CONSULTANT SERVICES AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT is made and entered into this **23rd** day of **MARCH** in the year **2021** ("EFFECTIVE DATE"), between the RANCHO SANTIAGO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT, hereinafter referred to as ("DISTRICT"), and **ARCHITECTURAL TESTING, INC.**, hereinafter referred to as "CONSULTANT". The DISTRICT and the CONSULTANT are sometimes referred to herein as a "PARTY" and collectively as the "PARTIES". This AGREEMENT is made with reference to the following facts:

WHEREAS, DISTRICT requires specialized services and/or advice in connection with certain consulting, financial, economic, accounting, estimate and/or administrative matters where such services and advice are not available to the DISTRICT without cost either internally or from other public agencies;

WHEREAS, CONSULTANT is specially experienced and competent to provide to the DISTRICT certain specialized services and/or advice in the foregoing areas; and

WHEREAS, to the extent required by law, CONSULTANT is and shall be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations in accordance with Labor Code section 1725.5 while performing or providing any Services under this AGREEMENT;

WHEREAS, DISTRICT desires to obtain specialized services and/or advice for BUILDING ENCLOSURE ASSESSMENT for the BUILDING E, L, H, SC, MO and G at SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE, hereinafter referred to as the "PROJECT", located within the DISTRICT; and

WHEREAS, CONSULTANT has indicated its willingness and commitment to provide its specialized services and/or advice to the DISTRICT on the terms hereinafter set forth in this AGREEMENT.

NOW, THEREFORE, the PARTIES hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE I – SCOPE OF SERVICES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

1. <u>Services.</u> CONSULTANT shall provide to the DISTRICT on the terms set forth herein as well as those articulated in **EXHIBIT** "**A**" which is attached hereto and incorporated herein ("Services"). The PARTIES agree if there is a proposal or similar document attached or incorporated into **EXHIBIT** "**A**", that the terms of this AGREEMENT shall be controlling over any of the terms contained within the CONSULTANT's proposal or similar document.

2. <u>Contract Term</u>. The term of this AGREEMENT shall begin **MARCH 23, 2021** and shall end **DECEMBER 31, 2021**, in accordance with the schedule as stated in **EXHIBIT "A"**. The PARTIES agree should all Services be completed by CONSULTANT and accepted, in writing, by DISTRICT prior to the end date stated within this Paragraph, the AGREEMENT shall automatically terminate.

3. <u>CONSULTANT's Certifications, Representations and Warranties</u>. CONSULTANT makes the following certifications, representations, and warranties for the benefit of the DISTRICT and CONSULTANT acknowledges and agrees that the DISTRICT, in deciding to engage CONSULTANT pursuant to this AGREEMENT, is relying upon the truth and validity of the following certifications, representations and warranties and their effectiveness throughout the term of this AGREEMENT and the course of CONSULTANT's engagement hereunder:

a. CONSULTANT is qualified in all respects to provide to the DISTRICT all of the Services contemplated by this AGREEMENT and, to the extent required by any applicable laws, CONSULTANT has all such licenses and/or governmental approvals as would be required to carry out and perform, for the benefit of the DISTRICT, such Services as are called for hereunder.

b. CONSULTANT, in providing the Services and in otherwise carrying out its obligations to the DISTRICT under this AGREEMENT, shall, at all times, comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, rules, regulations, and ordinances, including workers' compensation and equal protection and non-discrimination laws.

4. <u>Services, Generally</u>. CONSULTANT will perform its Services hereunder in a professional manner, using the degree of care and skill ordinarily exercised by, and consistent with, the current professional practices and standards of a professional practicing in California. The CONSULTANT will furnish, at its expense, those Services that are set forth in this AGREEMENT and **EXHIBIT** "A" and represents that the Services set forth in said EXHIBIT are within the technical and professional areas of expertise of the CONSULTANT or any sub-consultant the CONSULTANT has engaged or will engage to perform the Services. The DISTRICT shall request in writing if the DISTRICT desires the CONSULTANT to provide Services in addition to, or different from, the Services described in **EXHIBIT** "A". The CONSULTANT shall advise the DISTRICT in writing of any Services that, in the CONSULTANT's opinion, lie outside of the technical and professional expertise of the CONSULTANT.

5. The CONSULTANT shall not be responsible for acts and/or omissions of any other party or parties involved in the design of the PROJECT or the failure of any contractor or subcontractor to construct any aspect of the PROJECT in accordance with the contract documents. The CONSULTANT is not authorized to modify, waive, eliminate, or add any requirement to the PROJECT's specifications or other contract documents, nor to approve or accept any portion of the construction work, unless specifically authorized in writing by the DISTRICT or its authorized representative. The CONSULTANT shall not have the right to reject work or the right to stop work, except for such periods as may be required to conduct sampling, testing or inspection of work covered by this AGREEMENT.

6. The CONSULTANT shall coordinate and perform all services set forth in the AGREEMENT through the DISTRICT's authorized representative.

7. <u>DIR Contractor Registration</u>. This PROJECT is a public works project as defined in Labor Code section 1720. To the extent applicable, the CONSULTANT and all subcontractors performing the work for the PROJECT must comply with the Labor Code sections 1725.5 and 1771.1 and must be properly and currently registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations ("DIR") and qualified to perform public works pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 throughout the duration of this AGREEMENT. Failure to comply with these requirements shall be deemed a material breach of this AGREEMENT and grounds for termination for cause. To the extent applicable, the CONSULTANT and all subcontractors shall furnish certified payroll records as required pursuant Labor Code section 1776 directly to the Labor Commissioner in accordance with Labor Code section 1771.4 on at least on a monthly basis (or more frequently if required by the DISTRICT or the Labor Commissioner) and in a format prescribed by the Labor Commissioner. Monitoring and enforcement of the prevailing wage laws and related requirements will be performed by the Labor Commissioner/ Department of Labor Standards Enforcement (DLSE).

