the period of performance from September 1, 2023, through August 31, 2025.

6. Case Management – Provide case management services to assist customers with a range of funded or leveraged activities based on the stated needs of the customers, including but not limited to accessing personal identification (critical for connection to permanent housing and employment), case management, crisis housing and bridge housing, crisis intervention, physical health care, mental health care, mainstream benefits establishment, substance use treatment, education, life skills, legal services, employment services, transportation, reunification, problem solving, tenancy rights and responsibilities and landlord relations.

7. Record Keeping and Reporting – Maintain complete and accurate customer records, up to date CalJOBS and HMIS entries and provide reports to HWS WDD and/or CoC as required on a timely basis.
EXHIBIT B
Program Budget

CONTRACTOR must assist at least 40 eligible and suitable customers become gainfully employed with long-term full-time employment. This will include a period of 90-day subsidized employment and successful transition to unsubsidized employment for at least 30 calendar days with no definite end date of employment.

CONTRACOTR will maintain the minimum standards set forth by funding sources.

[$350,000 must be allocated from September 1, 2023- August 30th, 2025]

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EXHIBIT C

INVOICE FORM TO BE PROVIDED ON LETTERHEAD

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Riverside County Board of Supervisors
Request to Speak

Submit request to Clerk of Board (right of podium), Speakers are entitled to three (3) minutes, subject to Board Rules listed on the reverse side of this form.

**Speaker's Name:** [Handwritten]

**Address:** 17065 Gardner Ave

**City:** Riverside **Zip:** 92504

**Phone #:** 951-237-2077

**Date:** 6-27-23 **Agenda #:** 3141

**PLEASE STATE YOUR POSITION BELOW:**

Position on "Regular" (non-appealed) Agenda Item:

[ ] Support [ ] Oppose [ ] Neutral

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[ ] Support [ ] Oppose [ ] Neutral

I give my 3 minutes to: ____________________________
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You may request to be heard on a published agenda item. Requests to be heard must be submitted to the Clerk of the Board before the scheduled meeting time.

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Notwithstanding any other provisions of these rules, a member of the public shall have the right to address the Board during the mid-morning “Oral Communications” segment of the published agenda. Said purpose for address must pertain to issues which are under the direct jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors. YOUR TIME WILL BE LIMITED TO THREE (3) MINUTES. Donated time is not permitted during Public Comment.

Power Point Presentations/Printed Material:
Speakers who intend to conduct a formalized Power Point presentation or provide printed material must notify the Clerk of the Board’s Office by 12 noon on the Monday preceding the Tuesday Board meeting, ensuring that the Clerk’s Office has sufficient copies of all printed materials and at least one (1) copy of the Power Point CD. Copies of printed material given to the Clerk (by Monday noon deadline) will be provided to each Supervisor. If you have the need to use the overhead “Elmo” projector at the Board meeting, please ensure your material is clear and with proper contrast, notifying the Clerk well ahead of the meeting, of your intent to use the Elmo.

Individual Speaker Limits:
Individual speakers are limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes. Please step up to the podium when the Chairman calls your name and begin speaking immediately. Pull the microphone to your mouth so that the Board, audience, and audio recording system hear you clearly. Once you start speaking, the “green” podium light will light. The “yellow” light will come on when you have one (1) minute remaining. When you have 30 seconds remaining, the “yellow” light will begin to flash, indicating you must quickly wrap up your comments. Your time is up when the “red” light flashes. The Chairman adheres to a strict three (3) minutes per speaker. Note: If you intend to give your time to a “Group/Organized Presentation”, please state so clearly at the very bottom of the reverse side of this form.

Group/Organized Presentations:
Group/organized presentations with more than one (1) speaker will be limited to nine (9) minutes at the Chairman’s discretion. The organizer of the presentation will automatically receive the first three (3) minutes, with the remaining six (6) minutes relinquished by other speakers, as requested by them on a completed “Request to Speak” form, and clearly indicated at the bottom of the form.

Addressing the Board & Acknowledgement by Chairman:
The Chairman will determine what order the speakers will address the Board, and will call on all speakers in pairs. The first speaker should immediately step to the podium and begin addressing the Board. The second speaker should take up a position in one of the chamber aisles in order to quickly step up to the podium after the preceding speaker. This is to afford an efficient and timely Board meeting, giving all attendees the opportunity to make their case. Speakers are prohibited from making personal attacks, and/or using coarse, crude, profane or vulgar language while speaking to the Board members, staff, the general public and/or meeting participants. Such behavior, at the discretion of the Board Chairman, may result in removal from the Board Chambers by Sheriff Deputies.