

Agenda Item: _____ Contract Renewal
Name of Person Submitting Request: _____ Pam Howlett, Cleveland County Clerk
Address: _____ 201 S. Jones Ste 210
Phone: _____ 405-366-0240
Date Requested: _____ 5/18/2026

Description of Agenda Item Including purpose for consideration by Board of County Commissioners (include type of Motion requested).

Discussion, Consideration, and/or Action to approve the Standard Service Contract for the following: Maintenance Agreement with Cleveland County Clerk and R.K. Black, Inc. for HP M602 MICR Printer ID 44528. Total Care will be \$181.33 per quarter, which includes a base of 4500 MICR black & white copies. Overage charges are at \$.0452 per copy over 4500. This rate includes all parts, labor, toner & internal consumables. Paper is excluded.

 _____ (Chairman)
 _____ (Member)
 _____ (Member)

Attest: _____
 Deputy: _____
 ADA: _____

SERVICE AGREEMENT TERMS & CONDITIONS

- 1. AGREEMENT:** You appoint us and we accept the appointment to provide the services described in this agreement with respect to the equipment listed on the face of this agreement under "Brand / Model" (the "Equipment"). You agree to all of the terms and conditions included herein and in any invoices that we send you under this agreement, which together are a complete statement of the parties' agreement regarding the Equipment (the "Agreement"). This Agreement will become effective upon signing by the parties.
- 2. TERM:** The term of this Agreement begins on the latter of (i) the date of Equipment delivery to you, or (ii) the date that you sign this Agreement, and continues for 1 year. Upon expiration of any term, this Agreement will automatically renew for an additional 1 year term at prevailing rates in effect at the time of each renewal unless either party provides written notice of termination to the other party at least 30 days before the end of any such term. In the event of termination, you are responsible for providing us a final meter reading so we may issue a final invoice for services. If you do not provide us a final meter reading, you agree to accept our estimate based on your typical usage over the previous six (6) months.
- 3. YOUR OBLIGATIONS:** You agree to maintain the Equipment in a safe, suitable operating environment to include (a) clean, consistent and appropriate power; (b) temperature between 60 & 90 degrees Fahrenheit; (c) relative humidity between 50% & 80%; and (d) a reasonable amount of space for us to make any necessary inspections or repairs. You agree to maintain these conditions at your expense. You agree to (a) allow us access to the Equipment during our normal business hours, 8 am to 5 pm, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays ("Normal Business Hours"); (b) provide accurate Equipment meter readings when requested by us; and (c) to pay us for all services provided under this Agreement.
- 4. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION:** We are responsible for inspecting each item of Equipment within 30 days of assuming service responsibility. If the inspection reveals that any item of Equipment is not in safe or normal operating condition, we will notify you within the next 30 days (or such shorter period as is necessary to avoid material risk of personal injury or property damage), and you will be responsible for bringing that item into safe and normal operating condition. If you request us to do so, we will make necessary repairs in accordance with our standard rates then in effect for such service. We will not be required to provide maintenance services for any item of Equipment that you do not maintain in a safe and normal operating condition.
- 5. GENERAL MAINTENANCE:** If you selected the General Maintenance Plan, we will provide parts, labor, preventative maintenance & travel during our Normal Business Hours. General Maintenance does not include toner, image and fusing kits, paper or staples. If, in our reasonable discretion, the Equipment needs chronic, excessive repair ("Nonconforming Equipment"), we will notify you and we will no longer be responsible for service under this Agreement.
- 6. TOTALCARE COVERAGE:** If you selected the TotalCare Plan, you will receive the General Maintenance services plus a reasonable supply of toner (based on your typical monthly copy volume & manufacturer's projected toner yield). You are responsible for purchasing your own paper and staples. Upon request, we will ship you toner in quantities consistent with your actual use. All toner remains our property until used in the Equipment. If we determine in our reasonable discretion that you have requested an excessive amount of toner, we reserve the right to reduce the amount to be shipped or to charge you for the excess toner, in which case you agree to pay us for the excess toner at our normal retail price. Upon termination of this Agreement, you agree to return unused toner or to pay us for it at our normal retail price.
- 7. CONNECTIVITY & LINE FILTER:** If you selected the Annual Connectivity Option, we will provide 1 year of Connectivity Support beyond the initial installation. Annual Connectivity Support includes installation and configuration of workstations or servers for print / scan / fax software, reinstallation, troubleshooting of compatibility issues, and end user training. Annual Connectivity Support does not include any network transport media issues, server or workstation operating system configuration or modification, custom integration with any third party software or hardware, or support for any workstation not physically located at your site. If you purchased a Line Filter, your rights and remedies relating to your use of the Line Filter are provided by the manufacturer's warranty.