ARTICLE II – COMPENSATION TO THE CONSULTANT

1. <u>Basic Services</u>: CONSULTANT agrees to perform Services set forth in this AGREEMENT and DISTRICT agrees to pay CONSULTANT for such Services in accordance with **EXHIBIT "A"**. Payment under this ARTICLE includes the cost of the Services necessary as set forth in **EXHIBIT "A"**.

2. <u>Additional Services</u>: Compensation for Additional Services shall be dependent upon CONSULTANT's compliance with the provisions outlined in ARTICLE II and shall be calculated in accordance with the rates set forth in **EXHIBIT "A"**.

3. <u>Reimbursable CONSULTANT Costs/Expenses</u>: DISTRICT recognizes that certain costs and expenses associated with the Services performed are reimbursable to the CONSULTANT. Provided that the CONSULTANT obtains the DISTRICT's prior written approval, costs and expenses will be reimbursed to the CONSULTANT in accordance with this ARTICLE. The DISTRICT's prior written authorization is an express condition precedent to any reimbursement to the CONSULTANT of such costs and expenses, and no claim for any additional compensation or reimbursement shall be valid absent such prior written approval by the DISTRICT and calculated in accordance with the rates set forth in **EXHIBIT** "A". The CONSULTANT's mileage and travel time shall not be considered as an allowable reimbursable expense. The descriptive categories of expenses that may be considered for reimbursement are as follows, and any other reimbursable expenses must be approved in writing by the DISTRICT:

a. Approved reproduction of reports and/or other documents in excess of the copies required by this AGREEMENT;

b. Fees advanced for securing approval of authorities in connection with the Services rendered pursuant to this AGREEMENT;

c. Cost of sub-consultants hired by CONSULTANT with prior approval of DISTRICT.

d. Other DISTRICT requested items as requested in writing.

Invoices. CONSULTANT shall invoice all fees and/or costs monthly for the Basic Services 4. that are provided in accordance with this AGREEMENT from the time the CONSULTANT begins work on the PROJECT. The CONSULTANT shall submit one (1) invoice monthly to the DISTRICT detailing all the fees associated with the applicable progress to completion percentage, reimbursable expenses (if any), and Additional Services (if any) incurred for the monthly billing period. Invoices requesting reimbursement for expenses incurred during the billing period must clearly list items for which reimbursement is being requested and be accompanied by proper documentation (e.g., receipts, invoices), including a copy of the DISTRICT's authorization notice for the invoiced item(s), if applicable. Invoices requesting payment for Additional Services must reflect the negotiated compensation previously approved by the DISTRICT and include a copy of the DISTRICT's written authorization notice approving the Additional Services and the additional compensation approved by the DISTRICT. No payments will be made by the DISTRICT to the CONSULTANT for monthly invoices requesting reimbursable expenses or Additional Services absent the prior written authorization of the DISTRICT. The DISTRICT's prior written authorization is an express condition precedent to any payment by the DISTRICT for Additional Services or reimbursable expenses and no claim by the CONSULTANT for additional compensation related to Additional Services or reimbursable expenses shall be valid absent such prior written approval by the DISTRICT.

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5. <u>District's Right to Withhold</u>. The DISTRICT may withhold, or on account of subsequently discovered evidence, nullify the whole or a part of any payment to such extent as may be necessary to protect the DISTRICT from loss, including costs and attorneys' fees, on account of: 1) defective or deficient work product not remedied; 2) failure of the CONSULTANT to make payments properly to its employees or sub-consultants; or 3) failure of CONSULTANT to perform its Services in a timely manner so as to conform to PROJECT schedule.

ARTICLE III – TERMINATION: SUSPENSION

1. Termination for Default. Either the DISTRICT or CONSULTANT may terminate this Agreement upon seven (7) days advance written notice to the other if there is a default by the other party in its performance of a material obligation hereunder and such default in performance is not caused by the party initiating the termination. Such termination shall be deemed effective the seventh (7th) day following the date of the written termination notice, unless during such seven (7) day period, the party receiving the written termination notice shall commence to cure its default(s) and diligently thereafter prosecute such cure to completion. In addition to the DISTRICT's right to terminate this Agreement pursuant to the foregoing, the DISTRICT may terminate this Agreement upon written notice to CONSULTANT if: (i) CONSULTANT becomes bankrupt or insolvent, which shall include without limitation, a general assignment for the benefit of creditors or the filing by CONSULTANT or a third party of a petition to reorganize debts or for protection under any bankruptcy or similar law or if a trustee or receiver is appointed for CONSULTANT or any of CONSULTANT's property on account of CONSULTANT's insolvency; or (ii) if CONSULTANT disregards applicable laws, codes, ordinances, rules or regulations. If DISTRICT exercises the right of termination hereunder, the Contract Price due the CONSULTANT, if any, shall be based upon Basic Services, authorized Additional Services, and allowable expenses incurred or provided prior the effective date of the DISTRICT's termination of this Agreement, reduced by the DISTRICT's prior payments of the Contract Price and losses, damages, or other costs sustained by the DISTRICT arising out of the termination of this Agreement or the cause(s) for termination of this Agreement. Payment of the amount due the CONSULTANT, if any, shall be made by DISTRICT only after completion of the Post-Construction Phase of the Project. CONSULTANT shall remain responsible and liable to DISTRICT for all losses, damages, or other costs sustained by DISTRICT arising out of termination pursuant to the foregoing or otherwise arising out of CONSULTANT's default hereunder, to the extent that such losses, damages or other costs exceed any amount due CONSULTANT hereunder for Basic Services, authorized Additional Services, and Expenses.

