

## WASHOE COUNTY

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## STAFF REPORT **BOARD MEETING DATE: February 9, 2016**

CM/ACM Finance DA Risk Mgt. HR Comptroller

DATE:

January 20, 2016

TO:

**Board of County Commissioners** 

FROM:

Dave Solaro, Architect, P.E., Director,

Community Services Department, 328-3624, dsolaro@washoecounty.us

THROUGH: Kevin Dick, District Health Officer

Kevin Schiller, Assistant County Manager

**SUBJECT:** 

Approve a First Amendment to Lease Agreement between Washoe County and MMK Properties for continued occupancy of office and warehouse space for the Health District Vector Program located at 405 Western Road, Reno, Nevada, for a 36 month term, effective May 1, 2016 through April 30, 2019

[\$42,874.80 annually]. (Commission District 5.)

#### **SUMMARY**

The Health District Vector-Borne Diseases Program has leased office and warehouse space at 405 Western Road, Reno, Nevada since 1991. The most recent Lease Agreement, approved on June 14, 2011, provides for a 36 month renewal term and a 3% increase to continue occupancy of Units 4, 5, 6, 15, 20 and 23 - a total of 1,200 square feet of office space and 6,000 square feet of warehouse space for the Vector Program.

Strategic Objective supported by this item: Stewardship of Our Community.

#### PREVIOUS ACTION

On June 14, 2011, The Board of County Commissioners (Board) approved a Lease Agreement between MMK Properties and Washoe County, retroactive to May 1, 2011, through April 30, 2016, for continued use of office and warehouse space for the Health District Vector Program located at 405 Western Road, Reno, Nevada.

On February 27, 2007, the Board approved the Lease of 400 square feet of additional office space (Unit #4) at 405 Western Road for the period May 1, 2007 through April 30, 2011.

On April 25, 2006, the Board approved renewal of occupancy at 405 Western Road for the period May 1, 2006 through April 30, 2011.

On November 9, 2004, the Board approved a Lease Agreement for an additional 2,000 square feet of warehouse space (Unit #20) for the period December 1, 2004 through April 30, 2006.

On March 25, 2003, the Board approved a Second Amendment to Lease Agreement for the period May 1, 2003 through April 30, 2006.

On September 25, 2001, the Board approved a First Amendment to Lease Agreement for the period May 1, 2001 through April 30, 2003.

On September 22, 1998, the Board approved a Lease Agreement to provide space for the District Health Vector Program for the period May 1, 1998 through April 30, 2001.

The Board has approved multiple agreements for lease of space for the Vector Program since February 1991.

## **BACKGROUND**

The Vector Borne Diseases Program has been providing services from the location at 405 Western Road, Reno, Nevada since 1991, to include mosquito and midge abatement, encephalitis surveillance and control, including West Nile Virus, plague, and Hantavirus prevention and control. The facility is also utilized to hold chemicals and equipment requiring specialized handling and storage.

The current leased space (units 4, 5, 6, 15, 20 and 23) include 1,200 square feet of office space and 6,000 square feet of warehouse space. Multiple Lease Agreements and Amendments to Lease Agreements have been approved by the Board to continue occupancy and/or to increase leased office and/or warehouse space to accommodate the needs of the Program.

The most recent Lease Agreement approved on June 14, 2011, has a negotiated, reduced lease rate for the term of the Agreement (May 1, 2011 through April 30, 2016) and contains a renewal clause that allows for continued occupancy of the Vector Borne Program for an additional 36 months with a 3% increase in rent.

Staff has reviewed other options for suitable space, including a potential to own comparable warehouse space; however, at this time the market for such spaces is very limited. As staff reviews other needs throughout the county in regards to leased space for warehouse uses, the space at 405 Western Road will be included in the review. The lease has standard funding out clauses, as well as a 90 day notice to cancel in the event the county acquires a building to provide the same function.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The First Amendment to Lease Agreement is for a 36 month term - May 1, 2016 through April 30, 2019. Per the terms of the original Lease Agreement, the Agreement may be extended for 36 months at a fixed rate that includes a 3% increase. In addition to the rental cost, per the terms of the Agreement, a \$40 monthly water rate fee is also applied. Funds are available in the Vector Borne Disease Cost Center 172100-710600.

