

# ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

January 17, 2025

To: Terrence D. McCracken, Secretary to the Authority

From: Leonard F. Kowalski, PE, Executive Engineer

Subject: Furnish and Deliver Chemistry and Microbiology Proficiency Samples and Chemistry Standards for One Year ECWA Project No. 202400005

The following documents are attached:

- Blue Authorization Form this form provides the project name and project number, the action that is being requested of the Board, and it provides a list of approvals that are required prior to being acted on by the Board.
- Three (3) originals of Amendment No. 1 request for Board action and execution by the Authority.

The Environmental Laboratory Approval Program (ELAP) was established under Section 502 of the Public Health Law and is responsible for the certification of laboratories performing environmental analyses on samples originating from New York State in order to ensure the accuracy and reliability of these analyses. In order to maintain NYSDOH Laboratory approval, the Authority must meet the requirements for ELAP Protocol for Training and Proficiency Testing.

The Authority entered into a contract with Advanced Analytical Solutions, LLC, the sole bidder, to supply the required goods on February 22, 2024. The Authority inquired if Advanced Analytical Solutions, LLC would like to extend the current contract for the first one-year term and they are agreeable to the extension. The attached Amendment No. 1 extends the Agreement until February 21, 2026 and adds three new items to the contract.

# **Budget Information:**

O&M Line Item No. 10, Materials and Supplies Unit 1010: 1010 401000 640110 1015: 1015 401000 640210 1030: 1030 401000 640210

LFK:jmf Attachments cc: PUWA-186-2401-X-20

# ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY AUTHORIZATION FORM For Approval/Execution of Documents (check which apply)

Contract: 24-02-02 Project No.: 2024000   Project Description: Furnish and Deliver Chemistry and Microbiology F   Chemistry Standards.				
Item Description:   Agreement Professional Service Contract X Amendment   BCD NYSDOT Agreement Contract Document   Recommendation for Award of Contract Recommendation   Request for Proposals Other				
Action Requested:   X Board Authorization to Execute X Legal Approval   Board Authorization to Award X Execution by the Chairman   Board Authorization to Advertise for Bids Execution by the Secretary to the Authority   Board Authorization to Solicit Request for Proposals Other				
Approvals Needed:   APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:   X   X Chief Operating Officer   X Executive Engineer   X Director of Administration   X Risk Manager   X Chief Financial Officer   X Legal   APPROVED FOR BOARD RESOLUTION:   X Secretary to the Authority	Date:Date:01/20/2025Date:1/20/2025Date:01/20/2025Date:1/20/2025Date:01/20/2025Date:1/20/2025Date:01/20/2025			
Remarks: Amendment No. 1 for Advanced Analytical Solutions, LLC.				

**Resolution Date:** 

Project No. 202400005 Contract No. 24-02-02

### AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO THE AGREEMENT TO FURNISH AND DELIVER CHEMISTRY AND MICROBIOLOGY PROFICIENCY SAMPLES AND CHEMISTRY STANDARDS

AMENDMENT, effective January 24, 2025, to the Agreement to Furnish and Deliver Chemistry and Microbiology Proficiency Samples and Chemistry Standards, effective on February 22, 2024, by and between:

#### **ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY**

295 Main Street, Room 350 Buffalo, New York 14203

hereinafter referred to as the "Authority," and

#### ADVANCED ANALYTICAL SOLUTIONS, LLC

6325 Emerson Avenue Parkersburg, West Virginia 26104

hereinafter referred to as "Supplier."

WHEREAS, on February 22, 2024, the Authority awarded the Supplier the agreement to furnish and deliver chemistry and microbiology proficiency samples and chemistry standards (the "Agreement") for a one-year term, beginning February 22, 2024; and

**WHEREAS,** the Agreement provides for various chemistry and microbiology proficiency samples and chemistry standards to be delivered to the Authority, as ordered, from February 22, 2024 through February 21, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Article 1, Paragraph 1.04 of the Agreement, the parties may agree in writing to extend the term of the contract for two additional one (1) year terms, under the same terms and conditions, or upon such terms and conditions acceptable to the Authority; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Article 5, Paragraph 5.02 of the Agreement, any modification or variation from the terms of the Agreement must be in writing, authorized by a resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Authority (the "Board") and signed by all parties; and

**WHEREAS**, the Supplier has agreed to extend the term of the Agreement until February 21, 2026, based on the same terms and conditions, including pricing as set forth in Article 4, Paragraph 4.01 of the Agreement; and

**WHEREAS,** the parties have agreed to pricing for individual components of the Mineral Set due to failure; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of mutual promises herein set forth, the parties agree to the following:

- (1) The terms and conditions of the Agreement shall continue in effect until February 21, 2026; and
- (2) The parties agree to amend Article 4, Paragraph 4.01 to include the following line items:

Item No.	U/M	Description	Unit Price
5a	Ea.	"On-Demand" PT standards, for Minerals Set, Retest Due to Failure – Mineral (WP5000).	\$35.00
5b	Ea.	"On-Demand" PT standards, for Minerals Set, Retest Due to Failure – Hardiness (WP5200).	\$35.00
5c	Ea.	"On-Demand" PT standards, for Minerals Set, Retest Due to Failure – Anions (WP5400).	\$35.00

- (3) The parties agree all other terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain unchanged and in effect; and
- (4) This Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which is deemed an original, but all of which together are deemed to be one and the same agreement.

IN WITNESS WHERETO, the parties hereto have caused this Amendment No. 1 to be signed by their respective duly constituted officers, attested and sealed pursuant to proper authority.

# **ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY**

By\_\_\_\_\_

Jerome D. Schad, Chair

# ADVANCED ANALYTICAL SOLUTIONS, LLC

By\_\_\_\_\_ Frederick S. Anderson, Managing Partner

# STATE OF NEW YORK)COUNTY OF ERIE) ss:

On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, in the year 2025, before me personally came Jerome D. Schad, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in the Amherst, New York, that he is the Chair of the Board of Commissioners for the Erie County Water Authority described in the above instrument, and he signed his name thereto by the authorization of the Board of Commissioners for the Erie County Water Authority.

Notary Public

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA)COUNTY OF) ss:

On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, in the year 2025, before me personally came Frederick S. Anderson to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in Parkersburg, West Virginia, that he is the Managing Partner of the Limited Liability Company described in the above instrument; and that he signed his name thereto on behalf of said Limited Liability Company.

Notary Public