# DULUTH CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE DULUTH, MN

**CONTRACT FOR** 



PROSECUTORbyKarpel®



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This agreement is by and between Karpel Computer Systems Inc., a Missouri corporation, doing business as Karpel Solutions (hereinafter referred to as "Karpel Solutions") and the City of Duluth, a Minnesota municipal corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Client"). Pursuant to the terms set forth below Karpel Solutions agrees to sell licenses for its copyrighted software program known as PROSECUTORbyKarpel® (hereinafter referred to as "PbK").

#### 1. SCOPE OF WORK

The following Scope of Work represents the services required to reach the proposed solution and a successful project. Karpel Solutions will perform all work in accordance with the descriptions, scopes and specifications hereafter described.

<u>Deadline</u>	Tasks and deliverables	Days out
	Final Contract & Implementation Agreement signed. Project Pre-Implementation Meeting scheduled. Minimum Workstation requirements are explained to agency project manager. The agency project manager will coordinate with local agency IT to provide Karpel with legacy data.	120
	Workstation assessment completed and any necessary hardware or software ordered to meet PbK installation prerequisites.	100
	Online pre-implementation meeting with project manager and system administrators. PbK Overview with the first data conversion complete. Project Team is selected including Karpel Staff and Customer System Administrators. (One customer System Administrator must be a Policy Setting Attorney). This meeting will begin with application overview, legacy data application analysis, enhancement definitions and interface definitions. PbK pre-load configuration is explained and initial Document Templates are received. Workflow pre-configuration is conducted.	90
	Teleconference status meeting with Karpel and agency project manager will occur to review progress on hardware/software assessments and finalize pre-implementation meeting timeline agreement.	80
	First Data Conversion Webinar is reviewed on Karpel servers along with the PbK pre- load worksheets. Agency Document Templates are received. Data validation spreadsheets will be explained and data validation will begin. System Administrator training begins. Workflow pre-configuration is conducted. System enhancements are completed and demonstrated. Applicable interfaces are reviewed and analyzed to define testing procedures.	60
	Teleconference status meeting with Karpel and agency project manager will occur to review progress and answer additional questions regarding pre-load spreadsheet.	45
	Karpel Support installation and application testing on each workstation should begin at this time. Karpel Solutions or local IT support will schedule workstation application testing and follow Karpel testing procedures to thoroughly test browser functionality, document generation, Outlook Calendaring and email on each workstation.	45
	Online document template conversion review - customer will review converted templates for accuracy and report any inaccuracies to Karpel over the next two weeks.	40



	The agency project manager will provide Karpel with any additional Legacy Data, additional Legacy Documents and a fully complete PbK Pre-Load Spreadsheet and completed data validation spreadsheets from the first data conversion. The agency project manager will notify agency IT support to coordinate the legacy data upload for final conversion with Karpel.	35
	Training Schedule is completed with assignment of all office staff to specific training sessions. The Policy Setting Attorney must attend the initial Configuration, Case Initiation and Event Entry sessions at a minimum. Training room and equipment are verified.	35
	Online Pre-Live Administrator Training and Mock Go-live - Karpel will train the System Administrators exactly as the staff will be trained upon go-live. The preliminary data conversion on the Agency's pre-production site will be used for this training including completed document templates and workflow configuration. Agency will re-validate the accuracy of Defendants, Co-Defendants, Cases, Court Dates, Events, Dispositions, and Financials. Application testing will continue. Agency project manager will report all inaccuracies to Karpel. All Custom Enhancements are tested and verified. Begin final testing of all application interfaces if applicable. At this point data conversion will be repeated as deemed necessary by our data conversion experts to correct data conversion anomalies reported in the data validation spreadsheets.	30
	Teleconference status meeting with Karpel and agency project manager to review current data validations and acceptance testing. Review of timeline to meet scheduled "go live" date.	21
	Complete installation and testing of all workstations by Karpel or local IT support.	14
	Final teleconference status meeting with Karpel and agency project manager to verify final data accuracy and training area is prepared for scheduled training.	7
	Final Legacy Data received by Karpel.	3
March 28, 2022	Final Data Conversion is loaded. User training continues with remaining office staff (group training). Customer begins using PbK in a live state.	Go Live
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This schedule may be modified if mutually agreed upon in writing by Client and Karpel Solutions.

Document conversion consists of Karpel Solutions converting existing Microsoft Word®, Microsoft Works® and Corel WordPerfect® documents provided by Client up to the time of training as outlined in the Project Timeline listed above into a format that can be utilized by PbK on a best effort basis. Karpel Solutions does not support nor will convert customized macros, auto-text files or other custom programming items not a part of the ordinary functionality of Microsoft Word®, Microsoft Works® and Corel WordPerfect®

Karpel Solutions will provide hosting of PbK subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the HOSTEDbyKarpel Agreement.

#### 2. OTHER INFORMATION

Any additional work requirements outside the scope of this proposal will be presented in the form of a change order and must be approved by Client in writing prior to start of such work. No additional work

will be performed by Karpel for Client and no additional charges will be incurred by Client without prior written approval from Client.

#### 3. GENERAL CLIENT RESPONSIBILITIES

In order for the project to be completed on time and on budget, Client shall provide at a minimum:

- 1. Access to client facilities, computers, servers, network infrastructure and software as deemed necessary by the Karpel Solutions project manager and coordinated with City IT staff. Timely access will be essential to a successful project.
- 2. Access to systems and equipment as required by Karpel Solutions including:
  - a. PbK application access using Karpel Solutions laptops and client's network for training and application testing
  - b. Use of the Karpel Solutions remote support tool on users desktops when required and authorized by City IT.
- 3. Timely access to client data if such data is to be converted and populated by Karpel Solutions into PbK.
- 4. An authorized contact person to assist in the definition of any project unknowns and authorized to approve the completion of each task.

#### 3.1 CLIENT VALIDATION

Client is responsible for validating their data during the project (if applicable). Validating data is key to a successful implementation. If issues arise with converted data after go-live Karpel will determine if a fix is possible and any agreed upon additional fee for this work may be presented for this work.

#### 4. PAYMENT SUMMARY

Karpel Solutions will perform according to all descriptions, scopes, and specifications herein described, in consideration for payment as set forth below,

Software Products/Licensing		Qty.	Price	Total
PROSECUTORbyKarpel		20	\$2,250	\$45,000
	<b>Total Software</b>			\$45,000

Installation Services	Qty.	Price	Total
PROSECUTORbyKarpel Installation and Configuration	1	\$1,000	\$1,000
Total Installation Services			\$1,000

Professional Services	Qty.	Price	Total
Project Management			\$0
Pre-Implementation Services (hours, remote)	12	\$150	\$1,800



Data Conversion: The Compleat Prosecutor	1	\$7,500	\$7,500
Data Conversion: Litigation Files on File Server	1	\$7,500	\$7,500
Mock Go-Live and System Administrator Training (30 days prior to go-live, hours, remote)	8	\$150	\$1,200
Document Template Setup, Training and Conversion of Up To 100 Document (max of 50 Civil) Templates	1	\$2,500	\$2,500
Total Professional Services			\$20,500

Onsite Training Services	Qty.	Price		Total
Onsite Training (days)	5	\$2,400	2 resources	\$12,000
Total Onsite Training Services			_	\$12,000

<b>Customization Services</b>	Qty.	Price	Total
Interface: Law Enforcement RMS (New World			
Enterprise)	1	\$10,000	\$10,000
Interface: BCA	1	\$10,000	\$10,000
Interface: MNCIS	1	\$10,000	\$10,000
Total Customization Services			\$30,000

# Total One-Time Costs \$108,500

Annual Support Services	Qty.	Price	Total
PROSECUTORbyKarpel	20	\$450	\$9,000
Unlimited eDiscovery	1	\$2,500	\$2,500
Interface Annual Support	3	\$2,000	\$6,000
Hosted Services (per user/year)	20	\$100	\$2,000
Total Annual Support Service	ces		\$19,500

## **Estimated Travel Expenses**

\$4,800

Total First Year Cost \$132,800
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Optional Items	Price
Interface: Law Enforcement RMS (per agency)	\$10,000
Interface Annual Support (per interface)	\$2,000
External Agency Portal (Limited Case Data View, Digital File Attachment, eSubpoena, eReferral)	\$10,000
External Agency Portal Annual Support	\$2,000
Custom Reports (per report)	\$1,000
Document Template Conversion After 100 Documents (per document)	
Criminal document templates	\$25



Civil document templates

Additional Storage After Included 2TB (per terabyte, per year)

Additional Storage After Included 2TB (per 100 terabytes, per year)

\$1,000 \$30,000

\$50

Interfaces must conform to the appropriate PROSECUTORbyKarpel Information Exchange Package Documentation (IEPD) for that interface. Interfaces that do not conform to the appropriate PROSECUTORbyKarpel IEPD, will require Karpel development review before approval.