Lease Term	Monthly Rate	<b>Monthly Water Rate</b>	<b>Annual Rate</b>
05/01/2011 - 10/31/2013	\$3,330.00	\$40.00	\$40,440.00
11/01/2013 - 04/30/2016	\$3,430.00	\$40.00	\$41,640.00
05/01/2016 - 04/30/2019	\$3,532.90	\$40.00	\$42,874.80

## **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners approve a First Amendment to Lease Agreement between Washoe County and MMK Properties for continued occupancy of office and warehouse space for the Health District Vector Program located at 405 Western Road, Reno, Nevada, for a 36 month term, effective May 1, 2016 through April 30, 2019 [\$42,874.80 annually].

#### **POSSIBLE MOTION**

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: "Move to approve a First Amendment to Lease Agreement between Washoe County and MMK Properties for continued occupancy of office and warehouse space for the Health District Vector Program located at 405 Western Road, Reno, Nevada, for a 36 month term, effective May 1, 2016 through April 30, 2019 [\$42,874.80 annually]."

## FIRST AMENDMENT TO LEASE AGREEMENT

TH	IIS FIRST A	MENDMENT TO	LEASE AGREE	EEMNT, ("	Agreement'	'), is made and	
entered int	to this	day of	, 2016	, by and be	tween MMI	K PROPERTIES	3
hereinafter	referred to a	as "Lessor" and W	ASHOE COUNT	ΓY, NEVA	DA, a politi	cal subdivision	
of the State	e of Nevada.	hereinafter referre	d to as "Lessee"				

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Lessor is the sole owner of the premises generally known and designated as warehouse units #15, #20 and #23 containing approximately 6,000 square feet and adjacent offices #4, #5 and #6 containing approximately 1,200 square feet within the Reno Port Business Park located at 405 Western Road, Reno, Washoe County, Nevada 89506;

WHEREAS, Lessee through previous contractual agreements has been occupying space at the above described location since February 1991; and

WHEREAS, Lessor and Lessee mutually agree to continue to lease that certain warehouse and office space described above and extend the term of the Lease agreement dated May 1, 2011, for an additional thirty-six (36) month period, pursuant to Section Six of the Agreement, with a change to Section Two (Term of Lease), and Section Four (Rental and Common Area Expense);

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, Lessor and Lessee hereby agree to amend the Lease agreement dated May 1, 2011, to extend the term as follows:

# SECTION TWO TERM OF LEASE

The term of this First Amendment to Lease Agreement shall be thirty-six (36) months commencing May 1, 2016, and terminating on April 30, 2019, for the rental of 1,200 square feet of office space and 6,000 square feet of warehouse space.

# SECTION FOUR RENTAL AND COMMON AREA EXPENSE

Effective upon the commencement date as defined in Section Two, above, Lessee agrees to pay Lessor, at such place as Lessor shall designate from time to time in writing, for the Premises described in Section One, therein, as follows:

The sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Thirty Two Dollars and 90/100 (\$3,532.90) per month, fixed for the entire thirty-six (36) month renewal period, commencing May 1, 2016 through April 30, 2019, for office units #4, #5 and #6 and warehouse units #15, #20 and #23; unless changed as specifically provided herein.

All other terms and conditions of the Lease Agreement of May 1, 2011, and the together with this First Amendment to Lease Agreement, as amended and extended herein shall remain in full force and effect throughout the extended term of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this First Amendment to Lease Agreement, as of the date and year first above written.

	LESSEE: WASHOE COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Nevada
	By:
	Kitty K. Jung, Chair
	Washoe County Commission
Attest:	
County Clerk	<del></del>

		LESSOR:		
		MEISER EN	NTERPRISES, INC., a Nevada	
		Corporation	1	
		By: Mark D	D. Meiser, President	
STATE OF				
COUNTY OF		)		
On this	day of	, 2016, bef	ore me a Notary Public in and for the	е
County of		, State of	, personally appeared	
	, k	nown to me to be the pe	erson/s described herein and who	
executed the forego	oing instrument	t and who acknowledged	d to me that he/she executed the sam	e
freely and voluntar	ily on behalf of	f MMK Properties for th	ne uses and purposes therein mention	ıed
		Notary Public	<del></del>	

#### LEASE AGREEMENT

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Lessor is the sole owner of the property located at 405 Western Road, Reno, Washoe County, NV; and

