

**AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO FUELBREAK MAINTENANCE
AND INVASIVE MANAGEMENT CONTRACT BETWEEN
MARIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT and FORSTER AND
KROEGER LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE INC.
(CONTRACT NO. 2050)**

This Contract Amendment ("Amendment No. 2") is entered into by and between Marin Municipal Water District ("District") and Forster and Kroeger Landscape Maintenance Inc. ("Contractor"). For good and valuable consideration the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

Section 1. Recitals:

- A. On September 25th 2025 the District and the Contractor entered into Contract No.2050 for 'BFFIP Vegetation Maintenance' ("Contract") to run through June 30, 2028.
- B. On March 19th, 2026, the District General Manager authorized a correction to CN-2050 to include Section 5 (Contracting/Bid Items) which had been omitted from the original contract.
- C. The Contract contains an option for the District to increase the contract by 25% of the original contract amount.
- D. On June 2, 2026 the District board approved Amendment No. 1 increasing the contract amount by \$323,400 (6.34% of the original \$5,101,440 amount) to support additional Engineering work for the Pump Station Fire Hardening Project.
- E. At this time, the Parties desire to execute an amendment ("Amendment No. 2") to the Contract increasing the contract amount by \$483,000 to support the Nicasio Creek Vegetation Management 2026 Project, bringing the total changes to the original agreement to 15.8% of the original \$5,101,440.

Section 2. Terms:

- A. Amendment to Contract: This Amendment No. 2 modifies the Contract. Except for the modifications contained herein, all the terms of the Contract shall apply.
- B. Terms:
 - 1. EXHIBIT A, Scope of Work, Section 4.1 Work to be done – adding NEW work to include:

4.1.3 'Providing vegetation maintenance and landscaping services to support Nicasio Creek Vegetation Management 2026 Project'
 - 2. Section 4 – Compensation: total contract amount will increase by **\$483,000** from **\$5,424,840 not to exceed \$5,907,840.**

Executed by the parties as follows:

Dated: _____

Forster & Kroeger
By: _____

Raul Garcia, President

Marin Municipal Water District

Dated: _____

By: _____
Bennett Horenstein, General Manager

ATTACHMENT A

CN 2050 Amendment No.2 Scope of Work & Budget

SCOPE OF WORK:

Nicasio Creek Vegetation Management (2026) Project

The Project proposes vegetation thinning downstream at the edge of Nicasio Reservoir and working upstream along Upper Nicasio Creek to Ranch Road Bridge (Figure 2 below), collecting willow poles and stakes, and using the collected cuttings as restoration plantings around the reservoir's perimeter at a location just past where Upper Nicasio Creek enters Nicasio Reservoir (Figure 3 below).

Vegetation removal shall involve vegetation thinning using hand tools along approximately 3,850 linear feet of the Upper Nicasio Creek riparian corridor. The vegetation thinning and removal shall mostly occur within the approximate 100-year floodplain over an approximate 100-foot-wide area above the right bank of Upper Nicasio Creek from Nicasio Reservoir to approximately just beyond Nicasio Elementary School. From the Nicasio Elementary School up to Ranch Road Bridge, vegetation thinning shall occur within the approximate 100-year floodplain on both banks of Upper Nicasio Creek with the work extent width on either side varying. Vegetation removal locations and access roads are depicted in Figure 2. Large mature trees and vegetation larger than 4 inches diameter at breast height (DBH) shall be preserved. Mature trees and vegetation larger than 4 inches DBH shall be limbed by hand and shall primarily occur on branches with a diameter of 4 inches or less. Dead vegetation shall also be removed.

The harvested willow poles and stakes shall be preserved in buckets of water during the vegetation thinning to prevent them from drying out prior to installation at the restoration site. The harvested willow poles and stakes shall be replanted at the selected restoration site toward the end of September or beginning of October. Planting at this time would provide the greatest likelihood of success for the willows. In total, up to approximately 1.7 acres of riparian habitat would be restored by the Project around the Nicasio Reservoir's perimeter (Figure 3 below).

