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## II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

### A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact:

Fiscal Years	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
Capital Expenditures	—	—	—	—	—
Operating Costs	<u>95,000</u>	—	—	—	—
External Revenues	—	—	—	—	—
Program Income (County)	—	—	—	—	—
In-Kind Match (County)	—	—	—	—	—
NET FISCAL IMPACT	<u>95,000</u>	—	—	—	—
# ADDITIONAL FTE	—	—	—	—	—
POSITIONS (Cumulative)	—	—	—	—	—

Is Item Included in Current Budget? Yes X No

Budget Account No.: Fund 1268 Dept 760 Unit 7668 Object Var  
Program Code \_\_\_\_\_

### B. Recommended Sources of Funds/Summary of Fiscal Impact:

County Funds

### C. Departmental Fiscal Review:

## III. REVIEW COMMENTS

### A. OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Administration Comments:

OFMB

Contract Dev. and Control

This Contract complies with our  
contract review requirements.

### B. Legal Sufficiency:

Assistant County Attorney

### C. Other Department Review:

Department Director

This summary is not to be used as a basis for payment.

## CONTRACT FOR PROVISION OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

This Contract is made as of the 15th day of December, 2010, by and between Palm Beach County, a Political Subdivision of the State of Florida, by and through its Board of Commissioners, hereinafter referred to as the COUNTY, Adoption By Shepherd Care hereinafter referred to as the AGENCY, a not-for-profit corporation authorized to do business in the State of Florida, whose Federal Tax I.D. is 59-2022925.

Whereas the AGENCY has proposed providing certain services; and

Whereas the AGENCY has agreed to assure access to funded services for COUNTY departments, divisions and/or programs; and to assure that individuals referred from COUNTY departments, divisions and/or programs will receive services on a timely basis;

In consideration of the mutual promises contained herein, the COUNTY and the AGENCY agree as follows:

### ARTICLE 1 - SERVICES

The AGENCY agrees to provide services to residents of Palm Beach County as set forth in the Scope of Work and Services in Exhibit A. The AGENCY also agrees to provide deliverables, including reports, as specified in Article II. No changes in the scope of work or services are to be conducted without the written approval of the Palm Beach County Community Services Department (the DEPARTMENT).

### ARTICLE 2 - SCHEDULE

The AGENCY shall commence services on October 1, 2010 and complete services on September 30, 2011.

Reports and other items shall be delivered or completed in accordance with the detailed schedule set forth in Exhibit A.

### ARTICLE 3 - PAYMENTS

The COUNTY shall pay to the AGENCY for services rendered under this contract, shall not exceed a total amount of Ninety-Five Thousand Dollars (\$95,000). The AGENCY will bill the COUNTY on a monthly basis, or as otherwise provided, at the amounts set forth in Exhibit C for services rendered toward the completion of the Scope of Work.

The budget for this contract year are set forth in Exhibit C. All requests for payments of this Contract shall include the following:

1. An original cover memo on AGENCY letterhead signed by the Chief Executive Officer.
2. Appropriate documentation of expenses submitted for reimbursement.

The AGENCY is obligated to provide the COUNTY with the properly completed requests for all funds paid relative to this Contract no later than September 30 of each fiscal year. Any amounts not submitted by September 30, shall remain the COUNTY'S and the COUNTY shall have no further obligation with respect to such amounts.

Payment of invoices shall be contingent on timely receipt of all required reports. Invoices received from the AGENCY pursuant to this Contract will be reviewed and approved by the COUNTY's representative, to verify that services have been rendered in conformity with the Contract. Approved invoices will then be sent to the Finance Department for payment. Invoices will normally be paid within thirty (30) days following the COUNTY representative's approval. Any payment due by COUNTY under the terms of this contract shall be withheld until all reports due from the AGENCY and necessary adjustments have been approved by the COUNTY. In the event that the AGENCY has drawn down all possible funds prior to the end of the fiscal year and does not comply with all reporting requirements, the COUNTY will take this into consideration during the next funding year.

COUNTY funding can be used to match grants from non-County sources; however, the grantee cannot submit reimbursement requests for the same expenses to more than one funding source or under more than one COUNTY funded program.

#### **ARTICLE 4 - AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS**

The obligations of the COUNTY under this Contract for the current or any subsequent fiscal year are subject to the availability of funds lawfully appropriated for its purpose by the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County.

#### **ARTICLE 5 - TRUTH-IN-NEGOTIATION CERTIFICATE**

Signature of this Contract by the AGENCY shall also act as the execution of a truth-in-negotiation certificate certifying that the wage rates, over-head charges, and other costs used to determine the compensation provided for in this Contract are accurate, complete and current as of the date of the Contract and no higher than those charged the AGENCY'S most favored customer for the same or substantially similar service.