2. <u>DISTRICT's Termination for Convenience</u>. The DISTRICT may, at any time, upon seven (7) days advance written notice to CONSULTANT terminate this Agreement or the Work of the Project for the DISTRICT's convenience and without fault, neglect, or default on the part of CONSULTANT. In such event, the Agreement shall be deemed terminated seven (7) days after the date of the DISTRICT's written notice to CONSULTANT or such other time as the DISTRICT and CONSULTANT may mutually agreed upon. In such event, the DISTRICT shall make payment of the Contract Price to CONSULTANT for services provided through the date of termination plus actual costs incurred by CONSULTANT directly attributable to such termination.

3. <u>CONSULTANT Obligations upon Termination</u>. Upon the DISTRICT's exercise of the right of termination under Article III, Paragraph 1 or 2 of this Agreement, the CONSULTANT shall take action as directed by the DISTRICT relative to its on-going administration of construction services of the Project. If requested by the DISTRICT, the CONSULTANT shall within ten (10) days of such request, assemble and deliver to the DISTRICT all Documents, work product, instruments of service, and other items of a tangible nature (whether in the form of documents, drawings, samples or electronic files) prepared by or on behalf of the CONSULTANT under this Agreement. The CONSULTANT shall deliver the originals of all Documents, work product, instruments of a tangible nature

requested by the DISTRICT pursuant to the preceding sentence; provided, however, that the CONSULTANT may, at its sole cost and expense, make reproductions of the originals delivered to the DISTRICT.

4. <u>DISTRICT's Right to Suspend</u>. The DISTRICT may, in its discretion, suspend all or any part of the construction of the Project or the CONSULTANT's services under this Agreement; provided, however, that if the DISTRICT shall suspend construction of the Project or CONSULTANT's services under this Agreement for a period of sixty (60) consecutive days or more and such suspension is not caused by the CONSULTANT's default or the acts or omissions of CONSULTANT or its CONSULTANTs, upon lifting of such suspension, the Contract Price may be adjusted to reflect actual costs and expenses incurred by CONSULTANT, if any, as a direct result of the suspension and resumption of the Project construction or CONSULTANT's services under this Agreement.

5. <u>CONSULTANT Suspension of Services</u>. If the DISTRICT shall fail to make payment of an undisputed invoice when due CONSULTANT hereunder, CONSULTANT may, upon seven (7) days advance written notice to the DISTRICT, suspend further performance of services relating to the Project hereunder until such undisputed payment is received. In such event, CONSULTANT shall have no liability for any delays or additional costs of construction of the Project due to, or arising out of, such suspension.

ARTICLE IV – DISPUTES

1. <u>Continuation of CONSULTANT Services</u>. Except in the event of the DISTRICT's failure to make payment of an undisputed invoice due CONSULTANT for the Project, notwithstanding any disputes between DISTRICT and CONSULTANT hereunder or in connection with the Project, CONSULTANT and DISTRICT shall each continue to perform their respective obligations hereunder; including the obligation of the CONSULTANT to continue to provide and perform services hereunder pending a subsequent resolution of such disputes.

2. <u>Mandatory Mediation</u>. All claims, disputes and other matters in controversy between the CONSULTANT and the DISTRICT arising out of or pertaining to this Agreement, excepting therefrom claims for indemnity, shall be submitted for resolution by non-binding mediation conducted under the auspices of the JAMS or other mutually agreeable dispute resolution service and their respective governing Construction Mediation Rules in effect at the time that a Demand For Mediation is filed. The commencement and completion of mediation proceedings pursuant to the foregoing is a condition precedent to either the DISTRICT or the CONSULTANT commencing arbitration proceedings pursuant to Paragraph 3 below.

3. <u>Arbitration</u>. All claims, disputes or other matters in controversy between CONSULTANT and DISTRICT arising out of or pertaining to this Agreement which are not fully resolved through the mandatory mediation set forth in Paragraph 2 above shall be settled and resolved by binding arbitration before one (1) retired judge conducted under the auspices of the JAMS or other mutually agreeable dispute resolution service. Any arbitration hereunder shall be conducted in the JAMS' Regional Office or other ADR service's office closest to the Site. The award rendered by the Arbitrator(s) shall be final and binding upon the DISTRICT and the CONSULTANT and shall be supported by law and substantial evidence pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure §1296. Any written arbitration award that does not include findings of fact and conclusions of law in conformity with California Code of Civil Procedure §1296 shall be invalid and unenforceable. The DISTRICT and CONSULTANT hereby expressly agree that the Court shall, subject to California Code of Civil Procedure §§1286.4 and 1296, vacate the award if, after review of the award, the Court determines either that the award is not supported by substantial evidence or that it is based on an error of law. In connection with any arbitration proceeding commenced hereunder, the discovery rights and procedures provided for in California Code of Civil Procedure §1283.05 shall be applicable, and the same shall be deemed incorporated herein by this reference. Furthermore, if any claim or dispute is asserted by the Project Architect, Construction Manager if any, the Contractor and/or the DISTRICT relating to the Project and arising in whole or in part out of this Agreement, the services provided by or through the CONSULTANT hereunder or the Instruments of Service prepared by or through the CONSULTANT and DISTRICT agree that any arbitration proceedings initiated between CONSULTANT and DISTRICT hereunder shall, without the need for an order of the Court, be consolidated with any arbitration proceedings initiated in connection with such other claim or dispute by and between the aforementioned parties, regardless of the dispute resolution service selected.