WHEREAS, Lessee through previous contractual agreements with Lessor has been occupying office and warehouse space since 1991 in Unit(s) #4, #5, #6, #15, 20 and #23; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire by this Agreement to define their respective rights, duties and liabilities relating to the continued occupancy in the property; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

#### **SECTION ONE**

#### **DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES**

Lessor hereby leases unto Lessee, and Lessee hereby leases from Lessor, approximately 1,200 square feet of office and 6,000 square feet of warehouse space in Unit(s) #4, #5, #6, #15, #20 and #23,("Premises") known and designated as Reno Port Business Park, located at 405 Western Road, Washoe County, Nevada ("Building"), together with the nonexclusive use of all common areas, and exterior grounds. Lessee, its employees and invitees shall also have the right to use the parking area on an undesignated basis in common with other lessees and their employees and invitees. The use of all common areas, including parking areas shall be subject to reasonable rules and regulations as established by Lessor.

Unless otherwise specified, "Premises" shall only include that portion used exclusively by Lessee.

## **SECTION TWO**

#### TERM OF LEASE

The term of this Agreement shall be for a sixty (60) month term, commencing retroactively to May 1, 2011 through April 30, 2016; unless terminated or extended as otherwise provided herein.

#### **SECTION THREE**

#### TENANT IMPROVEMENTS

It is understood that Lessor or its authorized agent has completed tenant improvements and remodeling to the interior of the space in the demised Premises. Said improvements have been completed in accordance with applicable building plans and specification approved by and in accordance with all applicable state, county and municipal laws and regulations.

## **SECTION FOUR**

## RENTAL AND COMMON AREA EXPENSE

Effective upon the commencement date as defined in Section Two, above, Lessee agrees to pay Lessor, at such place as Lessor shall designate from time to time in writing, minimum monthly rent for the Premises described in Section One above, as follows:

- A. Lessee shall pay to Lessor as rent for Unit(s) #4, #5, #6, #15, #20 and #23, the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty (\$3,330.00) dollars per month from July 1, 2011 through October 31, 2013; and
- B. Lessee shall pay to Lessor as rent for Unit(s) #4, #5, #6, #15, #20 and #23, the sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred Thirty (\$3,430) dollars per month from November 1, 2013 through April 30, 2016.
- C. All rental payments shall be made payable to MMK Properties c/o Meiser Enterprises Inc., 315 Freeport Blvd., Sparks, NV 89431. Rent payable hereunder is due the first (1st) day of each month and if not received by the Lessor or properly deposited into the U.S. Mail system by the tenth (10th) day, Lessee agrees to pay a surcharge equivalent to ten (10%) percent of the monthly rental. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no late charge shall be assessed with respect to the first late payment of rent in a twelve (12) month period.

D. Common Area expenses shall be paid at the sole cost and expense of Lessor without obligation or cost to Lessee. Common Area expenses mean the total of all items of cost and expenses related to owning, maintaining, operating and managing the Common Area as specifically described in Section Five, below.

#### SECTION FIVE

#### **COMMON AREA MAINTENANCE**

- A. Lessor shall maintain the Common Areas in good condition and repair. The term "Common Areas" means all areas and facilities outside the Premises and within the exterior boundaries of the property that are provided and designated by the Lessor from time to time for the general use and convenience of the Lessee and other tenants or owners of portion of the property pursuant to reciprocal easement agreements and their respective authorized representatives and invitees, and of public invitees.
- B. Common area maintenance shall include, but is not limited to, all such maintenance, repair and construction work as shall be required to preserve and maintain the utility of the Common Area; maintenance, repair, resurfacing and painting of pedestrian walkways, throughways, roadways, service corridors, parking areas and patios; maintenance and servicing of common area elevators, common area heating, ventilating and air conditioning systems; sweeping, snow removal, trash disposal and other janitorial services of the common areas; maintenance and servicing of sprinkler systems, gardening and landscaping areas; lighting and all utilities utilized in connection therewith; maintenance and repairs of exterior roofs, exterior roof coverings, exterior supporting structures, walls and overhead roll-up doors; and reasonable management fees (not to exceed six percent (6%) of the rents) and other maintenance in the Lessor's judgment necessary for the operation of the Common Areas.