The said rates and costs shall be adjusted to exclude any significant sums should the COUNTY determine that the rates and costs were increased due to inaccurate, incomplete or noncurrent wage rates or due to inaccurate representations of fees paid to outside consultants. The COUNTY shall exercise its rights under this Article 4 within three (3) years following final payment.

#### **ARTICLE 6 - INSURANCE**

The AGENCY shall, at its sole expense, maintain in full force and effect at all times during the life of this contract, insurance coverages and limits (including endorsements), as described herein. AGENCY shall agree to provide the COUNTY with at least ten (10) day prior notice of any cancellation, non-renewal or material change to the insurance coverages. The requirements contained herein, as well as COUNTY'S review or acceptance of insurance maintained by AGENCY, are not intended to and shall not in any manner limit or qualify the liabilities and obligations assumed by AGENCY under the Contract.

- A. **Commercial General Liability** The AGENCY shall maintain a Commercial General Liability policy at a limit of liability not less than \$500,000 Each Occurrence. Coverage shall not include a Cross Liability Exclusion. AGENCY shall provide coverage on a primary basis.
- B. **Business Automobile Liability** The AGENCY shall maintain a Business Automobile liability policy at a limit of liability not less than \$500,000 Each Occurrence for all owned, non-owned and hired automobiles. If the AGENCY does not own any automobiles, the requirement shall be amended to allow the AGENCY to maintain Hired & Non-Owned Auto Liability only. This amended requirement may be satisfied by way of endorsement to the Commercial General Liability, or separate Business Auto Coverage form. AGENCY shall provide coverage on a primary basis.
- C. **Worker's Compensation Insurance & Employers Liability** The AGENCY shall maintain Worker's Compensation Insurance & Employers Liability in accordance with Florida Statute 440. AGENCY shall provide coverage on a primary basis.
- D. **Professional Liability** AGENCY shall maintain Professional Liability or equivalent Errors & Omissions Liability at a limit of liability not less than **\$500,000** Each Claim. When a self-insured retention (SIR) or deductible exceeds **\$10,000**, COUNTY reserves the right, but not the obligation, to review and request a copy of AGENCY'S most recent annual report or audited financial statement. For policies written on a "Claims-Made" basis, AGENCY shall maintain a Retroactive Date prior to or equal to the effective date of this Contract. The Certificate of Insurance providing evidence of the purchase of this coverage shall clearly indicate whether coverage is provided on an "occurrence" or "claims - made" form. If coverage is provided on a "claims - made" form the Certificate of Insurance must also clearly indicate the "retroactive date" of coverage. In the event the policy is canceled, non-renewed, switched to an Occurrence Form, retroactive date advanced, or any other event triggering the right to purchase a Supplement Extended Reporting Period (SERP) during the life of this

Contract, AGENCY shall purchase a SERP with a minimum reporting period not less than 3 years. AGENCY shall provide this coverage on a primary basis.

- E. **Additional Insured** The AGENCY shall endorse the COUNTY as an Additional Insured with a CG 2026 Additional Insured-Designated Person or Organization endorsement, or its equivalent, to the Commercial General Liability. The Additional Insured endorsement shall read "Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners, a Political Subdivision of the State of Florida, its Officers, Employees and Agents, c/o Department of Community Services". The AGENCY shall provide the Additional Insured endorsements coverage on a primary basis.
- F. **Waiver of Subrogation** AGENCY hereby waives any and all rights of Subrogation against the County, its officers, employees and agents for each required policy. When required by the insurer, or should a policy condition not permit an insured to enter into a pre-loss agreement to waive subrogation without an endorsement to the policy, then AGENCY shall agree to notify the insurer and request the policy be endorsed with a Waiver of Transfer of rights of Recovery Against Others, or its equivalent. This Waiver of Subrogation requirement shall not apply to any policy, which specifically prohibits such an endorsement, or which voids coverage should AGENCY enter into such an agreement on a pre-loss basis.
- G. **Right to Review** COUNTY, by and through its Risk Management Department, in cooperation with the contracting/monitoring department, reserves the right to review, modify, reject or accept any required policies of insurance, including limits, coverages, or endorsements, herein from time to time throughout the term of this Contract. COUNTY reserves the right, but not the obligation, to review and reject any insurer providing coverage because of its poor financial condition or failure to operate legally.
- H. **Umbrella or Excess Liability** If necessary, AGENCY may satisfy the minimum limits required above for either Commercial General Liability, Business Auto Liability, and Employer's Liability coverage under Umbrella or Excess Liability. The Umbrella or Excess Liability shall have an Aggregate limit not less than the highest "Each Occurrence" limit for either Commercial General Liability, Business Auto Liability, or Employer's Liability. The COUNTY shall be specifically endorsed as an "Additional Insured" on the Umbrella or Excess Liability, unless the Certificate of Insurance notes the Umbrella or Excess Liability provides coverage on a "Follow-Form" basis.
- I. **Certificate of Insurance** Prior to execution of this Contract, AGENCY shall deliver to the COUNTY'S representative as identified in Article 29, a Certificate(s) of Insurance evidencing that all types and amounts of insurance coverages required by this Contract have been obtained and are in full force and effect. Such Certificate(s) of Insurance shall include a minimum ten (10) day endeavor to notify due to cancellation or non-renewal of coverage. The certificate of insurance shall be issued to

