

**LAKE BERRYESSA RESORT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT
AGREEMENT NO. 240306B**

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of this _____ day of _____, 2024, by and between the LAKE BERRYESSA RESORT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT, a special district of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as “DISTRICT”, and GHD, Inc., a California corporation whose business address is 2235 Mercury Way Suite 150, Santa Rosa, CA 95407, hereinafter referred to as “CONTRACTOR.”

RECITALS

WHEREAS, on April 12, 2017, the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (“Regional Board”) issued a Notice of Violation citing reported raw and treated sewage spills in the winter months of 2017 that occurred as a result of several major storms inundating the DISTRICT’s facilities; and

WHEREAS, on May 7, 2017, DISTRICT and CONTRACTOR entered into Agreement No. 170871B-17 (the “2017 Agreement”), whereby CONTRACTOR performed a Water Balance Evaluation and Calibration of the wastewater facility capacity and performance under a scenario where sewer collection system, treatment and pond storage are subject to the total annual precipitation for a return period of 100 years; and

WHEREAS, the 2017 Agreement was amended four times for CONTRACTOR to help the DISTRICT implement further orders and direction of the Regional Board arising from the Notice of Violation or related to the wastewater collection system, treatment capacity, or the capacity or containment of the wastewater storage ponds; and

WHEREAS, the CONTRACTOR also prepared an engineering project report to assist the DISTRICT in pursuing a Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) loan to help finance needed wastewater system improvements identified through the CONTRACTOR’s work under the 2017 Agreement; and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2021, DISTRICT and CONTRACTOR entered into an Agreement (the “2021 Agreement”) for the preparation of a cultural resources report to assist the DISTRICT in pursuing a Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) loan to help finance needed wastewater system improvements identified through the CONTRACTOR’s work under the 2017 Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the 2017 Agreement expired in June of 2020; and

WHEREAS, the 2021 Agreement expired in December of 2021; and

WHEREAS, DISTRICT needs additional specialized services, as authorized by Government Code section 31000, related to CONTRACTOR’s work under the 2017 Agreement

in order to fulfill CWSRF submittal requirements established by the Division of Financial Assistance of State Water Resources Control Board, for additional design work to incorporate comments received from the State on work performed under the 2017 Agreement, for a Cultural Resources Investigation and Study Report of the wastewater storage ponds project site, and perform geotechnical site investigations with a basis of design report for the Ponds 1 – 3 earthen berm upgrades; and

WHEREAS, CONTRACTOR is willing to provide such specialized services to DISTRICT under the terms and conditions set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, DISTRICT hereby engages the specialized services of CONTRACTOR, and CONTRACTOR agrees to serve DISTRICT in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth herein:

AGREEMENT

1. **Term of the Agreement.** The term of this Agreement shall be effective retroactively to January 1, 2024, and shall expire on December 31, 2024, unless terminated earlier in accordance with Paragraphs 9 (Termination for Cause), 10 (Other Termination) or 23(a) (Covenant of No Undisclosed Conflict); except that the obligations of the parties under Paragraphs 7 (Insurance) and 8 (Indemnification) shall continue in full force and effect after said expiration date or early termination in relation to acts or omissions occurring prior to such dates during the term of the Agreement, and the obligations of CONTRACTOR to DISTRICT shall also continue after said expiration date or early termination in relation to the obligations prescribed by Paragraphs 15 (Confidentiality), 20 (Taxes), 21 (Access to Records/Retention), and 24 (Standard of Care).
2. **Scope of Services.** CONTRACTOR shall perform additional geotechnical design work to investigate existing subsurface conditions in and around the Ponds 1 – 3 earthen berms holding and biologically treating wastewater discharged into the community sewer collection system. A Geotechnical Report shall be the basis of design for upgrading the berms to comply with Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board facility guidelines, as further set forth in Exhibit “A” attached hereto and hereby incorporated by reference.
3. **Compensation.**
 - (a) Rates. In consideration of CONTRACTOR's fulfillment of the promised work, DISTRICT shall pay CONTRACTOR at the rates set forth in Exhibit “B” attached hereto and hereby incorporated by reference.
 - (b) Expenses. No travel or other expenses will be reimbursed by DISTRICT.
 - (c) Maximum Amount. Notwithstanding subparagraphs (a) and (b), the maximum payments by DISTRICT to CONTRACTOR under this Agreement shall not exceed SIXTY THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-EIGHT DOLLARS (\$60,188.00); provided, however, such amounts shall not be construed as guaranteed sums, and payments shall be based upon services actually rendered and expenses actually incurred.

4. Method of Payment.

(a) Invoices. All payments for compensation and reimbursement for expenses shall be made only upon presentation by CONTRACTOR to DISTRICT of an itemized billing invoice in a form acceptable to the Napa County Auditor which indicates, at a minimum, CONTRACTOR's name, address, Social Security or Taxpayer Identification Number, itemization of the hours worked, a detailed description of the tasks completed during the billing period, the names of person(s) performing the services and the position(s) held by such person(s), and the approved hourly or task rate.