4. <u>Compliance with Government Code §900 et seq.</u> The foregoing provisions relating to dispute resolution procedures notwithstanding, neither this Agreement nor such provisions shall be deemed to waive, limit or modify any requirements under Government Code §900 et seq. relating to the CONSULTANT's submission of claims to the DISTRICT as a express condition precedent and prerequisite to filing a Demand for Arbitration, which shall be deemed a "claim" for money or damages under Government Code §900 et seq. The CONSULTANT's strict compliance with all applicable provisions of Government Code §900 et seq. in connection with any claim, dispute or other disagreement arising hereunder shall be an express condition precedent to the CONSULTANT's initiation of the binding arbitration procedures under Article IV, Paragraph 3, above.

5. <u>Limitation on Arbitrator's Authority</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the Superior Court for the State of California for the County of Orange, shall have sole and exclusive jurisdiction, and an arbitrator shall have no authority, to hear and/or determine: (i) a challenge to the institution or maintenance of a proceeding in arbitration of a claim on the grounds that the claim is barred by the applicable statute of limitations, (ii) the claim is barred by a provision of the California Tort Claims Act, (iii) claimant has failed to satisfy any and all conditions precedent to arbitration, (iv) the right to compel arbitration has been waived by the petitioner, (v) grounds exist for the revocation of the arbitration agreement, and/or (vi) there is the prospect that a ruling in arbitration would conflict with a ruling in a pending proceeding regarding the Project on a common issue of law or fact.

6. THE PARTIES UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT ARTICLE III OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL GOVERN ALL TERMINATION RIGHTS AND PROCEDURES BETWEEN THE PARTIES. ANY TERMINATION PROVISION THAT IS ATTACHED TO THIS AGREEMENT AS AN EXHIBIT SHALL BE VOID AND UNENFORCEABLE BETWEEN THE PARTIES.

ARTICLE V – REPORTS AND/OR OTHER DOCUMENTS

1. The reports and/or other documents that are prepared, reproduced, maintained and/or managed by the CONSULTANT or CONSULTANT's consultants in accordance with this AGREEMENT, shall be and remain the property of the DISTRICT (hereinafter the "PROPERTY"). The District may provide the CONSULTANT with a written request for the return of its property at any time. Upon CONSULTANT's receipt of the DISTRICT's written request, CONSULTANT shall return the requested property to the DISTRICT within seven (7) calendar days. Failure to comply with the requirements of this ARTICLE shall be deemed a material breach of this AGREEMENT.

ARTICLE VI – ACCOUNTING RECORDS OF THE CONSULTANT

1. Records of the CONSULTANT's direct personnel and reimbursable expenses pertaining to any extra services provided by the CONSULTANT, which are in addition to those services already required by this AGREEMENT, and any records of accounts between the DISTRICT and CONSULTANT

shall be kept on a generally recognized accounting basis and shall be available to the DISTRICT or DISTRICT's authorized representative at mutually convenient times.

ARTICLE VII – INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

1. To the fullest extent permitted by California law and in accordance with California Civil Code section 2782.8, CONSULTANT shall indemnify, protect, and hold free and harmless the District, its agents, representatives, officers, consultants, employees, trustees and members ("Indemnified Parties") from any and all actions, assessments, counts, citations, claims, costs, damages, demands, judgments, liabilities (legal, administrative or otherwise), losses, notices, expenses, fines, penalties, proceedings, responsibilities, violations, attorney's and consultants' fees and causes of action to property or persons, including personal injury and/or death ("Claim(s)"), to the extent that the Claim(s) arises out of, pertains to, or relates to the negligent errors or omissions (active or passive, ordinary or gross), recklessness (ordinary or gross), or willful misconduct of CONSULTANT, its directors, officials, officers, employees, contractors, subcontractors, consultants, subconsultants or agents arising out of, connected with, or resulting from the performance of the Services, the Project, or this Agreement. This indemnity excludes CONSULTANT's liability as to the active or sole negligence or willful misconduct of the District.

2. CONSULTANT shall purchase and maintain policies of insurance with an insurer or insurers, qualified to do business in the State of California and acceptable to DISTRICT which will protect CONSULTANT and DISTRICT from claims which may arise out of or result from CONSULTANT's actions or inactions relating to the AGREEMENT, whether such actions or inactions be by themselves or by any subcontractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or by anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable. The aforementioned insurance shall include coverage for:

a. The CONSULTANT shall carry Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance in accordance with the laws of the State of California. However, such amount shall not be less than ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000).

b. Commercial general liability insurance with limits of not less than ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) per occurrence and TWO MILLION DOLLARS (\$2,000,000) aggregate and automobile liability insurance with limits of not less than ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) for bodily injury and property damage liability, per occurrence, including coverage for the following:

- 1. Owned, non-owned and hired vehicles;
- 2. Blanket contractual;
- 3. Broad form property damage;
- 4. Products/completed operations; and
- 5. Personal injury.

c. Professional liability insurance, including contractual liability, with limits of TWO MILLION DOLLARS (\$2,000,000), per claim. Such insurance shall be maintained during the term of this AGREEMENT and renewed for a period of at least five (5) years thereafter and/or at rates consistent with the time of execution of this AGREEMENT adjusted for inflation. In the event that CONSULTANT subcontracts any portion of CONSULTANT's duties, CONSULTANT shall require any such subcontractor to purchase and maintain insurance coverage as provided in this subparagraph. Failure to maintain professional liability insurance is a material breach of this AGREEMENT and grounds for immediate termination.