Palm Beach County  
c/o Community Services Department  
810 Datura Street  
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

#### **ARTICLE 7 - INDEMNIFICATION**

The AGENCY shall protect, defend, reimburse, indemnify and hold harmless the COUNTY, its agents, employees and elected officers from and against all claims, liability, expense, loss, cost, damages and/or causes of action, including attorneys fees and costs, arising during and as a result of performance of the terms of this contract or due to the acts or omissions of the AGENCY. The AGENCY also shall not use funds made available pursuant to this contract for the purpose of initiating or pursuing litigation against the COUNTY.

#### **ARTICLE 8 - SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS**

The COUNTY and the AGENCY each binds itself and its partners, successors, executors, administrators and assigns to the other party and to the partners, successors, executors, administrators and assigns of such other party, in respect to all covenants of this Contract. Except as above, neither the COUNTY nor the AGENCY shall assign, sublet, convey or

transfer its interest in this Contract without the prior written consent of the other. Nothing herein shall be construed as creating any personal liability on the part of any officer or agent of the COUNTY, nor shall it be construed as giving any rights or benefits hereunder to anyone other than the COUNTY and the AGENCY.

#### **ARTICLE 9 – WARRANTIES AND LICENSING REQUIREMENTS:**

The AGENCY represents and warrants that it has and will continue to maintain all licenses and approvals required to conduct its business, and that it will at all times conduct its business activities in a reputable manner. Proof of such licenses and approvals shall be submitted to the COUNTY's representative upon request.

The AGENCY shall comply with all laws, ordinances and regulations applicable to the services contemplated herein, to include those applicable to conflict of interest and collusion. The AGENCY is presumed to be familiar with all federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, codes and regulations that may in any way affect the services offered.

The AGENCY further represents that it has, or will secure at its own expenses, all necessary personnel required to perform the services under this Contract, and that they shall be fully qualified and, if required, authorized, permitted and/or licensed under State and local law to perform such services. Such personnel shall not be employees of or have any contractual relationship with the COUNTY.

The AGENCY represents and warrants that it is governed by a Board, or other appropriate body, whose members have no monetary conflict of interest. Further, the members must also serve the AGENCY without compensation, and the composition of the governing body must reasonably reflect Palm Beach County and/or client demographics.

The AGENCY shall comply with all legal criminal history record check regulations required for the population they serve. AGENCY will have and comply with policy that requires them to conduct a Level 1 or Level 2 Criminal Background Check as appropriate on applicants and volunteers being considered for positions that will provide services or will be around children, the elderly and other vulnerable adult populations, prior to start date. Level 2 Criminal Background Checks will be done within 30 days after start date for employees and volunteers as required. Live Scan Screening proof must be provided that shows the scan was completed prior to an employee's start date. All criminal background checks shall be done at the expense of the agency.

#### **ARTICLE 10 - NONDISCRIMINATION**

The AGENCY warrants and represents that all of its employees are treated equally during employment without regard to race, color, religion, disability, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, marital status, familial status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression.

#### **ARTICLE 11 - REMEDIES**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida. Any legal action necessary to enforce the Contract will be held in Palm Beach County. No remedy herein conferred upon any party is intended to be exclusive of any other remedy, and each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity, by statute or otherwise. No single or partial exercise by any party of any right, power, or remedy hereunder shall preclude any other or further exercise thereof.

