

**AMENDMENT NO. 4 TO AGREEMENT FOR  
CITY ATTORNEY SERVICES  
CONTRACT NO. C28884**

**1. Parties and Date.**

This Amendment No. 4 is made and entered into as of this **12th** day of **September 2024**, by and between the CITY OF PALM DESERT (“City”) and **BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP (BB&K)**, a **Limited Liability Company**.

**2. Recitals.**

2.1 City has retained BB&K to perform legal services as City Attorney since 1988.

2.2 Effective August 27, 2009, City and BB&K entered into the 2009 Agreement to perform those services until August 31, 2014. (C28880)

2.3 On August 28, 2014, City extended the 2009 Agreement (via letter) for an additional five years, until August 31, 2019. (Amendment No. 1, C28881)

2.5 On August 14, 2015, with the passing of City Attorney David Erwin, the City Council appointed Robert Hargreaves to that position.

2.6 On March 28, 2019, City extended the 2009 Agreement for an additional five years, until August 31, 2024. (Amendment No. 2, C28882)

2.7 On December 14, 2024, upon the retirement of Robert Hargreaves, the City Council appointed Isra Shah to that position. (Amendment No. 3, C28883)

2.8 On September 12, 2024, City extended the 2009 Agreement for an additional one year, until August 31, 2025. (Amendment No. 4, C28884)

**3. Terms.**

3.1 Section 13 of the 2009 Agreement is amended to provide that the Agreement will continue until August 31, 2025, subject to the City’s termination rights provided in that section.

3.2 Continuing Effect of Agreement. Except as amended by this Amendment No. 4, all other provisions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect and shall govern the actions of the parties under this Amendment No. 4. From and after the date of this Amendment No. 4, whenever the term “Agreement” or “Contract” appears in the Agreement, it shall mean the Agreement as amended by this Amendment No. 4.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have entered into this Amendment No. 4 to the **Agreement for City Attorney Services, Contract No. C28880**, as of the day and year first above written.

**CITY OF PALM DESERT**

**BEST BEST & KRIEGER, a Limited Liability Company**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Kathleen Kelly  
Mayor

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Its: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Attest:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Mejia  
City Clerk

**City Clerk QC:**

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**Contracts QC:**

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Insurance:

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Initial Review