#### **SECTION SIX**

#### RENEWAL

Lessee shall have the option of one (1) additional renewal term, provided Lessee is not in default at the time of the exercise of such option. Said renewal shall commence upon expiration of this term or any extension thereof and shall be for a period of thirty-six (36) months. The lease rate for the renewal term shall be fixed at the then current rent and include a 3% increase.

Written notice to renew shall be given at least ninety (90) days prior to the expiration of this Agreement.

#### **SECTION SEVEN**

#### **HOLDING OVER**

Lessee shall provide Lessor with ninety (90) day notice, prior to the expiration of the initial term or any extensions thereof, of their intent to holdover. Any holding over of the Premises by Lessee after the expiration of the term hereof (or any renewal period, as applicable) shall be construed to be a tenancy from month-to-month with no change in the monthly rental amount due, up to a maximum period of four (4) months after which time Lessee will either quit and vacate the Premises or enter into a new lease agreement. All other terms and conditions stated herein shall remain in full force and effect to the extent they are not inconsistent with this Section. If Lessee fails to surrender the Premises upon the expiration of the holdover period, Lessee shall hold the Lessor harmless from all damages resulting from Lessee's failure to surrender, including without limitation, claims from a succeeding tenant resulting from Lessee's failure to surrender the Premises.

#### **SECTION EIGHT**

#### **USE OF PREMISES**

- A. Lessee shall use the Premises for conducting business activities of Washoe County or for other related general government purposes. Lessee shall not use, or permit said Premises or any part thereof to be used for any purpose other than the conduct of the necessary business of Washoe County governmental programs.
- B. Lessee shall not conduct or at any time knowingly permit its employees, agents or visitors to conduct activity on the Premises which is unlawful or in violation of any federal or state statute, code or regulation.

#### **SECTION NINE**

## ALTERATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS

A. The parties hereby acknowledge that the Premises are in good condition, are architecturally acceptable to Lessee, and shall not be altered, repaired or changed except as provided herein.

- B. Lessee agrees that it shall not erect partitions, install or change any doors or windows, or place any nails, screws or other implements or fasteners into the wood work or walls, except such items as are necessary to suitably decorate or make the Premises attractive for the purposes intended, without the prior written consent of Lessor. Upon Lessor's request, Lessee shall prepare plans and specifications of such work and submit the same to Lessor for its approval prior to making such alterations or improvements. Said approval will not be unreasonably withheld.
- C. The parties agree that all the erections, additions, fixtures and improvements, except only movable equipment, office furniture, shelving and any decorative items which can be removed without substantially affecting the integrity of the building, made in or upon said Premises shall remain upon the Premises at the termination of said term by lapse of time or otherwise, without compensation to Lessee.
- D. The erection, construction, installation or making of any improvements shall be accomplished in a workmanlike manner and in compliance with all applicable federal, state, county and municipal laws and regulations.

## **SECTION TEN**

#### LESSOR IMPROVEMENTS

- A. Lessor reserves the right from time to time and at its own expense to make such improvements, alterations, renovations, changes, and repairs in and about the building in which the Premises are located including the demised Premises, as Lessor shall deem necessary or desirable provided Lessor prior to entering the demised Premises gives Lessee a minimum forty-eight (48) hours notice of its intent to do so, and, except where such improvements, alterations, changes and repairs unreasonably disrupt Lessee's use and peaceful enjoyment of the Premises, Lessee shall make no claim against Lessor for abatement of rent for interference with Lessee's leasehold interest or for loss or damage to its business during such improvements, alterations, changes and repairs.
- B. Lessor shall make all improvements in a safe, workmanlike manner so as not to prove hazardous to tenants and/or the public.