The stated costs for interfaces include Karpel's development and testing time. Interfaces costs will not be invoiced until the interface is accepted by client.

# PLEASE NOTE: THERE MAY BE AN ADDITIONAL COST FROM THE OTHER VENDOR(S), WHICH IS NOT INCLUDED WITHIN THIS CONTRACT.

This fee does not include additional hardware, Microsoft licenses, or networking services that may be necessary to properly and legally operate PbK. Said expenses are the Client's sole responsibility.

If a scheduled go-live date is changed due to Client request not based on system readiness an invoice may be issued to cover the costs of booked travel, accommodations and up to five (5) daystime that may be removed from other current client start dates. Karpel will make all reasonable efforts to reschedule the time of assigned resources.

Pricing for Optional Services will remain valid up to one (1) year from date of go-live. Upon the request to begin an Optional Service, an official notice to begin the service must be received.

Statewide service is a free service provided to all PROSECUTORbyKarpel clients. To activate this service the MOU at Appendix A must be signed separately from the main contract.

Travel expenses include airfare, lodging, ground transportation and meals and incidental expenses.

As with any project, all prices are subject to change as new information arises or as workload increases. Karpel Solutions will seek approval from Client if more work will be necessary to make the changes along the way, as described above.

#### 4.1 Payment Terms

Client shall pay Karpel 50% of Software User Licenses within 30 days of ratification of this agreement by the Duluth City Council. Payment shall be made from City Fund No. \_\_\_\_\_\_. Client shall pay Karpel remaining amount due within 30 days of completion of implementation and training.



#### 5. ANNUAL SUPPORT

#### **5.1.1 TECHNICAL SUPPORT FEES**

Client understands that technical support fees will be required annually, in order to receive software updates and technical support. The support period shall begin from the date of go-live as part of the initial first year costs. The Client may elect to purchase subsequent annual support, on a yearly basis at a fixed cost, and billed annually as referenced in Section 5 above. The option to purchase annual support is solely at the Client's discretion. The Client's license to use PbK is not dependent upon the Client purchasing annual support; however, if the Client discontinues annual support it will not be provided with updated versions of the software, unless it is purchased. Provided Client's computers, network and systems meet recommended specifications set for by Karpel Solutions and the Client is current with annual support payments then Karpel Solutions shall provide updated versions of their system and/or software as they become available during the terms of the contract. If the option for renewal is exercised, Karpel has the right to increase current pricing.

#### 5.1.2 SUPPORT PROVIDED

Karpel Solutions will provide support (e.g. software updates, general program enhancements and technical support) for all software provided, including ongoing unlimited telephone technical support problem determination, and resolution.

#### 5.1.3 HOURS OF OPERATION

Karpel Solutions will provide technical support Monday through Friday, at a minimum of eight (8) hours a day. Technical support services shall be available between the hours of 7:00 a.m. through 9:00 p.m. Central time, via a toll-free telephone number provided. After-hours support is available as well via the same toll-free number which will reach the on-call support group.

#### **5.1.4** INCLUDED SUPPORT

Support services include the detection and correction of software errors and the implementation of all PbK program changes, updates and upgrades. Karpel Solutions shall respond to the inquiries regarding the use and functionality of the solution as issues are encountered by Authorized Users. Support to users will be provided through the agreed upon remote support tool. If this access is not allowed support will be delayed and the service level agreement (severity levels) are no longer in place.

#### **5.1.5** RESPONSE TIMES

Karpel Solutions shall be responsive and timely to technical support calls/inquires made by the Client. The Client will first make support inquires through their qualified system administrators to assure the policies and business practices of the Client are enforced prior to contacting Karpel Solutions. The timeliness of the response is dependent upon the severity of the issue/support problem, as defined below:



The severity\* of the issue/support problem shall determine the average problem resolution response time in any calendar month of the contract as follows:

\*If a compliant remote support tool is not used or available all issues will fall into the general assistance and the severity levels are no longer applicable.

Severity Level 1 shall be defined as urgent situations, when the Client's production system is down and the Client is unable to use PbK, Karpel Solutions' technical support staff shall accept the Client's call for assistance at the time the Client places the initial call; however, if such staff is not immediately available, Karpel Solutions shall return the customer's call within one (1) business hour. Karpel Solutions shall resolve Severity Level 1 problems as quickly as possible, which on average should not exceed two (2) business days, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Client.

Severity Level 2 shall be defined as critical software system component(s) that has significant outages and/or failure precluding its successful operation, and possibly endangering the customer's environment. PbK may operate but is severely restricted. Karpel Solutions' technical support staff shall accept the customer's call for assistance at the time the customer places the initial call; however, if such staff is not immediately available, Karpel Solutions shall return the Client's call within four (4) business hours. Karpel Solutions shall resolve Severity Level 2 problems as quickly as possible, which on average should not exceed three (3) business days, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the customer.

Severity Level 3 shall be defined as a minor problem that exists with PbK but the majority of the functions are still usable and some circumvention may be required to provide service. Karpel Solutions' technical support staff shall accept the Client's call for assistance at the time the customer places the initial call; however, if such staff is not immediately available, Karpel Solutions shall return the Client's call on average no later than the next business day. Karpel Solutions shall resolve Severity Level 3 problems as quickly as possible, which should not exceed the next available release of software, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Client.

<u>General Assistance</u>: For general software support/helpdesk calls not covered by the above severity level descriptions, Karpel Solutions' technical support staff shall accept the Client's call for assistance at the time the Client places the initial call; however, if such staff is not immediately available, Karpel Solutions shall return the Client's call on average no later than the next business day.

#### 6. LICENSE TERMS AND USE

This software, PbK is a proprietary product of Karpel Solutions. It is licensed (not sold) and is licensed to Client for its use only by the terms set forth below.

1. In consideration of payment of a sublicense fee, Karpel Solutions hereby grants Client a non-exclusive and non-transferable sublicense to use any associated manuals and/or documentation furnished.



