

**RESOLUTION NO. 2025 -**

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NATIONAL CITY, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NATIONAL CITY AND LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE FOR LEGAL SERVICES IN THE SPECIALIZED AREA OF LABOR NEGOTIATION BY EXTENDING THE AGREEMENT TO JANUARY 31, 2026.**

**WHEREAS**, on August 6, 2024, the City of National City (“City”) entered into an Agreement with Liebert Cassidy Whitmore to assist in representing the City in connection with labor negotiations with its three formal labor groups effective August 6, 2024 through July 31, 2025 (the “Agreement”); and

**WHEREAS**, on June 17, 2025, the CITY and the FIRM amended the original Agreement by extending the term of the Agreement to August 31, 2025, and increased the hourly rates; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 19, 2025, the CITY and the FIRM amended the original Agreement by extending the term of the Agreement to October 31, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, negotiations are ongoing between the CITY and the POA and the parties desire to amend the Agreement by extending the term of the Agreement to January 31, 2026.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NATIONAL CITY, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE, AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1:** That the City Council authorizes the Mayor to execute an amendment between the City of National City and Liebert Cassidy Whitmore for legal services in the specialized area of labor negotiation by extending the term of the Agreement to January 31, 2026.

**Section 2:** The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original Resolutions.

**PASSED and ADOPTED this 2nd day of December, 2025.**

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Ron Morrison, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Shelley Chapel, MMC, City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Barry J. Schultz, City Attorney