Budget Estimate:

Forster & Kroeger
Landscape Maintenance, Inc.
77 Larkspur Street, San Rafael CA 94901
415-456-6684 office, 415-453-2978 fax

Proposal

Date: 8/20/26 REVISED
Site: Upper Nicasio Creek.

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Description of Work: Vegetation management.

Location of Work: Upper Nicasio Creek and Halleck Creek.

Scope of Work: We will provide 4 crews to perform vegetation management in a nine-acre area, 100 ft on either side of Upper Nicasio Creek and Halleck Creek. The work will include removing vegetation less than 4" at breast height down to the ground in the 100-year flood zone. All willows will be removed, brush and limbing of trees greater than 4" in the flood zone. No roots will be disturbed. Willows will be planted in a 2-acre area along the shoreline of the reservoir. Work is estimated to take 35 working days. If fewer crews or fewer working days are required, the price will be adjusted accordingly.

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| 1. 4 Crew Leaders, 8 hours each (32 hours per day), \$85.00 per hour | \$ 95,200.00 |
| 2. 16 Laborers, 8 hours each (128 hours per day), \$65.00 per hour | \$291,200.00 |
| 3. Disposal fees average \$25.00 per cubic yard | \$TBD |

Total for Labor \$386,400.00

Additional Comments: Price includes all labor, equipment.