(b) Expenses. If the Agreement provides for expense reimbursement, requests for reimbursement shall describe the nature and cost of the expense, the date incurred. With the exception of per diem reimbursements, receipts must be attached.

(c) Fixed Price. If the Agreement provides for a fixed price, if CONTRACTOR presents interim invoices, CONTRACTOR must state the percentage of work completed, which must be verified by DISTRICT, i.e., 35% design, 95% design, draft report, et cetera, at which time CONTRACTOR shall be paid the equivalent percentage of the fixed price.

(d) CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices not more often than once per month to the District Engineer who, after review and approval as to form and content, shall submit the invoice to the Napa County Auditor no later than fifteen (15) calendar days following receipt. A sample invoice showing the level of detail required is attached as Exhibit "C".

(e) Legal status. So that DISTRICT may properly comply with its reporting obligations under federal and state laws pertaining to taxation, if CONTRACTOR is or becomes a corporation during the term of this Agreement, proof that such status is currently recognized by and complies with the laws of both the state of incorporation or organization and the State of California, if different, shall be provided to the District Engineer upon request in a form satisfactory to the Napa County Auditor. Such proof shall include, but need not be limited to, a copy of any annual or other periodic filings or registrations required by the state of origin or California, the current address for service of process on the corporation or limited liability partnership, and the name of any agent designated for service of process by CONTRACTOR within the State of California.

5. Independent Contractor. CONTRACTOR shall perform this Agreement as an independent contractor. CONTRACTOR and the officers, agents and employees of CONTRACTOR are not, and shall not be deemed, DISTRICT employees for any purpose, including workers' compensation and employee benefits. CONTRACTOR shall, at CONTRACTOR's own risk and expense, determine the method and manner by which duties imposed on CONTRACTOR by this Agreement shall be performed; provided, however, that DISTRICT may monitor the work performed by CONTRACTOR. DISTRICT shall not deduct or withhold any amounts whatsoever from the compensation paid to CONTRACTOR, including, but not limited to amounts required to be withheld for state and federal taxes, unless required to do so by court order. As between the parties to this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible for all such payments.

6. Prevailing Wage Requirements. The scope of services includes "public works" as defined in the California Labor Code. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all State prevailing wage requirements, including but not limited to, those set forth in Exhibit "D." In instances

where federal (Davis-Bacon) prevailing wages also apply to the trade or work, CONTRACTOR shall pay the higher of the two wages

7. **Insurance.** CONTRACTOR shall obtain and maintain in full force and effect throughout the term of this Agreement, and thereafter as to matters occurring during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage:

(a) Workers' Compensation Insurance. To the extent required by law during the term of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall provide workers' compensation insurance for the performance of any of CONTRACTOR's duties under this Agreement, including but not limited to, coverage for workers' compensation and employer's liability and a waiver of subrogation, and shall provide DISTRICT with certification of all such coverages upon request by DISTRICT's Risk Manager.

(b) Liability Insurance. CONTRACTOR shall obtain and maintain in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement the following liability insurance coverages, issued by a company admitted to do business in California and having an A.M. Best rating of A:VII or better, or equivalent self-insurance:

(1) General Liability. Commercial general liability [CGL] insurance coverage (personal injury and property damage) of not less than TWO MILLION DOLLARS (\$2,000,000) combined single limit per occurrence, covering liability or claims for any personal injury, including death, to any person and/or damage to the property of any person arising from the acts or omissions of CONTRACTOR or any officer, agent, or employee of CONTRACTOR under this Agreement. If the coverage includes an aggregate limit, the aggregate limit shall be no less than twice the per occurrence limit.

(2) Professional Liability/Errors and Omissions. Professional liability [or errors and omissions] insurance for all activities of CONTRACTOR arising out of or in connection with this Agreement in an amount not less than ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) per claim. If the coverage includes an aggregate limit the aggregate limit shall be no less than twice the per occurrence limit.

(3) Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance. Comprehensive automobile liability insurance (Bodily Injury and Property Damage) on owned, hired, leased and non-owned vehicles used in conjunction with CONTRACTOR's business of not less than ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) combined single limit per occurrence. Coverage shall be business auto insurance coverage using Insurance Services Office (ISO) form number CA 0001 06 92 including symbol 1 (any Auto) or the exact equivalent. If CONTRACTOR owns no vehicles, this requirement may be satisfied by a non-owned auto endorsement to the General Liability Insurance described in subparagraph 7(b)(1). If CONTRACTOR or CONTRACTOR's employees, officers, or agents will use personal automobiles in any way in the performance of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall provide evidence of personal auto liability coverage for each such person upon request.

(c) Certificates of Coverage. All insurance coverages referenced in paragraph 7(b) shall be evidenced by one or more certificates of coverage or, with the consent of DISTRICT's Risk Manager, demonstrated by other evidence of coverage acceptable to DISTRICT's Risk Manager, which shall be filed by CONTRACTOR with the District Engineer prior to commencement of performance of any of CONTRACTOR's duties.