#### **SECTION ELEVEN**

## MAINTENANCE, REPAIRS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. Lessor, at its sole cost and expense, shall be responsible for performing periodic maintenance to the interior of the Premises in a reasonable and timely manner. Lessor, however, shall not be responsible for making repairs or replacements caused by the willful destruction or negligence of Lessee, Lessee's contractor's, agents or employees.
- B. Lessee, shall keep the Premises at all times in a neat, clean and sanitary condition, and shall neither commit nor permit any waste or nuisance thereon.
- C. Lessor shall maintain, at its sole cost and expense, parking areas including snow removal, the roof, sidewalks, windows, exterior walls and overhead roll-up doors of said building, in which the demised Premises are located.
- D. Lessor specifically warrants the existing plumbing, electrical, HVAC system and all improvements in place at the time of delivery to be free from inherent or latent material defects and warrants same for the term of the Agreement.
- E. Lessor, at its sole cost and expense, shall provide reasonable maintenance, repair and replacement of all plumbing including plumbing fixtures, central mechanical equipment, to specifically water heaters, heating, ventilating and air conditioning equipment, necessary to provide service to the Premises and maintain the Premises in a reasonable and safe manner and in full compliance with all mandated federal, state and local regulatory requirements.
- F. Lessee shall permit Lessor or its authorized agent to enter into and upon the demised Premises at all reasonable times for the purpose of inspecting the same, or for the purpose of making repairs or maintaining the building in which the Premises are located.
- G. Lessee, as appropriate, shall keep the Premises free from any liens arising out of any and all work that it may perform, or materials furnished, or obligations incurred by Lessee. Lessee shall have thirty (30) days from the date of notice of said lien, as provided by Lessor, within which to remove said encumbrance without breaching the provisions of this Agreement.
- H. Lessor is solely responsible for compliance with and all necessary expenses associated with any modification required for compliance with any statues, ordinances and/or regulations, including required changes in installations for supply of utilities or sanitary facilities or

other modifications, which may be required for compliance with the requirements of the American's Disability Act (ADA).

#### **SECTION TWELVE**

#### UTILITIES, CUSTODIAL, TELEPHONE AND PARKING

- A. Lessor shall provide heating, electricity, water, sewer, and trash removal services to the demised Premises. Lessee shall be responsible for payment of natural gas and electricity charges which are specifically used upon and separately metered to the Premises. Lessor desires pass-through reimbursement for costs to provide potable water to the demised Premises restroom that is solely occupied by Lessee. Said service is not separately metered and cannot be invoiced directly to Lessee by the water purveyor. In the event that any units contain restrooms, Lessee agrees to pay to Lessor the sum of Forty (\$40.00) dollars per month for potable water service.
- B. Lessee, at its sole cost and expense, shall provide interior trash removal and janitorial services including cleaning and sanitizing of restrooms on a regular basis. Lessee shall provide interior window cleaning on a periodic basis.
- C. Lessee shall pay for all telephone service costs incurred for installation of equipment and establishment of initial service and for ongoing monthly service charges for equipment, fees, line and toll charges or any changes thereto specifically requested by Lessee.
- D. Lessor at its sole cost shall pay all real property taxes and/or sewer assessment fees applicable to the real property upon which the Building is located.

#### **SECTION THIRTEEN**

#### **SIGNS**

Lessee agrees that no new sign or advertisement shall be painted or affixed to any part of the outside of the building in which the Premises are situated without the prior written approval of Lessor, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

#### SECTION FOURTEEN

#### WAIVER

Any failure on the part of either party to take action against the other for any breach or covenant herein shall not be construed to constitute a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.

#### **SECTION FIFTEEN**

#### **DESTRUCTION OF PREMISES**

In the event of a partial destruction of said Premises or the buildings of which the Premises is a part during the said term, from any cause, Lessor shall forthwith repair the same within one hundred-twenty (120) days, provided such repair can be made within said period under the laws and regulations of the state, federal, county or municipal authorities. If required repairs are commenced promptly, this Agreement shall not be modified, except that Lessee shall be entitled to a proportionate reduction of rent if a portion of the demised Premises are rendered unusable or substantially impaired while repairs are being made. If such repairs cannot be made in one hundred-twenty (120) days, this Agreement may be terminated at the option of Lessee. Lessee shall notify Lessor of its election to terminate the Agreement within twenty-one (21) days following the date Lessee receives written notice from Lessor of its inability to repair the building within the one hundred-twenty (120) day period due to such damage or destruction. A total destruction of the building in which the Premises is situated shall terminate this Agreement. This provision is not intended to affect the rights of either party to seek recovery against the person responsible for the damages, subject, however, to the provision provided in Section Sixteen below.

