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Title: A resolution approving a proposed Second Amendatory Agreement between the City and County of Denver and Keller Rohrback LLP to continue serving as special counsel for the opioid multi-district litigation, citywide.
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11/28/2022	1	City Council	adopted	Pass
11/15/2022	1	Finance & Governance Committee	approved by consent	Pass

Contract Request Template (Contracts; IGAs; Leases)

Date Submitted: 11-14-2022

**Requesting Agency: City Attorney Office
Division:**

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Item Title & Description:

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Affected Council District(s) or citywide? Citywide

Contract Control Number: Original Contract Number: ATTNY- 201843723 New Contract: ATTNY-202265129-02

Vendor/Contractor Name (including any "DBA"): Keller Rohrback, LLP

Type and Scope of services to be performed:

Amendment for term extension for outside counsel Keller Rohrback, LLP on the opioid multi-district litigation. The MDL has produced a number of noteworthy settlements from opioid manufacturers and distributors. However, the MDL continues against a number of opioid defendants, including against several national pharmacy defendants. Keller Rohrback continues to represent Denver and other Colorado cities and counties in the MDL. We anticipate that their efforts could take many more months or even years, especially if our case goes to trial and/or is appealed.

Location (if applicable): Citywide

WBE/MBE/DBE goals that were applied, if applicable (construction, design, Airport concession contracts): N/A

Are WBE/MBE/DBE goals met (if applicable)?

Is the contract new/a renewal/extension or amendment?

Amendment

Was this contractor selected by competitive process or sole source?

Competitive

For New contracts

Term of initial contract:

Options for Renewal:

How many renewals (i.e. up to 2 renewals)?

Term of any renewals (i.e. 1 year each):

Cost of initial contract term:

Cost of any renewals:

Total contract value council is approving if all renewals exercised:

For Amendments/Renewals Extensions:

Is this a change to cost/pricing; length of term; terms unrelated to time or price (List all that apply)?

time

If length changing

What was the length of the term of the original contract?

8/15/18 - 12/31/22;

What is the length of the extension/renewal?

2 years

What is the revised total term of the contract?

8/15/18 - 12/31/24

If cost changing

What was the original value of the entire contract prior to this proposed change?

What is the value of the proposed change?

What is the new/revised total value including change?

If terms changing

Describe the change and the reason for it (i.e. compliance with state law, different way of doing business etc.)