- 2. Client cannot distribute, rent, sublicense or lease the software. A separate license of PbK is required for each user or employee. Each license of PbK may not be shared by more than one full time employee or user (defined as working 20 hours or more per week), nor more than two (2) part-time employees or users (defined as working less than 20 hours per week each and working no more than 40 hours per week together). The Client agrees that Karpel Solutions will suffer damages from the Client's breach of this term and further agrees that as such Karpel Solutions shall be entitled to the cost of the license
- 3. License does not transfer any rights to software source codes, unless Karpel Solutions ceases to do business without transferring its duties under this agreement to another qualified software business. Karpel Solutions will, at client's expense, enter into escrow agreement for the storage of the source codes.
- 4. PbK and its documentation are protected by copyright and trade secret laws. Client may not use, copy, modify, or transfer the software or its documentation, in whole or in part, except as expressly provided for herein. Karpel Solutions retains all rights in any copy, derivative or modification to the software no matter by whom made. PbK is licensed for a single installation of one full time employee. A separate license is required for each installation of PbK. Client shall not provide or disclose or otherwise make available PbK or any portion thereof in any form to any third party. Client agrees that unauthorized copying and distribution will cause great damage to Karpel Solutions and this damage is far greater than the value of the copies involved.
- 5. PbK was developed exclusively at private expense and is Karpel Solutions' trade secret. For all purposes of the Freedom of Information Act or any other similar statutory right of "open" or public records the Software shall be considered exempt from disclosure. PbK is "commercial computer software" subject to limited utilization "Restricted Rights." PbK, including all copies, is and shall remain proprietary to Karpel Solutions or its licensors.
- 6. Public Agency Participation: Other public agencies may utilize the terms and conditions established by this Contract. "Public agency", for purposes of this paragraph, is defined to include any city, county, district, public authority, public agency, municipality, and other political subdivision. The City of Duluth is not an agent, partner, or representative of such public agency, and is not obligated or liable for any action or debts that may arise out of such independently negotiated procurements. These so called "piggy-back" awards shall be made independently by each public agency, and that agency shall accept sole responsibility for placing orders with Vendor. The City of Duluth does not accept any responsibility or involvement in the purchase orders or Contracts issued by other public agencies. Any such contract by another public agency must be in accordance with the statutes, codes, ordinances, charter and/or procurement rules and regulations of such public agency.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement subject to the Master Terms and Conditions set forth below. This proposal is offered as an all-inclusive turnkey solution and, unless noted otherwise, pricing is based on acceptance of both services and licenses. Any changes to this solution may result in additional costs. If not accepted within ninety (90) days, Karpel Solutions reserves the right to withdraw this proposal. Should any adjustments to this proposal become necessary; Karpel Solutions will draft and present a "Change Order" to Client for its review and approval. This offer is entire agreement between the parties, and no oral agreements or other written documents, exclusive of the attached exhibits are part of the agreement. Any modifications of this agreement must be in writing, and prior to acceptance of this offer. The signatories warrant they have the authority to bind their respective party.

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Signature				
Printed Name				
Title				
Date				

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Ву:
Mayor
Attest:
City Clerk Date Attested:
Approved as to form:
City Attorney
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#### 7. MASTER TERMS AND CONDITIONS

# KARPEL COMPUTER SYSTEMS, INC. (dba "Karpel Solutions"), MASTER TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### **GENERAL TERMS**

- 1. ACCEPTANCE TERM. The proposal attached to these Master Terms and Conditions is tendered for acceptance in its entirety within thirty (30) days from the date of the proposal, after which it is to be considered null and void.
- 2. PAYMENT TERMS. A statement for services rendered will be submitted by Karpel Solutions at the completion of the service. The invoice is payable upon receipt. Terms are Net thirty (30) days. Karpel Solutions reserves the right to discontinue performing services for client in the event of nonpayment of services by client, and client agrees to reimburse Karpel Solutions for reasonable collection expenses on delinquent accounts.
- 3. ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement will inure to the benefit of and be binding upon Karpel Solutions and Client and Karpel Solutions' respective successors and assigns. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Client may not assign or otherwise transfer this Agreement or Client's rights and obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of Karpel Solutions, and any purported assignment or other transfer without such consent will be void and of no force or effect. Karpel Solutions may assign and /or transfer this Agreement or Karpel Solutions' rights and obligations under this Agreement at any time upon written notice to Client.
- 4. MODIFICATION AND WAIVER. Any modifications of this Agreement must be in writing and signed by both parties. Neither party will be deemed to have waived any of its rights under the Agreement by any statement or representation other than (i) by an Authorized Representative and (ii) in an explicit written waiver. No waiver of a breach of this agreement will constitute a waiver of any prior or subsequent breach of this Agreement.
- 5. FORCE MAJEURE. Neither party shall be deemed in default of this Agreement to the extent that performance of its obligations or attempts to cure any breach thereof are delay or prevented by reason of any act of God, government, fire, natural disaster, accident, terrorism, network or telecommunication system failure, sabotage or any other cause beyond the control of such party ("Force Majeure"), provided that such party promptly gives the other party written notice of such Force Majeure.
- 6. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS. The parties will be deemed to have the status of independent contractors, and nothing in this Agreement will be deemed to place the parties in the relationship of employer-employee, principal-agent, or partners or joint ventures. Neither party has the authority to bind, commit or make any representations, claims or warranties on behalf of the other party without obtaining the other party's prior written approval.
- 7. SOFTWARE ANOMALIES. New commercial software releases or upgrades, or any hardware and/or software owned by or licensed to Client, used in connection with Karpel Solutions services may have



anomalies, performance or integration issues unknown to Karpel Solutions which can impact the timely, successful implementation of information systems. Karpel Solutions will inform the client promptly if this occurs and will attempt to analyze, correct and/or work around the anomalies or performance issues on a "best effort" basis. Karpel Solutions is not responsible for any delay or inability to complete its services if such anomalies or performance issues occur. Client is responsible for payment for all of Karpel Solutions' services outside of normally provided support services as defined in 5.1.4 above at the rate stated in the proposal whether or not a successful solution is achieved.

- 8. SOFTWARE AUDIT. Client agrees to allow Karpel Solutions the right to audit Client's use of PbK and licenses of PbK at any time. Client will cooperate with the requested audit. Such audit will not unreasonably interfere with Client's activities. In the event that an audit reveals unauthorized use, reproduction, distribution, or other exploitation of PbK, Client will reimburse Karpel Solutions for the reasonable cost of the audit, in addition to such other rights and remedies that Karpel Solutions may have the cost of additional licenses that may be required. Karpel Solutions will not conduct an audit more than once per year.
- 9. CLIENT ENVIRONMENT. Client is responsible for the application, operation and management of its information technology environment, including but not limited to: (a) purchasing, licensing and maintaining hardware and software; (b) following appropriate operating procedures; (c) following appropriate protective measures to safeguard the software and data from unauthorized duplication, modification, destruction or disclosure; and (d) employing qualified personnel to obtain the desired results. Karpel is not responsible for the loss of data in PbK or security breaches that result in the unauthorized dissemination of data contained in PbK that is the result of Client not following appropriate operating procedures, security and protective measures and/or following adequate backup contingency plans.
- 10. MATERIALS. Client will pay Karpel Solutions for materials purchased for the client's use. Materials may include computer hardware, software, hosting, facility leases, other services, telecommunications charges, freight, shipping, mailing, document reproduction and any other such costs incurred in performance of services for client. Upon mutual agreement, client will reimburse Karpel Solutions for all out of town travel expenses, such as automobile/airline travel, hotel, meals, and cab fare. Billing for services rendered on-site on an as needed basis will include portal-to-portal time.
- 11. TERMINATION. Either Party may terminate the Annual Support portion of this Agreement upon at least 90 days' written notice to the other Party.
- 12. COPYRIGHT. Karpel Solutions reserves the right to seek damages if Client is responsible for a subsequent violation of Karpel Solutions' copyright, and Client assumes responsibility for the acts and omissions of its agents acting in the course of their duties or otherwise with respect to the protection of Karpel Solutions' copyright.



#### LIMITED WARRANTIES, LIMITATION OF LIABILITY, INDEMNIFICATION

- LIMITED WARRANTY. Karpel Solutions warrants it will perform all services in a professional manner by qualified personnel. Karpel Solutions warrants it has the requisite power and authority to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement. Karpel Solutions warrants that the performance by Karpel Solutions of any services described in the Agreement shall be in compliance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations. No representations or warranties as to the use, functionality or operation of PbK are made by Karpel Solutions other than as expressly stated in this Agreement.
- 2. INTERNET AND NETWORK. Karpel Solutions makes PbK available to Client through the Internet and/or Client's own network and systems, to the extent commercially reasonable, and subject to outages, communication and data flow failures, interruptions and delays inherent in the Internet and network communications on the Client's own network and systems. Client recognizes that problems with the Internet, including equipment, software and network failures, impairments or congestion, or the configuration of Client's own computer systems and network, may prevent, interrupt or delay Client's access to PbK. Karpel Solutions is not liable for any delays, interruptions, suspensions or unavailability of PbK attributable to problems with the Internet or the configuration of Client's computer systems provided Karpel provided system requirements are maintained or network.
- 3. PASSWORD PROTECTION. Access to PbK is password-protected. Karpel Solutions provides multiple authentication alternatives for access to PbK. KARPEL SOLUTIONS STRONGLY ENCOURAGES THE USE OF STRONG PASSWORD AUTHENTICATION. Karpel Solutions is not responsible for Client's use of the PbK. Only the number of users set forth above may access the Service and Website. Client must inform their users that they are subject to, and must comply with, all of the terms of this Agreement. Client is fully responsible for the activities of Client's employees and authorized agents who access to PbK. Karpel Solutions is not liable for any unauthorized access to PbK and data or information contained therein, that is caused by failure of Client to protect the login and password information of users.
- 4. SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS. Karpel Solutions provides PbK based upon the system requirements as specified by Karpel Solutions for Client. Karpel Solutions has no liability for any failure of PbK based upon Client's failure to comply with the system requirements of Karpel Solutions.
- 5. THIRD PARTY SOFTWARE. Karpel Solutions makes no express or implied warranties as to the quality of third party software or as to Karpel Solutions' ability to support such software on an on-going basis.
- 6. LIMITED ENGAGEMENT. Due to the limited nature of Karpel Solutions' engagement by client, Karpel Solutions makes no express or implied warranties as to the quality of, or the ability of software developed by Karpel Solutions to operate with, any hardware, network, software, systems and/or external data flows already in place at client's facilities or as may be added by the client.