#### **ARTICLE 12 - AGENCY'S PROGRAMMATIC REQUIREMENTS**

The AGENCY agrees to specific programmatic requirements, including but not limited to, the following:

- A. Maintain books, records, documents, and other evidence which sufficiently and properly reflects all costs of any nature expended in the performance of this Contract, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

- B. Maintain records in accordance with the Public Records Law, Chapter 119, Florida Statutes.
- C. No private or confidential data collected, maintained or used during the course of the contract period shall be disseminated except as authorized by statute during the contract period or thereafter.
- D. To allow COUNTY through the DEPARTMENT to both fiscally and programmatically monitor AGENCY to assure that its fiscal and programmatic goals and conduct as outlined in the Work Plan, Exhibit A and cost of delivery of services, Exhibit C are adhered to. All contracted programs/services may be reviewed yearly. The DEPARTMENT staff will utilize and review other funder's licensing or accreditation monitoring results. Services will be monitored against administrative and programmatic standards designed to measure program efficiency and effectiveness. The AGENCY shall maintain business and accounting records detailing the performance of the contract. Authorized representatives or agents of the COUNTY and/or the DEPARTMENT shall have access to records upon reasonable notice for purposes of review, analysis, inspection and audit.
- E. The AGENCY must maintain separate financial records for Choose Life Contract funds and account for all receipts and expenditures including direct and indirect cost allocations in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), by individual Programs. Financially Assisted Agencies' cost allocations are to be completed and posted to the general ledger on a monthly basis. These costs must support the unit rate and number of units billed.
- F. Reimburse funds to COUNTY that are deemed misused or misspent.

Copies of the required COUNTY forms have been supplied to the AGENCY as attachments to this contract.

### **ARTICLE 13 – ACCESS AND AUDIT REQUIREMENTS**

The AGENCY shall maintain adequate records to justify all charges, expenses, and costs incurred in estimating and performing the work for at least three (3) years after completion or termination of this Contract. The COUNTY shall have access to such books, records, and documents as required in this section for the purpose of inspection or audit during normal business hours, at the AGENCY 'S place of business.

Palm Beach County has established the Office of the Inspector General in Ordinance 2009-049, as may be amended, which is authorized and empowered to review past, present and proposed County contracts, transactions, accounts and records. The Inspector General has the power to subpoena witnesses, administer oaths and require the production of records, and audit, investigate, monitor, and inspect the activities of the AGENCY, its officers, agents, employees, and lobbyists in order to ensure compliance with contract requirements and detect corruption and fraud.

Failure to cooperate with the Inspector General or interference or impeding any investigation shall be in violation of Ordinance 2009-049, and punished pursuant to Section 125.69, Florida Statutes, in the same manner as a second degree misdemeanor.

The AGENCY shall have all audits completed by an Independent Certified Public Accountant (IPA) who shall either be a Certified Public Accountant or a Public Accountant licensed under Chapter 473, Fla. Stat. The IPA shall state that the audit complied with the applicable accounting principles.

- A. The annual financial audit report shall include all management letters and the AGENCY's response to all findings, including corrective actions to be taken.
- B. The annual financial audit report shall include a schedule of financial assistance specifically identifying all contracts, agreements and grant revenue by sponsoring agency and contract/agreement/grant number.

- C. Two bound originals of the audit is due within 30 days after receipt of the financial audit report by the Independent Certified Public Accountant or a Public Accountant licensed under Chapter 473, Fla. Stat. or nine (9) months after the close of the fiscal year. The complete financial audit report, including all items specified herein, shall be sent directly to:

**Community Services Department  
Attn: FAA Program Monitor  
Palm Beach County  
810 Datura Street  
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401**

#### **ARTICLE 14 - CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

The AGENCY represents that it presently has no interest and shall acquire no interest, either direct or indirect, which would conflict in any manner with the performance of services required hereunder, as provided for in Chapter 112, Part III, Florida Statutes. The AGENCY further represents that no person having any such conflict of interest shall be employed for said performance of services.

The AGENCY shall promptly notify the COUNTY's representative, in writing, by certified mail, of all potential conflicts of interest of any prospective business association, interest or other circumstance which may influence or appear to influence the AGENCY'S judgment or quality of services being provided hereunder. Such written notification shall identify the prospective business association, interest or circumstance, the nature of work that the AGENCY may undertake and request an opinion of the COUNTY as to whether the association, interest or circumstance would, in the opinion of the COUNTY, constitute a conflict of interest if entered into by the AGENCY. The COUNTY agrees to notify the AGENCY of its opinion by certified mail within thirty (30) days of receipt of notification by the AGENCY. If, in the opinion of the COUNTY, the prospective business association, interest or circumstance would not constitute a conflict of interest by the AGENCY, the COUNTY shall so state in the notification and the AGENCY shall, at its option, enter into said association, interest or circumstance and it shall be deemed not in conflict of interest with respect to services provided to the COUNTY by the AGENCY under the terms of this Contract.