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d. Article VII, Section 5(b) above shall name the DISTRICT and its officers, agents and employees as additional insureds; and shall state that, with respect to the operations of CONSULTANT hereunder, such policy is primary and any insurance carried by the DISTRICT is excess and non-contributory with such primary insurance; and shall state that not less than thirty (30) days' written notice shall be given to the DISTRICT prior to cancellation. Each policy of insurance required in Article VII, Section 5(a), (b), and (c) above shall waive all rights of subrogation. CONSULTANT shall notify the DISTRICT in the event of material change in, or failure to renew, each policy. Prior to commencing work, CONSULTANT shall deliver to the DISTRICT certificates of insurance as evidence of compliance with the requirements herein. In the event CONSULTANT fails to secure or maintain any policy of insurance required hereby, the DISTRICT may, at its sole discretion, secure such policy of insurance in the name of and for the account of CONSULTANT, and in such event CONSULTANT shall reimburse the DISTRICT upon demand for the cost thereof.

ARTICLE IX – MISCELLANEOUS

1. CONSULTANT shall not change any of the key personnel listed in Exhibit A without prior written notice to, and written approval by, District, unless said personnel cease to be employed by CONSULTANT. In either case, District shall be allowed to interview and approve replacement personnel.

2. If any CONSULTANT personnel fail to perform to the satisfaction of the District or fully comply with the terms of this Agreement, then upon five days' written notice by the District the CONSULTANT shall have five (5) days to remove that person from the project and replace that person with personnel acceptable to the District. All lead or key personnel for any CONSULTANT must be also be designated by the CONSULTANT and shall be subject to the District's right to interview and approve replacement personnel. In either case, District shall be allowed to interview and approve replacement personnel.

3. <u>Conflict of Interest</u>. CONSULTANT represent that the CONSULTANT have no existing interest and will not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, which could conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the Services and that no person having any such interest shall be employed by CONSULTANT. In the event a conflict arises during the performance of this Agreement, said person shall be immediately removed from the Project and replaced with personnel acceptable to the District.

4. <u>Independent Contractor</u>. CONSULTANT, in the performance of this AGREEMENT, shall be and act as an independent contractor. CONSULTANT understands and agrees that CONSULTANT and all of CONSULTANT's employees shall not be considered officers, employees or agents of the DISTRICT, and are not entitled to benefits of any kind or nature normally provided employees of the DISTRICT and/or to which DISTRICT's employees are normally entitled, including, but not limited to, State Unemployment Compensation or Workers' Compensation. CONSULTANT assumes the full responsibility for the acts and/or omissions of CONSULTANT's employees or agents as they relate to the Services to be provided under this AGREEMENT. CONSULTANT shall assume full responsibility for payment of any applicable prevailing wages and all federal, state and local taxes or contributions, including unemployment insurance, social security and income taxes for the respective CONSULTANT's employees.

5. <u>No Third Party Beneficiaries</u>. Nothing contained in this AGREEMENT shall create a contractual relationship with or a cause of action in favor of any third party against either the DISTRICT or CONSULTANT.

6. The DISTRICT and CONSULTANT, respectively, bind themselves, their partners, officers, successors, assigns and legal representatives to the other PARTY to this AGREEMENT with respect to the terms of this AGREEMENT. CONSULTANT shall not assign this AGREEMENT.

7. <u>Governing Law</u>. This AGREEMENT shall be governed by the laws of the State of California.

8. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. Each of the PARTIES have had the opportunity to, and have to the extent each deemed appropriate, obtained legal counsel concerning the content and meaning of this AGREEMENT. Each of the PARTIES agrees and represents that no promise, inducement or agreement not herein expressed has been made to effectuate this AGREEMENT. This AGREEMENT represents the entire AGREEMENT between the DISTRICT and CONSULTANT and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. This AGREEMENT may be amended or modified only by an agreement in writing signed by both the DISTRICT and the CONSULTANT.

THIS AGREEMENT SHALL NOT INCLUDE OR INCORPORATE THE TERMS OF ANY GENERAL CONDITIONS, CONDITIONS, MASTER AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER BOILERPLATE TERMS OR FORM DOCUMENTS PREPARED BY THE CONSULTANT. THE ATTACHMENT OF ANY SUCH DOCUMENT TO THIS AGREEMENT AS EXHIBIT "A" SHALL NOT BE INTERPRETED OR CONSTRUED TO INCORPORATE SUCH TERMS INTO THIS AGREEMENT UNLESS THE DISTRICT APPROVES OF SUCH INCORPORATION IN A SEPARATE WRITING SIGNED BY THE DISTRICT. ANY REFERENCE TO SUCH BOILERPLATE TERMS AND CONDITIONS IN THE PROPOSAL OR QUOTE SUBMITTED BY THE CONSULTANT SHALL BE NULL AND VOID AND HAVE NO EFFECT UPON THIS AGREEMENT. PROPOSALS, OUOTES, STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS AND OTHER SIMILAR DOCUMENTS PREPARED BY THE CONSULTANT MAY BE INCORPORATED INTO THIS AGREEMENT AS EXHIBIT "A" BUT SUCH INCORPORATION SHALL BE STRICTLY LIMITED TO THOSE PARTS DESCRIBING THE CONSULTANT'S SCOPE OF WORK, RATE AND PRICE SCHEDULE AND QUALIFICATIONS.

9. <u>Time.</u> Time is of the essence with respect to all provisions of this AGREEMENT.

10. <u>Attorney's fees and Costs</u>. If either PARTY becomes involved in litigation arising out of this AGREEMENT or the performance thereof, each PARTY shall bear its own litigation costs and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees.