(1) The certificate(s) or other evidence of coverage shall reference this Agreement by its DISTRICT number or title and department; shall be kept current during the term of this Agreement; shall provide that DISTRICT shall be given no less than thirty (30) days prior written notice of any non-renewal, cancellation, other termination, or material change, except that only ten (10) days prior written notice shall be required where the cause of non-renewal or cancellation is non-payment of premium; and shall provide that the inclusion of more than one insured shall not operate to impair the rights of one insured against another insured, the coverage afforded applying as though separate policies had been issued to each insured, but the inclusion of more than one insured shall not operate to increase the limits of the company's liability.

(2) Waiver of Subrogation and Additional Insured Endorsements. For the commercial general liability insurance coverage referenced in paragraph 7(b)(1) and, for the comprehensive automobile liability insurance coverage referenced in paragraph 7(b)(3) where the vehicles are covered by a commercial policy rather than a personal policy, CONTRACTOR shall also file with the evidence of coverage an endorsement from the insurance provider naming DISTRICT, its officers, employees, agents and volunteers as additional insureds and waiving subrogation. For the Workers Compensation insurance coverage, CONTRACTOR shall file with the evidence of coverage an endorsement waiving subrogation.

(3) The certificate or other evidence of coverage shall provide that if the same policy applies to activities of CONTRACTOR not covered by this Agreement, then the limits in the applicable certificate relating to the additional insured coverage of DISTRICT shall pertain only to liability for activities of CONTRACTOR under this Agreement, and that the insurance provided is primary coverage to DISTRICT with respect to any insurance or self-insurance programs maintained by DISTRICT. The additional insured endorsements for the general liability coverage shall use Insurance Services Office (ISO) Form No. CG 20 09 11 85 or CG 20 10 11 85, or equivalent, including (if used together) CG 2010 10 01 and CG 2037 10 01; but shall not use the following forms: CG 20 10 10 93 or 03 94.

(4) Upon request by DISTRICT's Risk Manager, CONTRACTOR shall provide or arrange for the insurer to provide within thirty (30) days of the request, certified copies of the actual insurance policies or relevant portions thereof.

(d) Deductibles/Retentions. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions shall be declared to, and be subject to approval by, DISTRICT's Risk Manager, which approval shall not be denied unless the DISTRICT's Risk Manager determines that the deductibles or self-insured retentions are unreasonably large in relation to compensation payable under this Agreement and the risks of liability associated with the activities required of CONTRACTOR by this Agreement. At the option of and upon request by DISTRICT's Risk Manager if the Risk Manager determines that such deductibles or retentions are unreasonably high, either the insurer shall reduce or eliminate such deductibles or self-insurance retentions as respects DISTRICT, its officers, employees, agents and volunteers or CONTRACTOR shall procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration and defense expenses.

(e) Inclusion in Subcontracts. CONTRACTOR agrees to require all subcontractors and any other entity or person who is involved in providing services under this Agreement to comply with the Workers Compensation and General Liability insurance requirements set forth in this Paragraph 7.

8. **Hold Harmless/Defense/Indemnification.**

(a) In General. To the full extent permitted by law, CONTRACTOR shall defend at its own expense, indemnify, and hold harmless the DISTRICT and its officers, agents, employees, volunteers or representatives from and against any and all liability, claims, actions, proceedings, losses, injuries, damages or expenses of every name, kind, and description, including litigation costs and reasonable attorney's fees incurred in connection therewith, brought for or on account of, personal injury (including death), including but not limited to DISTRICT employees, and the public, or damage to the property of any person or entity, which arise out of, pertain to, or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of CONTRACTOR, its officers, agents, employees, volunteers, representatives, contractors and subcontractors. This duty of CONTRACTOR includes the duty of defense, inclusive of that set forth in California Civil Code Section 2778, not to exceed CONTRACTOR's proportionate percentage of fault pursuant to California Civil Code section 2782.8. Each party shall notify the other party immediately in writing of any claim or damage related to activities performed under this Agreement. The parties shall cooperate with each other in the investigation and disposition of any claim arising out of the activities under this Agreement, provided that nothing shall require either party to disclose any documents, records or communications that are protected under peer review privilege, attorney-client privilege, or attorney work product privilege.

(b) Employee Character and Fitness. CONTRACTOR accepts responsibility for determining and approving the character and fitness of its employees (including volunteers, agents or representatives) to provide the services required of CONTRACTOR under this Agreement, including completion of a satisfactory criminal/background check and period rechecks to the extent permitted by law. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Paragraph, CONTRACTOR shall hold DISTRICT and its officers, agents and employees harmless from any liability for injuries or damages resulting from a breach of this provision or CONTRACTOR's actions in this regard.

9. **Termination for Cause.** If either party shall fail to fulfill in a timely and proper manner that party's obligations under this Agreement or otherwise breach this Agreement and fail to cure such failure or breach within ten (10) days of receipt of written notice from the other party describing the nature of the breach, the non-defaulting party may, in addition to any other remedies it may have, terminate this Agreement by giving ten (10) days prior written notice to the defaulting party in the manner set forth in Paragraph 13 (Notices). The District Executive Officer is hereby authorized to make all decisions and take all actions required under this Paragraph to terminate this Agreement on behalf of DISTRICT for cause.

