

# **Cheryl Bledsoe**, Director

Clackamas 911 (CCOM) 2200 Kaen Road, Oregon City, OR 97045

June 20, 2024

BCC Agenda Date/Item:

Board of County Commissioners Clackamas County

Approval of a Contract with the Denise Amber Lee Foundation (DALF) for Quality Assurance Reviews. Contract value is \$300,000 total across 5 years. Funding is through the CCOM Budget. No County General Funds are involved.

Previous Board Action/Review	None		
Performance Clackamas	Ensure safe, healthy, and secure communities.		
Counsel Review	6/20/2024	<b>Procurement Review</b>	Yes
Contact Person	Cheryl Bledsoe	Contact Phone	503-655-8370

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**: Clackamas 911 (CCOM) has been working with the Denise Amber Lee Foundation (DALF) to provide random Quality Assurance Evaluations (QAE) for our 911 calls and our emergency dispatch services. Prior to this contract, CCOM had about 1% of its calls reviewed on an annual basis since 2022. The purpose of this contract is to increase the reviews to 2% of call volume which is an industry standard for 911 centers who seek to become accredited. This contract provides 2800 call reviews and several calibration sessions to ensure that evaluators are scoring similarly, based on CCOM's procedures.

CCOM began its Quality Improvement (QA/QI) program in 2021. We completed 1% call reviews in both 2022 and 2023. Because our score averages in 2023 are above 90% in all categories, it is time to increase the number of calls reviewed to collect documentation and prepare to demonstrate that our services qualify for accreditation.

These reviews will be paid for from the Clackamas 911 departmental budget which is funded through a mix of 9-1-1 tax funds and member fees from the agencies CCOM provides services for.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends that the Board of County Commissioners approve Contract #9652 with the Denise Amber Lee Foundation (DALF) to provide Quality Assurance Evaluation reviews.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CLACKAMAS COUNTY PERSONAL SERVICES CONTRACT Contract #9652

This Personal Services Contract (this "Contract") is entered into between **Denise Amber Lee Foundation** ("Contractor"), and Clackamas County, a political subdivision of the State of Oregon ("County") on behalf of its Clackamas 911 Department.

# ARTICLE I.

- 1. Effective Date and Duration. This Contract shall become effective upon signature of both parties. Unless earlier terminated or extended, this Contract shall expire on June 30, 2029.
- 2. Scope of Work. Contractor shall provide the following personal services: quality assurance evaluation services ("Work"), further described in **Exhibit A**.
- 3. Consideration. The County agrees to pay Contractor, from available and authorized funds, a sum not to exceed **Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00)**, for accomplishing the Work required by this Contract. Consideration rates are on a time and materials basis in accordance with the rates and costs specified in **Exhibit B.** If any interim payments to Contractor are made, such payments shall be made only in accordance with the schedule and requirements in Exhibit B.
- 4. Invoices and Payments. Unless otherwise specified, Contractor shall submit monthly invoices for Work performed. Invoices shall describe all Work performed with particularity, by whom it was performed, and shall itemize and explain all expenses for which reimbursement is claimed. The invoices shall include the total amount billed to date by Contractor prior to the current invoice. If Contractor fails to present invoices in proper form within sixty (60) calendar days after the end of the month in which the services were rendered, Contractor waives any rights to present such invoice thereafter and to receive payment therefor. Payments shall be made in accordance with ORS 293.462 to Contractor following the County's review and approval of invoices submitted by Contractor. Contractor shall not submit invoices for, and the County will not be obligated to pay, any amount in excess of the maximum compensation amount set forth above. If this maximum compensation amount is increased by amendment of this Contract, the amendment must be fully effective before Contractor performs Work subject to the amendment.