11. All exhibits referenced herein and attached hereto shall be deemed incorporated into and made a part of this AGREEMENT by each reference as though fully set forth in each instance in the text hereof with the exception of those documents or provisions that are subject to the exclusions specifically set forth in this AGREEMENT.

12. <u>Uncertainties/Ambiguities</u>. This AGREEMENT shall be liberally construed to effectuate the intention of the PARTIES with respect to the transaction described herein. In determining the meaning of, or resolving any ambiguity with respect to any word, phrase or provision of this AGREEMENT, neither this AGREEMENT nor any uncertainty or ambiguity herein will be construed or resolved against either PARTY (including the PARTY primarily responsible for drafting and preparation of this AGREEMENT), under any rule of construction or otherwise, it being expressly understood and agreed that the PARTIES have participated equally or have had equal opportunity to participate in the drafting hereof.

13. It is mutually understood and agreed that this AGREEMENT shall be binding upon the DISTRICT and its successors and upon the CONSULTANT, its partners, successors, executors, and administrators. Neither this AGREEMENT, nor any monies due or to become due thereunder, may be assigned by the CONSULTANT without the written consent and approval of the DISTRICT.

14. <u>Counterparts</u>. This AGREEMENT may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and the counterparts shall constitute one and the same instrument, all of which shall be sufficient evidence of this AGREEMENT.

15. <u>Confidentiality</u>: The CONSULTANT shall not disclose or permit the disclosure of any confidential information, except to its agents, employees and other consultants who need such confidential information in order to properly perform their duties relative to this AGREEMENT

16. <u>Severability</u>: If any portion of this AGREEMENT is held as a matter of law to be unenforceable, the remainder of this AGREEMENT shall be enforceable without such provisions.

17. <u>Gift Ban</u>: Effective April 25, 2016, the Board of Trustees adopted Board Policy 3821 Gift Ban Policy. The Consultant shall adhere to Board Policy 3821 as there are strict prohibitions outlined in the policy. For further reference and information please read BP 3821 located on the RSCCD website at <u>http://www.rsccd.edu/Trustees/Pages/BP-3821.aspx</u>.

Use of Drones: Effective August 13, 2018, the Board of Trustees adopted Administrative 18. Regulation 3580 Use of Unmanned Aircraft Systems. The Consultant shall adhere to Administrative Regulation 3580 as there are strict prohibitions outlined regarding the use of drones. For further reference and information please read AR 3580 located on the RSCCD website at http://www.rsccd.edu/Trustees/Pages/AR-3581.aspx.

19. <u>Notices</u>: All notices or demands to be given under this AGREEMENT by either PARTY to the other shall be in writing and given either by: (a) personal service; or (b) by U.S. Mail, mailed either by registered, overnight, or certified mail, return receipt requested, with postage prepaid. Service shall be considered given when received if personally served or if mailed on the fifth day after deposit in any U.S. Post Office. The address to which notices or demands may be given by either PARTY may be changed by written notice given in accordance with the notice provisions of this Paragraph. At the date of this AGREEMENT, the addresses of the PARTIES are as follows:

To the DISTRICT:	To the CONSULTANT:
Rancho Santiago Community College District	Architectural Testing, Inc.
Attn: Carri Matsumoto, Assistant Vice Chancellor	Attn: John Runkle
Facilities Planning, District Construction & Support Services	Vice President
2323 North Broadway, Suite 112	25791 Commercentre Drive
Santa Ana, CA 92703	Lake Forest, CA 92630
Telephone: (714) 480-7510	Telephone: 949-460-9600
Facsimile: (714) 796-3910	Facsimile: 717-764-4129

20. <u>Tobacco Prohibited</u>: Any tobacco use (smoking, chewing, etc.) by anyone, is prohibited at all times on any DISTRICT property.

21. <u>Profanity Prohibited</u>: Profanity on any DISTRICT property is prohibited, including, but not limited to, racial, ethnic, or sexual slurs or comments which could be considered harassment.

22. <u>Appropriate dress is mandatory</u>. Therefore, tank tops, cut-offs and shorts are not allowed. Additionally, what is written or pictured on clothing must comply with the requirements of acceptable language as stated above in Paragraph 16.

23. <u>Education Code Section 45125.1</u>: During the entire term of this AGREEMENT, CONSULTANT, unless specifically exempted in writing by the DISTRICT, shall fully comply with the provisions of Education Code section 45125.1 ("<u>Fingerprinting Requirements</u>"), when the DISTRICT determines, in its sole discretion, that the CONSULTANT may have contact with Rancho Santiago Community College students or other K-12 pupils in the performance of services under this AGREEMENT. If the CONSULTANT is required to meet the Fingerprinting Requirements, the CONSULTANT must certify in writing to the DISTRICT that neither the employer nor its employees, who must be fingerprinted, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as defined in Education Code section 45122.1. Unless specifically exempted in writing by the DISTRICT, the CONSULTANT must complete and submit to the DISTRICT a Fingerprint Certification form, in the DISTRICT'S required format, prior to CONSULTANT or any of the CONSULTANT'S employees performing work on the Project or coming into contact with DISTRICT students or other K-12 pupils. CONSULTANT further acknowledges that other fingerprinting requirements may apply, as set forth in Education Code Section 45125 et seq., and will comply with any such requirements as determined by the DISTRICT.

24. <u>Parking</u>. CONSULTANT shall be responsible for purchasing applicable parking passes from Safety & Security Offices when the need arises to visit any of the campuses.

25. <u>Images</u>: If applicable, the CONSULTANT is prohibited from capturing on any visual medium images of any property, logo, student, or employee of the DISTRICT, or any image that represents the DISTRICT without express written consent from the DISTRICT.

