### CITY OF MIRAMAR PROPOSED CITY COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

Meeting Date: May 15, 2019

**Presenter's Name and Title:** Roy Virgin, PH.D. Utilities Director, on behalf of the Utilities Department, and Alicia Ayum, Procurement Director, on behalf of the Procurement Department

Temp. Reso. Number: 6952

Item Description: Temp. Reso. No. 6952, APPROVING THE AWARD OF INVITATION FOR BIDS NO. 19-002, ENTITLED "WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY-RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION, PHASE 1B, RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM" TO THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE AND RESPONSIBLE BIDDER, R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION, CORP.; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION CORP. FOR THE PROVISION OF SERVICES TO THE RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION-PHASE 1B PROJECT, IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED \$1,689,799.99. (Utilities Director Roy Virgin PH.D. and Procurement Director Alicia Ayum)

Consent	Resolution 🖂	Ordinance 🗌	Quasi-Judicial	Public Hearing
Instruction	s for the Office of	the City Clerk:		
Public Notice –	As Required by the Sec	of the City Code and/c	r Sec, Florida Statutes,	public notice for this item
was provided as f	follows: on, in a	ad in the	; by the posting the pro	perty on and/or
by sending mailed	d notice to property owners wi	thin feet of the pro	perty on (Fill in all the	hat apply)
Special Voting Re	equirement – As required by	Sec, of the City C	ode and/or Sec Florida	Statutes, approval of this
item requires a	(unanimous 4/5ths etc.	vote of the City Commission	on.	
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REMARKS: Funding of \$1,689,799.99 is available in Utilities CIP Accounts titled CIP – Construction 414. 55.806.533.000.606510.52047

#### Content:

- Agenda Item Memo from the City Manager to City Commission
- Resolution TR 6952
- Exhibit A: The Agreement
- Attachment(s)
  - Attachment 1: Bid Tab
  - Attachment 2: Final WWRF- Reclaimed Water System Expansion- Phase 1B (IFB 19-002)



## CITY OF MIRAMAR INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor, Vice Mayor, & City Commissioners

FROM: Wernon E. Hargray, City Manager

BY: Roy Virgin, PH.D. Director of Utilities

**DATE:** May 9, 2019

**RE:** Temp. Reso. No. 6952, approving the award of Invitation for Bids No.

19-002 "Wastewater Reclamation Facility Expansion Phase 1B Reclaimed Water Transmission System" to the lowest responsive and

responsible bidder R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp.

**RECOMMENDATION:** The City Manager recommends approval of Temp. Reso. No. 6952, approving the award of Invitation for Bids No. 19-002 ("IFB") entitled "Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion – Phase 1B" to R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp., and authorizing the City Manager to execute an Agreement with R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp. for the provision of services for the "Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion Phase-1B Reclaimed Water Transmission System" in an amount not-to-exceed \$1,689,799.99.

**ISSUE:** City Commission approval is required for expenditures exceeding \$75,000, in accordance with City Code Section 2-412 (a)(1).

**BACKGROUND:** The City of Miramar's Wastewater Reclamation Facility ("WWRF") is a conventional activated sludge treatment plant that provides domestic wastewater treatment and disposal services. The WWRF has a rated capacity of 12.7 million gallons per day ("MGD") and is also permitted to provide 5 MGD of reclaimed water, in accordance with the rules and regulations for unrestricted public access.

Currently, residents east of the I-75 and west of Palm Avenue are served by the reclaimed water system for irrigation. Recent demand averages indicate that the system has effectively reached capacity. Implementation of the Reclaimed Water Expansion Program ("Program"), as codified by City Ordinance No. 15-13, endeavors to serve additional areas of the City using a portion of the WWRF effluent currently disposed of through deep well injection. Expansion of the existing

5 MGD reclaimed water treatment and distribution system is required to meet this goal.

The expansion of the Program began with Phase 1A on Pembroke Road from Dykes Road to west of the I-75 corridor. The scope of work for Phase 1A, which included the installation of approximately 6,000 linear feet ("LF") of 16" Ductile Iron Pipe ("DIP") and High Density Poly Ethylene ("HDPE") pipe by means of open cut and horizontal directional drill was completed March 15, 2019.

Upon completion of the program. The city desires to provide contracted capacity to other utilities that are obligated to meet their reuse water requirements in accordance with the Ocean Outfall Legislative Regulation. The City has engaged in a negotiation with the City of Hollywood to provide 2.0 MGD of reclaimed water contracted capacity in exchange for 7.0 million dollars, of which proceeds would be used to fund the capital expenses of the reclaimed water system expansion.

Phase 1B Scope of Work includes the installation of approximately 2,700 LF of 30" HDPE pipeline by means of horizontal directional drill, which will complete the expansion of the Program by connecting the existing reclaimed water main at SW 145<sup>th</sup> Avenue to Phase 1A west of the I-75 corridor.

Construction of the Reclaimed Water Treatment Plant Expansion began on April 24, 2019.

**PROCUREMENT:** On January 8, 2019, the City's Procurement Department advertised Invitation for Bids No. 19-002 ("IFB"), entitled "Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B Reclaimed Water Transmission System", in a newspaper of general circulation and on Demandstar. The City conducted a pre-bid conference on January 17, 2019. On February 11, 2019, the date of the scheduled bid opening, the City received eight bids.

City staff evaluated the bids and the bidders' references and determined that R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp. to be the lowest responsive and responsible bidder satisfying the minimum qualifications, and whose bid was in the best interest to the City, with a base price in an amount not-to-exceed \$1,689,799.99.

The City Manager recommends that the City Commission award Bid 19-002 to, and authorize the appropriate City Officials to execute the contract with, R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp., for the provision of services to the Reclaimed Water System Expansion Phase 1B Reclaimed Water Transmission System in an amount not-to-exceed \$1,689,799.99.

Funding of \$1,689,799.99 is budgeted in Utilities CIP Accounts titled CIP – Construction 414. 55.806.533.000.606510.52047.

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#### CITY OF MIRAMAR MIRAMAR, FLORIDA

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIRAMAR, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE AWARD OF **BIDS** 19-002, INVITATION FOR NO. **ENTITLED** "WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY- RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION, PHASE 1B, RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM" TO THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE AND RESPONSIBLE BIDDER, R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION, CORP.; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION CORP. FOR THE PROVISION OF SERVICES TO THE RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM **EXPANSION-PHASE 1B PROJECT, IN AN AMOUNT NOT-**TO-EXCEED \$1,689,799.99; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City has committed to implementation of the Reclaimed Water Expansion Program ("Program"), as codified by City Ordinance No. 15-13, which endeavors to serve additional areas of the City using a portion of the Wastewater Reclamation Facility ("WWRF") effluent currently disposed of through deep well injection; and

WHEREAS, expansion of the reclaimed water distribution system is required to meet this goal; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-412(a)(1) of the City Code provides that all commodities or services provided by a single vendor in excess of \$75,000 must be formally approved by the City Commission; and

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WHEREAS, the Expansion of the Reclaimed Water Pipeline began with Phase 1A on Pembroke Rd. from Dykes Rd. to west of the I-75 corridor and was completed on March 20, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the scope of work for Phase 1A included the installation of approximately 6,000 Linear Feet ("LF") of 16" Ductile Iron Pipe ("DIP") and High Density Poly Ethylene ("HDPE") pipe by means of open cut and Horizontal Directional Drill; and

WHEREAS, Phase 1B's scope of work includes the installation of approximately 2,700 LF of 30" HDPE pipes by means of horizontal directional drill, which will complete the Program by connecting the existing Reclaimed Water Main at SW 145<sup>th</sup> Avenue to Phase 1A west of the I-75 corridor; and

WHEREAS, on January 8, 2019, the City's Procurement Department advertised Invitation for Bids No. 19-002 ("IFB"), entitled "Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B Reclaimed Water Transmission System", in a newspaper of general circulation and on Demandstar; and

**WHEREAS,** on February 11, 2019, the date of the scheduled bid opening, eight contractors submitted sealed bids to the City; and

WHEREAS, City staff evaluated the bids and bidders' references and determined that R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp. was determined to be the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, satisfying the minimum qualifications and whose bid is in the best interest to the City, with a total project price of \$1,689,799.99; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that the City Commission approve the

award of the IFB to R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp., and authorize the City Manager to

execute the proposed Agreement with R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp., for the provision

of services to the Reclaimed Water System Expansion Phase 1B Reclaimed Water

Transmission System in an amount not-to-exceed \$1,689,799.99, in the form attached

hereto as Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission deems it to be in the best interest of the citizens

and residents of the City of Miramar to award the IFB to R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp.,

and authorize the City Manager to execute the proposed Agreement with R.P. Utility &

Excavation Corp., for the provision of services to the Reclaimed Water System Expansion

Phase 1B Reclaimed Water Transmission System in an amount not-to-exceed

\$1,689,799.99, in substantial conformity with Exhibit "A" attached hereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE

CITY OF MIRAMAR, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and

confirmed as being true and correct and are made a specific part of this Resolution.

**Section 2**: That it approves the award of the IFB to R.P. Utility & Excavation

Corp.

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Section 3: That the City Manager is authorized to execute the proposed Agreement with R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp., for the provision of services to the Reclaimed Water System Expansion Phase 1B Reclaimed Water Transmission System in an amount not-to-exceed \$1,689,799.99, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A," together with any non-substantive changes are deemed acceptable to the City Manager and approved as to form and legal sufficiency by the City Attorney.

<u>Section 4</u>: That the appropriate City officials are authorized to do all things necessary and expedient in order to carry out the aims of this Resolution.

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Section 5: T	hat this Resolu	tion shall be	ecome effective up	on adoption.	
PASSED AND ADOP	TED this	day of		,	
		-	Mayor, Wayne M.	Messam	
ATTEST:		-	Vice Mayor, Alexa	andra P. Davis	
City Clerk, Denise A. 0	Gibbs	_			
I HEREBY CERTIFY tapproved this RESOL as to form:					
City Attorney Weiss, Serota, Helfma Cole & Bierman, P.L.	an,				
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#### AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MIRAMAR, FLORIDA AND

R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION CORP. FOR THE WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY - RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION-, PHASE 1B RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM IN MIRAMAR, FLORIDA

THIS AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is entered into and , 2019, by and between the CITY OF MIRAMAR, FLORIDA (the "City"), a Florida municipal corporation, whose address is 2300 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025 and R.P. EXCAVATION CORP, a Florida corporation whose address is 17680 NW 78th Avenue, Suite 101 Hialeah, Florida 33015.

#### WITNESSED:

WHEREAS, on , by Resolution No. , the City Commission approved the award of Invitation to Bids No. 19-002 (the "IFB"), entitled "Wastewater Reclamation Facility - Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System" (the "Work" or "Services"), to Contractor as the lowest, responsible, responsive Bidder whose bid is in the best interest of the City, and

WHEREAS, the City intends to contract for the Services related to the Work and desires to engage the services of Contractor for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor desires to contract with the City to provide the Services as set forth in the IFB the terms of which are incorporated and made a part hereof, including all definitions set forth therein.

NOW THEREFORE, the City and Contractor, in consideration of the mutual covenants hereinafter set forth, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE 1 **DEFINITIONS**

Except as provided herein, terms used in this Agreement are defined in the IFB, which is deemed fully incorporated herein for all purposes, and have the meanings indicated in the IFB or in the General Terms and Conditions incorporated herein and made a part hereof. In the event of conflict, the definitions and all other terms and conditions contained in the IFB shall govern.