10. **Other Termination.** This Agreement may be terminated by DISTRICT for any reason and at any time by giving prior written notice of such termination to CONTRACTOR specifying the effective date thereof at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date; provided, however, that no such termination may be effected by DISTRICT unless an opportunity for consultation is provided prior to the effective date of the termination. DISTRICT hereby authorizes the District Engineer to make all decisions and take all actions required under this Paragraph to terminate this Agreement on behalf of DISTRICT for the convenience of DISTRICT.

11. Disposition of, Title to and Payment for Work Upon Expiration or Termination.

(a) Upon expiration of this Agreement or termination for cause under Paragraph 9 or termination for convenience of a party under Paragraph 10:

(1) To the extent CONTRACTOR has provided services through Software and Applications materials licensed to DISTRICT, DISTRICT shall promptly return the Software and Application materials to CONTRACTOR. In addition, to the extent CONTRACTOR maintains DISTRICT data on those portions of digital software hosted by CONTRACTOR and not controlled by DISTRICT ("District data"), CONTRACTOR shall promptly return District data to DISTRICT Information Technology Department (ITS) in a format designated by ITS and shall subsequently purge District data from CONTRACTOR's systems upon confirmation from DISTRICT that the copy of the data provided to DISTRICT is comprehensive of the data previously hosted by CONTRACTOR.

(2) All finished or unfinished documents and other materials, if any, and all rights therein shall become, at the option of DISTRICT, the property of and shall be promptly returned to DISTRICT, although CONTRACTOR may retain a copy of such work for its personal records only, except as otherwise provided under Paragraph 15 (Confidentiality) of this Agreement. Unless otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement, any copyrightable or patentable work created by CONTRACTOR under this Agreement shall be deemed a "work made for hire" for purposes of copyright or patent law and only DISTRICT shall be entitled to claim or apply for the copyright or patent thereof. Notwithstanding the foregoing and to the extent services under this Agreement involve the development of previously patented inventions or copyrighted software, then upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, title to, ownership of, and all applicable patents, copyrights and trade secrets in the products developed or improved under this Agreement, shall remain with CONTRACTOR or any other person or entity if such person previously owned or held such patents, copyrights, and trade secrets, and such persons shall retain complete rights to market such product; provided, however, that DISTRICT shall receive, at no additional cost, a perpetual license to use such products for its own use or the use of any consortium or joint powers agency to which DISTRICT is a party. If the product involves a source code, CONTRACTOR shall either provide a copy of the source code to DISTRICT or shall place the source code in an escrow account, at CONTRACTOR's expense, from which the source code may be withdrawn and used by DISTRICT for the sole purpose of maintaining and updating the system dependent upon such code when such use is necessary to prevent loss of service to DISTRICT.

(b) CONTRACTOR shall be entitled to receive compensation for any satisfactory work completed prior to expiration or receipt of the notice of termination or commenced prior to receipt of the notice of termination and completed satisfactorily prior to the effective date of the termination; except that CONTRACTOR shall not be relieved of liability to DISTRICT for damages sustained by DISTRICT by virtue of any breach of the Agreement by CONTRACTOR whether or not the Agreement expired or otherwise terminated, and DISTRICT may withhold any payments not yet made to CONTRACTOR for purpose of setoff until such time as the exact amount of damages due to DISTRICT from CONTRACTOR is determined.

12. No Waiver. The waiver by either party of any breach or violation of any requirement of this Agreement shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any such breach in the future, or of the breach of any other requirement of this Agreement.

13. **Notices.** All notices required or authorized by this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be delivered in person or by deposit in the United States mail, by certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested. Any mailed notice, demand, request, consent, approval or communication that either party desires to give the other party shall be addressed to the other party at the address set forth below. Either party may change its address by notifying the other party of the change of address. Any notice sent by mail in the manner prescribed by this paragraph shall be deemed to have been received on the date noted on the return receipt or five days following the date of deposit, whichever is earlier.

DISTRICT

Lake Berryessa Resort Improvement District
Christopher M. Silke, P.E.
District Engineer
1195 Third Street, Suite 101
Napa, CA 94559

CONTRACTOR

GHD, Inc.
Alex Culick, P.E.
Principal
2235 Mercury Way Suite 150
Santa Rosa, CA 95407

14. **Compliance with DISTRICT Policies on Waste, Harassment, Drug/Alcohol-Free Workplace, and Computer Use.** CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to comply, and require its employees and subcontractors to comply, with the following policies, copies of which are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and incorporated by reference herein. CONTRACTOR also agrees that it shall not engage in any activities, or permit its officers, agents and employees to do so, during the performance of any of the services required under this Agreement, which would interfere with compliance or induce violation of these policies by DISTRICT employees or contractors.

(a) Napa County "Waste Source Reduction and Recycled Product Content Procurement Policy" which is found in the Napa County Policy Manual Part I, Section 8D.