DISCLAIMER. THE FOREGOING WARRANTIES ARE EXCLUSIVE AND ARE MADE IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EITHER EXPRESS AND IMPLIED, WHICH ARE HEREBY DISCLAIMED, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF NONINFRINGEMENT, TITLE, MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS



FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AND ANY WARRANTIES ARISING OUT OF A USE IN TRADE OR COURSE OF DEALING OR PERFORMANCE. KARPEL SOLUTIONS DOES NOT WARRANT (i) THAT ACCESS TO OR USE OF ALL OR ANY PART OF PBK WILL BE CONTINUOUS, ERROR-FREE OR UNINTERRUPTED, (ii) THAT THE RESULTS ARISING OUT OF CLIENT'S USE OF PBK WILL BE ACCURATE, COMPLETE OR ERROR-FREE, OR (iii) THAT THE SERVICE, SOFTWARE, DOCUMENTATION OR WEBSITE WILL MEET CLIENT'S NEEDS.

#### **KARPEL SOLUTIONS EMPLOYEES**

Karpel Solutions has spent substantial sums of money and invested large amounts of time in recruiting, supervising and training Karpel Solutions employees. Client further agrees that it has a unique opportunity to evaluate Karpel Solutions employees' performance, and has the potential to hire Karpel Solutions employees, and further agrees that such hiring away would substantially disrupt the essence of Karpel Solutions' business and ability to provide its services for others, and as such Karpel Solutions cannot agree to such a hiring. The Client acknowledges that Karpel Solutions employees work for Karpel Solutions under a non-competition agreement.

#### **DATA**

- 1. CONFIDENTIALITY. Neither party shall disclose or use any confidential or proprietary information of the other party. The foregoing obligations shall not apply to information which: (i) is or becomes known publicly through no fault of the receiving party; (ii) is learned by the receiving party from a third party entitled to disclose it; or (iii) is already known to the receiving party.
- PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION. The parties recognize that certain data Client or Karpel Solutions may use in conjunction with the PbK may be confidential personally identifiable information of third parties. Karpel Solutions shall protect the confidentiality of personally identifiable information of third parties. Karpel Solutions shall have no liability for disclosure of personally identifiable information caused by Client's own negligence or misconduct.
- 3. DISCLOSURE REQUIRED BY LAW. In the event that any confidential or proprietary information is required to be disclosed pursuant to any law, code, regulation or court order from a court of competent jurisdiction, the receiving party shall give the disclosing party immediate written notice of such requirement and shall use its best efforts to seek or to cooperate with the disclosing party in seeking a protective order with respect to the confidential information requested.
- 4. SIMILAR PROGRAMS AND MATERIALS. Provided Karpel Solutions does not violate the provisions of this section regarding confidentiality, the Agreement shall not preclude Karpel Solutions from developing for itself, or for others, programs or materials which are similar to those produced as a result of services provided to Client.
- 5. RELIEF. Any breach of the confidentiality provisions of this Section will cause irreparable harm to the other party. The parties agree that the non-breaching party may enforce the provisions of this Section by seeking an injunction, specific performance, criminal prosecution or other equitable relief without prejudice to any other rights and remedies the non-breaching party may have.



#### MARKETING

- 1. Client agrees that Karpel Solutions may identify Client as a customer of Karpel Solutions in Karpel Solutions' written promotional and marketing materials, as well as in any oral or visual presentations regarding the business of Karpel Solutions.
- 2. Provided Karpel Solutions does not violate the provisions of the foregoing section regarding confidentiality, Karpel Solutions shall have the right to demonstrate for other prospective clients any application developed by Karpel Solutions under this Agreement and shall have the right to include information about any such application in marketing materials and presentations.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

- 1. ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS. To the extent possible, and under the terms required by Client, Client and Karpel Solutions may communicate by electronic means, including but not limited to facsimile documents. Both parties agree that: a signature or an identification code ("USERID") contained in an electronic document is legally sufficient to verify the sender's identity and the document's authenticity; an electronic document that contains a signature or USERID is a signed writing; and that an electronic document, or any computer printout of it, is an original when maintained in the normal course of business.
- 2. SEVERABILITY. If any portion of this Agreement is held to be void, invalid or otherwise unenforceable, in whole or in part, then the remaining portions of the Agreement shall remain in effect. This is the complete and exclusive statement of the Agreement between the parties which supersedes all proposals, oral or written, relating to the subject matter of this Agreement.
- 3. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement constitutes the sole agreement between client and Karpel Solutions with respect to the subject matter hereof. It may not be modified or assigned except by written agreement of Client and Karpel Solutions.



4. NOTICES. Any notices provided under this Agreement will be in writing in the English language and will be deemed to have been properly given if delivered personally or if sent by by U.S. mail or via email to the address below. Karpel Solutions' address for such notices is set forth below. Client's address for such notices will be the address on file with Karpel Solutions as provided by Client. Such address or contact information may be revised from time to time by provision of notice as described in this Section. All notices sent by mail will be deemed received on the tenth (10th) business day after deposit in the mail. All notices sent by overnight courier will be deemed given on the next business day after deposit with the overnight courier. All notices sent by facsimile will be deemed given on the next business day after successful transmission.

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5. GOVERNING LAW. The parties agree that Minnesota law applies to all matters of interpretation of this agreement.



#### Appendix A

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) BETWEEN THE CITY OF DULUTH AND KARPEL SOLUTIONS FOR PARTICIPATION IN STATEWIDE DATA SHARING

#### Parties:

- The parties to this MOU are Karpel Solutions and Prosecution Offices that are willing
  to contribute potentially Confidential, Personally Identifiable, Criminal Justice
  Information to a Statewide Search system for purposes of information sharing with
  other Prosecution Offices.
- 2. The parties agree that maximum participation by all Prosecution Offices will strengthen the purposes of this MOU. Accordingly, the parties anticipate and desire that other eligible offices will join this MOU from time to time in the future. A joining agency shall also be considered a party and shall have the same rights, privileges, obligations, and responsibilities as the original parties.

#### **Authority**

Each participating Office warrants that it has the legal authority to enter into this MOU and share Confidential Information, Personally Identifiable Information and Criminal Justice Information with each other and with Karpel Solutions for the sole purpose under this MOU for the delivery of a Statewide Search function.

#### **Definitions**

Confidential Information - Means information of either Karpel Solutions or Contributing Party which is disclosed under this MOU in oral, written, graphic, machine recognizable, electronic, sample or any other visually perceptible form by one office to the other, and which is considered to be proprietary, sensitive, or trade secret by the disclosing party. Confidential Information of Karpel Solutions expressly includes HOSTEDbyKarpel, PROSECUTORbyKarpel, and Statewide Search. The Confidential Information of Contributing Party includes, subject to the limitation below, Personally Identifiable Information and Criminal Justice Information. Confidential Information for purposes of this MOU does not include information with access restricted to certain users or teams within PROSECUTORbyKarpel by the Contributing Party.