## ARTICLE 2 WORK

Contractor shall complete the Work as specified under the Bid Schedule(s) of the Contract Documents entitled: "City of Miramar – Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System," and shall provide all labor, materials, machinery, tools, Maintenance of Traffic, Testing and equipment necessary for the installation of a 2700 LF of 30" HDPE Reclaimed Water Pipeline by means of Horizontal Directional Drill and pipe connections to existing Reclaimed Water main at SW 145th Avenue and connection to Phase 1A Reclaimed Water main and any and all additional Work included in the Contract Documents and the Contractor's proposal, attached hereto as **Exhibit "A".** 

## ARTICLE 3 CONTRACT TIME

Time is of the essence in the performance of the Work under this Agreement. The Work shall be substantially complete within 120 Calendar Days after the Notice to Proceed is issued, and shall be closed out for full acceptance within 150 Calendar Days after the Notice to Proceed is issued. Ten weather Days or rain Days are included within the overall Contract time of 150 Calendar Days. However, the Contractor's Project schedule shall provide for 10 inclement weather delay Days during the interval from the Notice to Proceed until Substantial Completion; e.g., a schedule that demonstrates that all actual Work will be underway and substantially completed within 120 Calendar Days. If the Contractor elects to delay the start of the Project (utilizing any of the allowable 10 Days after issuance of the Notice to Proceed set forth in Article 3 of the Agreement), then the schedule shall reflect the actual start date and the 120 Calendar Days to substantially complete the Work must be reduced accordingly.

## ARTICLE 4 CONTRACTOR AND CITY'S RELATIONSHIP

- 4.1 The Contractor accepts the relationship of trust and confidence established between it and the City by this Agreement. The Contractor represents that it will furnish its best skill and judgment in performing the Contractor's Services and the Work, and shall always act to further the interest of the City in the expeditious completion of the Project, at the lowest responsible cost to the City, and in strict accordance with the Contract Documents and prudent and customary industry practices.
- 42 By signing this Agreement, the Contractor accepts a fiduciary duty with the City and warrants and represents to the City that the Contractor:
  - A. Has all licenses and certifications required by applicable law to perform the

- Contractor's Services and the Work;
- B. Is experienced in all aspects of the Work required for projects similar to the Project;
- C. Will act in the City's highest and best interest in performing the Contractor's Services and the Work; and
- D. That no employee or affiliate of the Contractor, including all Subconsultants, Subcontractors and Suppliers, at any tier, has been convicted of a public entity crime pursuant to Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, within the preceding 36 months from the date of execution of this Agreement.
- 43 The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the City is relying on these representations and covenants as a material inducement to enter into this Agreement.

## ARTICLE 5 TERM

The term of this Agreement shall commence upon the date of execution hereof and shall remain in effect until acceptance of the Goods and/or Services by the City, unless terminated earlier as provided herein.

## ARTICLE 6 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

City and the Contractor recognize that time is of the essence of this Agreement and that the City will suffer financial loss if the Work is not completed within the time specified herein. They also recognize the delays, expense, and difficulties involved in proving in a legal proceeding the actual loss suffered by the City if the Work is not completed on time. Accordingly, instead of requiring any such proof, the City and the Contractor agree that as liquidated damages for delay (but not as a penalty), the Contractor shall pay the City \$500 for each Day that expires after the time specified herein for Substantial Completion until Substantial Completion is achieved, and \$800 for each calendar Day that expires after the time herein for Final Completion and full acceptance is achieved. Liquidated damages are cumulative.

## ARTICLE 7 CONTRACT PRICE

City shall pay Contractor One Million Six Hundred Eighty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-Nine Dollars and Ninety-Nine cents (\$1,689,799.99) for completion of the Work in accordance with the amount set forth in the Contractor's Bid and in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall be responsible for reimbursing the City, in addition to liquidated damages, for all costs incurred by the Engineer administering the construction of the Project beyond the Final Completion date specified above or beyond an approved extension of time granted to the Contractor, whichever is later. Such costs shall be deducted from the monies due the Contractor for performance of Work under this Agreement by means of unilateral Change Orders (if any) issued periodically by the City as costs are incurred by the Engineer and agreed to by the City.

### ARTICLE 8 PAYMENT PROCEDURES

Contractor shall submit Applications for Payment in accordance with the General Terms and Conditions. Applications for Payment will be processed by the Engineer as provided in the General Terms and Conditions.

### ARTICLE 9 INDEMNIFICATION

- 9.1 To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, the Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City, the Engineer, and their officers, directors, agents, and employees, against and from all claims and liability arising under, by reason of or incidental to the Agreement or any performance of the Work, but not from the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the City and/or the Engineer. Such indemnification by the Contractor shall include but not be limited to the following:
  - A. Liability or claims resulting directly or indirectly from the negligence or carelessness of the Contractor, its employees, or agents in the performance of the Work, or in guarding or maintaining the same, or from any improper Materials, implements, or appliances used in the Work, or by or on account of any act or omission of the Contractor, its employees, or agents;
  - B. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from bodily injury, occupational sickness or disease, or death of the Contractor's or Subcontractor's own employees engaged in the Work resulting in actions brought by or on behalf of such employees against the City and/or the Engineer;
  - C. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from or based on the violation of any Law, ordinance, Regulation, order, or decree, whether by the Contractor, its employees, or agents;
  - D. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from the use or manufacture by the Contractor, its employees or agents in the performance of this Agreement, of any copyrighted or uncopyrighted composition, secret process, patented or unpatented invention, article, or appliance, unless otherwise specifically stipulated in this Agreement;
  - E. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from the breach of any warranties, whether express or implied, made to the City or any other parties by the Contractor, its employees or agents;
  - F. Liabilities or claims arising directly or indirectly from the willful misconduct of the Contractor, its employees or agents; and
  - G. Liabilities or claims arising directly or indirectly from any breach of the obligations assumed herein by the Contractor.
- 92 The Contractor shall reimburse the City and the Engineer for all costs and expenses (including but not limited to fees and charges of Engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and court costs) incurred by the City and the

Engineer in enforcing the provisions of this indemnification.

- 93 This indemnification obligation shall not be limited in any way by any limitation of the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any Subcontractor or other person or organization under workers' compensation acts, disability benefit acts, or other employee benefit acts, or insurance coverage.
- 94 The Contractor acknowledges receipt and the adequacy of the specific consideration in the amount of \$100.00, which sum was included in the total Bid Price and is included in the Contract Price to be paid by City to the Contractor as consideration for the indemnification given by the Contractor to the City.
- 9.5 Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed or treated as a waiver by the City of any immunity to which it is entitled to by law, including but not limited to the City's sovereign immunity set forth in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.

## ARTICLE 10 TERMINATION

#### 10.1 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT BY CITY (CONTRACTOR DEFAULT):

In the event of default by the Contractor, the City shall provide Contractor with 10 Days written notice of City's intent to terminate this Agreement and provide the Contractor an opportunity to remedy the conditions constituting the default. It shall be a default by the Contractor whenever Contractor shall:

- A Declare bankruptcy, become insolvent, or assign its assets for the benefit of its creditors;
- B. Fail to provide Materials or workmanship meeting the requirements of the Contract Documents:
- C. Disregard or violate provisions of the Contract Documents or Engineer's or City's instructions;
- D. Fail to execute the Work or provide Services on a timely basis or according to the Contract Documents;
- E Fail to provide a qualified superintendent, competent workmen, or Materials or equipment meeting the requirements of the Contract Documents; or
- F. Fail in any other material way to comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- **10.1.1** If the Contractor fails to remedy the conditions constituting default within 10 Days from the date of the City's written notice of its intent to terminate this Agreement, the City may then issue a Notice of Termination and terminate this Agreement.

10.1.2 In the event the Agreement is terminated for Contractor's default, the City may take possession of the Work and may complete the Work by whatever method or means the City may select. The cost of completing the Work shall be deducted from the balance which would have been due the Contractor had the Agreement not been terminated and the Work completed in accordance with the Contract Documents. If such cost exceeds the balance which would have been due, the Contractor shall promptly pay the excess amount to the City. If such cost is less than the balance which would have been due, the Contractor shall have no claim to the difference and waives any such balance by virtue of the default. In the event it is adjudicated that Contractor was not in default, the Contract shall be deemed to have been terminated for convenience as described below.

#### 10.2 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT BY CITY (FOR CONVENIENCE):

The City may terminate this Agreement at any time if it is in the City's interest to do so. The City shall provide 10 days' notice in the event that it exercises this provision. In such a case, the Contractor shall have no claims against the City except: (1) for the value of Work performed up to the date the Agreement is terminated; and (2) for the cost of Materials and equipment on hand, in transit, or on definite commitment, as of the date this Agreement is terminated and that would be needed in the Work and that meets the requirements of the Contract Documents.

## ARTICLE 11 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- 11.1 The Contract Documents which comprise the entire agreement between City and Contractor concerning the Work consist of this Agreement, including amendments hereto and the following:
  - All Change Orders (if any) which may be delivered or issued after the Effective Date of this Agreement;
  - All Addenda;
  - Contractor's Bid;
  - Solicitation, General Provisions;
  - General Conditions:
  - Technical Specifications;
  - Referenced Standard Specifications; and
  - Drawings.
- 11.2 There are no Contract Documents other than those listed herein. The Contract Documents may only be amended by written Change Order (if any) as provided in the General Conditions. In the event of any conflict between this Agreement and any other of the Contract Documents, this Agreement and amendments shall govern first and then the other Contract Documents in the order listed above.

## ARTICLE 12 ASSIGNMENT

No assignment by the Contractor of any rights or obligations hereunder or interests in the Contract Documents will be binding on the City without the written consent of the City, which may be withheld for any reason, in the City's sole discretion.

### ARTICLE 13 APPLICABLE LAW: ACCIDENT PREVENTION AND REGULATIONS

Contractor shall comply with all applicable Laws and Regulations at all times. Precautions shall be exercised at all times for the protection of persons and property. The Contractor and all Subcontractors shall conform to all OSHA, federal, state, county and City Regulations while performing under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Any fines levied by the above-mentioned authorities because of inadequacies to comply with these requirements shall be borne solely by the Contractor.

## ARTICLE 14 AUDIT AND INSPECTION RIGHTS

- 14.1 The City may, at reasonable times and for a period of up to three years following the date of Final Completion, audit, or cause to be audited, those books and records of Contractor that are related to Contractor's performance under this Agreement. Contractor agrees to maintain all such books and records at its principal place of business for a period of three years after final payment is made under this Agreement.
- 14.2 The City may, at reasonable times during the term hereof, inspect Contractor's facilities and perform such inspections as the City deems reasonably necessary to determine whether the Services required to be provided by Contractor under this Agreement conform to the terms hereof and/or the terms of this Agreement. Contractor shall make available to the City all reasonable facilities and assistance to facilitate the performance of inspections by the City's representatives. All inspections shall be subject to, and made in accordance with, all applicable Laws, including but not limited to the provisions of the City Code and the Code of Broward County, Florida, as same may be amended or supplemented from time to time.
- 14.3 The City may, as deemed necessary, require from the Contractor support and/or documentation for any submission. Upon execution of the Agreement, the Contractor agrees that the City shall have unrestricted access during normal working hours to all Contractor's records relating to this Project, including hard copy as well as electronic records, for a period of three years after Final Completion.

#### ARTICLE 15 NON-SOLICITATION

Contractor represents and warrants to the City that it has not employed or retained any person or company employed by the City to solicit or secure this Agreement and that it has not offered to pay, paid, or agreed to pay any person any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, or gift of any kind contingent upon or in connection with, the

award or making of this Agreement. For the breach or violation of this provision, the City shall have the right to terminate the Agreement without liability at its discretion, to deduct from the Contract Price, or otherwise recover the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, gift or consideration.

