

Exhibit A

**AMENDMENT NO. 10 TO PERSONAL SERVICES CONTRACT [BFS15295]
WITH PORTER SCOTT, A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION**

THIS AMENDMENT No. 10 is made and is effective as of July 1, 2022, by and between Porter Scott, A Professional Corporation (“Contractor”), and the County of Nevada (“County”). This Amendment No. 10 amends the Personal Services Contract between the parties for legal services, effective as of January 1, 2014 (“Contract”).

WHEREAS, the parties entered into a Personal Services Contract [BFS15295] on January 1, 2014 to provide legal representation to Nevada County and any Nevada County employees and officers that may be named as defendants in connection with claims filed by William and Yvonne Evans and related litigation, in the case of *Evans, et al. v. Nevada County Sheriff's Department, et al.* (U.S. Dist. Court, E.D. Cal.), Case No. 2:13-cv-01775-TLN-DAD and the related state court action, with a Maximum Contract Amount of \$25,000; and

WHEREAS, between July 8, 2014 and June 15, 2021, the Contract was Amended several times for a recent maximum Contract amount to \$650,000 and extending the term to June 30, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the case is ongoing, and an extension of the Contract term is necessary to provide for continued litigation services under this Contract; and

WHEREAS, the County desires that Contractor continue to provide legal services related to the continued defense and trial of the above-referenced claims and litigation, and Contractor is ready, willing, and able to provide such services; and

WHEREAS, the parties now desire to extend the term of the Contract from June 30, 2022, to June 30, 2023.

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

1. Section 3, Contract Termination Date, is hereby extended to June 30, 2023.
2. In all other respects, the prior Contract of the parties shall remain in full force and effect except as amended herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Amendment No. 10 to Personal Services Contract between the County of Nevada and Porter Scott, a Professional Corporation, effective as of the date first written above.

COUNTY OF NEVADA

CONTRACTOR:

By: _____
Hon. Sue Hoek
Chair, Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Carl Fessenden, Shareholder
Porter Scott, A Professional
Corporation

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: _____
Julie Patterson-Hunter
Clerk of the Board

By: _____
Katharine L. Elliott
County Counsel