



AGREEMENT BETWEEN BROWARD COUNTY AND HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES PROJECT FOR EXCELLENCE, INC. FOR FAIR HOUSING OUTREACH AND EDUCATION

This agreement ("Agreement") is between Broward County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida ("County"), and Housing Opportunities Project for Excellence, Inc. (HOPE, Inc.), a Florida not for profit corporation ("Contractor") (each a "Party" and collectively referred to as the "Parties").

RECITALS

A. County's Housing Options, Solutions, and Supports Division, Human Rights Section ("HOSS-D") is a certified Fair Housing Assistance Program ("FHAP") under contract with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") to investigate and enforce fair housing law violations.

B. Contractor is a local not for profit organization dedicated to eliminating housing discrimination and promoting fair housing through private enforcement, education outreach, and counseling.

C. HUD has earmarked FHAP partnership grant funding for fair housing outreach and education efforts to ensure that HUD housing programs are open to all families and to address the topics of housing discrimination.

D. It is anticipated that HUD will award HOSS-D a FHAP partnership grant to partner with Contractor to expand fair housing education and outreach activities for all individuals and to address the topics of housing discrimination.

E. County and Contractor desire to collaborate in providing fair housing training and outreach events.

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS

1.1. **Applicable Law** means all applicable laws, codes, advisory circulars, rules, regulations, and ordinances of any federal, state, county, municipal, or other governmental entity, as may be amended.

1.2. **Board** means the Board of County Commissioners of Broward County, Florida.

1.3. **Code** means the Broward County Code of Ordinances.

1.4. **Contract Administrator** means the Human Services Department Director, Director of HOSS-D, the Assistant Director of HOSS-D, or such other person designated by the Director of HOSS-D in writing.

1.5. **Fair Housing Assistance Program (“FHAP”)** means the program administered by the United States Department of Urban Development (“HUD”) that provides annual funding on a noncompetitive basis to State and local agencies, such as County, that enforce fair housing laws that are substantially equivalent to the Fair Housing Act.

1.6. **FHAP Partnership Funds** means funds allocated to County to partner with a non-profit corporation to further the County’s fair housing outreach and enforcement efforts.

1.7. **Services** means all work required of Contractor under this Agreement, including, without limitation, all deliverables, goods, consulting, training, project management, and services specified in the Scope of Services attached as Exhibit A.

ARTICLE 2. EXHIBITS

Exhibit A	Scope of Services
Exhibit B	Payment Schedule
Exhibit C	Minimum Insurance Coverages
Exhibit D	Quarterly Progress Report

ARTICLE 3. SCOPE OF SERVICES

3.1. Scope of Services. Contractor shall perform all Services, including, without limitation, the work specified in Exhibit A (the “Scope of Services”). The Scope of Services is a description of Contractor’s obligations and responsibilities and is deemed to include preliminary considerations and prerequisites, and all labor, materials, equipment, and tasks that are such an inseparable part of the work described that exclusion would render performance by Contractor impractical, illogical, or unconscionable.

3.2. Contractor has no right to be used for all grant related projects for FHAP Partnership Funds. County, in its sole discretion, has the right to use any appropriate vendor for other FHAP related programs from any other source.

ARTICLE 4. TERM AND TIME OF PERFORMANCE

4.1. Term. This Agreement begins on the date it is fully executed by the Parties (“Effective Date”) and continues through June 30, 2025 (“Initial Term”), unless otherwise terminated or extended as provided in this Agreement.

4.2. Extensions. County may extend this Agreement for up to two (2) additional one (1) year terms (each an “Extension Term”) on the same terms and conditions stated in this Agreement. To exercise an Extension Term, the Contract Administrator must notify Contractor in writing no less than thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the then-current term.

For any Extension Term, the Contract Administrator shall include with the notice to extend the Agreement a revised deliverables schedule as set forth in Exhibit A and a revised Payment

Schedule as set forth in Exhibit B. Contractor must receive the revised schedules from the Contract Administrator prior to commencement of Services for any Extension Term

4.3. Fiscal Year. The continuation of this Agreement beyond the end of any County fiscal year (October 1 through September 30) is subject to both the appropriation and the availability of funds pursuant to Chapter 129 and, if applicable, Chapter 212, Florida Statutes.

4.4. Time of the Essence. Time is of the essence for Contractor's performance of the duties, obligations, and responsibilities required by this Agreement.

ARTICLE 5. COMPENSATION

5.1. Maximum Amounts. For all Services provided under this Agreement, County will pay Contractor up to a maximum amount as follows:

Categories	Not-To-Exceed Amount
Services (Initial Term)	\$18,000
Services (Extension Term Year One)	\$18,000
Services (Extension Term Year Two)	\$18,000
Reimbursable Expenses	\$0
TOTAL NOT TO EXCEED	\$54,000

Payment shall be made only for Services actually performed and completed pursuant to this Agreement, which amount shall be accepted by Contractor as full compensation for all such Services. Contractor acknowledges that the amounts set forth in this Agreement are the maximum amounts payable and constitute a limitation upon County's obligation to compensate Contractor for Services. These maximum amounts, however, do not constitute a limitation of any sort upon Contractor's obligation to perform all Services.

The Contract Administrator, in their discretion, by written notice to Contractor, may reallocate funding for services and goods, provided that the not to exceed compensation amount is not increased.

This Agreement is contingent upon County's receipt of FHAP Partnership Funds. If County receives less than \$18,000 for the Initial Term or Extension Term, if any, County shall have the sole discretion to determine the payment amount for Services under this Agreement. County is the final authority as to the availability and allocation of FHAP Partnership Funds.

Contractor must disclose to County all third-party funding, whether public or private for any Services performed under this Agreement. No County funding shall be used to supplant existing third-party funding.