## ARTICLE 16 PUBLIC RECORDS

- 16.1 The Contractor shall comply with The Florida Public Records Act as follows:
  - **16.1.1** Keep and maintain public records in the Contractor's possession or control in connection with the Contractor's performance under this Agreement, that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by the City in order to perform the service.
  - 16.1.2 Upon request by the City's records custodian, provide the City with a copy of requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by law.
  - 16.1.3 Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of this Agreement, and following completion of this Agreement until the records are transferred to the City.
  - 16.1.4 Upon completion of this Agreement or in the event of termination of this Agreement by either party, any and all public records relating to this Agreement in the possession of the Contractor shall be delivered by the Contractor to the City, at no cost to the City, within seven (7) days. All records stored electronically by the Contractor shall be delivered to the City in a format that is compatible with the City's information technology systems. Once the public records have been delivered to City upon completion or termination of this Agreement, the Contractor shall destroy any and all duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public record disclosure requirements.
  - **16.1.5** The Contractor's failure or refusal to comply with the provisions of this Section shall result in the immediate termination of this Agreement by the City.
  - 16.1.6 IF CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT 954-602-3011, <a href="mailto:dagibbs@miramarfl.gov">dagibbs@miramarfl.gov</a> OR BY MAIL: City Of Miramar City Clerk's Office, 2300 Civic Center Place, Miramar, FL 33025.
  - 16.1.7 Ownership of Documents: Unless otherwise provided by law, any and all reports, surveys, and other data and documents provided or created in

connection with this Agreement are and shall remain the property of the City. Any compensation due to the Contractor shall be withheld until all documents are received as provided herein.

## ARTICLE 17 COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL. STATE AND LOCAL LAWS

- 17.1 Contractor understands that agreements between private entities and local governments are subject to certain Laws and Regulations, including, by example and not limited to, Laws pertaining to public records, conflict of interest, and record keeping. Contractor agrees to comply with and observe all applicable Laws, codes and ordinance as they may be amended from time to time.
- 17.2 The Contractor agrees that it shall not make any statements, press releases or publicity releases concerning this Agreement or its subject matter or otherwise disclose or permit to be disclosed any of the data or other information obtained or furnished in compliance with this Agreement, or any particulars thereof, during the period of the Agreement, without first notifying the City and securing prior written consent, unless and except otherwise required by Law. The Contractor also agrees that it shall not publish, copyright or patent any of the data developed under this Agreement, it being understood that such data or information are works made for hire and the property of the City.
- 17.3 The knowing employment by Contractor or its Subcontractors or Subconsultants of any alien not authorized to work by the immigration Laws or the Attorney General of the United States is prohibited and shall be a default of this Agreement.

## ARTICLE 18 CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY

Contractor shall, at the time of executing this Agreement, hold a valid certificate of competency or applicable license for providing the Services, if applicable, issued by the federal, state, or county examining board qualifying the Contractor to perform the Work. If a Subcontractor(s) or Subconsultant(s) is employed, an applicable certificate of competency or license issued to the Subcontractor(s) or Subconsultant(s) shall be submitted along with Contractor's certificate or license upon execution of this Agreement; provided, however, that the City may, at its sole option, upon written approval to Contractor, and in its best interest, allow Contractor to supply the certificate(s) to the City during the first week of Work or Services.

## ARTICLE 19 INSURANCE

19.1 Consultant shall maintain the following required types and minimum limits of insurance coverage during the term of the Agreement. The Contractor shall furnish the City's Risk Manager, at 2300 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025, with certificates

of insurance and all required endorsements indicating that insurance coverage has been obtained and meets the requirements below:

- a) Comprehensive General Liability Insurance on a comprehensive basis in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. The City **must** be shown as an additional insured and with waiver of subrogation in its favor on both endorsements.
- b) Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned, and hired vehicles used in connection with the Work, in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Coverage shall stipulate that it is primary over any insurance or self-insurance program available to the City, (if applicable).
- c) Workers' Compensation Insurance for all employees of the Vendor as required by Florida Statute Chapter 440, and Employer's Liability limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per accident.
- d) The insurance coverage required shall include those classifications, as listed in the standard liability insurance manuals, which most nearly reflect the operations of the Contractor.
- e) All insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:
- i. The company must be rated no less than "A" as a management, and no less than "Class VII" as to financial strength, by the latest edition of Best's Key Rating Guide.
- 19.2 This Agreement shall not be deemed approved until the Contractor has obtained all insurance requirements under this section and has supplied the City with evidence of such coverage in the form of a Certificate of Insurance and endorsement. The City shall be named as the certificate holder and an additional insured on all certificates. All liability insurance policies shall have endorsements adding the City of Miramar as an additional insured, a waiver of subrogation in favor of the City and a separate endorsement for automobile liability. Insurance shall be maintained continuously during the term of the Contract up to the date of Final Completion, but the Consultant's liabilities under this Agreement shall not be deemed limited in any way to the insurance coverage required.
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## ARTICLE 20 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Contractor has been procured and is being engaged to provide Services to the City as an independent contractor, and not as an agent or employee of the City. The Contractor will be responsible for planning all the work without the assistance of City staff. Accordingly, Contractor shall not attain nor be entitled to any rights or benefits of the City, nor any rights generally afforded, classified or unclassified, employees of the City. Contractor further understands that Florida Workers' Compensation benefits available to employees of the City are not available to Contractor, and agrees to provide workers' compensation insurance for any employee or agent of Contractor rendering Services to the City under this Agreement.

## ARTICLE 21 REAFFIRMATION OF REPRESENTATIONS

Contractor reaffirms all of the representations contained in the Solicitation documents and previously made in all Contract Documents.

## ARTICLE 22 NONDISCRIMINATION

Contractor represents and warrants to the City that Contractor does not and shall not engage in discriminatory practices and that there shall be no discrimination in connection with Contractor's performance under this Agreement on account of race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, political affiliation or any other factor which cannot be lawfully used as a basis for delivery of Services. Contractor further covenants that no otherwise qualified individual shall, solely by reason of his/her race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, political affiliation or any other factor which cannot be lawfully used as a basis for delivery of Services, be excluded from participation in, be denied any Services, or be subject to discrimination under any provision of the General Conditions.

## ARTICLE 23 COSTS AND ATTORNEY FEES

If either City or Contractor is required to enforce the terms of this Agreement by court proceedings or otherwise, whether or not formal legal action is required, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the other party all such costs and expenses, including but not limited to court costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

## ARTICLE 24 COUNTERPARTS

This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original but all of which, when taken together, shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

## ARTICLE 25 WAIVER

The waiver by either party of any failure on the part of the other party to perform in accordance with any of the terms or conditions of this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver of any future or continuing similar or dissimilar failure. No waiver shall be effective unless made in writing.

## ARTICLE 26 BINDING AUTHORITY

Each person signing this Agreement on behalf of either party individually warrants that he or she has full legal power to execute this Agreement on behalf of the party for whom he or she is signing, and to bind and obligate such party with respect to all provisions contained in this Agreement. This Agreement shall be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, executors, legal representatives, successors, or assigns.

## ARTICLE 27 NOTICES

All notices or other communications required under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be given by hand-delivery or by registered or certified U.S. Mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the other party at the address indicated herein or to such other address as a party may designate by notice given as herein provided. Notice shall be deemed given on the day on which personally delivered, or, if by mail, on the fifth day after being posted or the date of actual receipt, whichever is earlier.

## TO R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION, CORP.:

ATTN: Javier Garzon Vice President R.P. Utility & Excavation 17680 NW 78<sup>th</sup> Avenue Suite 101 Hialeah, Florida 33015 Telephone: (786) 577-6666

Fax: (\_\_\_)\_\_-

#### TO CITY OF MIRAMAR:

ATTN: Vernon E. Hargray, City Manager CITY OF MIRAMAR 2300 Civic Center Place Miramar, Florida 33025 Telephone: (954) 602-3115 Fax: (954) 602-3672

#### WITH A COPY TO:

City Attorney
Weiss Serota Helfman
Cole & Bierman, P.L.
200 East Broward Boulevard, Suite 1900
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301
Telephone: (954) 763-4242

Fax: (954) 764-7770

## ARTICLE 28 CITY'S OWN FORCES

- **28.1** The City reserves the right to perform operations related to the Project with the City's own forces, and to award contracts in connection with the Project which are not part of the Contractor's responsibilities under this Agreement.
- 28.2 The City will have the right to inspect and conduct periodic inspections of the Work and/or Materials to determine compliance with the requirements of the Contract. Any Work and/or Materials rejected by the City for non-compliance shall be replaced and/or corrected at the Contractor's expense. Failure to reject Defective Work and/or Materials, whether from lack of discovery of such defect or for any other reason, will not relieve the Contractor from responsibility to complete the Work in full compliance with all Contract requirements and shall in no way prevent later rejection of such Defective Work when discovered.

## ARTICLE 29 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

- 29.1 The City desires to enter into this Agreement only if in so doing the City can place a limit on City's liability for any cause of action for money damages due to an alleged breach by the City of this Agreement, so that its liability for any such breach never exceeds the fee paid to Contractor herein, less any sums paid by the City. Contractor hereby expresses its willingness to enter into this Agreement with Contractor's recovery from the City for any damage action for breach of contract to be limited to a maximum fee paid to Contractor herein, less any sums paid by the City.
- 29.2 Accordingly, and notwithstanding any other term or condition of this Agreement, Contractor agrees that the City shall not be liable to Contractor for damages in an amount in excess of the fee paid to the Contractor herein, less any sums paid by the City, for any action or claim for breach of contract arising out of the performance or non-performance of any obligations imposed upon the City by this Agreement. Nothing contained in this paragraph or elsewhere in this Agreement is in any way intended to be a waiver of the limitation placed upon the City's liability as set forth in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.
- 29.3 In no event shall either party be liable for any indirect, incidental, special, or consequential damages, including, without limitation, loss of profits, revenue, or use incurred by either party or any third party, whether in an action in contract or tort, even if the other party or any other person has been advised of the possibility of such damages.

## ARTICLE 30 THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARY

It is specifically agreed to between the City and Contractor executing this Agreement that it is not intended by any of the provisions of any part of the Agreement to create in the public or any member thereof a third party beneficiary hereunder, or to

authorize anyone not a party to this Agreement to maintain a suit for personal injuries or property damage pursuant to the terms or provisions of this Agreement.

## ARTICLE 31 WARRANTY AND GUARANTEE

Contractor warrants and guarantees that at the conclusion of the Project, a written certificate to the City will be provided stating that all Work has been performed in accordance with the General Conditions. A written warranty will be given to the City against the occurrence of defective Materials and workmanship for a period of one year after acceptance of the Project by the City. At the expiration of the one-year warranty period, Contractor will formally assign to the City all extended and special warranties given by Subcontractor or Subconsultant, manufacturers or Suppliers for their Work or products on the Project and formally notify Subcontractor or Subconsultant and Suppliers of the assignments.

## ARTICLE 32 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

- 32.1 Any dispute concerning performance of this Agreement shall be decided by the City, who shall reduce the decision to writing and serve a copy on the Contractor. The decision shall be final and conclusive unless within 21 Days from the date of receipt, the Contractor files with the City a petition for administrative hearing. The City's decision on the petition shall be final, subject to the Contractor's right to review pursuant to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. Exhaustion of administrative remedies is an absolute condition precedent to the Contractor's ability to pursue any other form of dispute resolution; provided, however, that the parties may employ the alternative dispute resolution procedures outlined in Chapter 120.
- 322 Without limiting the foregoing, the exclusive venue of any legal or equitable action that arises out of or relates to this Agreement shall be the appropriate state court in Broward County, Florida. In any such action, Florida law shall apply and the parties waive any right to trial by jury.

## ARTICLE 33 HEADINGS AND INTERPRETATION

Title and paragraph headings are for convenient reference and are not a part of this Agreement. Contractor has been given an opportunity for counsel of its choice to review this Agreement. Accordingly, no party shall be deemed to have any benefit as the drafter of the document for interpretation purposes.

