

Amendment No. 2 to Engagement Letter for Investigative Services

This Amendment No. 2 Engagement Letter for Investigative Services is made and entered into this ____ day of _____, 2026 by and between the COUNTY OF LAKE, a political subdivision of the State of California (hereinafter referred to as "Client") and Van Dermyden Makus Law Corporation (hereinafter referred to as "FIRM").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the parties hereto have entered into an Engagement Letter for Investigative Services dated April 24, 2023 under which Firm will provide legal services to Client; and

WHEREAS, on August 25, 2023 the parties entered into Amendment No. 1 to increase the total compensation to \$65,000;

WHEREAS, the parties desire to amend the Engagement Letter for Investigative Services to increase total compensation;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereby agree as follows:

1. **Budget.** The "Budget" section in page 3 of the Agreement is hereby amended as follows:

Budget. The cost of services, including time spent and expenses incurred, shall not exceed \$102,000 without prior, written approval of Client. The Firm will notify Client when the cost of services reaches \$100,000 to give Client sufficient time to obtain additional authority to approve an increase to the budget.

The Parties agree that all other terms and conditions of the original Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

COUNTY OF LAKE

By: _____
Chair, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:
SUSAN PARKER
Clerk to the Board of Supervisors

By: _____

VAN DERMYDEN MAKUS LAW CORPORATION

By:  _____
Firm Signature Authority

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
LLOYD GUINTIVANO
County Counsel

By:  _____
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