5.2. Method of Billing and Payment.

5.2.1. Unless otherwise stated in Exhibit B, Contractor must submit invoices no more often than once monthly, but only after the Services invoiced have been completed. Invoices are due within fifteen (15) days after the end of the month covered by the invoice, except that the final invoice must be received no later than sixty (60) days after the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement. Invoices shall describe the Services performed and, as applicable, the personnel, hours, tasks, or other details as requested by the Contract Administrator. Contractor shall submit a Certification of Payments to Subcontractors and Suppliers (Form 00924, available at <https://www.broward.org/Purchasing/Pages/StandardTerms.aspx>) with each invoice that includes Services performed by a Subcontractor. The certification shall be accompanied by a copy of the notification sent to each unpaid Subcontractor listed on the form, explaining the good cause why payment has not been made to that Subcontractor.

5.2.2. Invoices shall be in the amounts set forth in Exhibit B for the applicable Services, minus any agreed upon retainage as stated in Exhibit B. Retainage amounts shall only be invoiced upon completion of all Services, unless otherwise stated in Exhibit B.

5.2.3. County shall pay Contractor within thirty (30) days after receipt of Contractor's proper invoice in accordance with the "Broward County Prompt Payment Ordinance," Section 1-51.6 of the Code. To be deemed proper, all invoices must: (a) comply with all applicable requirements, whether set forth in this Agreement or the Code; and (b) be submitted on the then-current County form and pursuant to instructions prescribed by the Contract Administrator. Payments shall be sent to Contractor's address in accordance with Article 11, unless otherwise requested by Contractor in writing and approved by the Contract Administrator in writing. Payment may be withheld for failure of Contractor to comply with a term, condition, or requirement of this Agreement.

5.2.4. Contractor must pay Subcontractors and suppliers within fifteen (15) days after receipt of payment from County for such subcontracted work or supplies. If Contractor withholds an amount as retainage from Subcontractors or suppliers, Contractor shall release such retainage and pay same within fifteen (15) days after receipt of payment of retained amounts from County. Failure to pay a Subcontractor or supplier in accordance with this subsection shall be a material breach of this Agreement, unless Contractor demonstrates to Contract Administrator's satisfaction that such failure to pay results from a bona fide dispute with the Subcontractor or supplier and, further, Contractor promptly pays the applicable amount(s) to the Subcontractor or supplier upon resolution of the dispute. Contractor shall include requirements substantially similar to those set forth in this subsection in its contracts with Subcontractors and suppliers.

5.3. Reimbursable Expenses. Contractor shall not be reimbursed for any expenses it incurs unless expressly provided for in this Agreement. Reimbursement of any travel costs or travel-related expenses permitted under this Agreement shall be limited to those permitted under

Section 112.061, Florida Statutes, except to the extent that Exhibit B expressly provides otherwise. County shall not be liable for any expenses that exceed those allowed by Section 112.061 or that were not approved in writing in advance by the Contract Administrator.

5.4. Subcontractors. Contractor shall invoice Subcontractor fees only in the actual amount paid by Contractor, without markup or other adjustment.

5.5. Withholding by County; Overcharges. Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, County may withhold payment, in whole or in part, (a) in accordance with Applicable Law, or (b) to the extent necessary to protect itself from loss on account of (i) inadequate or defective work that has not been remedied or resolved in a manner satisfactory to the Contract Administrator, or (ii) Contractor's failure to comply with any provision of this Agreement. The amount withheld shall not be subject to payment of interest by County. In the event of an overcharge of any nature by Contractor in excess of five percent (5%) of the total amount billed in the invoice where the overcharge occurred, Contractor must refund the overbilled amount and pay liquidated damages in the amount of fifteen percent (15%) of the overbilled amount within thirty (30) days after demand by County as just compensation for damages incurred by County due to the overbilling, including, but not limited to, County's administrative costs and loss of potential investment returns (including interest).

ARTICLE 6. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

6.1. Representation of Authority. Contractor represents and warrants that this Agreement constitutes the legal, valid, binding, and enforceable obligation of Contractor, and that neither the execution nor performance of this Agreement constitutes a breach of any agreement that Contractor has with any third party or violates Applicable Law. Contractor further represents and warrants that execution of this Agreement is within Contractor's legal powers, and each individual executing this Agreement on behalf of Contractor is duly authorized by all necessary and appropriate action to do so on behalf of Contractor and does so with full legal authority.

6.2. Solicitation Representations. Contractor represents and warrants that all statements and representations made in Contractor's proposal, bid, or other supporting documents submitted to County in connection with the solicitation, negotiation, or award of this Agreement, including during the procurement or evaluation process, were true and correct when made and are true and correct as of the date Contractor executes this Agreement, unless otherwise expressly disclosed in writing by Contractor.

6.3. Contingency Fee. Contractor represents and warrants that it has not employed or retained any person or entity, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any person or entity, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, any fee, commission, percentage, gift, or other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement.

6.4. Truth-In-Negotiation Representation. Contractor's compensation under this Agreement is based upon its representations to County, and Contractor certifies that the wage rates, factual unit costs, and other information supplied to substantiate Contractor's compensation, including without limitation those made by Contractor during the negotiation of this Agreement, are accurate, complete, and current as of the date Contractor executes this Agreement. Contractor's compensation may be reduced by County, in its sole discretion, to correct any inaccurate, incomplete, or noncurrent information provided to County as the basis for Contractor's compensation in this Agreement.

6.5. Public Entity Crime Act. Contractor represents that it is familiar with the requirements and prohibitions under the Public Entity Crime Act, Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, and represents that its entry into this Agreement will not violate that statute. Contractor further represents that there has been no determination that it committed a "public entity crime" as defined by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, and that it has not been formally charged with committing an act defined as a "public entity crime" regardless of the amount of money involved or whether Contractor has been placed on the convicted vendor list.

6.6. Discriminatory Vendor and Scrutinized Companies Lists; Countries of Concern. Contractor represents that it has not been placed on the "discriminatory vendor list" as provided in Section 287.134, Florida Statutes, and that it is not a "scrutinized company" pursuant to Sections 215.473 or 215.4725, Florida Statutes. Contractor represents and certifies that it is not, and for the duration of the Term will not be, ineligible to contract with County on any of the grounds stated in Section 287.135, Florida Statutes. Contractor represents that it is, and for the duration of the Term will remain, in compliance with Section 286.101, Florida Statutes.

6.7. Claims Against Contractor. Contractor represents and warrants that there is no action or proceeding, at law or in equity, before any court, mediator, arbitrator, governmental or other board or official, pending or, to the knowledge of Contractor, threatened against or affecting Contractor, the outcome of which may (a) affect the validity or enforceability of this Agreement, (b) materially and adversely affect the authority or ability of Contractor to perform its obligations under this Agreement, or (c) have a material and adverse effect on the consolidated financial condition or results of operations of Contractor or on the ability of Contractor to conduct its business as presently conducted or as proposed or contemplated to be conducted.

6.8. Verification of Employment Eligibility. Contractor represents that Contractor and each Subcontractor have registered with and use the E-Verify system maintained by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify the work authorization status of all newly hired employees in compliance with the requirements of Section 448.095, Florida Statutes, and that entry into this Agreement will not violate that statute. If Contractor violates this section, County may immediately terminate this Agreement for cause and Contractor shall be liable for all costs incurred by County due to the termination.

6.9. Warranty of Performance. Contractor represents and warrants that it possesses the knowledge, skill, experience, and financial capability required to perform and provide all Services and that each person and entity that will provide Services is duly qualified to perform such

Services by all appropriate governmental authorities, where required, and is sufficiently experienced and skilled in the area(s) for which such person or entity will render Services. Contractor represents and warrants that the Services shall be performed in a skillful and respectful manner, and that the quality of all Services shall equal or exceed prevailing industry standards for the provision of such Services.

6.10. Prohibited Telecommunications. Contractor represents and certifies that Contractor and all Subcontractors do not use, and for the Term will not provide or use, any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system, as such terms are used in 48 C.F.R. §§ 52.204-24 through 52.204-26.

6.11. Criminal History Screening Practices. If this Agreement is subject to the requirements of Section 26-125(d) of the Code, Contractor represents and certifies that Contractor will comply with Section 26-125(d) of the Code for the duration of the Term.

6.12. Entities of Foreign Concern. The provisions of this section apply only if this Agreement provides access to an individual's personal identifying information. By execution of this Agreement, the undersigned authorized representative of Contractor hereby attests under penalty of perjury as follows: Contractor is not owned by the government of a foreign country of concern, is not organized under the laws of nor has its principal place of business in a foreign country of concern, and the government of a foreign country of concern does not have a controlling interest in Contractor; and the undersigned authorized representative of Contractor declares that they have read the foregoing statement and that the facts stated in it are true. Terms used in this section that are not otherwise defined in this Agreement shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in Section 287.138, Florida Statutes.

6.13. Breach of Representations. Contractor acknowledges that County is materially relying on the representations, warranties, and certifications of Contractor stated in this article, and County shall be entitled to exercise any or all of the following remedies if any such representation, warranty, or certification is untrue: (a) recovery of damages incurred; (b) termination of this Agreement without any further liability to Contractor; (c) set off from any amounts due Contractor the full amount of any damage incurred; and (d) debarment of Contractor.

6.14. Financial Responsibilities. Contractor acknowledges that this is a federally assisted project and FHAP Partnership Funds shall only be used for eligible activities outlined in this Agreement. FHAP Partnership Funds used for ineligible activities or failure to complete the Services in accordance with this Agreement, whether voluntarily or otherwise, constitutes a material breach of this Agreement, and any FHAP Partnership Funds expended by County pursuant to this Agreement must be repaid in full to County from nonfederal resources, and County, in its sole discretion, may reallocate the FHAP Partnership Funds. This provision survives the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement

ARTICLE 7. INDEMNIFICATION

Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless, and defend County and all of County's current, past, and future officers, agents, and employees (collectively, "Indemnified Party") from and against any and all causes of action, demands, claims, losses, liabilities, and expenditures of any kind, including attorneys' fees, court costs, and expenses, including through the conclusion of any appellate proceedings, raised or asserted by any person or entity not a party to this Agreement, and caused or alleged to be caused, in whole or in part, by any breach of this Agreement by Contractor, or any intentional, reckless, or negligent act or omission of Contractor, its officers, employees, or agents, arising from, relating to, or in connection with this Agreement (collectively, a "Claim"). If any Claim is brought against an Indemnified Party, Contractor shall, upon written notice from County, defend each Indemnified Party with counsel satisfactory to County or, at County's option, pay for an attorney selected by the County Attorney to defend the Indemnified Party. The obligations of this section shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement. If considered necessary by the Contract Administrator and the County Attorney, any sums due Contractor under this Agreement may be retained by County until all Claims subject to this indemnification obligation have been settled or otherwise resolved. Any amount withheld shall not be subject to payment of interest by County.

ARTICLE 8. INSURANCE

8.1. Throughout the Term, Contractor shall, at its sole expense, maintain the minimum insurance coverages stated in Exhibit C in accordance with the terms and conditions of this article. Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage against claims relating to any act or omission by Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees, or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement. County reserves the right at any time to review and adjust the limits and types of coverage required under this article.

8.2. Contractor shall ensure that "Broward County" is listed and endorsed as an additional insured as stated in Exhibit C on all policies required under this article.

8.3. On or before the Effective Date or at least fifteen (15) days prior to commencement of Services, as may be requested by County, Contractor shall provide County with a copy of all Certificates of Insurance or other documentation sufficient to demonstrate the insurance coverage required in this article. If and to the extent requested by County, Contractor shall provide complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies and all required endorsements within thirty (30) days after County's request.

8.4. Contractor shall ensure that all insurance coverages required by this article remain in full force and effect without any lapse in coverage throughout the Term and until all performance required of Contractor has been completed, as determined by Contract Administrator. Contractor or its insurer shall provide notice to County of any cancellation or modification of any required policy at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of cancellation or modification, and at least ten (10) days prior to the effective date of any cancellation due to nonpayment, and

shall concurrently provide County with a copy of its updated Certificates of Insurance evidencing continuation of the required coverage(s).

8.5. All required insurance policies must be placed with insurers or surplus line carriers authorized to conduct business in the State of Florida with an A.M. Best rating of A- or better and a financial size category class VII or greater, unless otherwise approved by County's Risk Management Division in writing.

8.6. If Contractor maintains broader coverage or higher limits than the insurance requirements stated in Exhibit C, County shall be entitled to all such broader coverages and higher limits. All required insurance coverages shall provide primary coverage and not require contribution from any County insurance, self-insurance, or otherwise, which shall be in excess of and shall not contribute to the required insurance provided by Contractor.

8.7. Contractor shall declare in writing any self-insured retentions or deductibles over the limit(s) prescribed in Exhibit C and submit to County for approval at least fifteen (15) days prior to the Effective Date or commencement of Services. Contractor shall be solely responsible for and shall pay any deductible or self-insured retention applicable to any claim against County. County may, at any time, require Contractor to purchase coverage with a lower retention or provide proof of ability to pay losses and related investigations, claim administration, and defense expenses within the retention. Any deductible or self-insured retention may be satisfied by either the named insured or County, if so elected by County, and Contractor shall obtain same in endorsements to the required policies.

8.8. Unless prohibited by the applicable policy, Contractor waives any right to subrogation that any of Contractor's insurers may acquire against County, and shall obtain same in an endorsement of Contractor's insurance policies.

8.9. Contractor shall require that each Subcontractor maintains insurance coverage that adequately covers the Services provided by that Subcontractor on substantially the same insurance terms and conditions required of Contractor under this article. Contractor shall ensure that all such Subcontractors comply with these requirements and that "Broward County" is named as an additional insured under the Subcontractors' applicable insurance policies. Contractor shall not permit any Subcontractor to provide Services unless and until all applicable requirements of this article are satisfied.

8.10. If Contractor or any Subcontractor fails to maintain the insurance required by this Agreement, County may pay any costs of premiums necessary to maintain the required coverage and deduct such costs from any payment otherwise due to Contractor. If requested by County, Contractor shall provide, within one (1) business day, evidence of each Subcontractor's compliance with this article.

8.11. If any of the policies required under this article provide claims-made coverage: (1) any retroactive date must be prior to the Effective Date; (2) the required coverage must be maintained after termination or expiration of the Agreement for at least the duration stated in

Exhibit C; and (3) if coverage is canceled or nonrenewed and is not replaced with another claims-made policy form with a retroactive date prior to the Effective Date, Contractor must obtain and maintain “extended reporting” coverage that applies after termination or expiration of the Agreement for at least the duration stated in Exhibit C.

ARTICLE 9. TERMINATION

9.1. Termination for Cause. This Agreement may be terminated for cause by the aggrieved Party if the Party in breach has not corrected the breach within ten (10) days after receipt of written notice from the aggrieved Party identifying the breach. This Agreement may be terminated for cause by County for reasons including, but not limited to, any of the following:

9.1.1. Contractor’s (a) failure to suitably or continuously perform the Services in a manner calculated to meet or accomplish the objectives in this Agreement or Work Authorization, (b) suspension or debarment by a state or federal governmental entity or by a local governmental entity with a population in excess of one million people, or (c) repeated submission (whether negligent or intentional) for payment of false or incorrect bills or invoices;

9.1.2. By the County Administrator or the Director of Office of Economic and Small Business Development (“OESBD”) for fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement by Contractor in the award or performance of this Agreement or that violates any applicable requirement of Section 1-81 of the Code; or

9.1.3. By the Director of OESBD upon the disqualification of Contractor as a CBE or SBE if Contractor’s status as a CBE or SBE was a factor in the award of this Agreement, or upon the disqualification of one or more of Contractor’s CBE or SBE participants by the Director of OESBD if any such participant’s status as a CBE or SBE firm was a factor in the award of this Agreement.

Unless otherwise stated in this Agreement, if this Agreement was approved by Board action, termination for cause by County must be by action of the Board or the County Administrator; in any other instance, termination for cause may be by the County Administrator, the County representative expressly authorized under this Agreement, or the County representative (including any successor) who executed the Agreement on behalf of County. If County erroneously, improperly, or unjustifiably terminates this Agreement for cause, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience pursuant to Section 9.2 effective thirty (30) days after such notice was provided and Contractor shall be eligible for the compensation provided in Section 9.2 as its sole remedy.

9.2. Termination for Convenience; Other Termination. This Agreement may also be terminated for convenience by the Board with at least thirty (30) days advance written notice to Contractor. Contractor acknowledges that it has received good, valuable, and sufficient consideration for County’s right to terminate this Agreement for convenience including in the form of County’s obligation to provide advance written notice to Contractor of such termination

in accordance with this section. This Agreement may also be terminated by the County Administrator upon such notice as the County Administrator deems appropriate under the circumstances if the County Administrator determines that termination is necessary to protect the public health, safety, or welfare. If this Agreement is terminated by County pursuant to this section, Contractor shall be paid for any Services properly performed through the termination date specified in the written notice of termination, subject to any right of County to retain any sums otherwise due and payable, and County shall have no further obligation to pay Contractor for Services under this Agreement.

9.3. Notice of termination shall be provided in accordance with the “Notices” section of this Agreement except that notice of termination by the County Administrator to protect the public health, safety, or welfare may be oral notice that shall be promptly confirmed in writing.

9.4. In addition to any termination rights stated in this Agreement, County shall be entitled to seek any and all available contractual or other remedies available at law or in equity including recovery of costs incurred by County due to Contractor’s failure to comply with any term(s) of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 10. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

10.1. Contractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, national origin, disability, age, marital status, political affiliation, sexual orientation, pregnancy, or gender identity and expression in the performance of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 11. MISCELLANEOUS

11.1. Contract Administrator Authority. The Contract Administrator is authorized to coordinate and communicate with Contractor to manage and supervise the performance of this Agreement. Contractor acknowledges that the Contract Administrator has no authority to make changes that would increase, decrease, or otherwise materially modify the Scope of Services except as expressly set forth in this Agreement or, to the extent applicable, in the Broward County Procurement Code. Unless expressly stated otherwise in this Agreement or otherwise set forth in the Code or the Broward County Administrative Code, the Contract Administrator may exercise ministerial authority in connection with the day-to-day management of this Agreement. The Contract Administrator may also approve in writing minor modifications to the Scope of Services that do not increase the total cost to County or waive any rights of County.

11.2. Rights in Documents and Work. Any and all reports, photographs, surveys, documents, materials, data, or other work created by Contractor in connection with performing Services, whether finished or unfinished (“Documents and Work”), shall be owned by County, and Contractor hereby transfers to County all right, title, and interest, including any copyright or other intellectual property rights, in or to the Documents and Work. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, the Documents and Work shall become the property of County and shall be delivered by Contractor to the Contract Administrator within seven (7) days after expiration or termination. Any compensation due to Contractor may be withheld until all Documents and Work

are received as provided in this Agreement. Contractor shall ensure that the requirements of this section are included in all Contractor's agreements with Subcontractor(s).

11.3. Public Records. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement, any action taken by County in compliance with, or in a good faith attempt to comply with, the requirements of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, shall not constitute a breach of this Agreement. If Contractor is acting on behalf of County as stated in Section 119.0701, Florida Statutes, Contractor shall:

11.3.1. Keep and maintain public records required by County to perform the Services;

11.3.2. Upon request from County, provide County with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time and at a cost that does not exceed that provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by Applicable Law;

11.3.3. Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public record requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by Applicable Law for the duration of this Agreement and after completion or termination of this Agreement if the records are not transferred to County; and

11.3.4. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, transfer to County, at no cost, all public records in possession of Contractor or keep and maintain public records required by County to perform the Services. If Contractor transfers the records to County, Contractor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt. If Contractor keeps and maintains the public records, Contractor shall meet all requirements of Applicable Law for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to County upon request in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of County.

If Contractor receives a request for public records regarding this Agreement or the Services, Contractor must immediately notify the Contract Administrator in writing and provide all requested records to County to enable County to timely respond to the public records request. County will respond to all such public records requests.

Contractor must separately submit and conspicuously label as "RESTRICTED MATERIAL – DO NOT PRODUCE" any material (a) that Contractor contends constitutes or contains its trade secrets under Chapter 688, Florida Statutes, or (b) for which Contractor asserts a right to withhold from public disclosure as confidential or otherwise exempt from production under Florida public records laws (including Chapter 119, Florida Statutes) (collectively, "Restricted Material"). In addition, Contractor must, simultaneous with the submission of any Restricted Material, provide a sworn declaration or affidavit in a form acceptable to County from a person with personal knowledge attesting that the Restricted Material constitutes trade secrets or is otherwise exempt or confidential under Florida public records laws, including citing the applicable Florida statute and specifying the factual basis for each such claim. Upon request by County, Contractor must promptly identify the specific applicable statutory section that protects any particular document.

If a third party submits a request to County for records designated by Contractor as Restricted Material, County shall refrain from disclosing such material unless otherwise ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction, authorized in writing by Contractor, or the claimed exemption is waived. Any failure by Contractor to strictly comply with the requirements of this section shall constitute Contractor's waiver of County's obligation to treat the records as Restricted Material. Contractor must indemnify and defend County and its employees and agents from any and all claims, causes of action, losses, fines, penalties, damages, judgments, and liabilities of any kind, including attorneys' fees, litigation expenses, and court costs, relating to nondisclosure of Restricted Material in response to a third-party request.

IF CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT 954-357-5136, SEMORALES@BROWARD.ORG, 115 S. ANDREWS AVENUE, #A370, FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA 33301.

11.4. Financial Statements and Management Letters. Financial Statements and Management Letters. Contractor will provide to the Contract Administrator annual financial statements prepared by an independent certified public accountant in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for each fiscal year County funds are received and for each subsequent fiscal year, including any management letters, until such time as all County funds are expended. Said annual financial statement must account for all monies received from County via explicit, discrete disclosures and/or accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Said financial statements for this Agreement must be submitted to the Contract Administrator within one hundred twenty (120) days after the close of each of Contractor's fiscal years in which Contractor accounts for funds under this Agreement. Late submission of the financial statements or absence of discrete disclosure will entitle County to recover any payment made under this Agreement.

Contractor must provide the Contract Administrator any and all management letters arising from audited financial statements within ninety (90) days after the date of said management letter. Contractor must provide to the Contract Administrator the schedule of correction developed in response to said management letter(s) within thirty (30) days of its development. Contractor must provide to the Contract Administrator any compliance audits required by law within ninety (90) days after the close of each of Contractor's fiscal years in which Contractor accounts for funds under this Agreement.

Contractor acknowledges submission of required documents to any other Broward County office, agency, or division does not constitute compliance with the requirement to submit that material to the Contract Administrator for this Agreement.

The Secretary of HUD, Inspector General of HUD, and the Comptroller General of the United States or any of their duly authorized representatives shall have access to all of Contractor's

pertinent books, accounts, reports, files, and other payments for surveys, audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcripts as they relate to the Contractor's receipt of FHAP Partnership Funds.

11.5. Independent Contractor. Contractor is an independent contractor of County, and nothing in this Agreement shall constitute or create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship between the Parties. In providing Services, neither Contractor nor its agents shall act as officers, employees, or agents of County. Contractor shall not have the right to bind County to any obligation not expressly undertaken by County under this Agreement.

11.6. Regulatory Capacity. Notwithstanding the fact that County is a political subdivision with certain regulatory authority, County's performance under this Agreement is as a Party to this Agreement and not in its regulatory capacity. If County exercises its regulatory authority, the exercise of such authority and the enforcement of Applicable Law shall have occurred pursuant to County's regulatory authority as a governmental body separate and apart from this Agreement, and shall not be attributable in any manner to County as a Party to this Agreement.

11.7. Sovereign Immunity. Except to the extent sovereign immunity may be deemed waived by entering into this Agreement, nothing herein is intended to serve as a waiver of sovereign immunity by County nor shall anything included herein be construed as consent by County to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of this Agreement.

11.8. Third-Party Beneficiaries. Neither Contractor nor County intends to primarily or directly benefit a third party by this Agreement. Therefore, the Parties acknowledge that there are no third-party beneficiaries to this Agreement and that no third party shall be entitled to assert a right or claim against either of them based upon this Agreement.

11.9. Notices. Unless otherwise stated herein, for notice to a Party to be effective under this Agreement, notice must be sent via U.S. first-class mail, hand delivery, or commercial overnight delivery, each with a contemporaneous copy via email, to the addresses listed below and shall be effective upon mailing or hand delivery (provided the contemporaneous email is also sent). Addresses may be changed by the applicable Party giving notice of such change in accordance with this section.

FOR COUNTY:

Broward County, Housing Options, Solutions, and Supports Division
Attn: Alex Morales, Assistant Director, HOSS-D
115 South Andrews Avenue, Room A370, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301
Email address: semorales@broward.org

FOR CONTRACTOR:

Housing Opportunities Project for Excellence, Inc. (HOPE, Inc.)
Daniel Howe, President & CEO
11501 NW 2nd Avenue, Miami, Florida 33168
Email address: daniel@hopefhc.com

11.10. Assignment. All Subcontractors must be expressly identified in this Agreement or otherwise approved in advance and in writing by County's Contract Administrator. Except for approved subcontracting, neither this Agreement nor any right or interest in it may be assigned, transferred, subcontracted, or encumbered by Contractor without the prior written consent of County. Any assignment, transfer, encumbrance, or subcontract in violation of this section shall be void and ineffective, constitute a breach of this Agreement, and permit County to immediately terminate this Agreement, in addition to any other remedies available to County at law or in equity. County reserves the right to condition its approval of any assignment, transfer, encumbrance, or subcontract upon further due diligence and an additional fee paid to County to reasonably compensate it for the performance of any such due diligence.

11.11. Conflicts. Neither Contractor nor its employees shall have or hold any continuing or frequently recurring employment or contractual relationship that is substantially antagonistic or incompatible with Contractor's loyal and conscientious exercise of judgment and care related to its performance under this Agreement. During the Term, none of Contractor's officers or employees shall serve as an expert witness against County in any legal or administrative proceeding in which they or Contractor is not a party, unless compelled by legal process. Further, such persons shall not give sworn testimony or issue a report or writing as an expression of such person's expert opinion that is adverse or prejudicial to the interests of County in connection with any such pending or threatened legal or administrative proceeding unless compelled by legal process. The limitations of this section shall not preclude Contractor or any persons in any way from representing themselves, including giving expert testimony in support of such representation, in any action or in any administrative or legal proceeding. If Contractor is permitted pursuant to this Agreement to utilize Subcontractors, Contractor shall require such Subcontractors, by written contract, to comply with the provisions of this section to the same extent as Contractor.

11.12. Materiality and Waiver of Breach. Each requirement, duty, and obligation set forth in this Agreement was bargained for at arm's-length and is agreed to by the Parties. Each requirement, duty, and obligation set forth in this Agreement is substantial and important to the formation of this Agreement, and each is, therefore, a material term. County's failure to enforce any provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of such provision or modification of this Agreement. A waiver of any breach shall not be deemed a waiver of any subsequent breach and shall not be construed to be a modification of this Agreement. To be effective, any waiver must be in writing signed by an authorized signatory of the Party granting the waiver.

11.13. Compliance with Laws. Contractor and the Services must comply with all Applicable Law, including, without limitation, the Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. § 12101, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and the requirements of any applicable grant agreements.

11.14. Severability. If any part of this Agreement is found to be unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, that part shall be deemed severed from this Agreement and the balance of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

11.15. Joint Preparation. This Agreement has been jointly prepared by the Parties and shall not be construed more strictly against either Party.

11.16. Interpretation. The titles and headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not in any way affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement. All personal pronouns used in this Agreement shall include any other gender, and the singular shall include the plural, and vice versa, unless the context otherwise requires. Terms such as “herein” refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular sentence, paragraph, or section where they appear, unless the context otherwise requires. Whenever reference is made to a section or article of this Agreement, such reference is to the section or article as a whole, including all subsections thereof, unless the reference is made to a particular subsection or subparagraph of such section or article. Any reference to “days” means calendar days, unless otherwise expressly stated. Any reference to approval by County shall require approval in writing, unless otherwise expressly stated.

11.17. Priority of Provisions. If there is a conflict or inconsistency between any term, statement, requirement, or provision of any document or exhibit attached to, referenced by, or incorporated in this Agreement and any provision within an article or section of this Agreement, the article or section shall prevail and be given effect.

11.18. Law, Jurisdiction, Venue, Waiver of Jury Trial. This Agreement shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Florida. The exclusive venue for any lawsuit arising from, related to, or in connection with this Agreement shall be in the state courts of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit in and for Broward County, Florida. If any claim arising from, related to, or in connection with this Agreement must be litigated in federal court, the exclusive venue for any such lawsuit shall be in the United States District Court or United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Florida. **EACH PARTY HEREBY EXPRESSLY WAIVES ANY RIGHTS IT MAY HAVE TO A TRIAL BY JURY OF ANY CIVIL LITIGATION RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT.**

11.19. Amendments. Unless expressly authorized herein, no modification, amendment, or alteration of any portion of this Agreement is effective unless contained in a written document executed with the same or similar formality as this Agreement and by duly authorized representatives of County and Contractor.

11.20. Prior Agreements. This Agreement represents the final and complete understanding of the Parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous negotiations and discussions regarding same. All commitments, agreements, and understandings of the Parties concerning the subject matter of this Agreement are contained herein.

11.21. Payable Interest.

11.21.1. Payment of Interest. Unless prohibited by Applicable Law, County shall not be liable for interest to Contractor for any reason, whether as prejudgment interest or for

any other purpose, and Contractor waives, rejects, disclaims, and surrenders any and all entitlement to interest in connection with a dispute or claim arising from, related to, or in connection with this Agreement.

11.21.2. Rate of Interest. If the preceding subsection is inapplicable or is determined to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the annual rate of interest payable by County under this Agreement, whether as prejudgment interest or for any other purpose, shall be, to the full extent permissible under Applicable Law, one quarter of one percent (0.25%) simple interest (uncompounded).

11.22. Incorporation by Reference. Any and all Recital clauses stated above are true and correct and are incorporated in this Agreement by reference. The attached Exhibits are incorporated into and made a part of this Agreement.

11.23. Multiple Originals and Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in multiple originals or in counterparts, whether signed physically or electronically; each of which shall be deemed to be an original, and all of which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same agreement.

11.24. Use of County Name or Logo. Contractor shall not use County's name or logo in marketing or publicity materials without prior written consent from the Contract Administrator.

11.25. Drug-Free Workplace. If required under Section 21.23(f), Broward County Administrative Code, or Section 287.087, Florida Statutes, Contractor certifies that it has and will maintain a drug-free workplace program throughout the Term.

11.26. Polystyrene Food Service Articles. Contractor shall not sell or provide for use on County property expanded polystyrene products or food service articles (e.g., Styrofoam), unencapsulated expanded polystyrene products, or single-use plastic straws or stirrers, as set forth in more detail in Section 27.173, Broward County Administrative Code.

11.27. Anti-Human Trafficking. By execution of this Agreement by the undersigned authorized representative of Contractor, Contractor hereby attests under penalty of perjury that Contractor does not use coercion for labor or services, as such terms are defined in Section 787.06, Florida Statutes; under penalties of perjury, the undersigned authorized representative of Contractor declares that they have read the foregoing statement and that the facts stated in it are true.

11.28. Allowable Costs for HUD Grants/Contract. Contractor must comply with the federal cost principles for grants and contracts with non-profit organizations as set forth in 2 C.F.R. part 230 (OMB Circular A-122).

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have made and executed this Agreement: Broward County, through its Board of County Commissioners, signing by and through its Mayor or Vice-Mayor, authorized to execute same by Board action on the ____ day of _____, 20__; and Contractor, signing by and through its duly authorized representative.

COUNTY

ATTEST:

Broward County, by and through
its Board of County Commissioners

By: _____
Broward County Administrator, as
ex officio Clerk of the Broward County
Board of County Commissioners

By: _____
Mayor
____ day of _____, 20__

Approved as to form by
Andrew J. Meyers
Broward County Attorney
115 South Andrews Avenue, Suite 423
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301
Telephone: (954) 357-7600

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Katzman
By _____
Adam Katzman (Date)
Deputy County Attorney

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**AGREEMENT BETWEEN BROWARD COUNTY AND HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES PROJECT FOR
EXCELLENCE, INC. FOR FAIR HOUSING OUTREACH AND EDUCATION**

CONTRACTOR

HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES PROJECT FOR EXCELLENCE, INC.

By: Daniel Howe
Authorized Signer

Daniel Howe, President and Chief Executive Officer
Print Name and Title

2/25/2025 | 8:24:00 AM PST
____ day of _____, 20____

Exhibit A Scope of Services

Contractor shall provide the following Services:

1. Services Summary

Contractor will partner with County to expand County's fair housing education and outreach to potential victims of housing discrimination.

Contractor, in coordination with County, will plan and coordinate fair housing events, such as securing a guest speaker, and the venue. Contractor will plan and create the agenda, programs, and workshop materials for the fair housing events. The fair housing events will be promoted in local publications.

2. Communications and Reports

Contractor must provide County with progress reports every ninety (90) day, as provided for in Exhibit "D", Quarterly Progress Report, detailing completed work tasks, grant expenditures, proposed changes in the scope of the fair housing event and any and all related concerns with the fair housing event. Contractor must meet with County at reasonable times and with reasonable notice to discuss the Fair Housing Event.

3. Deliverable Products and Services

Contractor shall provide the following deliverables, which shall be considered accepted by County only upon written notice by Contract Administrator that the deliverable meets the applicable Acceptance Criteria.

No.	Deliverable	Start Date	Completion Date
1	Secure Venue	Effective Date of this Agreement	March1, 2025
2	Secure Speaker	Effective Date of this Agreement	March1, 2025
3	Submit agenda, workshops, and programs for approval by County and HUD. Provide copies of all relevant documents (e.g. agenda, programs, workshops and schedules, flyers, participant lists)	Effective Date of this Agreement	March 15, 2025
4	Promote event in local media outlets and direct contact with housing providers to create awareness of Fair Housing Event. Provide detailed description of advertisement/press release, including	Effective Date of this Agreement	April 21,2025

No.	Deliverable	Start Date	Completion Date
	name/type of media outlet, date(s), and any relevant documents.		
5	Conduct Fair Housing Event	April 25, 2025	April 25, 2025
6	Voucher for payment/submit request for payment	Ongoing basis	30 days from approved request for payment
7	Prepare and submit final report	Ongoing basis	No later than 60 days after the Fair Housing Event

4. Extension Term

County's written notice of any Extension Term must include an amended services schedule and payment schedule.

Exhibit B Payment Schedule

The rates specified below shall be in effect for the entire Term, unless otherwise expressly stated below. Any Services required under this Agreement for which no specific fee or cost is expressly stated in this Payment Schedule shall be deemed to be included, at no extra cost, within the costs and fees expressly provided for in this Exhibit B.

Table A: Payment

Line item	Description	Total Amount
Venue	Venue for the Event	\$8,000
Keynote Speaker	Speaker Fee	\$5,000
Book Purchase	Books	\$2,000
Travel Expenses for Keynote Speaker	Airfare, Hotel, Per Diem, Ground Transportation	\$600
Parking	Participant Parking at Venue	\$800
Printing and Supplies	Agenda, Programs, Workshop Materials	\$200
Administrative Fee	HOPE, Inc. Administrative Fee	\$1,400
Budget Total		\$18,000

Deliverables shall only be invoiced upon satisfactory completion of the applicable Deliverable as evidenced by written approval by the Contract Administrator.

Exhibit C


Minimum Insurance Requirements

Project: **Fair Housing Outreach and Education Partnership Agreement – HOPE Inc.**
 Agency: **Housing Finance Division**

TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDITIONAL INSURANCE	SUBROGATION WAIVER	MINIMUM LIABILITY LIMITS		
				Each Occurrence	Aggregate
GENERAL LIABILITY - Broad form <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial General Liability <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Premises-Operations <input type="checkbox"/> XCU Explosion/Collapse/Underground <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Products/Completed Operations Hazard <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contractual Insurance <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Broad Form Property Damage <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent Contractors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury Per Occurrence or Claims-Made: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Per Occurrence <input type="checkbox"/> Claims-Made Gen'l Aggregate Limit Applies per: <input type="checkbox"/> Project <input type="checkbox"/> Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Loc. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bodily Injury		
			Property Damage		
			Combined Bodily Injury and Property Damage	\$1,000,000	\$2,000,000
			Personal Injury		
			Products & Completed Operations		
AUTO LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Comprehensive Form <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Owned <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hired <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-owned <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any Auto, If applicable <i>Note: May be waived if no driving will be done in performance of services/project.</i>			Bodily Injury (each person)		
			Bodily Injury (each accident)		
			Property Damage		
			Combined Bodily Injury and Property Damage	\$500,000	
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIABILITY / UMBRELLA Per Occurrence or Claims-Made: <input type="checkbox"/> Per Occurrence <input type="checkbox"/> Claims-Made <i>Note: May be used to supplement minimum liability coverage requirements.</i>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WORKER'S COMPENSATION <i>Note: U.S. Longshoremen & Harbor Workers' Act & Jones Act is required for any activities on or about navigable water.</i>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Each Accident	STATUTORY LIMITS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY			Each Accident	\$100,000	
<input type="checkbox"/> PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY (ERRORS & OMISSIONS)	N/A		Each Claim:		
			*Maximum Deductible:	\$100,000	
Description of Operations: Broward County is additional insured for liability. Insured's insurance shall provide primary coverage and shall not require contribution from the County, self-insurance or otherwise. Waiver of subrogation applies in favor of Broward County. For Claims-Made policies insurance must be maintained and evidence of insurance must be provided for at least three (3) years after completion of the contract of work.					

CERTIFICATE HOLDER:

Broward County
 115 South Andrews Avenue
 Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

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 Risk Management Division

Exhibit D Quarterly Progress Report

Reporting Period: _____ **[every 90 days]**

Date Report Prepared: _____

A. Project Information:

Agency Name	
Person Preparing the Report	
Job Title	
Signature	
Project Name	
Project Start-Up Date	
Project Completion Date	
Amended Completion Date (if applicable)	

B.1 Project Cost

		Funds Expended to Date	Percentage
Total Project	\$	\$	%
FHAP Partnership Funding	\$	\$	%
Other Funding (specify source below) _____	\$	\$	%

B.2 Declaration of Agency Budget Changes

Program Income: _____

Source of Program Income: _____

B.3 Other Awards

Date(s): _____

Dollar Amount(s): _____

Funding Source(s): _____ Funding Contract Person(s): _____

B.4 Describe attempts to secure additional funding:

B.5 Percent of Project completed to date: _____%

B.6 Anticipated Changes in Staffing:

- 1. Office Hours: _____
- 2. Resignations: _____
- 3. Part-time or Full-time Employee(s):

C.1 Brief Project Description & Project Location (if applicable, include homeowner’s name and address, general scope of work performed, and associated expenses):

C.2. Describe specific work tasks & status completed this quarter:

Work Tasks	Status (i.e., underway, completed)

C.3 Describe success or problems encountered with the project:

C.4 Anticipated problems or concerns with project. Please identify technical assistance needed and/or requested from COUNTY's Housing Options, Solutions, and Supports Division, Human Rights Section (HOSS-DHRS) staff.

C.5 Anticipated advertisements and/or other contractual services. If so, has the HOSS-DHRS staff been advised and appropriate steps taken to assure compliance?

C.6 If applicable, please complete whether there is a direct benefit for program participants.

D. **Program Objectives**

* Work Tasks	Projected Yearly Total / Performance	Quarterly Progress	Progress Yr- To-Date	Supporting Documentation
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

* Work Tasks as listed in the Agreement’s Exhibit "C" (Timetable/Project Schedule).