**Contributing Party** - A Prosecuting Attorney's Office that is a party to this MOU.



**Criminal Justice Information** - Any information collected and retained by each Contributing Party within PROSECUTORbyKarpelpelandsecurely cached on HOSTEDbyKarpelfor use by Statewide Search. Criminal Justice Information shall be considered Confidential Information. Criminal Justice Information includes limited information regarding defendants, co-defendants, court dates, charges, cases, and law enforcement referrals.

**HOSTEDbyKarpel** - Application and database delivery platform and website used by PROSECUTORbyKarpel to securely cache Confidential Information, Personally Identifiable Information, and Criminal Justice Information delivered through the Statewide Search function.

**Information** - Includes Confidential Information, Personally Identifiable Information and Criminal Justice Information.

**Personally Identifiable Information** - Means any information that may be used to identify specific persons or individuals, which is collected by each Contributing Party for use in conjunction with the use of PROSECUTORbyKarpel and Statewide Search on HOSTEDbyKarpel. Personally Identifiable Information shall be considered Confidential Information. Personally Identifiable Information includes pedigree information used to identify specific persons or individuals and may include but is not limited to date of birth, social security numbers, addresses, and alias names.

**PROSECUTORbyKarpel** - Means the PROSECUTORbyKarpel criminal case management system and specifically each Contributing Party's licensed copy of PROSECUTORbyKarpel.

**Statewide Search** - Functionality contained in PROSECUTOR by Karpel that allows each Contributing Party to query or search defendant information, co-defendant information, court dates charge and case information of other Contributing Parties.

#### **Purpose**

The Contributing Parties and Karpel Solutions agree that criminal history and case information currently available through other law enforcement and public portals is inadequate and sometimes incomplete.

The Contributing Parties and Karpel Solutions agree that the sharing of information between each Contributing Party will benefit criminal justice statewide as it will allow for better charging, filing and case disposition decisions.

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to establish permissions and guidelines for the use of Personally Identifiable Information, Confidential Information, and Criminal Justice



Information data the parties agree to share between each other and Karpel Solutions in connection with the Statewide Search function inside PROSECUTORbyKarpel that is housed in a secure database on HOSTEDbyKarpel.

In addition to the permissions and guidelines the purpose of the Statewide Search function is multifold:

- Defendant information Provide a mechanism for each Contributing Party to search and view basic defendant pedigree information that is contained in each Contributing Party's installation of PROSECUTORbyKarpel and that is cached in a secure database on HOSTEDbyKarpel accessible only from inside PROSECUTORbyKarpel.
- Charge and Case information Provide a mechanism for each Contributing Party to search and view defendant charge, referral and basic case information contained in each Contributing Party's installation of PROSECUTORbyKarpel and that is cached in a secure database on HOSTEDbyKarpel that is accessible only from inside PROSECUTORbyKarpel.
  - Co-Defendant information Provide a mechanism for each Contributing Party to search and view co-defendant information and associations that are contained in each Contributing Party's installation of PROSECUTORbyKarpel and that is cached in a secure database on HOSTEDbyKarpel that is accessible only from inside PROSECUTORbyKarpel.
- 3. Court Dates provide a mechanism for each Contributing Party to search and view court date information for cases that are contained in each Contributing Party's installation of PROSECUTORbyKarpel and that is cached in a secure database on HOSTEDbyKarpel that is accessible only from inside PROSECUTORbyKarpel.

#### Ownership, Entry and Maintenance of Information

1. Each Contributing Party retains sole ownership of, exclusive control over, and sole responsibility over all the information it contributes through Statewide Search including Confidential Information, Personally Identifiable Information and Criminal Justice Information, and may at any time update, correct or delete any information contained in PROSECUTORbyKarpel. Any changes made to Information in PROSECUTORbyKarpel by the Contributing Party will be reflected in the Information shared through Statewide Search. Information shared through Statewide Search cannot be altered by the



Contributing Party independent of PROSECUTORbyKarpel. All entries into Statewide Search are clearly delineated to identify the jurisdiction or Contributing Party.

- Each Contributing Party has the sole responsibility and accountability for ensuring the
  information it enters into PROSECUTORbyKarpel and subsequently shared through
  Statewide Search was not obtained in violation of any federal, state, local or tribal law
  applicable to the Contributing Party.
- 3. Each Contributing Party has the sole responsibility and accountability for ensuring compliance with all applicable laws, regulations, policies and procedures applicable to the party's entry of information in PROSECUTORbyKarpel that is subsequently shared through Statewide Search and cached by Karpel Solutions on HOSTEDbyKarpel.
- 4. As information entered into PROSECUTORbyKarpel and subsequently shared through Statewide Search is separately maintained by each Contributing Party in their separate installation of PROSECUTORbyKarpel, and for which each Contributing Party is solely responsible and accountable. Information is not alterable or changeable on in the Statewide Search database in any way by any other Contributing Party.
- 5. Statewide Search is only populated with loaned information derived from each Contributing Party and is not intended to be an official repository of original records, or to be used as a substitute for one, nor is the information contained in Statewide Search accorded any independent record status. Statewide Search is merely an application to facilitate the sharing of copies of the information outlined above that is contributed from already existing records contained in each Contributing Party's installation of PROSECUTORbyKarpel.
- 6. Each Contributing Party agrees to treat information shared through Statewide Search, including Confidential Information, Personally Identifiable Information, and Criminal Justice Information as confidential to the extent as authorized by law.



#### Access to and Use of Information

- Each Contributing Party will contribute Confidential Information, Personally Identifiable
  Information, and Criminal Justice Information automatically through
  PROSECUTORbyKarpel. Each Contributing party agrees and permits other Contributing
  Parties to access and use through the Statewide Search function such Confidential
  Information, Personally Identifiable Information, and Criminal Justice Information.
- 2. Each Contributing Party will have access via PROSECUTOR by Karpel through the Statewide Search function to Information securely cached on HOSTED by Karpel for use by Statewide Search.
- 3. Each Contributing Party agrees and understands that cases, persons, and other Information that is given an authorization level by each Contributing Party within PROSECUTORbyKarpel is not subject to dissemination to other Contributing Parties through Statewide Search. Such cases, persons and Information that are assigned specific users or teams (authorizations) through PROSECUTORbyKarpel authorization levels are excluded in Statewide Search results.
- 4. Prosecution Offices that are not Contributing Parties are not eligible to use Statewide Search function through PROSECUTORbyKarpel and will not have direct access to Statewide Search within PROSECUTORbyKarpel.
- 5. Each Contributing Party is responsible for providing Internet connectivity to use Statewide Search.
- 6. Karpel Solutions is responsible for securely caching Information for use by the Statewide Search function. Karpel Solutions houses Information within a secured datacenter that is CJIS compliant and SAS70 audited. Multiple levels of security are in place to access the physical systems along with multiple levels of authentication. All systems are backed up and a copy of those backups is kept in two different locations. Additionally, an outside third-party security audit is performed annually, testing both the network and application layers.
- 7. Karpel Solutions is responsible for providing a secure method of delivery of the Information that is requested through Statewide Search. Karpel Solutions accomplishes this by providing the information in an encrypted stream through SSL (Secure Sockets



Layer) that is only accessible by Contributing Parties with the necessary GUID (Globally Unique Identifier) to access such Information.

- 8. Each Contributing Party has the sole responsibility and accountability for ensuring that the use of the Statewide Search function conforms with laws, regulations, policies and procedures applicable to the Contributing Party.
- 9. All Contributing Parties and Karpel Solutions agree that any information that is accessed through Statewide Search may only be disseminated only in the furtherance of a legitimate law enforcement investigation or criminal prosecution.
- 10. Karpel Solutions is allowed to use Statewide Search for demonstration purposes showing only fictitious Information.