## ARTICLE 34 SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES

**34.1** Contractor certifies that it and its subcontractors are not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List. Pursuant to Section 287.135, F.S., the City may immediately terminate this Agreement at its sole option if the Contractor or its subcontractors are found to have submitted a false certification; or if the Contractor, or

its subcontractors are placed on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List or is engaged in the boycott of Israel during the term of the Agreement.

- 34.2 If this Agreement is for more than one million dollars, the Contractor certifies that it and its subcontractors are also not on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan, Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, or engaged with business operations in Cuba or Syria as identified in Section 287.135, F.S. Pursuant to Section 287.135, F.S., the City may immediately terminate this Agreement at its sole option if the Contractor , its affiliates, or its subcontractors are found to have submitted a false certification; or if the Contractor, its affiliates, or its subcontractors are placed on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List, or Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, or engaged with business operations in Cuba or Syria during the term of the Agreement.
- **34.3** The Contractor agrees to observe the above requirements for applicable subcontracts entered into for the performance of work under this Agreement.
- **34.4** As provided in Subsection 287.135(8), F.S., if federal law ceases to authorize the above-stated contracting prohibitions then they shall become inoperative.

#### ARTICLE 35 SEVERABILITY

- **35.1** Should any provision, paragraph, sentence, word or phrase contained in this Agreement be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, illegal or otherwise unenforceable under any applicable Law, such provision, paragraph, sentence, word or phrase shall be deemed modified to the extent necessary in order to conform with such Laws, or if not modifiable, then same shall be deemed severable, and in either event, the remaining terms and provisions of this Agreement shall remain unmodified and in full force and effect for limitation of its use.
- 35.2 City and Contractor each binds itself, its partners, successors, assign and legal representatives to the other party hereto, its partners, successors, assign and legal representatives in respect of all covenants, agreements and obligations contained in this Agreement and in all the Contract Documents.

[ THE REMAINDER INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK ]

## ARTICLE 36 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The Contract Documents constitute the sole and entire agreement of the parties relating to the subject matter hereof and correctly set forth the rights, duties, and obligations of each to the other as of its date. Any prior agreements, promises, negotiations, or representations not expressly set forth therein, are of no force or effect. No modification or amendment thereto shall be valid unless in writing and executed by properly authorized representatives of the parties herein.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

CITY OF MIRAMAR: By:	R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION, CORP.:  By:
City Manager	Vice President
Vernon E. Hargray	Javier Garzon
Thisday of, 2019.	Date:
ATTEST:	
Denise A. Gibbs, City Clerk	Corporate Seal
Approved as to form and legal sufficiency	•
for the use of and reliance by the City of	
Miramar, Florida only:	
City Attorney	
Weiss Serota Helfman	,
Cole & Bierman, P.L.	

## CITY OF MIRAMAR WASTEWATER RECLAIMATION FACILITY – RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION - PHASE 1B RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

#### IFB NO. 19-002 BID FORM SUMMARY

3ld Item	Description	Qfy.	Unit	Unit Price	Amount
HSCELL#	/NEOna				
1	Bonds and Insurance	1	LS	\$41.726.66	\$41,726.66
2	Mobilization	1	LS	\$135,768.97	\$135,768.97
3	Maintenance of Traffic	1	LS	\$138,000,00	\$138,000,00
		M	SCELLAN	EQUS SUBTOTAL:	\$315,495.63
RECLAIMI	ED WATER MAIN				
4	Furnish & Install 16" Ductile Iron Pipe (D.I.P.) Reclaimed Water Main Pipe	21	LF	\$157.00	\$3,297.00
5	Furnish & Install 24" Ductile Iron Pipe (D.I.P.) Reclaimed Water Main Pipe	149	ĹF	\$177.00	\$26,373.00
Ġ	Furnish & Install 36" H.D.P.E (DR-11) Reclaimed Water Main Pipe by Means of Horizontal Directional Drilling	2.835	LF	\$352.65	\$989.762,75
7	Furnish & Install Ductile fron Reclaimed Water Fittings	2	TON	\$15,000.00	\$30,000.00
8	Furnish & Install 16" Gate Valve w/ Box. Extension and all Appurtenances	1	EA	\$15,000,00	\$16,000,00
9	Furnish & Instell 24" Gate Valve w/ Box, Extension and all Appurtenances	2	EA	\$36,000,00	\$72,000,00
10	Cut Existing 24" Reclaimed Water Main and Connect Proposed Reclaimed Water Main	1	EA	\$10,000,00	\$10,000.00
11	Restrain Existing 24" Rectainted Water Main Pips	158	UF	\$74.00	\$11,692.00
12	Furnish & Install Air Vacuum/Air Ralease Valve with Maintenance Access Structure w/ all Appurtenances	2	ĒΑ	\$2,000.00	\$4,000.00
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ROADWAY	<b>y</b>				
13	Remove & Dispose Existing Pavement Cross Section	79	SY	\$2.34	\$184,86
14	Furnish & Place Pavement Restoration	79	SY	\$32,00	\$2,528,00
15	Mili 1" Existing Roadway Asphalt	726	SY	\$2.50	\$1,815,00
16	Furnish & Place 1" Type SP-9.5 Asphalt	726	SY	\$8,00	\$5,809.00
17	Remove & Replace Type 'F' Curb & Gutter	22	LF	\$35,00	\$770.00
18	Remove & Replace Concrete Sidewalk/Access Driveway (Min. 8" Thick)	12	SY	<b>\$6</b> 5.00	\$780.00
19	Remove & Replace Sod	330	SY	\$3,60	\$1,188,00
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Bid Item	Description	Qty.	Unit	Unit Price	Amount
PAVEMEN	NT MARKING & SIGNAGE				
20	Furnish and Place 6" Solid Traffic Stripe. Thermoplastic White and Yellow (includes Skips and Double Yellow)	341	LF	\$1,50	\$511.50
21	Furnish and Place 12" Solid Traffic Stripe, Thermoplastic, White (Cross Walk)	158	LF	\$3,00	\$474.00
22	Furnish and Place 24" Solid Treffic Stripe, Thermoplastic, White (Stop Bar)	42	LF	\$6.00	\$252.00
23	Furnish and Place Themoplestic Pavement Arrows_Bike Lene and "Bus Only" Pavement Message Markings	3	EA	400.00	\$1,200.00
and the second s	PAVEMEN	\$2,437,50			
		TOT/	L W/O A	LLOWANCES	\$1,504,131,74
ALLOWAI	NCES				
- 24	Permit Faes	1	ÅL	\$5,400,00	\$5,400.00
25	Existing Power Pole Support	1	AL.	\$50,000,00	\$50,000,00
26	Irrigation Restoration Allowance	1	AL	\$25,000.00	\$25,000,00
27	Unforseen Conditions Allowance	1	AL	\$105,268.25	\$105 268,25
***************************************	MISCELLANEOUS SUBTOTAL:			**************************************	\$185,668.25
MARKET CONTRACTOR OF A PE		TOT	AL BID A	MOUNT:	\$1,689,799,99

TOTAL BID AMOUNT:	\$1,689,799.99
	(Write Amount in Figures)

TOTAL BID AMOUNT: One million, six hundred eighty-nine thousand, seven hundred ninety-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents. (Write Amount in Words)

AMOUNTS SHALL BE SHOWN IN BOTH WORDS AND FIGURES. IN CASE OF DISCREPANCIES, THE AMOUNT SHOWN IN WORDS SHALL GOVERN AS THE TOTAL BID AMOUNT.

Bidder acknowledges that included in the various items of the Bid or proposal and in the total Bid price are costs for complying with the Florida Trench Safety Act, Florida Statutes Section 553.60-.64. By signing and submitting the Trench Safety Act Compliance Statement, the Bidder is guaranteeing and warranting to the City that it will perform any trench excavation in accordance with applicable trench safety standards. Contract award shall be based upon the Total Bid Price, as identified above, by the lowest responsive, responsible Bidder.

Bidder acknowledges that the purpose of the Bid Worksheet is for Bid balancing comparisons and use as a unit price for potential add/delete items. These worksheets must be completed in their entirety and returned together with the sealed Bids in order for the Bid to be deemed complete, responsive and accepted by the City.

Bidder acknowledges that the units that are listed may not be a complete list of units and
Forms 300-5

are provided by the City for informational purposes only. Bidder further acknowledges that the Project shall be completed for the total Lump Sum Project Bid based on the Contract Documents and Technical Special Provisions unless otherwise modified in writing via a formal Contract Amendment and/or Change Order (if any).

Bidder acknowledges that the Bid Worksheet in no way includes all the specific items found in the Contract Documents and Technical Special Provisions, nor represent all the parts of the Project required by this Contract.

Project/Development Name: <u>CITY OF MIRAMAR - Wastewater Reclamation Facility - Reclaimed</u>

<u>Water System Expansion Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission</u>

System- IFB No. 19-002

Contractor Company Name:

R.P. Utility & Excavation Corp.

Contractor Acknowledgement

Javier Garzon, Vice President

Print Name/Title

Signature

Date: 2/11/19

**END OF DOCUMENT** 



## INVITATION FOR BIDS NO. 19-002 WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION, PHASE 1B BID OPENING - FEBRUARY 11, 2019

	COMPANY NAME	BASE BID
1	D.B.E. MANAGEMENT, INC., D/B/A DBE UTILITY SERVICES	\$1,932,836.50
2	DAVID MANCINI & SONS, INC.	\$2,061,701.75
3	E & M EQUIPMENT CORP	\$2,925,649.25
4	JVA ENGINEERING CONTRACTOR INC.	\$3,025,831.65
5	METRO EQUIPMENT SERVICE, INC.	\$1,783,339.25
6	PERSANT CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.	\$3,409,091.75
7	**R.P. UTILITY & EXCAVATION CORP	\$1,689,799.99
8	SOUTHERN UNDERGROUND INDUSTRIES, INC.	\$1,779,942.45

**NOTE:** Offers listed from the Vendors herein are only offers received timely as of the above opening date and time. All other offers submitted in response to this solicitation, if any, are hereby rejected as late.

Attachment 1

<sup>\*\*</sup>The lowest responsible, responsive Bidder.

## CITY OF MIRAMAR INVITATION FOR BIDS NO. 19-002

## WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION, PHASE 1B RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM



#### **The City of Miramar Commission:**

Wayne M. Messam Yvette Colbourne Winston F. Barnes Maxwell B. Chambers Darline B. Riggs Vernon E. Hargray Mayor Vice Mayor Commissioner Commissioner City Manager

City of Miramar 2300 Civic Center Place Miramar, FL 33025

DATE ISSUED: JANUARY 8, 2019
DATE OPENS: FEBRUARY 11, 2019 at 2:00 P.M.

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# CITY OF MIRAMAR WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY – RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION, PHASE 1B RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

#### **INVITATION FOR BIDS NO. 19-002**

**RECEIPT OF BIDS**: Sealed Bids will be received at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Miramar, located at 2300 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025, until 2:00 P.M. on February 11, 2019.

**OPENING OF BIDS:** Immediately after the Due Date and Time for receipt of Bids, the sealed Bids will be publicly opened and read.

**DESCRIPTION OF WORK:** Contractor shall complete the Work as specified under the Bid Schedule(s) of the Contract Documents entitled: "City of Miramar – Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System," and shall provide all labor, materials, machinery, tools, Maintenance of Traffic, Testing and equipment necessary for the installation of a 2700 LF of 30" HDPE Reclaimed Water Pipeline by means of Horizontal Directional Drill and pipe connections to existing Reclaimed Water main at SW 145th Avenue and connection to Phase 1A Reclaimed Water main. The project is in line with the City's mandate to offset the withdrawals on the local aquifers with alternative water supplies.

**SITE OF WORK:** East bound Pembroke Road between SW 145<sup>th</sup> Ave and approximately 500' west of I-75 overpass, Miramar, Florida.