26. This AGREEMENT is not a valid or enforceable obligation against the DISTRICT until approved or ratified by motion of the Governing Board of the DISTRICT duly passed and adopted.

ARTICLE X – ENTIRE AGREEMENT

1. All of the AGREEMENT between the PARTIES is included herein, and no warranties expressed or implied, representations, promises, or statements have been made by either PARTY unless endorsed hereon in writing, and no charges or waiver of any provision hereof shall be valid unless made in writing and executed in the same manner as the AGREEMENT.

2. Neither amendments to nor modifications of this AGREEMENT shall be effective unless signed by officials of the CONSULTANT and the DISTRICT having authority equal to or greater than that of the officials signing this AGREEMENT. The DISTRICT and the CONSULTANT hereby agree to the full performance of the covenants contained herein.

The PARTIES, through their authorized representatives, have executed this AGREEMENT as of the day and year first written above.

CONSULTANT: ARCHITECTURAL TESTING, INC.

DISTRICT: RANCHO SANTIAGO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

By:	By:
Print Name:	Adam M. O'Connor, Interim Vice Chancellor Business Operations and Fiscal Services
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Rancho Santiago Community College District 2323 N. Broadway, Suite 112 Santa Ana, CA 92706 Carri Matsumoto, Assistant Vice Chancellor Facilities Planning, District Construction and Support Services Rancho Santiago Community College Districe 2323 N. Broadway, Suite 109 Santa Ana, CA 92706 Linda Melendez, Director of Purchasing

EXHIBIT "A"

1. <u>Compensation for Services:</u>

- A. The DISTRICT shall compensate the CONSULTANT for the performance of all Services required under this AGREEMENT an hourly amount not-to-exceed TWENTY FOUR THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED SIXTY DOLLARS AND 0/100 (\$24,860). Payments will be based on monthly invoices, payable in arrears, which will set forth the hours actually worked and expenses incurred during the billing period, in accordance with ARTICLE II, Paragraph 4 of this AGREEMENT. The billing rates indicated in EXHIBIT "B" will be multiplied by the actual hours for each position to arrive at the total fee for each month. The CONSULTANT shall not exceed the fee without prior written authorization of the DISTRICT.
 - 1. Included in the not-to-exceed fee is an allowance in the amount of **TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 0/100 (\$10,000)** for the additional service required by the District and allowable reimbursable expenses are set forth in ARTICLE II, Paragraph 2 and 3 of this AGREEMENT. Reimbursable expenses shall be paid to the CONSULTANT at one and five-hundredths (1.05) times the expenses incurred by the CONSULTANT, the CONSULTANT's employees and consultant.

2. <u>Project Description</u>

The Santiago Canyon College has multiple building locations showing signs of water leaks due to roof system enclosure problems and potential failures for multiple reasons. The building enclosure problems occur at Building E, L, SC, H, and MO and G. The District is in need of a complete building enclosure assessment and recommendation to properly scope the necessary repairs for potential future projects.

Abbr	Bldg Name	Year Built	GSF
Е	E BLDG	2004	37,034
L	LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER	2006	39,900
SC	SCIENCE CENTER	2011	57,372
Н	HUMANITIES	2014	97,521
МО	MAINTENANCE & OPERATIONS	2013	15,583
G	GYMNASTICS & ATHLETICS	2013	42,816

3. <u>Scope of Services</u>

The following summarizes the proposed scope of services:

• Review and evaluate available documents and information provided by facility personnel including architectural plans and details, installation and maintenance records, warranty information, or other documents regarding the roof and metal panel systems.

• Conduct interviews with the current building owner and key facility personnel to obtain information regarding the roof and metal panel systems construction and performance.

• Make visual field observations of readily accessible components of the roof and metal panel systems to determine the roof's general appearance, characteristics and conditions. Assuming up

to two consecutive days.

- Where appropriate, observations and notes will be made concerning:
 - o General appearance and surface conditions
 - o General drainage characteristics
 - o General flashing conditions
 - o Roof perimeter conditions including counterflashing's, perimeter edging, and fascia
 - o Roof top penetrations including plumbing vents and equipment penetrations

o Roof top penetration covers and housings from a perspective of watertight integrity o Roof deck and supporting structural components, inclusive of fireproofing where readily visible to identify; deteriorated decking, deflected decking or support members, loose supports, and other deficiencies in the roof deck and support structure. Note this observation is not to be considered a structural evaluation.

Upon conclusion of the work, the data will be evaluated, and a written report will be prepared. The report will include the following:

- Overview of the roof and metal panels characteristics and conditions.
- Photographic documentation of representative conditions
- Recommendations for recommended repair or replacement options.

• Based on the walk-through survey and information obtained, a general opinion of costs will be provided for the suggested remedy of the material physical deficiencies observed. This opinion of costs is to assist the district in developing a general understanding of the physical condition of the roof system.

4. <u>Schedule of Work</u>

The site visit will be scheduled accordingly with the availability of Maintenance and Operation

EXHIBIT "B" – HOURLY RATES

The rates set forth in this EXHIBIT "B" shall be valid and not increased during the life of this AGREEMENT.