- 8. CHARGES:** We will invoice you in advance on a periodic basis for the amount listed on the face of this Agreement under "Base Price", and in arrears for any Black & White or Color images that exceed the number of images included, if any, in the Base Price, at the "per image" rate specified under "Overage". For purposes of this Agreement, 2-sided images and/or images on paper larger than legal size (8.5" X 14") will count as two images. Charges for maintenance services not covered by this Agreement will be invoiced at our standard parts and labor rates in effect at the time the service is performed. Images made on loaner equipment will be charged at the rate listed on the face of this Agreement. Sales Tax: You agree to pay sales tax on service billings as required by Oklahoma law. Freight: You agree to pay freight for supplies provided to you under a TotalCare Plan at a rate equal to 3% of the sum of the Base and Overage amounts invoiced. If you have any delinquent invoices for products or services that we sell or lease to you, we may refuse to provide service to you and/or terminate this Agreement and any other Agreement that we have with you. You agree to pay us all costs of collection, including reasonable attorneys' fees. Delinquent invoices will bear interest at the rate of 1.5% per month until paid.
- 9. SERVICE EXCLUSIONS:** We may decline to provide maintenance services with respect to the following: (a) any service for Equipment not identified on the face of this Agreement under "Brand / Model" or not subsequently approved by us in writing for coverage under this Agreement; (b) any Nonconforming Equipment; (c) any maintenance or repair service to be provided by you; (d) Equipment that you have moved to a location deemed unreasonable by us; (e) any service or downtime caused by (i) a condition that was triggered or subject to a product recall, (ii) a design, specification or instruction provided by you or your representative, (iii) your failure to fulfill your responsibilities under this Agreement, (iv) the failure of anyone other than us to comply with our written instructions or recommendations, (v) your combining the Equipment with any incompatible item, (vi) any alteration or improper storage, handling, use or maintenance of any part of the Equipment by anyone other than us, (vii) design or manufacturing defects in any items, (viii) anything external to the Equipment not being serviced by us including, without limitation, a building or structural deficiency, power surge, fluctuation or failure, and air conditioning failure, or (ix) anything beyond our reasonable control other than service necessitated by normal Equipment usage.
- 10. DEFAULT & REMEDIES:** If you default in the performance of any of your obligations under this Agreement or any other agreement with us, we may (a) enforce this Agreement, (b) recover damages for the default, and (c) exercise any other remedy available to us. If we refer this Agreement to an attorney for collection, you agree to pay our reasonable attorneys' fees and actual costs and expenses of collection. You agree that any delay or failure by us to enforce our rights under this Agreement does not prevent us from enforcing our rights at a later time. No remedy set out in this paragraph is intended to be exclusive. Each remedy will be cumulative but only to the extent necessary for us to recover from you what you owe us.
- 11. DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTY / LIMITATION OF LIABILITY: WE EXPRESSLY DISCLAIM ANY AND ALL WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, STATUTORY OR OTHERWISE, RELATED TO THE PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT OR RELATED TO THE LINE FILTER, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION THE WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. YOU AGREE THAT WE WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE TO PAY YOU ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, EXEMPLARY OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES FOR ANY DEFAULT BY US.**
- 12. THIRD PARTY SOFTWARE:** Despite any other terms and conditions of the Agreement, you agree that this Agreement does not provide service for any third party software that may be delivered with or installed on the Equipment. You agree that your use of such third party software is governed by the terms and conditions of the end user license agreement for the third party software.
- 13. ASSIGNMENT:** You will not assign any of your rights or obligations under this Agreement without our prior written consent, which will not be unreasonably withheld. We may assign our rights and obligations under this Agreement without obtaining your permission. This Agreement will inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and permitted assigns of the parties. This Agreement, together with any invoices we send you, constitutes the entire Agreement of the parties with respect to its subject matter. This Agreement supersedes any and all other agreements, either oral or written, between the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement.
- 14. CONSENT TO LAW, JURISDICTION & VENUE:** This Agreement, including amendments and related invoices, will be governed by and construed in accordance with Oklahoma law, without giving effect to any principle of conflicts of law or choice of law. The parties agree that the venue for any legal action arising out of this Agreement will be in Oklahoma County, Oklahoma. If any provision of this Agreement is declared unenforceable, the other provisions herein will remain in effect.
- 15. DISPUTE RESOLUTION:** Either party will have the right to cause any dispute between us to be resolved by binding arbitration in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association or the rules of such other recognized third party as the parties may agree. The decision to refer a dispute to arbitration will not preclude either of us from seeking appropriate injunctive relief in court if necessary to prevent irreparable harm. The prevailing party in any legal or arbitration proceeding will be entitled to recover all of its costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees.

Client Initials: Q.H.

Date: 5-12-26