

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO
AGREEMENT FOR SPECIAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE CITY OF MERCED
AND LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE**

THIS AMENDMENT is executed by and between Liebert Cassidy Whitmore (Attorney) and the City of Merced (City), and will amend the prior agreement between the parties entitled Agreement For Special Services which was effective on July 05, 2017.

WHEREAS, the parties desire to amend their agreement to allow or provide for the continued consulting, representational and legal services pertaining to employment relations matters, including representation in negotiations and in administrative and court proceedings, as requested by City or otherwise required by law;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. This amendment shall be effective as of March 6, 2018.
2. **Compensation:** The first paragraph of Section 3. Fees, Costs, Expenses, shall be amended in its entirety as follows:

City agrees to pay Attorney the sums billed monthly for time spent by Attorney in providing the services, including travel time billed one way only. Fees and costs under this Agreement are not to exceed \$100,000, without an amendment to this Agreement approved by the City.
3. That in all other respects the prior agreement of the parties shall remain in full force and effect except as amended herein.

LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE,
A Professional Corporation

CITY OF MERCED,
A Municipal Corporation

By 

By _____

Name: Sheldine Bennett

Name: _____

Title Managing Partner
Pescro/Sacramento

Title _____

Date 2-20-18

Date _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


KELLY C. FINCHER
Chief Deputy City Attorney