**PRE-BID CONFERENCE:** The City will hold a non-mandatory pre-bid conference in the Parks and Recreations Conference Room, located at 2200 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025 on January 17, 2019 at 2:00 P.M., with the site visit immediately after. **Absolutely no guestions will be answered if submitted after the guestion submittal deadline.** 

**PROJECT ADMINISTRATION:** All questions shall be submitted in writing to the City's Procurement Department, 2200 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025 or, to email address: bamartin@miramarfl.gov, no later than January 24, 2019 at 6:00 P.M.

**COMPLETION OF WORK:** The Work shall be substantially complete within 120 Calendar Days after the Notice to Proceed is issued, and shall be closed out for full acceptance within 150 Calendar Days after the Notice to Proceed is issued. Ten weather Days or rain Days are included within the overall Contract time of 150 Calendar Days. However, the Contractor's Project schedule shall provide for 10 inclement weather delay Days during the interval from the Notice to Proceed until Substantial Completion; e.g., a schedule that demonstrates that all actual Work will be underway and substantially completed within 120 Calendar Days. If the Contractor elects to delay the start of the Project (utilizing any of the allowable 10 Days after issuance of the Notice to Proceed set forth in Article 3 of the Agreement), then the schedule shall reflect the actual start

date and the 120 Calendar Days to complete the Work must be reduced accordingly.

SOLICITATION DOCUMENTS: The Contract Documents are entitled "CITY OF MIRAMAR-WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY – RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION-PHASE 1B, RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM – IFB NO. 19-002." Copies of this Solicitation package may be obtained at no charge from <a href="DemandStar.com">DemandStar.com</a>.

**BID SECURITY:** When applicable, bids shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check, or Bid Bond, in the amount of five percent of the Total Bid Price, payable to the City of Miramar, Florida, as a guarantee that the Bidder, upon acceptance, will promptly execute the Agreement and complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents and the Total Bid Price stated in its Bid submittal. Bids shall not be considered unless one of the previously stated forms of Bidder's security is enclosed with the Bid.

#### **SOLICITATION TIMETABLE:**

The anticipated schedule for this Solicitation and the award of any resulting Contract shall be as follows:

IFB Advertised	January 8, 2019
Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid held in Parks and Recreations Conference Room, 2200 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025	January 17, 2019 at 2:00 P.M.
Deadline for written questions	January 24, 2019 at 6:00 P.M.
Due Date and Time for Bids	February 11, 2019 at 2:00 P.M.

The above schedule is not final. The City reserves the right to modify the above dates and times, at its discretion.

CITY'S RIGHTS RESERVED: The City reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive any formalities in the Solicitation process, to award certain areas or all of the Work to the lowest responsive, responsible Bidder and as deemed in the best interest of the City.

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 00100 - INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

## IT IS SOLELY AND STRICTLY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH BIDDER TO SUBMIT BIDS TO THE CITY OF MIRAMAR, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, ON OR BEFORE:

**BIDS DUE: FEBRUARY 11, 2019, AT 2:00 P.M.** 

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING A BID IN RESPONSE TO A FORMAL INVITATION FOR BIDS

- 1. All Bids must be submitted on 8 ½" by 11" paper, neatly typed with normal margins and spacing. The original document package must not be bound, but the document package copies should be individually bound.
- 2 Bidders must submit one unbound, one-sided original, and one two-sided bound copy (for a total of two) copies and one CD or USB containing an electronic version of the complete Bid to the City by the Bid Due Date and Time.
- 3. All required forms must be notarized, where necessary, by a registered notary, and completed by the Bidder submitting the Bid.
- 4. The Bid must be signed by an authorized officer of the Bidder who is legally authorized to enter into a contractual relationship with the City.
- 5. The original and all copies of the Bid must be packaged in an envelope or container and submitted to the City at the following address:

#### OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK CITY OF MIRAMAR 2300 CIVIC CENTER PLACE MIRAMAR, FLORIDA 33025

- 6. Bidders must include the following information clearly marked on the face of the envelope or container:
  - a) Bidder's name, return address and telephone number;
  - b) Solicitation number;
  - c) The Solicitation Due Date and Time; and
  - d) Title of the Solicitation.
- 7. Hand-carried Bids may be delivered during the City's regular business hours of 7 A.M. to 6 P.M., Mondays through Thursdays, excluding holidays observed by the City, but not beyond the Due Date and Time.

- 8. Bids submitted at the same time for different solicitations shall be placed in separate envelopes and each envelope shall contain the information stated in paragraph 6 above.
- 9. Bidders are responsible for informing any commercial delivery service, if used, of all delivery requirements and for ensuring that the required, previously stated information appears on the outer package or envelope used by such service.

BIDDERS WHO FAIL TO INCLUDE THE ABOVE INFORMATION ON THE FACE OF THEIR BIDS MAY BE DEEMED "NON-RESPONSIVE" AND SUCH BIDDERS SHALL HAVE NO GROUNDS OF PROTEST IN THE EVENT THEIR BIDS ARE OPENED IN ERROR.

THE CITY IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DELAYS CAUSED BY ANY MAIL, PACKAGE OR COURIER SERVICE, INCLUDING THE U.S. MAIL, OR CAUSED BY ANY OTHER OCCURRENCE. ANY BID RECEIVED AFTER THE DUE DATE AND TIME STATED IN THE SOLICITATION TIMETABLE IN THIS INVITATION FOR BIDS WILL NOT BE OPENED AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. TELEGRAPHIC OR FACSIMILE BIDS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

THE SUBMITTAL OF A BID BY A BIDDER WILL BE CONSIDERED BY THE CITY AS CONSTITUTING AN OFFER BY THE BIDDER TO PERFORM THE REQUESTED SERVICES AND/OR PROVIDE THE REQUIRED GOODS, AT THE STATED PRICE. NO RESPONSE BY THE CITY SHALL BE CONSIDERED AN ACCEPTANCE UNLESS AND UNTIL A CONTRACT IS EXECUTED BY THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER AND THE CITY, AND APPROVED AND AUTHORIZED BY THE CITY COMMISSION, IF APPLICABLE. BIDS SHALL BE GUARANTEED TO REMAIN OPEN FOR 180 DAYS FROM THE DUE DATE AND TIME.

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 00200 - GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

# 2.01 DEFINITIONS

Wherever used in this Invitation for Bids, as attachment or related documents, including exhibits, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

The term "Addenda" shall mean the written or graphic instruments issued which make additions, deletions, or revisions to the Solicitation.

The term "Application for Payment" shall mean the form furnished by the Engineer that is to be used by the Contractor to request progress or final payment and includes such supporting documentation as is required by the Contract Documents.

The term "Bid" shall mean any offer or bid submitted in response to this Invitation for Bids.

The term "Bidder" shall mean anyone submitting a Bid in response to this Invitation for Bids.

The term "Bonds" shall mean the Bid, performance, and payment bonds and other instruments which protect against loss due to inability or refusal of the Contractor to perform.

The terms "CBE" or "SBE" Firm is defined as a Small Business Enterprise ("SBE") or a County Business Enterprise ("CBE") which has a Broward County Business Tax Receipt, is located and doing Business in Broward County, and is certified as such by the Broward County Office of Economic Development and Small Business Development.

The term "Change Order" shall mean a document, which is signed by the Contractor and the City and authorizes an adjustment in the W or k, Contract Price and/ or Contract Time.

The term "Chief Procurement Officer" shall refer to the Director of the City's Procurement Department.

The term "City" shall mean the City of Miramar, Florida, or its City Commission, as applicable.

The term "City Commission" shall mean the governing and legislative body of the City.

The term "City Manager" shall mean the chief administrative officer of the City as defined by City Charter and/or Code of Ordinances.

The term "Claim" shall mean a demand, assertion, dispute or other such claim by one of the parties arising out of or based upon the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents.

The term "Construction Change Directive" shall mean a written order prepared by the Engineer and signed by the City directing a change in the Work, the Contract Time and/or Contract Price.

The term "Consultant" shall mean the Architect or Engineer of record or other Consultant engaged by the City.

The term "Contingency" shall mean a line item contingency amount contained in the Bid Form Summary for the Project and shall not constitute a definite line item of the total Project value, but solely determinative upon the City's discretion.

The term "Contract Documents" shall mean the Notice Inviting Bids, Instructions to Bidders, Bid Forms (including the Bid, Bid Schedule(s), information required of Bidder, Bid Bond, and all required certificates and affidavits), Contract, Performance Bond, Payment Bond, General Conditions, Supplementary General Conditions (if any), Special Conditions (if any), Technical Specifications (if any), Drawings (if any), and all Addenda and Change Orders (if any).

The term "Contract" or "Agreement" shall mean any agreement, inclusive of all documents which may result from this Invitation for Bids.

The term "Contract Price" shall mean the original amount established in the Bid submittal and award by the City, as may be amended by Change Order (if any).

The term "Contract Time" shall mean the original time between commencement and completion established in the Contract, as may be amended by Change Order (if any).

The term "Contractor" shall mean the Successful Bidder with whom the City has entered into the Contract.

The term "Day" shall mean a calendar day of 24 hours measured from midnight to 11:59 P.M.

The term "Defective Work" shall mean Work that is unsatisfactory; faulty; deficient; does not conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents; does not meet the requirements of any inspection, reference standard, test or approval referred to in the Contract Documents; or Work that has been damaged prior to a recommendation of final payment.

The term "Drawings" and/or "Plans" shall mean the drawings, plans, maps, profiles, diagrams, and other graphic representations which show the character, location, nature, extent, and scope of the Work and which have been prepared by the City or City's Consultant and are referred to in the Contract Documents. Shop Drawings are not drawings.

The term "Due Date and Time" shall mean the due date and time listed in the Solicitation Timetable.

The term "Effective Date of the Agreement" shall mean the date on which the Agreement becomes effective, as indicated in the Agreement. If no such date is indicated, it means the date on which the Agreement is signed and delivered by the last of the parties to sign and deliver.

The terms "Engineer", "Architect" or "Architect/Engineer" shall mean the City's engineer or architect.

The term "Field Order" shall mean a written order that orders minor changes in the Work, but does not involve a change in the Contract Price or Contract Time.

The term "Final Completion" shall mean the date on which all conditions and requirements of any permits and regulatory agencies have been satisfied; any documents required by the Contract Documents have been received by the City; any other documents required to be provided by the Contractor have been received by the City; and the Work defined herein has been fully completed in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents.

The term "Force Majeure" shall mean any delay occasioned by superior or irresistible force(s) occasioned by violence in nature without the interference of human action such as hurricanes, tornados, flood and loss caused by fire and other similar unavoidable casualties; changes in federal law, state or local laws, ordinances, codes or regulations, enacted after the date of this Agreement and having a substantial impact on the Project; other causes beyond the parties control; or by any other such causes which the City and the Contractor decide in writing justify the delay. Provided, however, that market conditions, labor conditions, construction industry price trends, and similar matters which normally impact the Work shall not be considered a Force Majeure.

The term "General Requirements" shall mean any and all requirements set forth in this Solicitation.

The term "Goods" shall mean all Materials and commodities that will be required to be provided by the Successful Bidder in accordance with the Scope of Work and the terms and conditions of this Solicitation.

The term "Inspector" shall mean an authorized representative of the Consultant or the City assigned to make necessary inspections of Materials furnished by the Successful Bidder and of the Work performed by the Successful Bidder.

The terms "Invitation for Bids", "IFB", or "Solicitation" shall mean this Invitation for Bids, including any Exhibits and Attachments as approved by the City and amendments or Addenda issued by the Procurement Department.

The terms "Laws and Regulations", or "Laws" or "Regulations" shall mean the laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, codes, and/or orders promulgated by a lawfully constituted body authorized to issue such laws and regulations, including the applicable federal, state and local government entities and/or agencies.