(b) Napa County "Discrimination, Harassment and Retaliation Prevention Policy," which is found in the Napa County Policy Manual Part I, Section 37K.

(c) Napa County "Drug and Alcohol Policy," which is found in the Napa County Policy Manual Part I, Section 37O.

(d) "Napa County Information Technology Use and Security Policy" which is found in the Napa County Policy Manual Part I, Section 31A. To this end, all employees and subcontractors of CONTRACTOR whose performance of services under this Agreement requires access to any portion of the DISTRICT computer network shall sign and have on file with DISTRICT's ITS Department prior to receiving such access the certification attached to said Policy.

(e) Napa County "Workplace Violence Policy," which is found in the Napa County Policy Manual Part I, Section 37U.

15. **Confidentiality.** Confidential information is defined as all information disclosed to CONTRACTOR which relates to DISTRICT's past, present, and future activities, as well as activities under this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall hold all such information as CONTRACTOR may receive, if any, in trust and confidence, except with the prior written

approval of DISTRICT, expressed through its District Engineer. Upon cancellation or expiration of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall return to DISTRICT all written and descriptive matter which contains any such confidential information, except that CONTRACTOR may retain for its files a copy of CONTRACTOR's work product if such product has been made available to the public by DISTRICT.

16. No Assignments or Subcontracts.

(a) In General. A consideration of this Agreement is the personal reputation of CONTRACTOR; therefore, CONTRACTOR shall not assign any interest in this Agreement or subcontract any of the services CONTRACTOR is to perform hereunder without the prior written consent of DISTRICT, which shall not be unreasonably withheld. The inability of the assignee to provide personnel equivalent in experience, expertise, and numbers to those provided by CONTRACTOR, or to perform any of the remaining services required under this Agreement within the same time frame required of CONTRACTOR shall be deemed to be reasonable grounds for DISTRICT to withhold its consent to assignment. For purposes of this subparagraph, the consent of DISTRICT may be given by the District Engineer.

(b) Effect of Change in Status. If CONTRACTOR changes its status during the term of this Agreement from or to that of a corporation, limited liability partnership, limited liability company, general partnership, or sole proprietorship, such change in organizational status shall be viewed as an attempted assignment of this Agreement by CONTRACTOR. Failure of CONTRACTOR to obtain approval of such assignment under this Paragraph shall be viewed as a material breach of this Agreement.

17. Amendment/Modification. Except as specifically provided herein, this Agreement may be modified or amended only with the prior written consent of both parties. Failure of CONTRACTOR to secure such authorization in writing in advance of performing any extra or changed work shall constitute a waiver of any and all rights to adjustment in the contract price or contract time and no compensation shall be paid for such extra work.

18. Interpretation; Venue.

(a) Interpretation. The headings used herein are for reference only. The terms of the Agreement are set out in the text under the headings. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California without regard to the choice of law or conflicts.

(b) Venue. This Agreement is made in Napa County, California. The venue for any legal action in state court filed by either party to this Agreement for the purpose of interpreting or enforcing any provision of this Agreement shall be in the Superior Court of California, County of Napa, a unified court. The venue for any legal action in federal court filed by either party to this Agreement for the purpose of interpreting or enforcing any provision of this Agreement lying within the jurisdiction of the federal courts shall be the Northern District of California. The appropriate venue for arbitration, mediation or similar legal proceedings under this Agreement shall be Napa County, California; however, nothing in this sentence shall obligate either party to submit to mediation or arbitration any dispute arising under this Agreement.

19. **Compliance with Laws.** CONTRACTOR shall observe and comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, ordinances, and codes. Such laws shall include, but not be limited to, the following, except where prohibited by law:

(a) Non-Discrimination. During the performance of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR and its subcontractors shall not deny the benefits thereof to any person on the basis of race, color, ancestry, national origin or ethnic group identification, religion or religious creed, gender or self-identified gender, sexual orientation, marital status, age, mental disability, physical disability, genetic information, or medical condition (including cancer, HIV and AIDS), or political affiliation or belief, nor shall they discriminate unlawfully against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, ancestry, national origin or ethnic group identification, religion or religious creed, gender or self-identified gender, sexual orientation, marital status, age (over 40), mental disability, physical disability, genetic information, or medical condition (including cancer, HIV and AIDS), use of family care leave, or political affiliation or belief. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of employees and applicants for employment are free of such discrimination or harassment. In addition to the foregoing general obligations, CONTRACTOR shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Government Code section 12900, et seq.), the regulations promulgated thereunder (Title 2, California Code of Regulations, section 7285.0, et seq.), the provisions of Article 9.5, Chapter 1, Part 1, Division 3, Title 2 of the Government Code (sections 11135-11139.5) and any state or local regulations adopted to implement any of the foregoing, as such statutes and regulations may be amended from time to time. To the extent this Agreement subcontracts to CONTRACTOR services or works required of DISTRICT by the State of California pursuant to agreement between DISTRICT and the State, the applicable regulations of the Fair Employment and Housing Commission implementing Government Code section 12990 (a) through (f), set forth in Chapter 5 of Division 4 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations are expressly incorporated into this Agreement by reference and made a part hereof as if set forth in full, and CONTRACTOR and any of its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations thereunder to labor organizations with which they have collective bargaining or other agreements.

