

**FIRST AMENDMENT TO  
AGREEMENT FOR LEGAL SERVICES WITH  
THE LAW OFFICE OF ELLEN F. GROSS, APC**

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_ day of October, 2025, by and between the City of Coronado, a municipal corporation of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as "CITY" and Law Office of Ellen F. Gross, APC, hereinafter referred to as "CONSULTANT."

**RECITALS**

1. WHEREAS, CITY and CONSULTANT entered into a "Agreement for Professional Services," effective September 10, 2024, (the "Agreement"), wherein CONSULTANT agreed to provide legal services to the CITY as special counsel to the Civil Service Commission.

2. WHEREAS, the Agreement was entered into under the City Manager's contract authority amount.

3. WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the ongoing need for independent legal counsel to the Civil Services Commission requires City Council approval for additional contract amount.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained CITY and CONSULTANT agree to this First Amendment to the Agreement as follows:

Section 1. Section 3.6 is added to the Agreement:

Section 3.6. The Agreement shall not exceed the amount of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) without prior approval of the City Council.

Section 2. That the term of the Agreement is extended for a one-year period. The City Manager is authorized to exercise future time extensions at their discretion.

Section 3. This First Amendment is effective beginning the day, month and year of the execution of this Amendment by the CITY.

Section 4. Except as modified in this Amendment, each and every term and condition of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

SIGNATURES ON THE NEXT PAGE

**Attachment 2**

Agreement for Legal Services: First  
Amendment

“CITY”

“CONSULTANT”

CITY OF CORONADO  
a municipal corporation

LAW OFFICE OF ELLEN F. GROSS, APC

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tina Friend, City Manager

\_\_\_\_\_  
Ellen F. Gross

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Kelsea Holian, MMC, CPM  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Johanna N. Canlas, City Attorney