#### **Effective Date, Duration, Modification and Termination**

- 1. As among the Contributing Parties and Karpel Solutions, this MOU shall become effective when authorized representatives of each Contributing Party signs it.
- 2. This MOU shall remain in force for each Contributing Party as long as they continue to use PROSECUTORbyKarpel.
- 3. This MOU may be modified or altered upon the mutual written consent of the duly authorized representatives of each Contributing Party and Karpel Solutions. However, Karpel Solutions and the Contributing Parties may modify, address and resolve technical and operational details with regards to the functionality of Statewide Search and PROSECUTORbyKarpel that relate to this MOU provided that such does not conflict with this MOU.
- 4. This MOU may be terminated at any time by the mutual written agreement of the authorized representatives of all the parties. A duly authorized representative of a Contributing Party may also terminate participation in the MOU upon thirty (30) day written notice to all other parties. Karpel Solutions may terminate the provision of Statewide Search to the Contributing Parties upon thirty (30) day written notice to all the Contributing Parties. A Contributing Party's participation may also be terminated involuntarily if not in compliance with the terms of this MOU.



5. Upon termination of this MOU, Karpel Solutions agrees to return or destroy all data that is cached on HOSTEDbyKarpel for use by the Statewide Search function.

**SO AGREED,** the parties below have executed this MOU by the signatures of the authorized representative of the Contributing Party on the dates indicated below.

Karpel Solutions
Signature
-
Printed Name
Timed Name
Title
Date



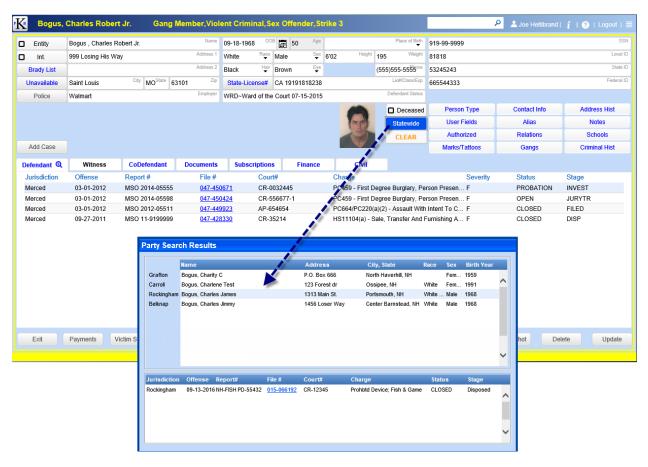
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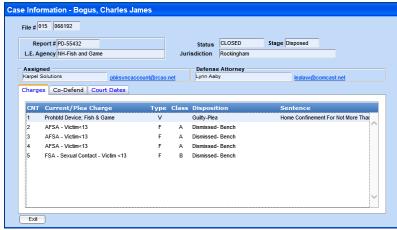
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#### **Statewide Data Sharing Portal Details**

When PROSECUTORbyKarpel recognizes identical Persons in the Statewide Data Sharing Portal, the Statewide button will automatically turn blue. Selecting the Statewide button will show the data in the portal as seen below.





# DULUTH CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE DULUTH, MN

**HOSTEDbyKarpel AGREEMENT FOR** 



HOSTEDbyKarpel®



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This agreement is between Karpel Computer Systems Inc., a Missouri corporation, doing business as Karpel Solutions (hereinafter referred to as "Karpel Solutions") and the City of Duluth, a Minnesota municipal corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Client"). Pursuant to this Agreement, Karpel Solutions agrees to provide internet based software hosting through HOSTEDbyKarpel of the copyrighted software program known as PROSECUTORbyKarpel® that has been licensed to Client.

#### 1. **DEFINITIONS**

- a. "Confidential Information" means information of either Karpel Solutions or Client which is disclosed under this Agreement in oral, written, graphic, machine recognizable, electronic, sample or any other visually perceptible form by one of us to the other, and which is considered to be proprietary or trade secret by the disclosing party. Confidential Information of Karpel Solutions expressly includes, without limitation, the Software and Documentation. The Confidential Information of Client includes, without limitation, Personally Identifiable Information and Client Content. Confidential Information shall not include information which the party receiving the information can document: (i) was in the possession of or known by it without an obligation of confidentiality prior to receipt of the information, (ii) is or becomes general public knowledge through no act or fault of the party receiving the information, (iii) is or becomes lawfully available to the receiving party from a third party without an obligation of confidentiality, or (iv) is independently developed by the receiving party without the use of any Confidential Information.
- b. "Client Content" means all data, information, documents, and file Client uploads or inputs into PbK on the Service through the website, including, without limitation, Personally Identifiable Information.
- c. "Enhancements" means any specific configurations or customizations to the Software, which Client may request and Karpel Solutions agrees in writing to provide.
- d. "Documentation" means any operating instructions, specifications and other documentation related to the operation, description and function of PbK, the Service or Website provided by Karpel Solutions whether supplied in paper or electronic form.
- e. "Intellectual Property" means any patents, patent applications, copyrights, mask works, trademarks, service marks, trade names, domain names, inventions, improvements (whether patentable or not), trade secrets, Confidential Information, moral rights, and any other intellectual property rights.
- f. "Hosted" or "Hosting" means the act of providing service and access to Client Content by the Internet.
- g. "Personally Identifiable Information" means any information that may be used to identify specific persons or individuals, which is collected by either Karpel Solutions or Client for use in conjunction with the use of PbK or DbK on HOSTEDbyKarpel. Personally Identifiable Information shall be considered Confidential Information.



- h. "PbK" means the PROSECUTORbyKarpel criminal case management system and specifically the Client's licensed copy of PROSECUTORbyKarpel
- i. "DbK" means the DEFENDERbyKarpel public defender case management system and specifically the Client's licensed copy of DEFENDERbyKarpel.
- j. "Service" means the HOSTEDbyKarpel hosting platform provided by Karpel Solutions which allows internet-based hosting of the Client's licensed copy of PbK through the Website.
- k. "Service Level Requirements" means the technical service levels Karpel Solutions shall meet for Services as set forth below in the Service Level Commitments for the delivery of the Services.
- "Software" means the Client's licensed copy of the PbK application, and includes any and all updates, enhancements, underlying technology or content, law enforcement transfer interfaces, other Enhancements and any Documentation as may be provided the Client by Karpel Solutions.
- m. "Website" means the content and functionality currently located at the domain www.hostedbykarpel.com on the internet, or any successor or related domain that provides access to the Software and Service

#### 2. FEES AND TERMS

- a. FEES. Client will pay Karpel Solutions \$100 per year for each user that has access to the Software through the Service and Website. A total of twenty (20) users of Client are authorized access to the Service under this Agreement and the aggregate document / file storage space for all users included with the hosted fee is two terabytes (2TB) of storage. Additional users can be added at any time by Client at a rate of \$100 per year. If storage exceeds 2TB, any additional storage above 2TB will be billed at a flat rate of \$1,000 per 1TB, per year with no additional notice provided to the Client. Client will be billed on an annual basis.
  - Client will pay Karpel Solutions a flat one-time fee of \$1,000.00 for the migration of their PbK licensed copy to the Service accessible through the Website.
- b. TERM. The term of this Agreement shall be for (1) year and will begin upon Karpel Solutions' receipt of Client's full payment of the applicable fees for a year. Prior to the expiration of the term, Karpel Solutions will send Client a renewal invoice, which must be paid in full within thirty (30) days from the date of the invoice. Pricing of subsequent annual terms may be subject to change at the sole discretion of Karpel Solutions.

#### 3. SERVICE LEVEL COMMITMENT

a. UPTIME. Karpel Solutions is committed to providing the Software, Website and Service in a consistent and reliable manner. Karpel Solutions will provide the Software, Website and Service to Client with a stated minimum uptime of 99.5% to Client.