(b) Documentation of Right to Work. CONTRACTOR agrees to abide by the requirements of the Immigration and Control Reform Act pertaining to assuring that all newly-hired employees of CONTRACTOR performing any services under this Agreement have a legal right to work in the United States of America, that all required documentation of such right to work is inspected, and that INS Form 1-9 (as it may be amended from time to time) is completed and on file for each employee. CONTRACTOR shall make the required documentation available upon request to DISTRICT for inspection.

(c) Inclusion in Subcontracts. To the extent any of the services required of CONTRACTOR under this Agreement are subcontracted to a third party, CONTRACTOR shall include all of the provisions of this Paragraph 19 in all such subcontracts as obligations of the subcontractor.

20. **Taxes.** CONTRACTOR agrees to file federal and state tax returns or applicable withholding documents and to pay all applicable taxes or make all required withholdings on amounts paid pursuant to this Agreement and shall be solely liable and responsible to make such withholdings and/or pay such taxes and other obligations including, without limitation, state and

federal income and FICA taxes. CONTRACTOR agrees to indemnify and hold DISTRICT harmless from any liability it may incur to the United States or the State of California as a consequence of CONTRACTOR's failure to pay or withhold, when due, all such taxes and obligations. In the event that DISTRICT is audited for compliance regarding any withholding or other applicable taxes or amounts, CONTRACTOR agrees to furnish DISTRICT with proof of payment of taxes or withholdings on those earnings.

21. **Access to Records/Retention.** DISTRICT, any federal or state grantor agency funding all or part of the compensation payable hereunder, the State Controller, the Comptroller General of the United States, or the duly authorized representatives of any of the above, shall have access to any books, documents, papers and records of CONTRACTOR which are directly pertinent to the subject matter of this Agreement for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts and transcriptions. Except where longer retention is required by any federal or state law, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for at least seven (7) years after DISTRICT makes final payment for any of the work authorized hereunder and all pending matters are closed, whichever is later.

22. **Authority to Contract.** CONTRACTOR and DISTRICT each warrant hereby that they are legally permitted and otherwise have the authority to enter into and perform this Agreement.

23. **Conflict of Interest.**

(a) Covenant of No Undisclosed Conflict. The parties to the Agreement acknowledge that they are aware of the provisions of Government Code section 1090, et seq., and section 87100, et seq., relating to conflict of interest of public officers and employees. CONTRACTOR hereby covenants that it presently has no interest not disclosed to DISTRICT and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, which would conflict in any material manner or degree with the performance of its services or confidentiality obligation hereunder, except as such as DISTRICT may consent to in writing prior to the acquisition by CONTRACTOR of such conflict. CONTRACTOR further warrants that it is unaware of any financial or economic interest of any public officer or employee of County relating to this Agreement. CONTRACTOR agrees that if such financial interest does exist at the inception of this Agreement, DISTRICT may terminate this Agreement immediately upon giving written notice without further obligation by DISTRICT to CONTRACTOR under this Agreement.

(b) Statements of Economic Interest. CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that DISTRICT has developed and approved a Conflict of Interest Code as required by state law which requires CONTRACTOR to file with the Elections Division of the Napa County Assessor-Clerk Recorder "assuming office", "annual", and "leaving office" Statements of Economic Interest as a "consultant", as defined in section 18701(a)(2) of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, unless it has been determined in writing that CONTRACTOR has been hired to perform a range of duties so limited in scope as to not be required to fully comply with such disclosure obligation. By executing this Agreement, the DISTRICT hereby determines that CONTRACTOR has been hired to perform a range of duties so limited in scope as to not be required to comply with such disclosure obligation.

24. **Standard of Care.** CONTRACTOR represents that the professional services rendered under this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with the standards customarily adhered to by an experienced and competent professional using the degree of care and skill ordinarily exercised by reputable professionals practicing in the same field of service in the State of California. CONTRACTOR shall correct any professional services falling below this standard at its sole cost and expense, if notified by DISTRICT within one year after completion of such services. This standard of care is in addition to any other remedies that may be available to DISTRICT in law or equity.

25. **Third Party Beneficiaries.** Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed to create any rights in third parties and the parties do not intend to create such rights.

26. **Attorney's Fees.** In the event that either party commences legal action of any kind or character to either enforce the provisions of this Agreement or to obtain damages for breach thereof, the prevailing party in such litigation shall be entitled to all costs and reasonable attorney's fees incurred in connection with such action.

27. **Severability.** If any provision of this Agreement, or any portion thereof, is found by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable or invalid for any reason, such provision shall be severable and shall not in any way impair the enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement.

