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COUNTY OF HIDALGO

**1<sup>st</sup> AMENDMENT TO SERVICE CONTRACT  
C-24-0201-07-09**

This **AMENDMENT** to the service contract for “**Professional Psychological Evaluation Services for Defendants**” for Hidalgo County in connection to original contract **C-24-0201-07-09**, dated **July 09, 2024**, by and between **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS** (“County”) and **Gregorio Pina, III, Ph.D.** (“Contractor”) is entered into between the parties effective **September 03, 2024**.

**WHEREAS**, Contractor and County entered into a Contract dated **July 09, 2024**, in which Contractor agreed to provide certain services for the purpose of “**Professional Psychological Evaluation Services for Defendants**” for Hidalgo County (the “Contract”);

**WHEREAS**, Section j, titled “Entire Agreement” allows for **C-24-0201-07-09** to be modified or amended “only by an agreement in writing executed by County and Contractor, and not otherwise”;

**WHEREAS**, the parties desire to amend the Contract to increase the rate of Competence to Stand Trial and Insanity Defense Evaluations;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for and in consideration of the terms and provisions set forth herein, for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, County and Contractor hereby agree to the following amendment to the Contract:

1. The following rates for services as indicated in the “Fee Schedule” attachment of the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

The rate for **Competence to Stand Trial (Adult Courts)** is amended to **\$990.00** per evaluation and related services as indicated on Fee Schedule.

The rate for **Insanity Defense Evaluations** is amended to **\$350.00** per evaluation and related services as indicated on Fee Schedule.

Except as modified herein, all terms and conditions of the Contract, as amended, remain in full force and effect and Contractor and County ratify and confirm the terms, and provisions of the Contract as amended.

**SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW**

**EXECUTED** as of the day and year first written above.

**APPROVED BY COMMISSIONERS' COURT ON September 03, 2024**

**Agenda Item No.:** 96477

**Executive Office:** \_\_\_\_\_

**VENDOR:**

Psychologist

**COUNTY:**

COUNTY OF HIDALGO, Texas

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Gregorio Pina, III, Ph.D

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Hon. Richard F. Cortez, County Judge

**APPROVED AS TO FORM**

Office of the Criminal District Attorney,  
Toribio "Terry" Palacios

**ATTEST:**

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Robert Viña, Assistant District Attorney

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Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

**ATTACHMENTS:**

Attachment A: Exhibit D Location List

**SUPPLEMENTAL SIGNATURES:**

(If Applicable)