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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

**DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

v.

Town of Colorado City, Arizona; City of  
Hildale, Utah; and Twin City Water Authority,  
Inc.,

Defendants.

Case No. CV-12-8123-PCT-HRH

**DEFENDANT TOWN OF  
COLORADO CITY'S STATUS  
UPDATE REGARDING POLICE  
CONSULTANT CONTRACT**

Pursuant to the Court's prior orders, the Town of Colorado City provides the following update regarding the status of the Police Consultant's contract.

On November 3, 2021, Vance Barlow, who is the Town Manager for Colorado City, met with Jim Keith, who is the Court-appointed Police Consultant. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the terms and scope of the Police Consultant's work, as set forth in the Court's prior Injunction [Doc. 1053] and the contract between the Police Consultant and Colorado City.

The meeting was very productive. The topics discussed included, but were not limited to, Mr. Keith's completion of the following tasks: (i) policy updates for the Colorado City Marshal's Office ("CCMO"); (ii) training of the CCMO officers; (iii) the implementation of body worn cameras by the CCMO officers; (iv) introductions to other law enforcement agencies to create better and long-standing relationships; (v) the hiring of

1 new CCMO officers; (vi) periodic audits of calls-for-service to the CCMO and a review of  
2 the recordkeeping by the CCMO officers; and (vii) monthly meetings with the Chief  
3 Marshal of the CCMO.

4 Mr. Barlow also expressed Colorado City's concern about avoiding duplicative  
5 efforts between Mr. Keith and Roger Carter, who is the Court-appointed Monitor. Mr.  
6 Keith expressed his understanding of the concern and agreed to be cognizant of the issue  
7 and avoid performing services outside the scope of the Court's Injunction and his contract,  
8 unless requested by Colorado City or Hildale. If Mr. Carter requests that Mr. Keith  
9 perform services outside the scope of the Injunction or his contract (which is not  
10 anticipated), Mr. Keith agreed to raise the issue with Colorado City, Hildale, and Mr.  
11 Carter to make sure duplicative efforts are avoided and costs are controlled.

12 Colorado City believes that its concerns about avoiding duplicative work have now  
13 been resolved and it no longer seeks an amendment to the Police Consultant's contract.  
14 Colorado City also believes it can work through any issues that may arise in the future by  
15 meeting with Mr. Keith, Mr. Carter, and, where appropriate, representatives from the  
16 Department of Justice. Colorado City appreciates everyone's efforts in handling this issue  
17 and is glad that a resolution was reached without requiring further Court involvement.

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19 Dated on November 29, 2021

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