28. **Entirety of Contract.** This Agreement, including any documents expressly incorporated by reference whether or not attached hereto, constitutes the entire agreement between the parties relating to the subject of this Agreement and supersedes all previous agreements, promises, representations, understandings and negotiations, whether written or oral, among the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof.

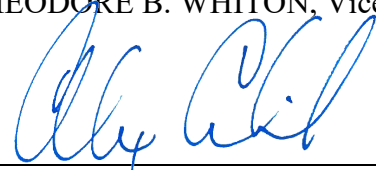
29. **Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, which when taken together, shall constitute a single signed original as though all parties had executed the same page.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement is executed by the Lake Berryessa Resort Improvement District, acting by and through the Chair of the Governing Board, and by the Contractor through its duly authorized officers.

GHD, INC.

By 
THEODORE B. WHITON, Vice President

By 
ALEX CULICK, Vice President

LAKE BERRYESSA RESORT IMPROVEMENT
DISTRICT, a Special District of the State of California

By _____
JOELLE GALLAGHER, Chair of the Governing
Board of Lake Berryessa Resort Improvement District

APPROVED AS TO FORM Office of County Counsel By: <u>Thomas C. Zeleny</u> Chief Deputy County Counsel Date: <u>March 5, 2024</u>	APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AS THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE LAKE BERRYESSA RESORT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT Date: _____ Processed By: _____ _____ Deputy Secretary of the District	ATTEST: NEHA HOSKINS Secretary of the District By: _____
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EXHIBIT “A”

SCOPE OF WORK

CONTRACTOR shall provide DISTRICT with the following services:

I. DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

Task 1

1. GHD, Inc. and their sub-consultant will mobilize a drill rig to perform soil borings and collect subsurface samples for laboratory analysis and compile the data with field observations into a Geotechnical Report that will act as the Basis of Design for earthen berm improvements at Wastewater Ponds 1 – 3 at the DISTRICT’s treatment and storage facility. A final report will be delivered to District staff electronically by June 30, 2024.

II. COMPLIANCE WITH GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 7550. As required by Government Code section 7550, each document or report prepared by CONTRACTOR for or under the direction of DISTRICT pursuant to this Agreement shall contain the numbers and dollar amounts of the Agreement and all subcontracts under the Agreement relating to the preparation of the document or written report. The Agreement and subcontract dollar amounts shall be contained in a separate section of the document or written report. If multiple documents or written reports are the subject of the Agreement or subcontracts, the disclosure section may also contain a statement indicating that the total contract amount represents compensation for multiple documents or written reports.

EXHIBIT “B”

COMPENSATION AND EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT

I. BUDGET

Total Fee - \$60,188.00

Geotechnical Investigations and Report
GHD, Inc.

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EXHIBIT C**[Company Name]**

[Street Address]

[City, ST ZIP Code]

Phone [phone] Fax [fax]

Taxpayer ID #

**SAMPLE
INVOICE**

INVOICE # _____

DATE: _____

TO:

[Customer Name]

[Street Address]

[City, ST ZIP Code]

FOR:

[Project or service description]

Contract No.

Date	DESCRIPTION	Employee & Title	HOURS	RATE	AMOUNT
1/1/15	Site visit/investigation 123 Main St, Napa. Conf w/Owner AutoCad, Bldg X, 3 rd Floor	Smith, Engineer	1.5	\$165.00	247.50
1/1/15		Smith, Engineer	1	\$165.00	165.00
1/1/15		Smith, Engineer	4	\$165.00	660.00
1/2/15	Rev plans, phone conf w/Owner	Jones, PE	1.75	\$195.00	341.25
1/2/15	AutoCad Bldg X, 3 rd Floor Conf w/Owner re 2 nd Floor	Smith, Engineer	4	\$165.00	660.00
1/2/15		Smith, Engineer	.5	\$165.00	82.50
1/3/15	Mtg w/Jones re 2 nd Floor; conf w/Owner Mtg w/Smith; conf w/Owner re 2 nd Floor	Smith, Engineer	1.5	\$165.00	247.50
1/3/15		Jones, PE	1.5	\$195.00	292.50
TOTAL					

EXHIBIT “D”

CALIFORNIA PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to California Labor Code sections 1720 and 1771, construction, alteration, demolition, installation, repair and maintenance work performed under this Agreement is “public works” subject to State prevailing wage laws. State prevailing wage laws require certain provisions be included in all contracts for public works. Contractor and any subcontractors shall comply with State prevailing wage laws including but not limited to the requirements listed below.

D.1 Payment of Prevailing Wages. Contractor and all subcontractors shall ensure that all workers who perform work under this Agreement are paid not less than the prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations (DIR). This includes work performed during the design, site assessment, feasibility study, and other preconstruction phases of construction, including but not limited to inspection and land surveying work, regardless of whether any further construction work is conducted, and work performed during the post-construction phases of construction, including but not limited to all cleanup work at the jobsite.

D.1.1 Copies of such prevailing rate of per diem wages are on file at the Napa County Public Works Department and are available for inspection to any interested party on request. Copies of the prevailing rate of per diem wages also may be found at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/OPRL/DPreWageDetermination.htm>. Contractor and all subcontractors shall post a copy of the prevailing rate of per diem wages determination at each job site and shall make them available to any interested party upon request.

