

Hold Harmless/Indemnification

Except as otherwise provided herein, County represents that it has inspected the Property, accepts the condition and fully assumes any and all risks incidental to the use thereof. County shall not be liable to Lessor, its agents, employees, subcontractors or independent contractors for any personal injury or property damage suffered by them which may result from hidden, latent or other dangerous conditions in, on, upon or within the Property unknown to the County, its officers, agents or employees.

Lessor shall indemnify and hold harmless the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts, and Departments, their respective directors, its officers, officers, Board of Supervisors, agents, employees, elected or appointed officials, agents or representatives and independent contractors (individually and collectively hereinafter referred to as Indemnitees) free and harmless from any liability whatsoever, based or asserted upon any act or omission of Lessor, its officers, agents, employees, subcontractors and independent contractors for property damage, bodily injury, or death (County's employees included) or any other element of damage of any kind or nature, relating to or in any way connected with or arising from its use, occupancy or operation of the Property, and Lessor, shall defend, at its expense, including attorney fees, Indemnitees in any legal action based upon such alleged acts or omissions.

With respect to any action or claim subject to indemnification herein by Lessor, Lessor shall, at their sole cost, have the right to use counsel of their own choice and shall have the right to adjust, settle, or compromise any such action or claim without the prior consent of County; provided, however, that any such adjustment, settlement or compromise in no manner whatsoever limits or circumscribes Lessor's indemnification to Indemnitees as set forth herein.

Lessor's obligation hereunder shall be satisfied when Lessor has provided to County the appropriate form of dismissal relieving COUNTY from any liability for the action or claim involved.

The specified insurance limits required in this Agreement shall in no way limit or circumscribe LESSOR obligations to indemnify and hold harmless the Indemnitees herein from third party claims.