The term "Local Business" shall refer to a firm that is domiciled and doing business within the City of Miramar City limits and complies with all City of Miramar licensing requirements, and is current on all City taxes.

The term "Materials" shall mean materials incorporated in this Project, or used or consumed in the performance of the Work.

The term "Notice of Intent to Award" shall mean the written notice by the City to the apparent Successful Bidder stating that upon compliance by the apparent Successful Bidder with the terms and conditions stated within this Invitation for Bids, by the time specified, the City may enter into a Contract with the Successful Bidder.

The term "Notice to Proceed" shall mean any written notice issued by the City to the Successful Bidder authorizing the Successful Bidder to proceed with the Work.

The term "Partial Utilization" shall mean placing a portion of the Work in service for the purpose for which it is intended prior to Substantial Completion.

The term "Plans" and/or "Drawings" shall mean the official graphic representations of this Project.

The term "Procurement Department" shall mean the City of Miramar's Procurement Department.

The terms "Provider" or "Successful Bidder" shall mean the Bidder receiving an award pursuant to this Invitation for Bids.

The term "Resident Project Representative" shall mean the authorized representative of the Engineer who is assigned to the site or any part thereof.

The term "Shop Drawings" shall mean the drawings, diagrams, illustrations, schedules and other data which are specifically prepared by or for the Contractor and submitted by the Contractor to illustrate some portion of Work and all illustrations, brochures, standard schedules, performance charts, instructions and diagrams to illustrate Material or equipment for some portion of the Work.

The terms "Specifications" or "Technical Specifications" shall mean those portions of the Contract Documents consisting of the General Requirements and written technical descriptions of products and execution of the Work.

The term "Subcontractor" shall mean any person, firm, entity, or organization, other than the employees of the Successful Bidder, who contract with the Successful Bidder to furnish labor and/or Materials to the City, whether directly or indirectly, on behalf of the Successful Bidder.

The term "Substantial Completion" shall mean the date when all conditions and requirements of permits and regulatory agencies have been satisfied, and when the Work has progressed to the point where the Work is sufficiently complete, in accordance with the Contract Documents.

The term "Supplier" shall mean a manufacturer, fabricator, supplier, distributor, material man, or vendor.

The term "Surety" shall mean the surety company or individual which is bound by the performance and payment bond with and for the Successful Bidder who is primarily liable and which surety company or individual is responsible for the Successful Bidder's satisfactory performance of the Work under the Contract and for the payment of all debts pertaining thereto in accordance with Section 255.05, Florida Statutes.

The term "Underground Utilities" shall mean all pipelines, conduits, ducts, cables, wires, manholes, vaults, tanks, tunnels, or other such facilities or attachments and any encasements containing such facilities which have been installed underground to furnish any of the following Services or Materials: water, sewage and drainage removal, electricity, gases, steam, liquid petroleum

products, telephone or other communications, cable television, traffic, or other control systems.

The term "Weather Delays" shall mean Work stoppage caused by abnormal inclement weather where abnormal duration and frequency of rain or exceptionally adverse weather as compared with the Weather Bureau data and supported by Project logs has caused the Contractor to suspend critical path activities during the exceptional adverse weather event for more than 50 percent of the Work period of the Day. Weather delay claims can be made for Work Days only. No time extension will be allowed for weekend rains.

The term "Work Day" shall be as defined in Section 10-114 of the City Code of Ordinances, being the time between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. on weekdays, except when Work is necessary for the proper care and protection of Work already performed, or except in case of emergency, or unless otherwise provided in the General Requirements.

The terms "Work", "Scope of Work", "Scope of Services", "Services", "Program", "Project", or "Engagement" shall mean all matters and things and includes all labor, Materials, equipment and Services that are required to be provided by the Successful Bidder in accordance with this Solicitation.

# 2.02 AVAILABILITY OF INVITATION FOR BIDS

Copies of this Solicitation package may be obtained at www.DemandStar.com.

Bidders who obtain copies of this Solicitation from sources other than DemandStar risk failing to receive amendments since their names will not be included on the list of firms participating in the Solicitation process.

# 2.03 CONE OF SILENCE

Bidders are notified that this Solicitation is subject to a "Cone of Silence," as defined by City Code Section 2-421(e). From the time of advertising, until the City Commission approves an award, there is a prohibition on communication by Bidders (or anyone on their behalf) with the City's professional staff. This prohibition does not apply to oral communications at pre-bid conferences; oral presentations before selection committees; contract negotiations; public presentations made to the City Commission during any duly noticed public meeting; or communications in writing at any time with any City employee, official, or member of the City Commission on matters not concerning this Solicitation.

Any questions, explanations, or other requests by any Bidder regarding this Solicitation must be requested in writing to the City's Procurement Department at the address noted below. In addition to other penalties, violation of these provisions may render a Bid "Non-Responsive" and an award to a Bidder "Voidable."

The address, fax number and email for the Procurement Department is:

2200 Civic Center Place Miramar, FL 33025 Fax: (954) 602-3491

Email: bamartin@miramarfl.gov

# 2.04 CONTENTS OF BID

- a) Solicitation Requirements.
  - 1) It is the sole responsibility of the Bidder to become thoroughly familiar with the Solicitation requirements and all terms and conditions affecting the performance of this Solicitation. Pleas of ignorance by the Bidder of conditions that exist, or that may exist, will not be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of this Solicitation.
  - 2) The Bidder is advised that this Solicitation is subject to all legal requirements and all other applicable Laws and Regulations.
- b) Bidder's examination of Solicitation Documents and site.

It is the responsibility of each Bidder before submitting a Bid to:

- 1) Examine the Solicitation documents thoroughly;
- 2) Visit the site to become familiar with local conditions that may affect cost, progress, or performance of the Work;
- 3) Consider the Laws and Regulations that may affect cost, progress, or performance of the Work;
- 4) Study and carefully correlate the Bidder's observations with the Contract Documents; and
- 5) Notify the City of all conflicts, errors, or discrepancies in the Contract Documents.
- c) Underground Utilities (if applicable).

Information and data reflected in these Solicitation documents with respect to Underground Utilities at or contiguous to the site is based upon information and data furnished to the City by the owners of such Underground Utilities or others. The City does not assume responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of this information or data.

d) Bidders Examinations.

Before submitting a Bid, each Bidder shall (or shall be deemed to), at Bidder's own expense, make or obtain any additional examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, and studies and obtain any additional information and data which pertain to the physical conditions (surface, subsurface, and Underground Utilities) at or contiguous to the site or otherwise which may affect cost, progress, or performance of the Work and which the Bidder deems necessary to determine

its Bid for performing the Work in accordance with the time, price, and other terms and conditions of this Solicitation.

# e) Access.

Upon advance written request, the City will provide each Bidder access to the site to conduct such explorations and tests as each Bidder deems necessary for submission of a Bid. Bidder shall fill any and all holes and shall clean and restore the site to its former condition upon completion of such explorations.

# f) Necessary Lands.

The lands upon which the Work is to be performed, rights-of-way and easements for access (as applicable) and other lands designated for use by the Successful Bidder in performing the Work are identified in this Solicitation. All additional lands and access thereto required for any temporary construction facilities or storage of Materials and equipment are to be provided by the Successful Bidder. Easements for permanent structures or permanent changes in existing structures (as applicable) are to be obtained and paid for by the City unless otherwise provided in this Solicitation.

# g) Representations by the Bidder.

The submission of a Bid will constitute an incontrovertible representation by the Bidder that the Bidder has complied with every requirement of this Solicitation, and that without exception the Bid is premised upon performing the Work required by this Solicitation and such means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures as may be indicated in or required by these Solicitation documents, and that the Solicitation documents are sufficient in scope and detail to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions for performance of the Work.

# h) Requests for Additional Information and Amendments.

- 1) Requests for additional information, explanation, clarification or interpretation must be made in writing to the Procurement Department at the address identified above. Requests must be received by the Procurement Department by the deadline for written questions stated in the Solicitation Timetable. Any requests received after that time may not be reviewed for inclusion in this Solicitation. Requests shall contain the requester's name, address, telephone number, fax number and e-mail address.
- Responses to any inquiry shall be made by the Procurement Department, by written amendment to the Solicitation, per the date stated in the Solicitation Timetable. The Bidder shall not rely on any representation, statement or explanation other than those made in this Solicitation or in any amendments issued. Where there appears to be a conflict between this Solicitation and any amendment issued, the last amendment issued shall prevail.
- 3) It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure receipt of all amendments and

substitute Bid forms. It is the Bidder's further responsibility to verify with the Procurement Department, before submitting a Bid, that all amendments have been received. Bidders shall submit the Bid form entitled "ADDENDA ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM" with their Bids.

i) Conflicts in this Solicitation.

Where there appears to be a conflict in the Scope of the Work or other detail, the conflict shall be resolved by the latest dated document issued by the City taking precedence. Additionally, to the extent the following is applicable the order of precedence shall be as follows:

- Change Orders (if any);
- 2. Agreement;
- 3. Addenda;
- 4. Contractor's Bid;
- 5. Solicitation, general provisions:
- 6. General Conditions:
- 7. Technical Specifications;
- 8. Referenced Standard Specifications; and
- 9. Drawings.
- j) Prices Contained in this Solicitation.
  - 1) Prompt Payment Terms. The Bidder may offer cash discounts for prompt payments; however, such discounts will not be considered in determining the lowest price for Bid tabulation purposes.
  - 2) If the Bidder fails to provide a discount for prompt payment, it is understood and agreed that the payment terms will be NET 30 DAYS, effective after receipt by the City of an approved Application for Payment, invoice or final acceptance, whichever is later.

# 2.05 PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION OF BID

- a) Preparation and Submission.
  - 1) The Bid forms shall be used when submitting a Bid. Use of any other forms shall result in the Bid being deemed "Non-Responsive."
  - The Bid will either be typed or completed legibly in ink. The Bidder's authorized agent shall sign the Bid Forms in ink, and the authorized agent shall initial, in ink, all corrections made by the Bidder. The use of pencil or erasable ink or failure to comply with any of the foregoing may result in the rejection of the Bid.
  - 3) For a unit price Bid, where there is a discrepancy between the unit prices and any extended prices, the unit prices will prevail.
  - 4) The Bidder shall not charge tax to the City, as the City is exempt from all

state, excise, federal and local sales tax. Any taxes on Materials and/or supplies which are purchased by the Bidder are the responsibility of the Bidder. Taxes must be incorporated in the Bid price, not as a separate item. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the City may be subject to applicable taxes on Goods purchased for the purpose of resale. Upon request, the City will provide a tax exemption certificate, if applicable.

- 5) Any telegraphic or facsimile Bid received shall **not** be considered.
- 6) The Bidder shall incorporate in its Bid price all costs related to this Solicitation.
- 7) Silence of Specifications regarding any details, or omission from Specifications of a detail shall be regarded as meaning that only the best commercial practices are to prevail, and that only Materials and workmanship of first quality are to be used. All interpretations of Specifications shall be made upon this basis.
- b) Criminal Conviction Disclosure.

Any individual submitting a Bid who has been convicted of a felony during the past 10 years and any corporation, partnership, joint venture or other legal entity submitting a Bid or assisting in the performance of Work that has an officer, director, or executive who has been convicted of a felony during the past 10 years shall disclose this information with its Bid. Forms for the disclosure of such information are available from the Procurement Department.

c) Sworn Statement on Public Entity Crimes.

Pursuant to Paragraph 2(a) of Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, "[A] person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids, proposals, or replies on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in s. 287.017 for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months following the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list."

All Bidders shall submit a signed and notarized statement with their Bids on the form entitled "PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES."

d) Preference for CBE or SBE Firms and Local Bidders.

