**ORCHESTRA CONTRACT**

**THIS CONTRACT** for the performance of music at the engagement described below, made this [DATE] day of [MONTH YEAR], is between the undersigned Laughing Horse Arts Foundation, dba Valley Musical Theatre (herein called the Purchaser), and the independent contractor (hereinafter called the Contractor).

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| **1. Name of Contractor** |  | | | | |
| **Address** |  | | | | |
| **City** |  | **State** |  | **Zip** |  |
| **Phone** |  | **Soc. Sec. #** | **- -** | | |
| **Instrument(s)** |  | **Email** |  | | |

1. **Event, date, time, and location of engagement:**
   1. Valley Musical Theatre's [YEAR] production of **[INSERT SHOW TITLE]**
   2. Dress Rehearsals: **[INSERT DATES/TIMES]**
   3. Performances: **[INSERT DATES/TIMES]**
   4. Location of rehearsals and performances: **[INSERT LOCATION OR TBD]**
2. **Honorarium:** $[AMOUNT]
3. **PAYMENT:** All honorarium and compensation will be in the form of a check issued by the Valley Musical Theatre and will be paid to the contractor within thirty (30) days after completion of all services described herein.

Laughing Horse Arts Foundation dba Valley Musical Theatre is a registered 501c3 organization. If you would like to support VMT’s efforts, you may opt out of the honorarium by designating it a charitable donation to VMT (you will receive a letter acknowledging your gift).

The Contractor shall direct such honorarium and reimbursement to be payable to one of the following (initial one line and check appropriate boxes):

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Please pay honorarium to the Contractor

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Please donate honorarium to Valley Musical Theatre as a charitable donation

1. **Performing materials.**

Immediately following the [INSERT FINAL PERFORMANCE DATE] performance, the Contractor agrees to return all performance materials in the condition in which they were issued. Contractor agrees to pay for any damage or loss of performance materials.

1. **Unavoidable cancellation.**

In the event that the Contractor is incapable of performing the terms of this contract due to proven sickness, acts of God, or any other legitimate condition beyond the Contractor's control, Contractor shall receive no fees under the terms of this Contract.

1. **I have read this contract and understand and agree to the contents.**

Laughing Horse Arts Foundation Contractor

dba Valley Musical Theatre Print Name:

Jessica Solberg Black, Executive Director, VMT

Signature Date Signature Date