Invoices shall reference the above Contract Number and be submitted to: mneece@clackamas.us

- 5. Travel and Other Expense. Authorized: Yes No If travel expense reimbursement is authorized in this Contract, such expense shall only be reimbursed at the rates in the County Contractor Travel Reimbursement Policy, hereby incorporated by reference and found at: <u>https://www.clackamas.us/finance/terms.html</u>.Travel expense reimbursement is not in excess of the not to exceed consideration.
- 6. Contract Documents. This Contract consists of the following documents, which are listed in descending order of precedence and are attached and incorporated by reference, this Contract and Exhibit A.

County Administrator: Cheryl Bledsoe
Phone: 971-284-3091
Email: CBledsoe@clackamas.us

# 7. Contractor and County Contacts.

Payment information will be reported to the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") under the name and taxpayer ID number submitted. (See I.R.S. 1099 for additional instructions regarding taxpayer ID numbers.) Information not matching IRS records will subject Contractor payments to backup withholding.

## ARTICLE II.

- 1. ACCESS TO RECORDS. Contractor shall maintain books, records, documents, and other evidence, in accordance with generally accepted accounting procedures and practices, sufficient to reflect properly all costs of whatever nature claimed to have been incurred and anticipated to be incurred in the performance of this Contract. County and their duly authorized representatives shall have access to the books, documents, papers, and records of Contractor, which are directly pertinent to this Contract for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts, and transcripts. Contractor shall maintain such books and records for a minimum of six (6) years, or such longer period as may be required by applicable law, following final payment and termination of this Contract, whichever date is later.
- 2. AVAILABILITY OF FUTURE FUNDS. Any continuation or extension of this Contract after the end of the fiscal period in which it is written is contingent on a new appropriation for each succeeding fiscal period sufficient to continue to make payments under this Contract, as determined by the County in its sole administrative discretion.
- **3.** CAPTIONS. The captions or headings in this Contract are for convenience only and in no way define, limit, or describe the scope or intent of any provisions of this Contract.
- 4. COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAW. Contractor shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations, executive orders, and ordinances, as such may be amended from time to time.
- 5. COUNTERPARTS. This Contract may be executed in several counterparts (electronic or otherwise), each of which shall be an original, all of which shall constitute the same instrument.
- 6. GOVERNING LAW. This Contract, and all rights, obligations, and disputes arising out of it, shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon and the ordinances of Clackamas County without regard to principles of conflicts of law. Any claim, action, or suit between County and Contractor that arises out of or relates to the performance of this Contract shall be brought and conducted solely and exclusively within the Circuit Court for Clackamas County, for the State of Oregon. Provided, however, that if any such claim, action, or suit may be brought in a federal forum, it shall be brought and conducted solely and exclusively and exclusively within the United States District Court for the District of Oregon. In no event shall this section be construed as a waiver by the County of any form of defense or immunity, whether sovereign immunity, governmental immunity, immunity based on the Eleventh Amendment to the Constitution of the United States or otherwise, from any claim or from the jurisdiction of any court. Contractor, by execution of this Contract, hereby consents to the personal jurisdiction of the courts referenced in this section.
- 7. INDEMNITY, RESPONSIBILITY FOR DAMAGES. Contractor shall be responsible for all damage to property, injury to persons, and loss, expense, inconvenience, and delay which may be caused by, or result from, any act, omission, or neglect of Contractor, its subcontractors, agents, or employees. The Contractor agrees to indemnify and defend the County, and its officers, elected officials, agents, and employees, from and against all claims, actions, losses, liabilities, including reasonable attorney and accounting fees, and all expenses incidental to the investigation and defense thereof, arising out of or based upon Contractor's acts or omissions in performing under this Contract.

However, neither Contractor nor any attorney engaged by Contractor shall defend the claim in the name of County, purport to act as legal representative of County, or settle any claim on behalf of County, without the approval of the Clackamas County Counsel's Office. County may assume its own defense and settlement at its election and expense.