The City encourages CBE/SBE firms to compete for City contracts, and also encourages non-CBE/SBE firms and other minority vendors to use CBE/SBE firms as subcontractors. The City, its vendors, Suppliers, and Consultants should take all necessary and reasonable steps to ensure that CBE/SBE businesses have the

opportunity to compete for and perform Contract work for the City in a nondiscriminatory environment.

To request certification or to locate a listing of certified CBE/SBE firms, access the Broward County CBE/SBE website on the Internet at: <a href="https://webapps4.broward.org/smallbusiness/sbdirectory.aspx">https://webapps4.broward.org/smallbusiness/sbdirectory.aspx</a>

To request a current listing of local Miramar businesses, please contact the City's Procurement Department at (954) 602-3054.

- Except where federal, state or county Law mandates to the contrary, or as otherwise provided herein, the City, pursuant to its purchasing authority, shall grant preference in the amount of five percent of any Bid or five points of any Bid score to a CBE or SBE Firm. Such preference shall apply to Bids or proposals for commodities, Services and construction.
- 2) Except where federal, state or county Law mandates to the contrary, or as otherwise provided herein, the City, pursuant to its purchasing authority, shall grant a preference in the amount of five percent of any Bid or five points of any Bid score to a Local Business. Such preference shall apply to Bids or proposals for commodities. Services and construction.
- 3) A vendor located outside the City of Miramar City limits is considered equivalent to a Miramar vendor and accorded the same preference if the greater of any one of the following is satisfied: 1) it employs a minimum of 10 full-time equivalent ("FTE") Miramar residents in the company's local workforce; or 2) Miramar residents constitute a minimum of 20 percent of the company's local workforce (Broward and Miami-Dade Counties), whichever is larger. Such preference shall apply to Bids or Proposals for commodities and services.
- e) Drug-free Workplace Preference.

All public Bids are subject to the City's "Preference to Businesses with Drug-free Workplace Program" Ordinance No. 91-32, which grants a preference to a business with a drug-free workplace program whenever two or more Bids are equal with respect to price, quality, and Services. The drug-free workplace vendor shall have the burden of demonstrating that its program complies with Section 287.087, Florida Statutes, and any other applicable state Law. An announcement of this program may be included with the Bid submittals. All Bidders shall submit the duly signed and notarized Bid Form entitled "DRUG FREE WORKPLACE AFFIDAVIT."

f) Anti-Kickback Affidavit.

All Bidders shall submit the duly signed and notarized Bid Form entitled "ANTI-KICKBACK AFFIDAVIT."

# g) Antitrust Laws.

By acceptance of a Contract, the Successful Bidder acknowledges compliance with all antitrust Laws of the United States and the State of Florida in order to protect the public from restraint of trade, which illegally increases prices.

# h) Conflicts of Interest.

The award of the Contract hereunder is subject to the provisions of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes. Bidders shall disclose the name of any officer, director, partner, associate, or agent who is also an officer, appointee, or employee of the City at the time during the Solicitation process.

# i) Collection of Fees and Taxes.

By acceptance of a Contract, the Successful Bidder acknowledges compliance with the requirement that all delinquent and currently due fees and taxes have been paid. The City may require verification and satisfaction of all delinquencies and currently due fees and taxes prior to recommending a Bidder for the award of any Contract.

# j) Non-Discrimination Affidavit.

All Bidders shall affirm that their organization shall not discriminate against any person in its operations, activities or delivery of Services. Bidders shall also affirmatively comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state and local equal employment Laws and shall not engage in or commit any discriminatory practice against any person based on race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, political affiliation, or any other factor which cannot lawfully be used as a basis for Service delivery. All Bidders shall submit the duly signed and notarized Bid Form entitled "NON-DISCRIMINATION AFFIDAVIT."

# k) Business/Vendor Profile Survey.

All Bidders shall provide the City with the information requested in the Business/Vendor Profile Survey before being recommended for award of any Contract resulting from this Solicitation. All Bidders shall submit the Bid form entitled "BUSINESS/VENDOR PROFILE SURVEY."

# I) Non-Collusive Affidavit.

All Bidders shall affirm that they shall not: (i) collude, conspire, connive or agree, directly or indirectly, with any other Bidder, firm, or person to submit a collusive or sham Bid in connection with the Work for which their Bid has been submitted, or to refrain from offering a Bid in connection with such Work; or (ii) in any manner, directly or indirectly, seek by person to fix the price or prices in the Bid or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost elements of the Bid price or the Bid price of any other Bidder, or to secure through collusion, conspiracy, connivance, or unlawful agreement any advantage against any other Bidder, or any person interested in the proposed Work. All Bidders shall submit the duly

signed and notarized Bid form entitled "NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT."

m) Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification.

All Bidders shall provide the City with their taxpayer identification number prior to being recommended for award of any Contract resulting from this Solicitation. All Bidders shall submit the Bid form entitled "REQUEST FOR TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER AND CERTIFICATION."

n) Florida Trench Safety Act.

All Bidders shall submit the duly signed and notarized Bid form entitled "TRENCH SAFETY ACT COMPLIANCE STATEMENT."

# 2.06 MODIFICATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF A BID

a) Modification of a Bid.

Any modification of a Bid by the Bidder shall be submitted to the Office of the City Clerk prior to the Due Date and Time. The Bidder shall submit the new Bid and a letter, on company letterhead, signed by an authorized agent of the Bidder stating that the new submittal supersedes the previously submitted Bid. The sealed envelope shall set forth the same information as required for submitting the original Bid. In addition, the envelope shall be marked with a statement that this Bid replaces the previously submitted Bid. No modifications of a Bid shall be accepted after the Due Date and Time for Bids.

b) Withdrawal of a Bid.

A Bid shall be irrevocable unless the Bid is withdrawn as provided herein. A Bid may be withdrawn only by a notarized written communication from an authorized agent or principal of the Bidder delivered to the Office of the City Clerk **prior** to the Due Date and Time for submission of Bids.

# 2.07 LATE BIDS AND REQUESTS FOR WITHDRAWALS AFTER BID OPENING

Bids will **not** be accepted by the City Clerk after the Due Date and Time for Bids. Requests received for withdrawals of Bids after the Due Date and Time for Bids, but prior to the expiration of 180 calendar Days after the Due Date and Time for Bids, shall **not** be considered.

# 2.08 SOLICITATION POSTPONEMENT OR CANCELLATION

The City may, at its sole and absolute discretion, reject any and all, or parts of any and all Bids, re-advertise this Solicitation, postpone or cancel at any time this Solicitation process, or waive any irregularities in this Solicitation or in the Bids received.

# 2.09 COSTS OF BIDS

All expenses involved with the preparation and submission of Bids to the City shall be

borne by the Bidder. **No** payment shall be made for any responses received, or effort made by the Bidder relative to providing the Bid.

# 2.10 ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Not applicable to this Solicitation.

# 2.11 BID SECURITY, BONDS, AND INSURANCE

When applicable, each Bid shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check, or approved Bid Bond, in the amount stated in this Solicitation. The check or Bond shall be made payable to the City and shall be given as a guarantee that the Bidder, if awarded the Work, will enter into a Contract with the City, and will furnish the necessary insurance certificates and Bonds described in the General Requirements. In case of refusal or failure to enter into the Contract, the check or Bid Bond, as the case may be, shall be forfeited to the City. If the Bidder elects to furnish a Bid Bond as its Bid security, the Bidder shall use the Bid Bond form in this Solicitation. Within 30 Days after execution of the Contract, the City will return the Bid securities accompanying the Bids that are not awarded the Contract.

# 2.12 PROPRIETARY/CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

Bidders are advised that all information submitted as part of or in support of Bids will be available for public inspection and/or copying after opening of the Bids, in compliance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, also known as the "Public Records Law." Any person wishing to view the Bids must make an appointment by calling the Procurement Department at (954) 602-3054.

All Bids submitted in response to this Solicitation s h a II become the property of the City. Unless the information submitted is proprietary, copyrighted, trademarked, or patented, the City reserves the right to utilize any or all information, ideas, conceptions, or portions of any Bid. Acceptance or rejection of any Bid shall not nullify the City's rights hereunder. Bidders must clearly notify the City of any proprietary information within its Bid when submitting the Bid.

# 2.13 EVALUATION OF A BID

- a) Rejection of Bid.
  - The City may reject any Bid and award to the next lowest responsive, responsible Bidder whose Bid is in the best interest of the City; or the City may award any portion of a Bid or the City may reject and re-advertise for all or any part of this Solicitation whenever it is in the best interest of the City to do so. The City shall be the sole judge of what is in its "best interest."
  - 2) The City may reject any Bid if prices are not reasonable, or if they exceed the City's budget for the Project, as determined by the City.
  - 3) The City may reject any part of this Solicitation or award any part,

whenever it is deemed in the best interest of the City. The City shall be the sole judge of what is in its "best interest."

b) Elimination from Consideration.

No Contract shall be awarded to any person who, or any firm which is in default to the City as a result of any debt, taxes, or any other obligation whatsoever.

c) Waiver of Informalities.

The City reserves the right to waive any informalities or irregularities in this Solicitation.

- d) Demonstration of Competency.
  - A Bid will only be considered from a firm that is regularly engaged in the business of providing the Goods and/or Services required by this Solicitation. The Bidder must be able to demonstrate a good record of performance with sufficient financial resources, skills, equipment and organization to ensure that they can satisfactorily provide the Work if awarded this Solicitation.
  - The City may conduct a pre-award inspection of the Bidder's site or hold a pre-award qualification hearing to determine if the Bidder has the capabilities required and is capable of performing the requirements of this Solicitation. The City may consider any evidence available regarding the financial, technical and other qualifications and abilities of the Bidder, including past performance and experience with the City and any other governmental or private entity in making the award of any Contract.
  - 3) The City may require the Bidder to show evidence that it has been designated as an authorized representative of a manufacturer, Supplier and/or distributor if required by this Solicitation.
  - 4) The City reserves the right to audit all records, whether financial or otherwise, pertaining to and resulting from any Contract award.
  - In determining a Bidder's responsibility and ability to perform the Contract, the City has the right to investigate and request information as to whether the Bidder can perform the Contract within the time specified without delay or interference; the character, integrity, reputation, judgment, experience and efficiency of the Bidder; the quality of performance of previous contracts of a similar nature; the previous and existing compliance by the Bidder with L aws and ordinances relating to any other contract; the Bidder's record with environmental regulations; and the claims and litigation history of the Bidder.

# 2.14 AWARD OF AN AGREEMENT

# a) AGREEMENT.

The Successful Bidder will be the lowest responsible, responsive Bidder that satisfies the minimum qualifications of this Solicitation and whose Bid is in the best interest of the City. The Successful Bidder will be required to execute an Agreement in accordance with this Solicitation and the Bid. This Solicitation contains the "AGREEMENT". After award, a Contract similar to the Agreement in this Solicitation, inclusive of all attachments and any modifications which the City in its sole discretion may make, will constitute the entire agreement between the parties. No rights shall inure to the benefit of any Bidder pursuant to this Solicitation until the Agreement has been executed by both parties thereto. A written Notice to Proceed issued to the Successful Bidder by the City is the sole document authorizing the commencement of activities under the Agreement.

# b) Voluntary Reduction in Price.

The City may accept a voluntary reduction from the lowest, responsive Bidder after Bid opening, if such reduction is not conditioned on, nor results in, the modification or deletion of any condition contained in the Invitation for Bids and is determined to be in the best interests of the City. A voluntary reduction may not be used to ascertain the lowest responsive Bid.

# c) Additional Information.

The award of an Agreement, or forfeiture of an award, may be conditioned on the timely submission of additional documents. The apparent Successful Bidder shall be deemed "Non-Responsive" if such documents are not submitted in a timely manner and in the form required or request by the City. Where the apparent Successful Bidder is deemed "Non-Responsive" as a result of such failure to provide the required documents, the City may award the Contract to the next lowest, responsive, responsible Bidder whose Bid is in the best interest of the City. In such event, the apparent Successful Bidder shall be declared "Non-Responsive" and shall forfeit its Bid Bond to the City.

