

AMENDMENT #2 TO
AGREEMENT FOR CROSSROADS OPERATOR

THIS AMENDMENT #2 TO THE ORIGINAL AGREEMENT between the County of Washoe, a political subdivision of the State of Nevada (County) and The Reno Initiative for Shelter and Equality (RISE) (Contractor) originally effective July 1, 2025 is made to revise the AGREEMENT as follows:

- A. Modify ARTICLE 3.1 – COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES to increase the not to exceed sum by \$119,180 (ONE HUNDRED NINETEEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY DOLLARS) – from \$1,986,026 (ONE MILLION NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX THOUSAND TWENTY-SIX DOLLARS) to \$2,105,206 (TWO MILLION ONE HUNDRED FIVE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIX DOLLARS), broken down as follows:
- a. \$21,712 for a CrossRoads STAR Mental Health Counselor for the period of March 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026
 - b. \$36,108 for a CrossRoads STAR Peer Recovery Support Specialist for the period of March 1, 2026 through September 30, 2026
 - c. \$61,360 for a CrossRoads STAR Peer Recovery Support Specialist for the period of October 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027

These funds are not subject to the 3.5% annual escalation.

- B. Modify EXHIBIT A – SCOPE OF WORK to add the attached Exhibit A-2 – CrossRoads STAR Mental Health Counselor for the period of March 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026.
- C. Modify EXHIBIT A – SCOPE OF WORK to add the attached Exhibit A-3 – CrossRoads STAR Peer Recovery Support Specialist for the period of March 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027.

UNLESS PREVIOUSLY AMENDED, ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE ORIGINAL AGREEMENT AND SUBSEQUENT PRIOR AMENDMENTS (IF RELEVANT) SHALL REMAIN UNCHANGED. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, all parties of the AGREEMENT hereto have set their hands and subscribed their signatures to effect this AMENDMENT #2 as of the dates indicated with their signatures, effective March 1, 2026.

COUNTY OF WASHOE

**THE RENO INITIATIVE FOR SHELTER
AND EQUALITY (RISE)**

By: _____
Mark Stewart
Purchasing and Contracts Manager

By: _____
Ben Castro
Executive Director

Date: _____

Date: _____

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Exhibit A-2
SCOPE OF WORK
CrossRoads STAR Mental Health Counselor
Project Period: March 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026

RISE will employ a Mental Health Counselor for the period of March 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026 to support the County's CrossRoads STAR Mental Health Counselor, per the following position description:

Qualifications:

- Masters Degree from an accredited college or university in social work, marriage and family therapy, counseling, psychology, criminal justice, or closely related field.
- Licensure in the State of Nevada to practice as a Marriage & Family Therapist, Clinical Social Worker, Clinical Professional Counselor, or equivalent
- Experience working with serious mental illness, homelessness, trauma, substance related disorders (SUD) and Co-Occurring Disorders (COD).
- Experience with individuals involved in the criminal justice system, preferred.
- Experienced engaging with a diverse population and able to respond appropriately to crisis situations
- Ability to effectively work in a team-based approach to care and services
- A valid driver's license is required at the time of appointment and must be maintained for continued employment in this classification

Duties include but are not limited to:

- Administer psychosocial assessments inclusive of DSM diagnoses and ASAM based multidimensional risks and needs identification for the purpose of establishing the participant level of clinical need and services related to the STAR program's specific scope.
- Engage in dyad and triad meetings with CrossRoads STAR Case Worker, CrossRoads STAR Peer Recovery Support Specialist, and/or WCSO STAR Community Corrections Deputy for the purpose of collaboratively providing intervention to meet the needs of STAR participants.
- Facilitate and/or co-facilitate standardized behavior change curricula targeted to address substance use disorders (SUD), co-occurring SUD and mental health conditions (COD), and criminogenic risk and needs.
- Facilitate individual, group and/or family therapy services as needed with the STAR participants.
- Facilitate the Courage To Change standardized behavior-change curriculum as directed
- Assist in care coordination for individuals admitted to the CrossRoads STAR program who are in need of ASAM Level 3 services
- Provide crisis intervention and response as needed
- Actively participate and contribute to the STAR Multidisciplinary team staffing processes.
- Participate as need in the Reno Justice Court STAR specialty court staffings

- Complete all needed documentation in a timely manner including but not limited to comprehensive psychosocial assessment reports, treatment plans, case notes, staff reports, etc. utilizing a Washoe County HSA approved documentation platform (e.g. CaseWorthy).

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Exhibit A-3
SCOPE OF WORK
CrossRoads STAR Peer Recovery Support Specialist
Project Period: March 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027

RISE will employ a Peer Recovery Support Specialist for the period of March 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027 to support the County's CrossRoads STAR Peer Recovery Support Specialist, per the following position description:

Qualifications:

- High school diploma/G.E.D. or equivalent
- Completion of the Peer Support Specialist 101 training courses
- Must have passed the state PRSS exam.
- If an Intern, must be willing to continue the credentialing process for certification as a Certified Peer and Recovery Support Specialist.
- Must have a working knowledge of the drug and alcohol treatment system and a demonstrated commitment to the recovery community.
- Experience working with serious mental illness, homelessness, trauma, substance related disorders (SUD) and Co-Occurring Disorders (COD).
- Experience with individuals involved in the criminal justice system, preferred
- Attend ongoing training opportunities and maintain continuing education units (CEU's) to meet State Certification requirements.
- A valid driver's license is required at the time of appointment and must be maintained for continued employment in this classification

Duties include but are not limited to:

- Assessing, linking, guiding, facilitating, and/or coaching STAR participants in the development of Recovery Capital
- Actively identify and support linkages to community resources (communities of recovery, educational, vocational, social, cultural, spiritual resources, mutual self- help groups, professional services, etc.) that support the STAR participant's goals and interests.
- Developing collaboratively with STAR participants formal Recovery Plans
- Engage in dyad and triad meetings with the CrossRoads STAR Case Worker, CrossRoads STAR Clinician, and/or WCSO STAR Community Corrections Deputy for the purpose of collaboratively providing intervention to meet the needs of STAR participants.
- Facilitate individual and/or group peer-based services as needed with the STAR participants.
- Facilitate the Courage To Change standardized behavior-change curriculum as directed
- Promote self-advocacy by assisting STAR Participants to have their voices fully heard; their needs, goals and objectives established as the focal point.
- Participate as need in the Reno Justice Court STAR specialty court staffings, as requested.
- Complete all needed documentation in a timely manner including but not limited to comprehensive PRSS Recovery Capital assessment reports (e.g. BARC-10), Recoery

plans, meeting notes, staff reports, etc. utilizing a Washoe County HSA approved documentation platform (e.g. CaseWorthy).

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