- b. SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE. Karpel Solutions periodically performs scheduled maintenance including but not limited to outline, preventative or emergency maintenance of the Software, Website, and/or Service. Client understands that schedule maintenance may affect availability of the Service, Website, and/or Software. If schedule maintenance is to be performed Karpel Solutions will provide notice to Client three (3) days prior to the scheduled maintenance. Karpel Solutions will make every effort to schedule maintenance outside of normal business hours of the client between the hours of ten (10) p.m. and five (5) a.m. Central Standard Time.
- c. DATA RETENTION AND BACKUPS. As a part of the Service and Website, Karpel Solutions will maintain under this Agreement consistent, regular and validated backup both onsite and offsite of the Client Content, Confidential Information and Software. Backups occur and will be maintained pursuant to Karpel Solutions internal backup policies. Upon written request, Karpel Solutions will make available to Client a copy of Karpel Solutions' current backup policies and procedures.
- d. AUDITS AND SECURITY. Karpel Solutions is committed to maintaining the security of Client Content, Confidential Information, and Software on Karpel Solutions' Service and Website. Karpel Solutions will maintain the Software, Website and Service in a secure manner subject to the Customer Obligations outlined below. Karpel Solutions will perform annual security audits of the Website and Service to ensure the integrity and security of the Website and Service. Results of the Audits and Security Policy for Karpel Solutions will be made available to Client upon written request.
- e. DATA TRANSMISSION. Karpel Solutions ensures that all data transmitted to and from the Service and Website is transmitted at a minimum level of 128-bit SSL encryption using digital certificates issued by an internationally-recognized domain registrar and certificate authority.
- f. DATA LOCATION. Karpel Solutions will maintain the Service, Software, Client Content and Confidential Information of Client in a SAS 70/SSAE 16 certified data facility.

#### 4. CUSTOMER OBLIGATIONS

- a. PASSWORD PROTECTION. Access to the Software through the Service and Website is password-protected. Karpel Solutions provides multiple authentication alternatives for access to the Website and Software. KARPEL SOLUTIONS STRONGLY ENCOURAGES THE USE OF STRONG PASSWORD AUTHENTICATION. Karpel Solutions is not responsible for Client's use of the Service, Website or Software. Only the number of users set forth above may access the Service and Website. Client must inform their users that they are subject to, and must comply with, all of the terms of this Agreement. Client is fully responsible for the activities of Client's employees and authorized agents who access the Service and Website. Karpel Solutions is not liable for any unauthorized access to the Service and Website, that is caused by failure of Client to protect the login and password information of users.
- b. RESTRICTIONS ON USE. Client agrees to conduct all activities on the Service and Website in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Access to the Service, Website,



Software and Documentation must be solely for Client's own internal use. Client may not (and may not allow any third party to) (i) decompile, mirror, translate, disassemble or otherwise reverse engineer any part of the Software, source code, algorithms, or underlying ideas of the Software; (ii) provide, lease, lend, subcontract, sublicense, re-publish or use for timesharing, service bureau or hosting purposes any or all of the Software or Documentation; or (iii) reproduce, modify, copy, distribute, publish, display or create derivative works of any or all of the Software or Documentation or (iv) alter, remove, or obscure any copyright, trademark or other proprietary notices or confidentiality legends on or in the Software or Documentation.

c. SUSPENSION. Karpel Solutions reserves the right to immediately suspend access to Software without notice and at any time that Karpel Solutions suspects or has reason to suspect a security, data breach or if suspension is necessary to protect its rights, Client's rights or the rights of a third party. Karpel Solutions will immediately contact Client upon suspension of the Service and Website.

#### 5. CONFIDENTIALITY

CONFIDENTIALITY. Confidential Information may not be, directly or indirectly, copied, reproduced, or distributed by either party to the Agreement receiving the Confidential Information except to the extent necessary for the receiving party to perform under the terms of this Agreement or applicable law and only for the sole benefit of the party disclosing the Confidential Information. The party to the Agreement receiving Confidential Information may not, directly or indirectly, sell, license, lease, assign, transfer or disclose the Confidential Information of the disclosing party, except as allowed under the terms of this Agreement, applicable law, or upon written consent of the disclosing party.

- a. PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION. The parties recognize that certain data Client or Karpel Solutions may use in conjunction with the Software may be confidential Personally Identifiable Information. Karpel Solutions shall use all best efforts to protect the confidentiality of Personally Identifiable Information. Karpel Solutions shall have no liability for disclosure of Personally Identifiable Information caused by Client's own negligence or misconduct.
- b. DISCLOSURE REQUIRED BY LAW. In the event that any Confidential Information is required to be disclosed pursuant to any law, code, regulation or court order from a court of competent jurisdiction, the receiving party shall give the disclosing party immediate written notice of such requirement and shall use its best efforts to seek or to cooperate with the disclosing party in seeking a protective order with respect to the Confidential Information requested.

#### 6. OWNERSHIP OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

a. KARPEL SOLUTIONS OWNERSHIP. Karpel Solutions retains all right, title and interest in and to the Software, Documentation, Website, Service and related Intellectual Property. Any suggestions, solutions, improvements, corrections or other contributions Client provides



regarding the Software, Documentation, Website or Services will become the property of Karpel Solutions and Client hereby assigns all such rights to Karpel Solutions without charge.

b. CLIENT OWNERSHIP. Client retains all rights, title and interest in and to the Client Content. Client hereby grants to Karpel Solutions and Karpel Solutions hereby accepts a non-exclusive, non-transferable, worldwide, fully-paid license to use, copy, and modify the Client Content solely to the extent necessary and for the sole purposes of providing access to the Software, Documentation, Website, and Services or otherwise complying with its obligations under this Agreement.

#### 7. WARRANTY

- a. LIMITED WARRANTY. Karpel Solutions warrants it will provide the Services and Website in a professional manner by qualified personnel. Karpel Solutions warrants it has the requisite power and authority to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement. Karpel Solutions warrants that the performance by Karpel Solutions of any services described in the Agreement shall be in compliance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations. Karpel Solutions warrants it will provide access to and use of the Software, Service and Website in material accordance with the Service Level Commitment outlined above. No representations or warranties as to the use, functionality or operation of the Website, Software, or Service are made by Karpel Solutions other than as expressly stated in this Agreement.
- b. INTERNET. Karpel Solutions makes the Website, Software and Services available to Client through the internet to the extent commercially reasonable, and subject to outages, communication and data flow failures, interruptions and delays inherent in Internet communications. Client recognizes that problems with the Internet, including equipment, software and network failures, impairments or congestion, or the configuration of Client's computer systems, may prevent, interrupt or delay Client's access to the Service, Website or Software. Karpel Solutions is not liable for any delays, interruptions, suspensions or unavailability of the Website or Software attributable to problems with the Internet or the configuration of Client's computer systems or network.
- c. SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS. Karpel Solutions provides the Services and Website based upon the system requirements as specified by Karpel Solutions for Client. Karpel Solutions has no liability for any failure of the Services or the Software based upon Client's failure to comply with the system requirements of Karpel Solutions.
- d. WARRANT LIMITATION. The warranties set forth in this Agreement do not apply if non-compliance is caused by, or has resulted from (i) Client's failure to use any new or corrected versions of the Software or Documentation made available by Karpel Solutions, (ii) use of the Software or Documentation by Client for any purpose other than that authorized in this Agreement, (iii) use of the Software or Documentation in combination with other software, data or products that are defective, incompatible with, or not authorized in writing by Karpel Solutions for use with the Software or Documentation, (iv) misuse of the Software or Documentation by, (v) any malfunction of Client's software, hardware, computers, computer-related equipment or network connection, (vi) any modification of the Software



not performed by or otherwise authorized by Karpel Solutions in writing, or (vii) an event of Force Majeure.

- e. DISCLAIMER. THE FOREGOING WARRANTIES ARE EXCLUSIVE AND ARE MADE IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EITHER EXPRESS AND IMPLIED, WHICH ARE HEREBY DISCLAIMED, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF NONINFRINGEMENT, TITLE, MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AND ANY WARRANTIES ARISING OUT OF A USE IN TRADE OR COURSE OF DEALING OR PERFORMANCE. KARPEL SOLUTIONS DOES NOT WARRANT (i) THAT ACCESS TO OR USE OF ALL OR ANY PART OF THE SERVICE, SOFTWARE, DOCUMENTATION OR WEBSITE WILL BE CONTINUOUS, ERROR-FREE OR UNINTERRUPTED, (ii) THAT THE RESULTS ARISING OUT OF CLIENT'S USE OF THE SOFTWARE, DOCUMENTATION OR WEBSITE WILL BE ACCURATE, COMPLETE OR ERROR-FREE, OR (iii) THAT THE SERVICE, SOFTWARE, DOCUMENTATION OR WEBSITE WILL MEET CLIENT'S NEEDS.
- f. EXCLUSIVE REMEDIES. If the Website, or Services provided under this Agreement does not materially comply with the requirements stated in the Limited Warranty Section outlined above, Karpel Solutions sole obligation shall be to correct or modify the Website or Services, at no additional charge. If Karpel Solutions determines it is unable to correct what is non-conforming, Client's sole remedy will be to receive a refund of the fees paid for the non-conforming or Services, even if such remedy fails of its essential purpose. You may also terminate this Agreement as set forth in the termination provision of this Agreement.

#### 8. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

KARPEL SOLUTIONS IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOSS OF DATA, COST OF PROCUREMENT OF SUBSTITUTE GOODS, SPECIAL, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, EXEMPLARY, PUNITIVE, OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF ANY BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT, EVEN IF KARPEL SOLUTIONS HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. THIS LIMITATION APPLIES TO ALL CAUSES OF ACTION, WHETHER ASSERTED ON THE BASIS OF CONTRACT, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE OR STRICT LIABILITY), STATUTE OR OTHERWISE. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY STATED, ALL REMEDIES AVAILABLE UNDER THIS AGREEMENT AND ALL REMEDIES PROVIDED BY LAW, WILL BE DEEMED CUMULATIVE AND NOT EXCLUSIVE. REGARDLESS OF THE FORM OF ANY CLAIM CLIENT MAY HAVE ARISING UNDER OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT, KARPEL SOLUTIONS LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGES SHALL NOT EXCEED THE FEES CLIENT HAS PAID TO KARPEL SOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO THIS AGREEMENT IN THE PRIOR TWELVE (12) MONTHS.

#### 9. INDEMNIFICATION

a. CLIENT'S INDEMNIFICATION. Client will indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Karpel Solutions from and against any and all liability, damage, loss or expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising out of (i) any claim, demand, action or proceeding, statutory or otherwise, based on allegations arising as a result of use of the Website, Software, Documentation or Services in a manner not expressly described or permitted by this Agreement, (ii) use of the Website, Software, Documentation or Services in any unlawful manner or for any unlawful purpose, (iii) Karpel Solutions' use of Client Content that infringes any third party Intellectual Property, or (iv) Karpel Solutions' use of Client



Content as permitted by this Agreement that violates the privacy rights or the rights to Personally Identifiable Information of a third party.

b. KARPEL SOLULTIONS' INDEMNIFICATION. Karpel Solutions will at its own expense (including payment of attorneys' fees) defend Client in the event that any suit is brought against Client based on a claim that the Software directly infringes any valid U.S. Intellectual Property right and shall indemnify Client from any amounts assessed against Client in a resulting judgment or settlement of such claims. Karpel Solutions will not be liable for any cost or expense of defense Client incurs in connection with any such suit or claim, without Karpel Solutions' prior and specific authorization and consent.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, Karpel Solutions has no obligations under this Section in the event any infringement claim is solely or in part based upon or arising out of any modification or alteration to the Software not made by Karpel Solutions, (ii) any combination or use of the Software with products, hardware or services not supplied by Karpel Solutions or approved in writing by Karpel Solutions in advance of such combination, (iii) Client's continuance of allegedly infringing activity after being notified of such activity, or after being informed of modifications that would have avoided the alleged infringement, (iv) Client's failure to use corrections or enhancements made available by Karpel Solutions, (v) use of the Software not in accordance with the applicable Documentation or outside the scope of this Agreement, or (vi) the use of the Software in a manner for which it was neither designed nor contemplated.

Karpel Solutions' aggregate liability and obligation under this Section will be will not exceed the fees Client has paid to Karpel Solutions under this Agreement in the previous twelve (12) months. The foregoing remedies constitute Client's sole and exclusive remedies, and Karpel Solutions' entire liability and obligation, with respect to any suit or claim for infringement or misappropriation of third-party Intellectual Property or other right by the license and/or use of the Software.

c. NOTIFICATION. The indemnification obligations set forth above will apply only if and to the extent (i) the indemnified party gives prompt written notice to the indemnifying party of the assertion of any such claims, demands, action or proceeding, (ii) the indemnifying party has the right to select counsel and control the defense and all negotiations for settlement thereof and (iii) the indemnified party provides all reasonable information, assistance and cooperation required to defend such claim, demand, action or proceeding. The indemnifying party shall not settle or dispose of any such claim, demand, action or proceeding without written notification to the indemnified party provided the settlement or disposal materially adversely impacts the indemnified party.

#### **10. TERMINATION**

TERMINATION. Either Party may terminate this Agreement with at least 90 days' advance written notice to other Party.

a. RIGHTS AFTER EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, Karpel Solutions will immediately terminate Client's access to and use of the Website, Documentation, and Services. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement,



each party shall immediately cease to make use of any Confidential Information received from the other party. Within thirty (30) days of written request following termination or expiration of this Agreement, Karpel Solutions shall coordinate with Client a mutual agreeable manner for the return of Client Content and Confidential Information obtained or shared during the course of the Agreement. Client understands that upon any termination or expiration of this Agreement, Client must return to Karpel Solutions (or destroy and certify such destruction in writing) any Documentation or other materials provided by Karpel Solutions, whether in written or electronic form, regarding the Website, Software or Services provided under this Agreement. Termination is not an exclusive remedy.

#### 11. GENERAL PROVISIONS

ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement will inure to the benefit of and be binding upon Karpel Solutions and Client and Karpel Solutions' respective successors and assigns. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Client may not assign or otherwise transfer this Agreement or Client's rights and obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of Karpel Solutions, and any purported assignment or other transfer without such consent will be void and of no force or effect.

- a. MODIFICATION AND WAIVER; SEVERABILITY. Any modifications of this Agreement must be in writing and signed by both parties. A waiver by either party of a term or condition will not be deemed a waiver of any other or subsequent term or condition. Should any court of competent jurisdiction determine that any term or provision of this Agreement is unenforceable, or otherwise invalid, the offending term or provision will be modified to the minimum extent necessary to render it enforceable. If such modification is not possible, the term or provision will be severed from this Agreement with the remaining terms to be enforced to the fullest extent possible under the law.
- b. FORCE MAJEURE. Except for a party's payment obligations hereunder, neither party shall be deemed in default of this Agreement to the extent that performance of its obligations or attempts to cure any breach thereof are delay or prevented by reason of any act of God, government, fire, natural disaster, accident, terrorism, network or telecommunication system failure, sabotage or any other cause beyond the control of such party ("Force Majeure"), provided that such party promptly gives the other party written notice of such Force Majeure.
- c. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS. The parties will be deemed to have the status of independent contractors, and nothing in this Agreement will be deemed to place the parties in the relationship of employer-employee, principal-agent, or partners or joint ventures. Neither party has the authority to bind, commit or make any representations, claims or warranties on behalf of the other party without obtaining the other party's prior written approval.

NOTICES. Any notices provided under this Agreement will be in writing in the English language and will be deemed to have been properly given if delivered personally, sent by mail, or via email to the email address below. Karpel Solutions' address for such notices is set forth below. Client's address for such notices will be the address on file with Karpel Solutions as



provided by Client. Such address or contact information may be revised from time to time by provision of notice as described in this Section.

Karpel Solutions 9717 Landmark Parkway, Suite 200 St. Louis, MO 63127 (314) 892-6300 mziemianski@karpel.com

GOVERNING LAW AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION. This Agreement is to be construed and governed by the laws of the United States and the State of Minnesota, without regard to conflict of law's provisions. Any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, which cannot be settled amicably between the parties must be brought exclusively in the appropriate court located in Minnesota.

#### 12. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

**Karpel Solutions** 

By signing below, Client hereby agrees to the above Agreement. This document constitutes the entire agreement between Client and Karpel Solutions with respect to the subject matter discussed above. This Agreement supersedes and replaces all prior or contemporaneous understandings or agreements, written or oral, regarding this subject matter.

# Signature Printed Name Title



# City of Duluth By:\_\_\_\_\_

Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk

Date Attested:

Approved as to form:

City Attorney

Countersigned:

City Auditor