Figure 2 Area of Work

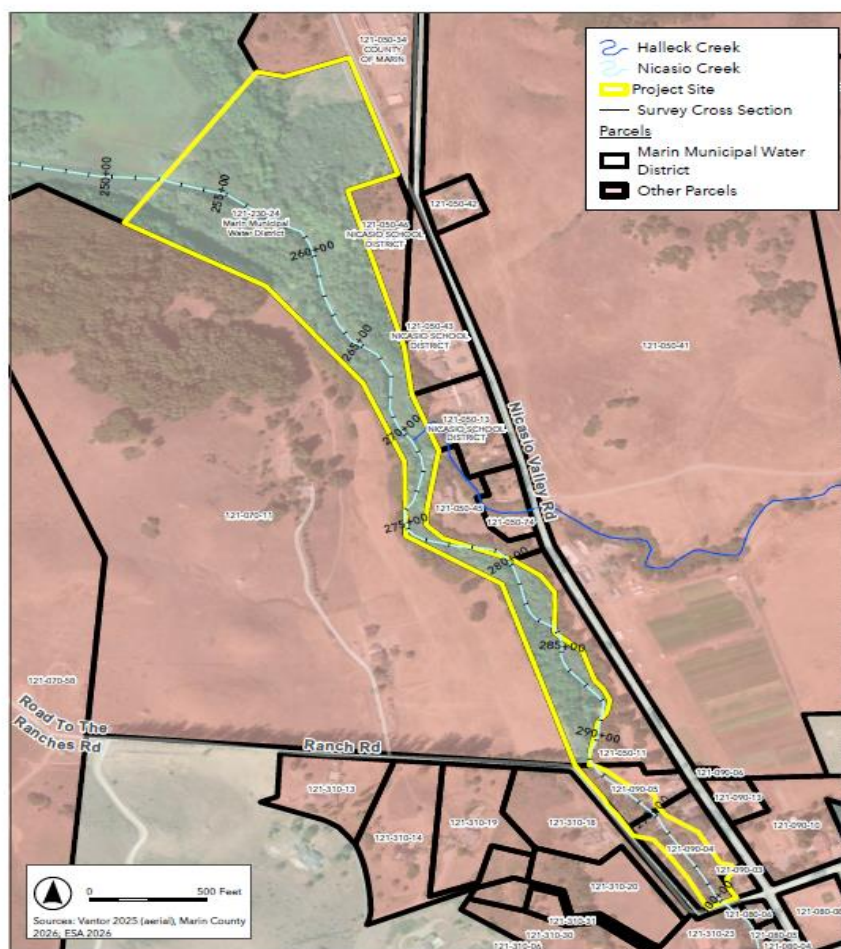


Figure 2
Upper Nicasio Vegetation Maintenance Project
Proposed Work Area



Figure 3 - Willow Planting Area

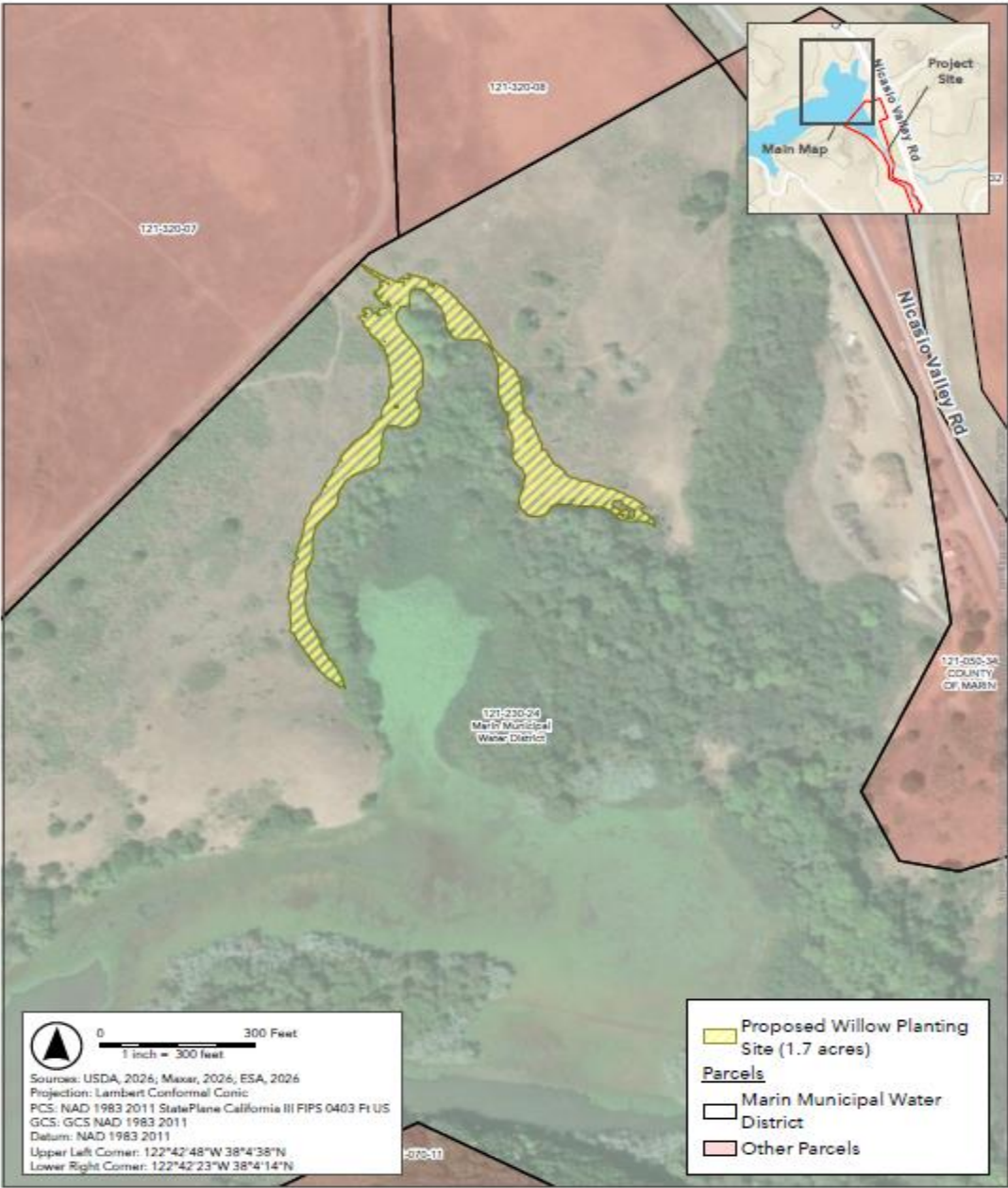


Figure 3
Nicasio Reservoir Vegetation Management Project
Proposed Restoration Planting Site