Position:	Name of Personnel:	Hourly Rate:
Vice President	John Runkle	\$255/hr.
Senior Director / Director / Chief Engineer or		\$230/hr.
Chief Architect		
Department Manager / Discipline Manager /		\$215/hr.
Senior Consultant / Principal Consultant /		
Consultant		
Manager / Senior Project Engineer / Senior	Max Faraji	\$200/hr.
Project Architect / Senior Project Manager		
Project Engineer / Project Architect /		\$185/hr.
Project Manager		
Engineer	Joseph Sinkiewicz	\$170/hr.
Senior Technician / Senior Inspector / Project		\$155/hr.
Lead / Technical Lead / Project		
Associate		
Technician / Inspector / Acoustician		\$135/hr.
Project Coordinator		\$95/hr

Any overtime, weekend, or holiday work must be pre-approved and authorized by the District in advance prior to commencement of such work and must be provided in writing.

EXHIBIT "C"

STATEMENT OF INTENT TO MEET DVBE PARTICIPATION GOALS

The Rancho Santiago Community College District has a participation goal for disabled veteran business enterprises ("DVBE") of 3 percent per year. Although it is not specifically required, you are encouraged to include DVBE a enterprises as part of the Services under this AGREEMENT. The undersigned, on behalf of ______ ("Consultant"), certifies the following:

- Consultant is a certified Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise
- Consultant is **<u>not</u>** a certified Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise
- □ Consultant will include a certified Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise as part of its Services to the District.
- □ Consultant will not include a Certified Disabled Business Enterprise as part of its Services to the District. If this box is checked, please explain why:

Company:	
Name:	
Title:	
Signature:	
Date:	

EXHIBIT "D" – LOCAL HIRE AND LOCAL BUSINESS INFORMATION

The Rancho Santiago Community College District is interested in furthering opportunities for Local Hires and Local Businesses and the Board of Trustees has established a goal of 50% participation of "Local Hires" and 25% participation of "Local Businesses" for various capital construction projects. It is the intent of the District to not only meet these goals, but to exceed them. As used in this Exhibit, "Local Hire" and "Local Business" is defined as follows:

"Local Hire" means an individual who is "domiciled", as defined in Elections Code section 349(b), in the following zip codes at least seven days prior to commencing work on the Project: 92602, 92606, 92610, 92612, 92614, 92618, 92620, 92626, 92627, 92660, 92675, 92676, 92679, 92688, 92701, 92703, 92704, 92705, 92706, 92707, 92708, 92780, 92782, 92802, 92805, 92806, 92807, 92808, 92840, 92843, 92861, 92862, 92865, 92866, 92867, 92868, 92869, 92883, or 92887. Local Hire shall also mean a "veteran" as defined in Military and Veterans Code section 980, who possesses a current and valid DD Form 214 card, and will provide work on the Project. Local Hire shall also mean any current or former student that the District determines is or was enrolled as a student at one of the District's colleges, and will provide work on the Project.

"Local Business" means a business serving as a vendor as defined in Business and Professions Code section 7026 or a business supplying construction-related materials that has its principal headquarters or permanently staffed regional office and that has held a business license within the zip codes listed above for Local Hire for a minimum of three months prior to the date the entity submits a bid, contract, or proposal for the Project. A Local Business vendor must also be properly registered with the Department of Industrial Relations in accordance with Labor Code section 1725.5. Local Business shall also mean any business supplying services or supplies for the Project that has its principal headquarters or permanently staffed regional office and that has held a business license within the zip codes listed above for Local Hire for a minimum of three months prior to the date the entity signs a contract or proposal for the Project. Local Business shall also mean any state or nationally certified minority-owned, women-owned, or disabled veteran business that has performed work for the District or other public agency within the zip codes listed above for Local Hire during the past four years. Certification for a minority-owned, womenowned, or disabled veteran business must be provided to the District. Local Business shall also mean a business that participates in an internship program that is currently approved or recognized by the District. The entity may also apply to obtain District approval of its internship program. The internship program must be approved by the District and must be completed by the end of the Project or by the next semester immediately after completion of the Project. Local Business shall also mean any entity that uses apprentices from a District approved apprenticeship program.

The Consultant agrees it will use Local Hires and Local Businesses to the extent possible or if the opportunity arises at any time. The District may request information or documents to confirm participation by a Local Hire or Business and Consultant agrees to comply with any reasonable requests.

Please complete questions below, including additional sheet for each Subconsultant (if applicable):

Company:

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1.	Firm is a Minority Business Enterprise (MBE)	□ Yes	🗆 No
2.	Firm is a Women Business Enterprise (WBE)	□ Yes	□ No
3.	Firm is a Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE If "yes" for items 1-3 above, provide a copy of certification.	2) 🗆 Yes	□ No
4.	Firm is a Veteran Owned Business	□ Yes	🗆 No
5. This business participates in or provides opportunities for internship programs:			grams:
	[□ Yes	🗆 No
	f "yes", state type of internship program(s) offered:		

6. List ALL Team Members who are considered a Local Hire. Check the applicable box(es), if any, pertaining to each individual.

	Team Member (First and Last Name)	Zip Code (for Local Residents Only)	Local Resident*	RSCCD Student**	Veteran	Intern
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						

** A RSCCD student is an individual who is or was enrolled in one or more classes at any of these campuses (Santa Ana College, Centennial Education Center, Digital Media Center, Orange County Sheriff's Regional Training Academy, Santiago Canyon College or Orange Education Center).

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In submitting this form, the Consultant certifies that it has independently verified that all Local Hires and Local Businesses noted in this agreement meet the definitions for Local Hires and Local Businesses as set forth in Board Policy 6610 and Administrative Regulation 6610. The District may request Consultant to provide additional information or documents to support the numbers listed above. Consultant agrees to provide all additional information or documents requested by the District. Failure to provide any requested information may result in the District delaying Final Payment to the Consultant and Consultant agrees that it shall have no claim for additional costs or days resulting from or in any way related to providing the information in this form.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Name:_____

Signature: _____

Title: ______

Date: