

**AMENDMENT NO. 9
TO SERVICES AGREEMENT
BETWEEN Latham & Watkins LLP, AND
COUNTY OF MONTEREY, on behalf of
NATIVIDAD MEDICAL CENTER
FOR
Consulting and Legal Services**

This Amendment No. 9 to the Services Agreement ("Agreement"), dated May 1, 2010 is entered into by and between the County of Monterey, on behalf of Natividad Medical Center (hereinafter "**COUNTY**"), and **Latham & Watkins LLP** (hereinafter "**CONTRACTOR**"), with respect to the following:

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Agreement was executed for CONTRACTOR to provide Consulting and Legal Services for COUNTY with a one-year term and a total Agreement amount not to exceed \$100,000; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR amended the Agreement on January 11, 2011 via Amendment No. 1 to add an additional \$300,000, thereby increasing the total agreement amount to \$400,000; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR amended the Agreement effective July 1, 2011, via Renewal and Amendment No.2 to extend the term for an additional one-year period through June 30, 2012 and to add an additional \$600,000, thereby increasing the total agreement amount to \$1,000,000; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR amended the Agreement effective July 1, 2012, via Amendment No.3 to extend the term for an additional one-year period through June 30, 2013 and ;

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR amended the Agreement, effective July 1, 2013, via Renewal and Amendment No.4 to extend the term for an additional two-year period through June 30, 2015 and to add an additional \$500,000, thereby increasing the total agreement amount to \$1,500,000 ; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR amended the Agreement, effective June 23, 2015, via Amendment No. 5 to extend the term for an additional three-year period through June 30, 2018 with no increase to the total agreement amount ; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR amended the Agreement via Amendment No. 6 to extend the term for an additional three-year period through June 30, 2021, COUNTY with a \$10,000 (10%) increase for a revised total agreement amount not to exceed \$1,510,000; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement expired on June 20, 2021; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR renewed and amended the Agreement on July 1, 2021 via Renewal and Amendment No. 7 to extend the term for an additional one-year period through June 30, 2022, with no increase to the total agreement amount not to exceed \$1,510,000; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR amended the Agreement via Amendment No. 8 on July 1, 2022 to extend the term for an additional three (3) year period through June 30, 2025, with no increase to the total agreement amount not to exceed \$1,510,000; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR currently wish to extend the Agreement for an additional three (3) year period through June 30, 2028 to allow for services to continue with no increase to the total agreement amount not to exceed \$1,510,000.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree to renew and amend the Agreement as follows:

- 1.Paragraph 4, Section 6, Rates, Fees and Charges. The first sentence of paragraph 4 of Section 6, Rates, Fees and Charges, shall be amended and restated as follows: *"The term of this Agreement is May 1, 2010 through June 30, 2028 unless sooner terminated pursuant to this Agreement"*.
- 2.Except as provided herein, all remaining terms, conditions and provisions of the Agreement are unchanged and unaffected by this Amendment No. 9 and shall continue in full force and effect.
- 3.A copy of this Amendment No. 9 shall be attached to the Original Agreement.
- 4.The effective date of this Amendment is July 1, 2025.

DATED: _____

COUNTY

By _____
Susan K. Blich
County Counsel
County of Monterey

DATED: _____

LATHAM & WATKINS, LLP

By _____
Counsel

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

SUSAN K. BLITCH
County Counsel

DATED: _____

By _____
Stacy L. Sietta
Chief Deputy County Counsel

APPROVED AS TO FISCAL PROVISIONS

RUPA SHAH
County Auditor-Controller

DATED: _____

By _____