- 8. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS. The service(s) to be rendered under this Contract are those of an independent contractor. Although the County reserves the right to determine (and modify) the delivery schedule for the Work to be performed and to evaluate the quality of the completed performance, County cannot and will not control the means or manner of Contractor's performance. Contractor is responsible for determining the appropriate means and manner of performing the Work. Contractor is not to be considered an agent or employee of County for any purpose, including, but not limited to: (A) The Contractor will be solely responsible for payment of any Federal or State taxes required as a result of this Contract; and (B) This Contract is not intended to entitle the Contractor to any benefits generally granted to County employees, including, but not limited to; vacation, holiday and sick leave, other leaves with pay, tenure, medical and dental coverage, life and disability insurance, overtime, Social Security, Workers' Compensation, unemployment compensation, or retirement benefits.
- 9. INSURANCE. Contractor shall secure at its own expense and keep in effect during the term of the performance under this Contract the insurance required and minimum coverage indicated below. The insurance requirement outlined below do not in any way limit the amount of scope of liability of Contractor under this Contract. Contractor shall provide proof of said insurance and name the County as an additional insured on all required liability policies. Proof of insurance and notice of any material change should be submitted to the following address: Clackamas County Procurement Division, 2051 Kaen Road, Oregon City, OR 97045 or emailed to the County Contract Analyst.

Required - Workers Compensation: Contractor shall comply with the statutory workers' compensation requirements in ORS 656.017, unless exempt under ORS 656.027 or 656.126. Required – Commercial General Liability: combined single limit, or the equivalent, of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence, with an annual aggregate limit of \$2,000,000 for Bodily Injury and Property Damage.

Required – Professional Liability: combined single limit, or the equivalent, of not less than \$1,000,000 per claim, with an annual aggregate limit of \$2,000,000 for damages caused by error, omission or negligent acts.

Required – Automobile Liability: combined single limit, or the equivalent, of not less than \$1,000,000 per accident for Bodily Injury and Property Damage.

The policy(s) shall be primary insurance as respects to the County. Any insurance or selfinsurance maintained by the County shall be excess and shall not contribute to it. Any obligation that County agree to a waiver of subrogation is hereby stricken.

- 10. LIMITATION OF LIABILITIES. This Contract is expressly subject to the debt limitation of Oregon counties set forth in Article XI, Section 10, of the Oregon Constitution, and is contingent upon funds being appropriated therefore. Any provisions herein which would conflict with law are deemed inoperative to that extent. Except for liability arising under or related to Article II, Section 13 or Section 20 neither party shall be liable for (i) any indirect, incidental, consequential or special damages under this Contract or (ii) any damages of any sort arising solely from the termination of this Contact in accordance with its terms.
- **11. NOTICES.** Except as otherwise provided in this Contract, any required notices between the parties shall be given in writing by personal delivery, email, or mailing the same, to the Contract Administrators identified in Article 1, Section 6. If notice is sent to County, a copy shall also be sent

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to: Clackamas County Procurement, 2051 Kaen Road, Oregon City, OR 97045. Any communication or notice so addressed and mailed shall be deemed to be given five (5) days after mailing, and immediately upon personal delivery, or within 2 hours after the email is sent during County's normal business hours (Monday – Thursday, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.) (as recorded on the device from which the sender sent the email), unless the sender receives an automated message or other indication that the email has not been delivered.

- 12. OWNERSHIP OF WORK PRODUCT. All work product of Contractor that results from this Contract (the "Work Product") is the exclusive property of County. County and Contractor intend that such Work Product be deemed "work made for hire" of which County shall be deemed the author. If for any reason the Work Product is not deemed "work made for hire," Contractor hereby irrevocably assigns to County all of its right, title, and interest in and to any and all of the Work Product, whether arising from copyright, patent, trademark or trade secret, or any other state or federal intellectual property law or doctrine. Contractor shall execute such further documents and instruments as County may reasonably request in order to fully vest such rights in County. Contractor forever waives any and all rights relating to the Work Product, including without limitation, any and all rights arising under 17 USC § 106A or any other rights of identifications. Notwithstanding the above, County shall have no rights in any pre-existing Contractor intellectual property provided to County shall have no rights of this Contract except to copy, use and re-use any such Contractor intellectual property for County use only.
- 13. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. Contractor represents and warrants to County that (A) Contractor has the power and authority to enter into and perform this Contract; (B) this Contract, when executed and delivered, shall be a valid and binding obligation of Contractor enforceable in accordance with its terms; (C) Contractor shall at all times during the term of this Contract, be qualified, professionally competent, and duly licensed to perform the Work; (D) Contractor is an independent contractor as defined in ORS 670.600; and (E) the Work under this Contract shall be performed in a good and workmanlike manner and in accordance with the highest professional standards. The warranties set forth in this section are in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other warranties provided.
- 14. SURVIVAL. All rights and obligations shall cease upon termination or expiration of this Contract, except for the rights and obligations set forth in Article II, Sections 1, 6, 7, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28, and 34, and all other rights and obligations which by their context are intended to survive. However, such expiration shall not extinguish or prejudice the County's right to enforce this Contract with respect to: (a) any breach of a Contractor warranty; or (b) any default or defect in Contractor performance that has not been cured.
- **15. SEVERABILITY.** If any term or provision of this Contract is declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal or in conflict with any law, the validity of the remaining terms and provisions shall not be affected, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be construed and enforced as if the Contract did not contain the particular term or provision held to be invalid.
- 16. SUBCONTRACTS AND ASSIGNMENTS. Contractor shall not enter into any subcontracts for any of the Work required by this Contract, or assign or transfer any of its interest in this Contract by operation of law or otherwise, without obtaining prior written approval from the County, which shall be granted or denied in the County's sole discretion. In addition to any provisions the County may require, Contractor shall include in any permitted subcontract under this Contract a requirement that the subcontractor be bound by this Article II, Sections 1, 7, 8, 13, 16 and 27 as if the subcontractor were the Contractor. County's consent to any subcontract shall not relieve Contractor of any of its duties or obligations under this Contract.

- 17. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST. The provisions of this Contract shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto, and their respective authorized successors and assigns.
- 18. TAX COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION. The Contractor shall comply with all federal, state and local laws, regulation, executive orders and ordinances applicable to this Contract. Contractor represents and warrants that it has complied, and will continue to comply throughout the duration of this Contract and any extensions, with all tax laws of this state or any political subdivision of this state, including but not limited to ORS 305.620 and ORS chapters 316, 317, and 318. Any violation of this section shall constitute a material breach of this Contract and shall entitle County to terminate this Contract, to pursue and recover any and all damages that arise from the breach and the termination of this Contract, and to pursue any or all of the remedies available under this Contract or applicable law.
- **19. TERMINATIONS.** This Contract may be terminated for the following reasons: (A) by mutual agreement of the parties or by the County (i) for convenience upon thirty (30) days written notice to Contractor, or (ii) at any time the County fails to receive funding, appropriations, or other expenditure authority as solely determined by the County; or (B) if contractor breaches any Contract provision or is declared insolvent, County may terminate after thirty (30) days written notice with an opportunity to cure.

Upon receipt of written notice of termination from the County, Contractor shall immediately stop performance of the Work. Upon termination of this Contract, Contractor shall deliver to County all documents, Work Product, information, works-in-progress and other property that are or would be deliverables had the Contract Work been completed. Upon County's request, Contractor shall surrender to anyone County designates, all documents, research, objects or other tangible things needed to complete the Work.

- **20. REMEDIES.** If terminated by the County due to a breach by the Contractor, then the County shall have any remedy available to it in law or equity. If this Contract is terminated for any other reason, Contractor's sole remedy is payment for the goods and services delivered and accepted by the County, less any setoff to which the County is entitled.
- **21. NO THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES.** County and Contractor are the only parties to this Contract and are the only parties entitled to enforce its terms. Nothing in this Contract gives, is intended to give, or shall be construed to give or provide any benefit or right, whether directly, indirectly or otherwise, to third persons unless such third persons are individually identified by name herein and expressly described as intended beneficiaries of the terms of this Contract.
- 22. TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE. Contractor agrees that time is of the essence in the performance of this Contract.
- 23. FOREIGN CONTRACTOR. If the Contractor is not domiciled in or registered to do business in the State of Oregon, Contractor shall promptly provide to the Oregon Department of Revenue and the Secretary of State, Corporate Division, all information required by those agencies relative to this Contract. The Contractor shall demonstrate its legal capacity to perform these services in the State of Oregon prior to entering into this Contract.
- 24. FORCE MAJEURE. Neither County nor Contractor shall be held responsible for delay or default caused by events outside the County or Contractor's reasonable control including, but not limited to, fire, terrorism, riot, acts of God, or war. However, Contractor shall make all reasonable efforts to remove or eliminate such a cause of delay or default and shall upon the cessation of the cause, diligently pursue performance of its obligations under this Contract.

- **25. WAIVER.** The failure of County to enforce any provision of this Contract shall not constitute a waiver by County of that or any other provision.
- **26. PUBLIC CONTRACTING REQUIREMENTS.** Pursuant to the public contracting requirements contained in Oregon Revised Statutes ("ORS") Chapter 279B.220 through 279B.235, Contractor shall:
  - a. Make payments promptly, as due, to all persons supplying to Contractor labor or materials for the prosecution of the work provided for in the Contract.
  - b. Pay all contributions or amounts due the Industrial Accident Fund from such Contractor or subcontractor incurred in the performance of the Contract.
  - c. Not permit any lien or claim to be filed or prosecuted against County on account of any labor or material furnished.
  - d. Pay the Department of Revenue all sums withheld from employees pursuant to ORS 316.167.
  - e. As applicable, the Contractor shall pay employees for work in accordance with ORS 279B.235, which is incorporated herein by this reference. The Contractor shall comply with the prohibitions set forth in ORS 652.220, compliance of which is a material element of this Contract, and failure to comply is a breach entitling County to terminate this Contract for cause.
  - f. If the Work involves lawn and landscape maintenance, Contractor shall salvage, recycle, compost, or mulch yard waste material at an approved site, if feasible and cost effective.
- 27. NO ATTORNEY FEES. In the event any arbitration, action or proceeding, including any bankruptcy proceeding, is instituted to enforce any term of this Contract, each party shall be responsible for its own attorneys' fees and expenses.
- **28. CONFIDENTIALITY.** Contractor acknowledges that it and its employees and agents may, in the course of performing their obligations under this Contract, be exposed to or acquire information that the County desires or is required to maintain as confidential, including information that is protected under applicable law, including Personal Information (as "<u>Personal Information</u>" is defined in ORS 646A.602(11)).

Contractor agrees to hold any and all information that it is required by law or that the County marks as "Confidential" to be held in confidence ("<u>Confidential Information</u>"), using at least the same degree of care that Contractor uses in maintaining the confidentiality of its own confidential information, and will use the Confidential Information for no purpose other than in the performance of this Contract, and to advise each of its employees and agents of their obligations to keep Confidential Information confidential.

Contractor agrees that, except as directed by the County, Contractor will not at any time during or after the term of this Contract, disclose, directly or indirectly, any Confidential Information to any person, and that upon termination or expiration of this Contract or the County's request, Contractor will turn over to the County all documents, papers, records and other materials in Contractor's possession which embody Confidential Information.

Contractor acknowledges that breach of this Contract, including disclosure of any Confidential Information, or disclosure of other information that, at law or in good conscience or equity, ought to remain confidential, will give rise to irreparable injury to the County that cannot adequately be compensated in damages. Accordingly, the County may seek and obtain injunctive relief against the breach or threatened breach of the foregoing undertakings, in addition to any other legal remedies that may be available. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the covenants contained herein are necessary for the protection of the legitimate business interests of the County and are reasonable in scope and content. Contractor agrees to comply with all reasonable requests by the County to ensure the confidentiality and nondisclosure of the Confidential Information, including if requested and without limitation: (a) obtaining nondisclosure agreements, in a form approved by the County, from each of Contractor's employees and agents who are performing services, and providing copies of such agreements to the County; and (b) performing criminal background checks on each of Contractor's employees and agents who are performing services, and providing a copy of the results to the County.

Contractor shall report, either orally or in writing, to the County any use or disclosure of Confidential Information not authorized by this Contract or in writing by the County, including any reasonable belief that an unauthorized individual has accessed Confidential Information. Contractor shall make the report to the County immediately upon discovery of the unauthorized disclosure, but in no event more than two (2) business days after Contractor reasonably believes there has been such unauthorized use or disclosure. Contractor's report shall identify: (i) the nature of the unauthorized use or disclosure, (ii) the Confidential Information used or disclosed, (iii) who made the unauthorized use or received the unauthorized disclosure, (iv) what Contractor has done or shall do to mitigate any deleterious effect of the unauthorized use or disclosure, and (v) what corrective action Contractor has taken or shall take to prevent future similar unauthorized use or disclosure. Contractor shall provide such other information, including a written report, as reasonably requested by the County.

Notwithstanding any other provision in this Contract, Contractor will be responsible for all damages, fines and corrective action (including credit monitoring services) arising from disclosure of such Confidential Information caused by a breach of its data security or the confidentiality provisions hereunder.

The provisions in this Section shall operate in addition to, and not as limitation of, the confidentiality and similar requirements set forth in the rest of the Contract, as it may otherwise be amended. Contractor's obligations under this Contract shall survive the expiration or termination of the Contract, as amended, and shall be perpetual.

## 29. Reserved.

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34. MERGER. THIS CONTRACT CONSTITUTES THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PARTIES WITH RESPECT TO THE SUBJECT MATTER REFERENCED THEREIN. THERE ARE NO UNDERSTANDINGS, AGREEMENTS, OR REPRESENTATIONS, ORAL OR WRITTEN, NOT SPECIFIED HEREIN REGARDING THIS CONTRACT. NO AMENDMENT, CONSENT, OR WAIVER OF TERMS OF THIS CONTRACT SHALL BIND EITHER PARTY UNLESS IN WRITING AND SIGNED BY ALL PARTIES. ANY SUCH AMENDMENT, CONSENT, OR WAIVER SHALL BE EFFECTIVE ONLY IN THE SPECIFIC INSTANCE AND FOR THE SPECIFIC PURPOSE GIVEN. CONTRACTOR, BY THE SIGNATURE HERETO OF ITS AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE, IS AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR, ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS CONTRACT, AND CONTRACTOR AGREES TO BE BOUND BY ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS. Signature Page to Follow By their signatures below, the parties to this Contract agree to the terms, conditions, and content expressed herein.

Denise Amber Lee/Foundation Authorized Signature Date

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Name / Title (Printed)

27-2372559 Florida Business Registry #

<u>Non-Profit</u> Entity Type / State of Formation Signature

Name: \_\_\_\_

Title:

Clackamas County

Approved as to Form:

County Counsel

06/20/2024

Date

Date

#### EXHIBIT A SCOPE OF WORK

Contractor shall provide Calibration Sessions and Quality Assurance Evaluation (QAE) Services.

#### **Calibration Sessions:**

The Contractor shall perform Calibration Sessions to ensure that the DALF QAE Team as well as any QAEs performing evaluations in house by the County are grading all calls consistently to policies, procedures, and protocols of the County. The Contractor shall evaluate all 9-1-1 Calls for comparison to and compliance with any protocol or standard that County may communicate to Contractor. If County does not so identify a standard, the Foundation shall evaluate calls to the APCO/NENA ANS 1.107.1.2015 Standards for the Establishment of a Quality Assurance and Quality Improvement Program for Public Safety Answering Points (either, the "Standard").

The Contractor shall perform up to three (3) Calibration Sessions with its assigned QAE Team before going live. The QAEs shall review ten (10) calls in each session and make sure all questions are weighted properly and align with County's policy and protocol. If County also has in house QAEs that shall continue to review calls, they shall be included in the Calibration Sessions so that both teams are grading all calls consistently to policies, procedures, and protocols of the County.

The Contractor and County shall work together to develop an effective procedure to allow the Contractor to receive and listen to randomly selected 9-1-1 Calls on a remote basis. The Contractor shall not be expected to monitor the 9-1-1 Calls on-site. The Contractor shall be required to provide services hereunder only as to 9-1-1 Calls that it receives from the County. All pre-implementation work can be completed remotely via conference calls and email.

The number of 9-1-1 Calls that the County shall provide to the Contractor for assessment shall be agreed by both parties.

For each 9-1-1 Call that the Contractor assesses, within fourteen (14) business days of the Contractors receipt of the 9-1-1, the Contractor shall provide the County with a written report (the "Report") containing (a) Contractor's assessment of the 9-1-1 call in comparison to the applicable standard; (b) the Contractor's recommendations for changes that County could implement to improve its performance under the criteria of the standard; and (c) such other information as the Contractor and County may agree.

The three (3) Calibration Sessions shall be billed at \$100.00/hour of consulting time/QAE Team Member.

#### **Quality Assurance Evaluation Service:**

The Contractor shall provide Quality Assurance Evaluations, on a random selection basis, of "Events." An "Event" is identified as a single 9-1-1 call or a single 9-1-1 dispatch. The Contactor shall evaluate all "Events" for comparison to and compliance with any standard that the County may communicate in a writing delivered to the Contractor or, if the County does not so identify a standard, with the APCO/NENA ANS 1.107.1.2015 Standards for the Establishment of a Quality Assurance and Quality Improvement Program for Public Safety Answering Points (either, the "Standard").

These services shall be provided at \$17.62/Evaluation. The Contractor shall invoice the County monthly for the call volume received.

Any requests by the county to perform a detailed Analysis on a specific call or major event, the Contractor shall be compensated at a rate of \$100.00/hour to perform the analysis. A detailed analysis of an incident requires the call or dispatch to be transcribed and comprehensive comments written on the Rev 8/2023

various components of the incident. Clearly defined documentation of the staff member's adherence to policies and procedures must be included. This is most often done when the agency is expecting to be litigated.

If the County wishes to have the entire dispatch reviewed and realizing that some dispatch traffic can go on for a much longer time, the above pricing includes up to, fifteen (15) minutes in length. For dispatch records longer than the initial fifteen (15) minutes, the Contractor shall bill those longer reviews at \$40.00/hour after the initial fifteen (15) minutes. The above pricing includes a monthly conference call between appropriate staff with the Contractor and County to discuss the process and any concerns or alterations that may need to take place to improve the level of service.

Any reports provided are intended solely for the education and information of the County, which is under no obligation to modify or change any aspect of its 9-1-1 Call operations in any way as a result of the findings set forth in the report.

The Contractor requests that the County send calls to be evaluated at least once a month in order to respect contractual turnaround times and the integrity of the Quality Assurance Program.

#### **Deliverables:**

No.	Description of Deliverables	Due Date or Estimated
		Duration
2800	Calls/Event Reviews (2% of CCOM call volume, actual	Each calendar year
	number may vary annually,	
	based on call volume)	
Up to 3	Calibration / Validation Session to ensure uniformity of	Each calendar year
	evaluations across evaluators	
	(at request of the CCOM QA/QI Coordinator, may occur 1x	
	per quarter)	

#### Milestones:

No.	Tasks/Milestones	Responsible Party	Estimated completion
			date
	Provision of Randomized Data	CCOM	Weekly
	Completion of Event Reviews	DALF	Within agreed upon timelines

#### **Miscellaneous:**

No.	Special Requirements of Contractor or County
	DALF & CCOM shall continue to use Frontline and AQUA software for delivery
	of call reviews