#### **ARTICLE 15 - DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE**

The AGENCY shall implement and maintain a drug-free workplace program of at least the following items:

- A. Publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
- B. Inform employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the AGENCY'S policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
- C. Give each employee engaged in providing the services that are under contract a copy of the statement specified in Article 17, Paragraph A.
- D. In the statement specified in Article 17, Paragraph A, notify the employees that, as a condition of working on the contract services, the employee will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the AGENCY of any conviction of, or plea of guilty nolo contendere to, any violation of Chapter 893, Florida Statutes, or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction or plea.
- E. Impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community, by any employee who is so convicted or so pleads.



F. Make a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation Section 287.087, Florida Statutes.

#### **ARTICLE 16 - AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES (ADA)**

The AGENCY shall meet all the requirements of the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA), which shall include, but not be limited to, posting a notice informing service recipients and employees that they can file any complaints of ADA violations directly with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC), One Northeast First Street, Sixth Floor, Miami, Florida 33132.

#### **ARTICLE 17 - INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR RELATIONSHIP**

The AGENCY is, and shall be, in the performance of all work services and activities under this contract, an Independent Contractor, and not an employee, agent or servant of the COUNTY. All persons engaged in any of the work or services performed pursuant to this contract shall at all times, and in all places, be subject to the AGENCY's sole direction, supervision and control. The AGENCY shall exercise control over the means and manner in which it and its employees perform the work, and in all respects the AGENCY's relationship and the relationship of its employees to the COUNTY shall be that of an Independent Contractor and not as employees or agents of the COUNTY.

The AGENCY does not have the power or authority to bind the COUNTY in any promise, agreement or representation. Further, the AGENCY shall not pledge the COUNTY's credit or make it a guarantor of payment or surety for any contract, debt, obligation, judgment, lien, or any form of indebtedness.

#### **ARTICLE 18 - CONTINGENT FEES**

The AGENCY warrants that it has not employed or retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the AGENCY to solicit or secure this Contract and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any person, company, corporation, individual, or firm, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the AGENCY, any fee, commission, percentage, gift, or any other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Contract.

#### **ARTICLE 19 - SUBCONTRACTING**

The COUNTY does not allow subcontracting by the AGENCY for services under this contract.

#### **ARTICLE 20 - PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES**

As provided in F.S. 287.132-133, by entering into this contract or performing any work in furtherance hereof, the AGENCY certifies that it, its affiliates, suppliers, subcontractors and consultants who will perform hereunder, have not been placed on the convicted vendor list maintained by the State of Florida Department of Management Services within the 36 months immediately preceding the date hereof. This notice is required by F.S. 287.133(3)(a).

#### **ARTICLE 21 - EXCUSABLE DELAYS**

The AGENCY shall not be considered in default by reason of failure in performance if such failure arises out of causes reasonably beyond the control of the AGENCY or its subcontractors and without their fault or negligence. Such causes include, but are not limited to, acts of God, force majeure, natural or public health emergencies, labor disputes, freight embargoes and abnormally severe and unusual weather conditions.

Upon the AGENCY's request, the COUNTY shall consider the facts and extent of any failures to perform the work and, if the AGENCY's failure to perform was without it or its subcontractors fault or negligence, the contract schedule and/or any other affected provisions of this contract shall be revised accordingly, subject to the COUNTY's rights to change, terminate or stop any or all of the work at any time.

## **ARTICLE 22 – ARREARS**

The AGENCY shall not pledge the COUNTY'S credit or make it a guarantor of payment or surety for any contract, debt, obligation, judgment, lien, or any form of indebtedness. The AGENCY further warrants and represents that it has no obligation or indebtedness that would impair its ability to fulfill the terms of this Contract.

## **ARTICLE 23 - DISCLOSURE AND OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS**

The AGENCY shall deliver to the COUNTY's representative for approval and acceptance, and before being eligible for final payment of any amounts due, all documents and materials prepared by and for the COUNTY under this Contract.

To the extent allowed by Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, all written and oral information not in the public domain or not previously known, and all information and data obtained, developed, or supplied by the COUNTY or at its expense will be kept confidential by the AGENCY and will not be disclosed to any other party, directly or indirectly, without the COUNTY'S prior written consent unless required by a lawful court order. All drawings, maps, sketches, programs, data base, reports and other data developed, or purchased, under this Contract for or at the COUNTY'S expense shall be and remain the COUNTY'S property and may be reproduced and reused at the discretion of the COUNTY.

All covenants, agreements, representations and warranties made herein, or otherwise made in writing by any party pursuant hereto, including but not limited to any representations made herein relating to disclosure or ownership of documents, shall survive the execution and delivery of this Contract and the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby.

Notwithstanding any other provision in this Contract, all documents, records, reports and any other materials produced hereunder shall be subject to disclosure, inspection and audit, pursuant to the Palm Beach County Office of the Inspector General Ordinance 2009-049, as may be amended.