#### **SECTION SIXTEEN**

#### CONDEMNATION

In the event that any part of the Premises hereby demised shall be condemned or taken by any county, federal, state or other authority for any purpose, then the term of this Agreement shall cease on the part so taken from the day the possession of that part is required for any public purpose. The rent shall be paid up to that day and thereafter the Lessee or the Lessor shall have the right to either cancel this Agreement or to continue in the possession of the remainder of the same under the terms herein provided, except that the rent shall be reduced in proportion to the area of that portion of the Premises taken for such public purpose. All damages awarded as compensation for diminution in value to the leasehold or to the fee of the Premises shall belong to and be the property of Lessor. Lessee shall have the right to claim and recover from the condemning authority such compensation as may be separately awarded or recoverable by Lessee

in Lessee's own right on account of any and all damages to Lessee's business by reason of the condemnation and for or on account of any cost or loss to which Lessee might be put in removing Lessee's furniture, fixtures, equipment and leasehold improvements.

#### **SECTION SEVENTEEN**

#### **INDEMNIFICATION**

- A. Lessor shall hold harmless, indemnify and defend Lessee from and against any loss, damage, claim, suit or liability due to injury, including death, or property damage, to any third party arising out of the negligent acts or omissions of the Lessor, its agents or employees, in connection with the ownership of the Property and the Lessor's duties and responsibilities pursuant to this Agreement.
- B. Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes, Chapter 41 and without waiving any provisions thereof, Lessee, shall hold harmless, indemnify and defend Lessor from and against any loss, damage, claim, suit or liability due to injury, including death, or property damage, to any third party arising out of the negligent or alleged negligent acts or omissions of the Lessee, its agents, contractors or employees, arising out of the use of the demised Premises and the Lessee's duties and responsibilities pursuant to this Agreement.

#### **SECTION EIGHTEEN**

#### INSURANCE

- A. Lessor, at its sole cost and expense shall:
- (1) Secure and maintain fire and extended insurance on the building in which the Premises is located in an amount and coverage determined by Lessor during the term or any extended term of this Agreement.
- (2) Secure and maintain a policy of comprehensive or commercial general liability coverage (occurrence form), in an amount of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence, and at least \$1,000,000 annual aggregate during the term of this Agreement. Lessee shall be provided with a certificate of insurance and endorsement evidencing such coverage.
  - (3) Lessor hereby expressly waives and releases any cause of action

or right of recovery which Lessor may have hereafter against the Lessee for any loss or damage to the demised Premises, or to the contents thereof belonging to either, caused by fire, explosion, or any other risk covered by insurance; and,

- (4) Lessor shall obtain a waiver from any insurance carrier with which Lessor carries fire, explosion or any other risk coverage insuring the building and other improvements releasing its subrogation rights against Lessee.
  - B. Lessee, at its sole cost and expense, shall:
- (1) Maintain fire insurance on all contents owned by the Lessee located at the demised Premises.
- (2) Lessee may fund any financial obligation relating to its negligence and liability through a program of self-funding administered by its Risk Management Division. Any and all claims related to the use of the demised Premises by Lessee shall be forwarded to Lessee in a timely manner.
- (3) Lessee hereby expressly waives and releases any cause of action or right of recovery which Lessee may have hereafter against the Lessor for any loss or damage to the demised Premises, or to the contents thereof belonging to either, caused by fire, explosion, or any other risk covered by Lessee's insurance and,
- (4) Lessee shall not keep or use in or upon the Premises any article, which may be prohibited by the Lessor's insurance policy then in effect covering the Premises or Common Areas. In the event Lessee's occupancy causes any increase of premium for Lessor's insurance on the Premises, or any parts thereof, above the rate for the least hazardous type of occupancy legally permitted in the Premises, Lessee shall have fifteen (15) days after receipt of written notification from Lessor of such increase to correct or mitigate said circumstances which resulted in the need for a premium increase. If Lessee is unable to mitigate or correct said hazardous occupancy, Lessee shall upon written agreement pay the increased premium or terminate said Agreement Agreement.

#### **SECTION NINETEEN**

#### **HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES**

A. Lessee shall not cause or permit any hazardous substances to be used, stored, released, manufactured or disposed in or upon the Premises, except in the minimum quantities as

are customary and usual in connection with Lessee's permitted use. If the premises become contaminated as a result of a violation by Lessee of this Section Nineteen, for which Lessee is legally liable, Lessee shall indemnify, defend and hold Lessor harmless from all related claims, judgments, penalties, costs or losses, including all expenses incurred for investigation, removal, remediation and restoration mandated by federal, state, and local governments, together with Lessor's attorney fees.

- B. If hazardous substances have been used, stored, released, manufactured or disposed in or upon the Premises or connected areas outside the Premises, or if the Premises or connected areas outside the Premises, are or become contaminated in any manner, for which Lessor is legally liable, Lessor shall indemnify, defend and hold Lessee harmless from all related claims, judgments, penalties, costs, or losses, including all expenses incurred for investigation, removal, remediation and restoration mandated by federal, state and local governments, together with Lessee's attorneys fees.
- C. "Hazardous Substances" means all toxic, ignitable, reactive and corrosive substances regulated by federal, state or local governments.

## **SECTION TWENTY**

#### SUBORDINATION, ATTORNMENT AND NON-DISTURBANCE

- A. This Agreement, at Lessor's option, shall be subordinated to any mortgage, deed of trust, or any other hypothecation for security now or hereafter placed upon Lessor's leasehold interest in the real property or building of which the Premises are a part and which constitute a mortgage or deed of trust lien or encumbrance against Lessor's interest in such Premises or building and to any and all advances made on the security thereof and to all the renewals, modifications, amendment, consolidations, replacements and extensions thereof.
- B. Lessee agrees to execute any documents required to effectuate such subordination to the lien of any mortgage, deed of trust, or other security document, as the case may be, and failing to do so within thirty (30) days after written demand shall give Lessor the right to terminate this Agreement and immediately re-enter the Premises.
- C. Lessee shall in the event of the sale or assignment of Lessor's interest in the real property or building of which the Premises are a part, or in the event of any proceeding brought for the foreclosure of, or in the event of exercise of the power of sale under any mortgage or deed

of trust made by Lessor covering the Premises, attorn to the purchaser or assignee and recognize such purchaser or assignee as Lessor under this Agreement.

D. Any purchaser, assignee, or other party acquiring Lessor's interest in the real property or Building of which the Premises are a part, agrees to recognize the validity and enforceability of this Agreement and that notwithstanding any default by Lessor with respect to any mortgage, deed of trust, or other security document, Lessee's possession, quiet enjoyment and all of Lessee's rights under this Agreement in and to the Premises shall not be disturbed by such purchaser, assignee or other party unless Lessee is in default under the terms of this Agreement.

## **SECTION TWENTY-ONE**

#### **QUIET ENJOYMENT**

Lessee, while in compliance with the terms and covenants herein, is entitled to the quiet enjoyment of the demised Premises for the term hereby created.

## SECTION TWENTY-TWO

#### ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLEASE

This Agreement may be assigned or the Premises sublet only with the prior written consent of the Lessor. Lessor shall consent to an assignment or subletting provided the proposed assignee is, in Lessor's judgment, a suitable tenant, which can demonstrate to Lessor's satisfaction that it is compatible with the Building and other tenants of the Building and has the financial and operational capability to remain through the lease term. Any rents or other consideration due from an assignee or sublessee, in excess of the rents due under this Agreement from Lessee shall be paid to Lessor.

#### **SECTION TWENTY-THREE**

#### **NOTICES**

All notices and demands which may be required to be served upon the respective parties to this Agreement shall be in writing and may be served either personally or by certified mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the Lessee at the address of the Premises herein demised, with a copy to Washoe County Public Works Director, P.O. Box 11130, Reno, NV 89520-0027, with a copy to Washoe County Public Works and MMK Properties c/o Meiser Enterprises Inc., 315 Freeport

Blvd. Sparks, NV 89431, or at such other address as the parties may designate and serve upon the other. Any service by mail shall be deemed served upon deposit in the United States Post Office. Once Washoe County Recorder's Office records the Agreement, the recorded document shall be returned to Wendy Pitts, Washoe County Public Works.

## **SECTION TWENTY-FOUR**

#### **ATTORNEY'S FEES**

Should any party hereto institute any legal action or proceeding of any kind, to enforce any provision hereof or for damages by reason of an alleged breach of any provision of this Agreement, neither party shall be entitled to recover any amount as a reasonable attorney's fees, for any reason, even if said party is deemed to be the prevailing party in such action or proceeding. Cost of suit may be awarded as allowed by law.

#### SECTION TWENTY-FIVE

#### **TERMINATION**

- A. Upon termination of this Agreement, Lessee shall quit the Premises peaceably, with no damage to the Premises, normal wear and tear and damage outside the control of Lessee excepted, and shall remove all of Lessee's personal property from the Premises.
- B. The failure by Lessee or Lessor to make any payment or observe or perform any covenants, conditions or provisions of this Agreement required to be made, observed or performed by such party, after thirty (30) days written notice of such default shall constitute a default of this Agreement by such party; provided, however, that if the nature of the default (other than the payment of money) is such that more than thirty (30) days are reasonably required for its cure, then the defaulting party shall not be deemed to be in default if such party commences such cure within the thirty (30) day period and thereafter diligently prosecutes such cure to completion. Upon default, the non-defaulting party may pursue all remedies available under Nevada law, including termination of the Agreement and recovery of all damages caused by such default.
- C. In the event Lessee shall acquire a County owned building, or one becomes available in which Lessee shall conduct the same function it is currently performing in place of its operation in the demised Premises, Lessee may cancel this Agreement at any time by giving

Lessor three (3) months prior written notice of its intention to do so; provided however, that Lessee is not in default of any of the terms contained in this Agreement.

#### **SECTION TWENTY –SIX**

#### **CHOICE OF LAW: VENUE**

This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the Laws of the State of Nevada. All parties hereto consent to the personal jurisdiction of any state court of competent jurisdiction located in Washoe County, Nevada and to the service of process by any means authorized by any such state court or under the laws of the State of Nevada. The exclusive venue of any action, proceeding or counterclaim arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall be Washoe County, Nevada.

## SECTION TWENTY-SEVEN

#### **FUNDING OUT CLAUSE**

Pursuant to NRS 244.320, in the event Washoe County fails to appropriate budget funds specifically for the purpose of maintaining such demised Premises, in any subsequent fiscal year after the effective date of the Agreement, Lessor hereby agrees to cancel this Agreement and hold Lessee harmless from any penalty, charge or sanction. Lessee agrees to provide written notice to Lessor of this eventuality, should it occur.

## **SECTION TWENTY-EIGHT**

## DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS

The Lessor certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it and its principals and agents:

- A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;
- B. Have not within a three year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or

commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

- C. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1) (B) of this certification; and
- D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) terminated for cause or default. I understand that a false statement on this certification may be ground for rejection of this Agreement. In addition, under 18 SUC Sec. 1001, a false statement may result in a fine of up to \$10,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years, or both.

## **SECTION TWENTY-NINE**

#### **EFFECT OF AGREEMENT**

- A. This Agreement constitutes the entire contract between the parties and no obligation other than that set forth herein will be recognized unless endorsed hereto in writing.
- B. Each of the covenants, warranties, and agreements herein contained are binding on the parties hereto, their successors, assigns and legal representatives. In the event of any breach of these covenants, warranties and agreements by Lessee during the duration of this Agreement, whether or not discovered by or known to Lessor during the lease term, Lessor expressly reserves unto itself the right to pursue appropriate legal action against Lessee to correct or cure said breaches or deficiencies.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their hands and seals as of the date and year first above written.

LESSEE: WASHOE COUNTY, a political sub	-division of the State of Nevada, (COUNTY)
By:  John Breternitz, Chairman  Washoe County Commission	
STATE OF NEVADA )	·
: COUNTY OF WASHOE )	
an litt . Dung	l before me a Notary Public in and for the County of Washoe,
	nown to me to be the person described herein and who executed
the foregoing instrument and who acknowledged to me that he	
Lessee, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.	Sita Lencioni Notary Public
LESSOR: MMK PROPERTIES  By: Mark D. Meiser, General Partner	HITA LENCIONI Notary Public - State of Nevada Appointment Recorded in Washoe County No: 94-2090-2 - Expires September 28, 2014
LESSOR: MMK PROPERTIES  By: Muly Bdwde  Marilyn Bowden, General Partner	
LESSOR: MMK PROPERTIES	·
By: Hather M. Droke	
Kathy M. Drake, General Partner	
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STATE OF NEVADA ) :	
COUNTY OF WASHOE	
On this	e me a Notary Public in and for the County of Washoe, State of
Nevada, personally appeared Mark D. Meiser, M	avilyn Bouden, and Kathy M. Drake, known
to me to be the person described herein and who executed the fo	regoing instrument and who acknowledged to me that he/she
executed the same freely and voluntarily on behalf of Lessor, for	the uses and purposes therein mentioned.
JANELL A. RAY  Notary Public - State of Nevada  Appointment Recorded in Washos County  No: 93-1521-2 - Expires November 18, 2013	Notary Public