D.1.2 The wage rates determined by the DIR refer to expiration dates. If the published wage rate does not refer to a predetermined wage rate to be paid after the expiration date, then the published rate of wage shall be in effect for the life of this Agreement. If the published wage rate refers to a predetermined wage rate to become effective upon expiration of the published wage rate and the predetermined wage rate is on file with the DIR, such predetermined wage rate shall become effective on the date following the expiration date and shall apply to this Agreement in the same manner as if it had been published in said publication. If the predetermined wage rate refers to one or more additional expiration dates with additional predetermined wage rates, which expiration dates occur during the life of this Agreement, each successive predetermined wage rate shall apply to this Agreement on the date following the expiration date of the previous wage rate. If the last of such predetermined wage rates expires during the life of this Agreement, such wage rate shall apply to the balance of the Agreement.

D.2 Penalties for Violations. Contractor and all subcontractors shall comply with California Labor Code section 1775 in the event a worker is paid less than the prevailing wage rate for the work or craft in which the worker is employed. This is in addition to any other applicable penalties allowed under the California Labor Code.

D.3 Payroll Records. Contractor shall comply with California Labor Code section 1776, which generally requires keeping accurate payroll records, verifying and certifying payroll records, and making them available for inspection. Contractor shall require all subcontractors to also comply with section 1776 to the extent they are performing public works. Contractor and all subcontractors shall furnish records specified in section 1776 on a monthly basis directly to the Labor Commissioner in the manner required by California Labor Code section 1771.4. Contractor and all subcontractors shall also furnish the records to County at County's request. Contractor shall ensure its subconsultants and subcontractors prepare and submit payroll records to the DIR and County as required by this paragraph.

D.3.1 If Contractor and any subcontractors are exempt from the DIR registration requirement pursuant to paragraph D.9.3 below, then Contractor and any subcontractors are not required to furnish payroll records directly to the Labor Commissioner but shall retain the records for at least three years after completion of the work, pursuant to California Labor Code section 1771.4(a)(4).

D.3.2 County may require Contractor and its subcontractors to prepare and submit records specified in section 1776 to County and the Labor Commissioner on a weekly basis, at no additional cost to County.

D.4 Apprentices. Contractor and all subcontractors shall comply with California Labor Code sections 1777.5, 1777.6 and 1777.7 concerning the employment and wages of apprentices on public works projects. Contractor is responsible for compliance for all apprenticeable occupations pursuant to California Labor Code section 1777.5(n), and could be penalized for violations of its subcontractors pursuant to California Labor Code section 1777.7.

D.5 Working Hours. Contractor and all subcontractors shall comply with California Labor Code sections 1810 through 1815. Contractor and all subcontractors shall restrict the time of service of any worker on a public works project to eight hours during any one calendar day and forty hours during any one calendar week, unless all hours worked in excess of 8 hours per day are compensated at not less than 1½ times the basic rate of pay. Violations are subject to penalties of \$25 per worker per day pursuant to California Labor Code section 1813.

D.6 Required Provisions for Subcontracts. Contractor shall include, at a minimum, a copy of the following provisions in any contract they enter into with a subcontractor: California Labor Code sections 1771, 1771.1, 1775, 1776, 1777.5, 1813, and 1815.

D.7 Labor Code Section 1861 Certification. In accordance with California Labor Code section 3700, Contractor is required to secure the payment of compensation of its employees. By signing the Agreement to which this is an exhibit, Contractor certifies that:

“I am aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that code, and

I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this contract.”

D.8 Compliance Monitoring and Enforcement. This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the DIR. County must withhold contract payments from Contractor as directed by the DIR, pursuant to California Labor Code section 1727.

D.9 Registration Requirements. Contractor and any subcontractors shall not engage in the performance of any contract for public work, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to California Labor Code section 1725.5.

D.9.1 By signing the Agreement to which this is an Exhibit, Contractor is certifying that it has verified that all subcontractors used on this project are registered with the DIR in compliance with California Labor Code sections 1771.1 and 1725.5.

D.9.2 County may ask Contractor for the most current list of subcontractors (regardless of tier), along with their DIR registration numbers, utilized on this project at any time during performance of this Agreement, and Contractor shall provide the list within ten (10) working days of County’s request.

D.9.3 The registration requirement does not apply on a public works project of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) or less when the project is for construction, alteration, demolition, installation, or repair work, or on a public works project of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) or less when the project is for maintenance work, pursuant to California Labor Code sections 1725.5(f) and 1771.1(n).

D.10 Stop Order. Where a contractor or subcontractor engages in the performance of any public work contract without having been registered in violation of California Labor Code sections 1725.5 or 1771.1, the Labor Commissioner must issue and serve a stop order prohibiting the use of the unregistered contractor or subcontractor on all public works until the unregistered contractor or subcontractor is registered. Failure to observe a stop order is a misdemeanor.