## **ARTICLE 24 - TERMINATION**

This contract may be canceled by the AGENCY upon sixty (60) days prior written notice to the COUNTY's representative in the event of substantial failure by the COUNTY to perform in accordance with the terms of this contract through no fault of the AGENCY. It may also be terminated, in whole or part, by the COUNTY, with or without cause, immediate upon written notice to the AGENCY. Unless the AGENCY is in breach of this contract, the AGENCY shall be paid for services rendered to the COUNTY's satisfaction through the date of termination. After receipt of a Termination Notice and except as otherwise directed by the COUNTY, the AGENCY shall:

Stop work on the date and to the extent specified.

Terminate and settle all orders and subcontracts relating to the performance of terminated work.

Transfer all work in process, completed work, and other materials related to the terminated work to the COUNTY. Transfer pertinent client records and refer clients receiving services to another AGENCY funded by COUNTY, as approved by the COUNTY, in order to ensure continuity of care.

Continue and complete all parts of the work that have not been terminated.

Submit an invoice for final payment on the terminated portion of the contract within thirty (30) days of the termination date.

## **ARTICLE 25 – SEVERABILITY**

If any term or provision of this Contract, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances shall, to any extent, be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Contract, or the application of such terms or provision, to persons or circumstances other

than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected, and every other term and provision of this Contract shall be deemed valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

## **ARTICLE 26 - MODIFICATIONS OF WORK**

The COUNTY reserves the right to make changes in Scope of Work, including alterations, reductions therein or additions thereto. Upon receipt by the AGENCY of the COUNTY'S notification of a contemplated change, the AGENCY shall, in writing: (1) provide a detailed estimate for the increase or decrease in cost due to the contemplated change, (2) notify the COUNTY of any estimated change in the completion date, and (3) advise the COUNTY if the contemplated change shall affect the AGENCY'S ability to meet the completion dates or schedules of this Contract.

If the COUNTY so instructs in writing, the AGENCY shall suspend work on that portion of the Scope of Work affected by a contemplated change, pending the COUNTY'S decision to proceed with the change.

If the COUNTY elects to make the change, the COUNTY shall initiate a Contract Amendment and the AGENCY shall not commence work on any such change until such written amendment is signed by the AGENCY and approved and executed on behalf of Palm Beach County.

## **ARTICLE 27 - NOTICES**

All notices required in this Contract shall be sent by, and if sent to the COUNTY shall be mailed to:

Channell Wilkins, Director  
Community Services Department  
Palm Beach County  
810 Datura Street  
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

and if sent to the AGENCY shall be mailed to:

Joseph D. Sica, Executive Director  
Adoption By Shepherd Care  
5935 Taft Street  
Hollywood, Florida 33021

## **ARTICLE 28 - STANDARDS OF CONDUCT FOR EMPLOYEES**

The AGENCY must establish safeguards to prevent employees, consultants, or members of governing bodies from using their positions for purposes that are, or give the appearance of being, motivated by a desire for private financial gain for themselves or others such as those with whom they have family, business, or other ties. Therefore, each institution receiving financial support must have written policy guidelines on conflict of interest and the avoidance thereof. These guidelines should reflect State and local laws and must cover financial interests, gifts, gratuities and favors, nepotism, and other areas such as political participation and bribery. These rules must also indicate the conditions under which outside activities, relationships, or financial interest are proper or improper, and provide for notification of these kinds of activities, relationships, or financial interests to a responsible and objective institution official. For the requirements of code of conduct applicable to procurement under grants, see the procurement standards prescribed by 45 CFR Part 74, Subpart P and 45 CFR Part 92.36.

The rules of conduct must contain a provision for prompt notification of violations to a responsible and objective grantee official and must specify the type of administrative action that may be taken against an individual for violations. Administrative actions, which would be in addition to any legal penalty(ies), may include oral admonishment, written reprimand, reassignment, demotion, suspension, or separation. Suspension or separation of a key official *must* be reported promptly to the County.

A copy of the rules of conduct must be given to each officer, employee, board member, and consultant of the recipient organization who is working on the grant supported project or

activity and the rules must be enforced to the extent permissible under State and local law or to the extent to which the grantee determines it has legal and practical enforcement capacity.

The rules need not be formally submitted to and approved by the County; however, they must be made available for a review upon request, for example, during a site visit.

#### **ARTICLE 29 - ENTIRETY OF CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT**

The AGENCY agrees that the Scope of Work has been developed from the AGENCY'S service proposal and that the COUNTY expects performance by the AGENCY in accordance with such application. In the event of a conflict between the proposal and this Contract (including Exhibits A, B and C), this Contract shall control.

The COUNTY and the AGENCY both further agree that this Contract sets forth the entire agreement between the parties, and that there are no promises or understandings other than those stated herein. None of the provisions, terms and conditions contained in this Contract may be added to, modified, superseded or otherwise altered, except by written instrument executed by the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida has made and executed this Contract on behalf of the COUNTY and AGENCY has hereunto set his/her hand the day and year above written.

ATTEST:

Sharon R. Bock, Clerk & Comptroller

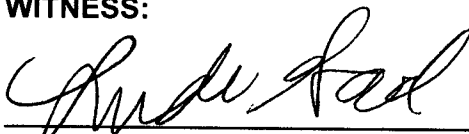
PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, a  
Political Subdivision of the State of Florida

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk & Comptroller

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Karen T. Marcus, Chair

WITNESS:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Linda Good  
Name Typed

59-2022925  
AGENCY's Federal ID Number

AGENCY:

Adoption by Shepherd Care  
AGENCY's Name Typed

BY   
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Joseph D. Sica MS  
AGENCY's Signatory Name Typed

Executive Director  
AGENCY's Signatory Title Typed

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assistant County Attorney

APPROVED AS TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS  
Department of Community Services

By:   
\_\_\_\_\_  
Channell Wilkins, Director

**EXHIBIT A**  
**SCOPE OF WORK**  
**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE CONTRACT**

These funds represent the fees collected in your county from the sale of the Choose Life plate and are to be used by the County in accordance with the provisions set forth in Florida Statute, 320.08058(29). The Agency receiving funds must be non-governmental, not-for-profit agencies within Palm Beach County and the, Agency's services are limited to meeting the needs of pregnant women who are committed to placing their children for adoption. Funds may not be distributed to any agency that is involved or associated with abortion activities, including counseling for or referrals to abortion clinics, providing medical abortion-related procedures, or pro-abortion advertising, and funds may not be distributed to any agency that charges women for services received. The statute, and this Contract, requires an Agency audit to be submitted to the County on an annual basis.

The Agency must comply with the following:

1. The Agency must not discriminate against for any reason, including but not limited to race, family status, color, religion, national origin, handicap or age.
2. The Agency is a qualified agency as defined in Florida Statute subsections 320.08062 and 320.08058(28) and is a non-governmental, not-for-profit agency within Palm Beach County and its services are limited to counseling and meeting the physical needs of pregnant women who are committed to placing their children for adoption. (This contract does not provide reimbursement for counseling services.) The Agency is not involved or associated with abortion activities, including counseling for or referrals to abortion clinics, providing medical abortion-related procedures, or pro-abortion advertising. The Agency does not charge pregnant women for services received.
3. The Agency acknowledges that at least 70 percent of the funds provided pursuant to this contract will be used to provide for the material needs of pregnant women who are committed to placing their children for adoption, including clothing, housing, medical care, food, utilities, and transportation and that such funds may also be expended on infants awaiting placement with adoptive parents. The remaining funds may be used for adoption, training, or advertising, but may not be used for administrative expenses, legal expenses, or capital expenditures.
4. The Agency must submit an annual audit, prepared by a certified public accountant, to the County on the expenditure of the funds.

EXHIBIT B

CHOOSE LIFE LICENSE PLATE REVENUES  
FY 2011

Name of Agency: Adoption By Shepherd Care

Street Address: 3405 Forest Hill Blvd., West Palm Beach, FL 33406

Mailing Address (if different): 5935 Taft St.,

City: Hollywood State: Florida Zip: 33201

Agency phone: 561-588-3649 Agency fax: 561-964-9374

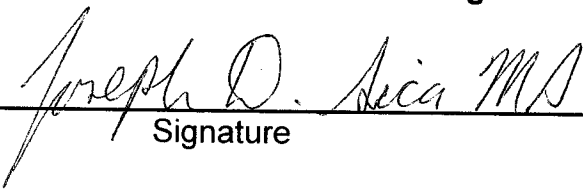
Officer/Director Name: Joseph D. Sica MS Title: Executive Director

E-mail address: joe@adoptionshepherdcare.com

**I am in agreement with the following:**

1. That Palm Beach County will be responsible for the administration and disbursement of the funds generated by the **Choose Life License Plate Revenues**, to all qualified agencies in Palm Beach County.
2. Palm Beach County and Adoption by Shepherd Care will **not** charge an administration fee for this service.
3. The disbursement of the funds will be divided equally among all of the qualified agencies.
4. Any unused funds that exceed 10% of the funds received by a qualified agency during its fiscal year must be returned to Palm Beach County who shall then redistribute the monies to the other qualified agencies.
5. Adoption by Shepherd Care will submit an annual audit, prepared by a certified public accountant to Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners, Department of Community Services.

**I have read all of the above and agree.**

	<b>Executive Director</b>
Signature	Title
Joseph D. Sica	12/15/10
Print Name	Date

## EXHIBIT C

### REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES ONLY SCHEDULE FOR PAYMENT AND BUDGET DATA FY 2011 FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE CONTRACT

**Service/Program:** Choose Life License Plates/Adoption by Shepherd Care

#### BILLING RATE

**MAXIMUM AMOUNT AUTHORIZED** \$95,000.00

#### BUDGET DATA

Payment will be made only for the below stated cost categories. At least 70% of the funds must be expended in categories 1-7. A Maximum of 30% of the funds may be expended for training, advertising, counseling and adoption. In the event more than 30% of the funds are expended for training, advertising, counseling and adoption during the contract term, Agency will reimburse the County and over-expenditure.

<u>COST CATEGORY</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1. Clothing	\$ 1,235.00
2. Housing	\$ 39,375.00
3. Medical Care	\$ 14,000.00
4. Food	\$ 3,000.00
5. Utilities	\$ 5,890.00
6. Other Needs	\$ 2,000.00
7. Transportation	\$ 1,000.00
8. Training	\$ 1,235.00
9. Advertising	\$ 27,265.00
10. Adoption	\$
11. Counseling	\$

**MAXIMUM AMOUNT REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES** \$ 95,000.00.

All reimbursable expenses shall be reimbursed only at cost.

Reimbursable expenses shall mean the actual expenses as authorized by the COUNTY pursuant to this Contract, and reasonably incurred by the AGENCY directly in connection with the AGENCY'S performance of its duties and Scope of Work pursuant to this Contract.

No reimbursements will be made under this contract for any primary medical care (treatment of physical injury or conditions).





# INSURANCE BINDER

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)  
10/12/2010

THIS BINDER IS A TEMPORARY INSURANCE CONTRACT, SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS SHOWN ON REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM

AGENCY Hawley and Associates, LLC 11911 NE 1st St., Ste. B102 Bellevue WA 98005		COMPANY Hartford Casualty Ins. Co.	BINDER # B10101200204
PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (425) 462-4758 FAX (A/C, No): (425) 462-4783		DATE EFFECTIVE TIME 10/14/2010 12:01	
CODE: SUB CODE:		EXPIRATION DATE TIME 10/14/2011 12:01 AM	
AGENCY CUSTOMER ID: 00000164		THIS BINDER IS ISSUED TO EXTEND COVERAGE IN THE ABOVE NAMED COMPANY PER EXPIRING POLICY #:	
INSURED Adoption By Shepherd Care 5935 Taft St Hollywood FL 33021		DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS/VEHICLES/PROPERTY (Including Location) Workers Compensation Policy No. 14 WEC LH3126 00	

COVERAGES		LIMITS	
TYPE OF INSURANCE	COVERAGE/FORMS	DEDUCTIBLE	AMOUNT
PROPERTY CAUSES OF LOSS <input type="checkbox"/> BASIC <input type="checkbox"/> BROAD <input type="checkbox"/> SPEC			
GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS MADE <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR		EACH OCCURRENCE DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES MED EXP (Any one person) PERSONAL & ADV INJURY GENERAL AGGREGATE PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$
VEHICLE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS		COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT BODILY INJURY (Per person) BODILY INJURY (Per accident) PROPERTY DAMAGE MEDICAL PAYMENTS PERSONAL INJURY PROT UNINSURED MOTORIST	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$
VEHICLE PHYSICAL DAMAGE DED <input type="checkbox"/> COLLISION: <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER THAN COL:	<input type="checkbox"/> ALL VEHICLES <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED VEHICLES	ACTUAL CASH VALUE STATED AMOUNT	\$ \$
GARAGE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO		AUTO ONLY - EA ACCIDENT OTHER THAN AUTO ONLY: EACH ACCIDENT AGGREGATE	\$ \$ \$ \$
EXCESS LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> UMBRELLA FORM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER THAN UMBRELLA FORM	RETRO DATE FOR CLAIMS MADE:	EACH OCCURRENCE AGGREGATE SELF-INSURED RETENTION	\$ \$ \$
WORKER'S COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY	Employer's liability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WC STATUTORY LIMITS E.L. EACH ACCIDENT E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$ 100,000 100,000 500,000
SPECIAL CONDITIONS/ OTHER COVERAGES		FEES TAXES ESTIMATED TOTAL PREMIUM	\$ \$ \$

NAME & ADDRESS	MORTGAGEE	ADDITIONAL INSURED
	LOSS PAYEE	
	LOAN #	
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE Cari Maciolek/CEM	