# d) Independent Contractor.

The Successful Bidder shall be a Contractor operating independently from the City. All employees and Contractors of the Successful Bidder shall be considered to be, at all times, employees or Contractors of the Successful Bidder and not an employee, Contractor, or agent of the City. Nor shall employees and Contractors of the Successful Bidder enjoy any privity of Contract with the City. Neither the Successful Bidder nor any of its employees shall receive any City benefits available to employees of the City. The Successful Bidder shall supply competent and physically capable employees and Contractors. The City may require the Successful Bidder to remove any employee or Contractor that the City deems careless, incompetent, insubordinate, or otherwise objectionable and whose

continued performance of Services to the City is not in the best interest of the City. Failure of the Successful Bidder to comply with the City's request will be sufficient cause for the Successful Bidder to be declared in breach of the Contract.

# e) Contract Extension.

The City reserves the right to automatically extend any Contract for up to 90 calendar Days beyond the stated Contract term, under the same terms and conditions of said Contract. The City shall notify the Successful Bidder in writing of such extensions. Additional extensions beyond the first 90 Day extension may occur if the City and the Successful Bidder are in mutual agreement of such extensions.

# f) Warranty.

Any implied warranty granted under the Uniform Commercial Code shall apply to all Goods purchased under any Contract.

# g) Estimated Quantities.

Estimated quantities or estimated dollars, if provided, are for Bidder's guidance and to assist the City in evaluation purposes only. No guarantee is expressed or implied as to quantities or dollars that will be used or ordered during the term of any Contract. The City is not obligated to place any order for a given amount during the term of any Contract.

## h) Non-Exclusive Contract.

Although the purpose of this Solicitation is to secure a Contract that can satisfy the total needs of the City, it is agreed and understood that any Contract award does not provide exclusive rights to the Successful Bidder to receive all orders that may be generated by the City in connection with the types of Goods and/or Services requested herein.

## h) Limited Contract Extension.

Any specific Work assignment which commences prior to the termination date of the agreement and which will extend beyond the termination date shall, unless terminated by mutual written agreement of both parties, continue until completion at the same prices, terms and conditions as set forth in the agreement.

# 2.15 RIGHT OF APPEAL

a) A Notice of Intent to Award for the Project is posted by the City on <u>DemandStar.com</u>, the City Clerk's Notice Board, and on the City's website, <u>www.</u> <u>miramar.fl.gov/cityclerk/sunshine</u>. Any actual or prospective Bidder who is aggrieved in connection with the pending award of the Project or any element of the Solicitation process may protest to the City's Chief Procurement Officer. A protest must be filed within five Days after posting of the Intent to Award or any right to protest is forfeited. The protest must be in writing, must identify the name and address of the protester, and must include a factual summary of and the basis for the protest. Filing shall be considered complete when the protest containing the above information in full, including the deposit described below, is received by the City's Chief Procurement Officer.

b) A nonrefundable filing fee from protester is required to compensate the City for the expenses of administering the protest. The fee shall be in the form of cash or a cashier's check, and in accordance with the schedule set forth below:

<b>Contract Award</b>	Amount Filing Fee
\$10,000-\$50,000	\$500.00
\$50,001-\$250,000	\$1,000.00
\$250,001 and greater whichever is greater	1% of the pending award or \$5,000.00,

# 2.16 BIDDER/CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS

a) Rules, Regulations, Licensing, and Other Requirements.

The Bidder shall comply with all Laws and Regulations applicable to the Goods and/or Services required or sought by this Solicitation. The Bidder is presumed to be familiar with all federal, state and local Laws, ordinances, codes and Regulations that may in any way affect the Goods and/or Services offered or required.

b) Conditions of Packaging and Packaging Materials.

If applicable, and unless otherwise specified in the Plans or Specifications, all containers shall be suitable for shipment and/or storage and recyclable to the greatest extent possible.

# 2.17 REQUIRED LISTING OF SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS

- a.) All Contracts with the City for purchase of supplies, Materials, or Services, including professional Services involving the expenditure of \$25,000.00 or more, shall require that the Bidder submit with its Bid a listing of all first-tier Subcontractors who will perform any part of the Contract Work and all Suppliers who will supply Materials for the Work directly to the Successful Bidder. In addition, the Successful Bidder shall not change or substitute Subcontractors or Suppliers from those listed in the Bid except upon written approval of the City.
- b.) All Bidders shall submit the completed Bid form entitled "**INFORMATION REQUIRED OF BIDDER LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS**" with their Bid. Failure

to comply with this requirement shall render the Bid "Non-Responsive."

# 2.18 CONTRACTOR MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

The Successful Bidder **shall** submit proof of the following minimum qualifications with its Bid:

- At the time of Bid opening, and throughout the term of any Agreement awarded under this Solicitation document, the Successful Bidder shall be fully qualified and licensed to perform the Scope of Work described herein. Proof of licensure is required at the time of Bid submittal.
- 2. The Successful Bidder shall be an established, Licensed State Certified General Contractor with: (a) a minimum of five (5) consecutive years' experience; (b) show completion of three (3) projects of similar size and scope; (c) show project experience in directional drills extending beyond 2,000 Linear Feet and of pipe diameter 24" or larger; and (d) include references' current mailing addresses, telephone numbers and email addresses. <a href="#Failure to provide verifiable references will deem the Bid "Non-Responsive."">Failure to provide verifiable references will deem the Bid "Non-Responsive."</a>

# 2.19 EXCEPTIONS TO THE SOLICITATION

Exceptions are not applicable to this Solicitation and shall not be taken by a Bidder. Taking exceptions in the Bid may render the Bid "Non-Responsive."

**END OF SECTION** 

#### **SECTION 00300 - BID FORMS**

BID TO: The City of Miramar

2300 Civic Center Place Miramar, Florida 33025 City Clerk's Office

1. The undersigned Bidder proposes and agrees, if this Bid is accepted, to enter into a Contract with the City in the form included in this City of Miramar Bid No. IFB 19-002, to perform the Work as specified or indicated in the Solicitation entitled:

# <u>"CITY OF MIRAMAR - Wastewater Reclamation Facility - Reclaimed Water System Expansion-Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System."</u>

- 2. Bidder accepts all of the terms and conditions of the Solicitation and Contract Documents, including without limitation those in the Notice Inviting Bids and Instructions to Bidders dealing with the disposition of the Bid Security. The contact person for this Bid is Brenda Martin, who can be reached at (954) 602-3311.
- 3. This Bid will remain open for the period stated in the "Notice Inviting Bids", unless otherwise required by Law. Bidder will enter into a Contract within the time and in the manner required in the "Notice Inviting Bids" and the "Instructions to Bidders", and will furnish the insurance certificates and endorsements, Payment Bond and Performance Bond required by the Solicitation and Contract Documents prior to Bid Award and within the time frame indicated by the City.
- 4. Bidder has examined copies of all the Solicitation Documents, including the following Addenda (receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged):

Number	 Date	

- 5. Bidder has familiarized itself with the nature and extent of the Solicitation and Contract Documents; Work, site, and locality where the Work is to be performed; applicable Laws and Regulations; and the conditions affecting cost, progress or performance of the Work, and has made such independent investigations as Bidder deems necessary.
- 6. This Bid is genuine and not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed person, firm or corporation and is not submitted in conformity with any agreement or rules of any group, association, organization or corporation; Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited

any other Bidder to submit a false or sham Bid; Bidder has not solicited or induced any person, firm or corporation to refrain from bidding; and Bidder has not sought by collusion to obtain for itself any advantage over any other Bidder or over the City.

To all the foregoing, and including all Bid Schedule(s) and information required of Bidder contained in this Bid Form, Bidder further agrees to complete the Work required under the Solicitation and Contract Documents within the Contract Time stipulated in the Solicitation and Contract Documents, and to accept in full payment therefore the Contract Price based on the Total Bid Price(s) named in the aforementioned Bidding Schedule(s).

All representations made by Bidder in this Bid are made under penalty of perjury.

DATED:	BID	DER:				
	BY:	(Sig	gnature)			
	TITI	_E:				
STATE OF FLORIDA )						
) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )						
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBI	E <b>D</b> befo	ore me this_	day	of		_, 20, by
, w	ho is	personally	known	to me	or has	produced
as identificatio	n.					
N. D. L.						
Notary Public State of Florida at Large						
My commission expires:	_					

# ADDENDA ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

Addendum #	Date Received
BIDDER:	
(Company Name)	_
(Signature)	-
(Printed Name and Title)	-

**END OF DOCUMENT** 

FAILURE TO COMPLETE, SIGN AND RETURN THIS FORM MAY DEEM YOUR BID NON-RESPONSIVE

# CITY OF MIRAMAR WASTEWATER RECLAIMATION FACILITY – RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION - PHASE 1B RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

# IFB NO. 19-002 BID FORM SUMMARY

Bid Item	Description	Qty.	Unit	Unit Price	Amount
ISCELL#	ANEOUS				
1	Bonds and Insurance	1	LS		
2	Mobilization	1	LS		
3	Maintenance of Traffic	1	LS		
		MIS	SCELLANE	OUS SUBTOTAL:	
ECLAIMI	ED WATER MAIN				
4	Furnish & Install 16" Ductile Iron Pipe (D.I.P.) Reclaimed Water Main Pipe	21	LF		
5	Furnish & Install 24" Ductile Iron Pipe (D.I.P.) Reclaimed Water Main Pipe	149	LF		
6	Furnish & Install 30" H.D.P.E (DR-11) Reclaimed Water Main Pipe by Means of Horizontal Directional Drilling	2,835	LF		
7	Furnish & Install Ductile Iron Reclaimed Water Fittings	2	TON		
8	Furnish & Install 16" Gate Valve w/ Box, Extension and all Appurtenances	1	EA		
9	Furnish & Install 24" Gate Valve w/ Box, Extension and all Appurtenances	2	EA		
10	Cut Existing 24" Reclaimed Water Main and Connect Proposed Reclaimed Water Main	1	EA		
11	Restrain Existing 24" Reclaimed Water Main Pipe	158	LF		
12	Furnish & Install Air Vacuum/Air Release Valve with Maintenance Access Structure w/ all Appurtenances	2	EA		
		RECL	AIMED WA	ATER SUBTOTAL:	
ROADWA	v				
13	Remove & Dispose Existing Pavement Cross Section	79	SY		
14	Furnish & Place Pavement Restoration	79	SY		
15	Mill 1" Existing Roadway Asphalt	726	SY		
16	Furnish & Place 1" Type SP-9.5 Asphalt	726	SY		
17	Remove & Replace Type 'F' Curb & Gutter	22	LF		
18	Remove & Replace Concrete Sidewalk/Access Driveway (Min. 6" Thick)	12	SY		
19	Remove & Replace Sod	330	SY		
		I		WAY SUBTOTAL:	

Bid Item	Description	Qty.	Unit	Unit Price	Amount
PAVEME	NT MARKING & SIGNAGE				
20	Furnish and Place 6" Solid Traffic Stripe, Thermoplastic, White and Yellow (includes Skips and Double Yellow)	341	LF		
21	Furnish and Place 12" Solid Traffic Stripe, Thermoplastic, White (Cross Walk)	158	LF		
22	Furnish and Place 24" Solid Traffic Stripe, Thermoplastic, White (Stop Bar)	42	LF		
23	Furnish and Place Themoplastic Pavement Arrows, Bike Lane and "Bus Only" Pavement Message Markings	3	EA		
	PAVEME	NT MARK	NG & SIGN	IAGE SUBTOTAL:	
		тот	AL W/O AL	LOWANCES	
ALLOWA	NCES				
24	Permit Fees	1	AL	\$5,400.00	\$5,400.00
25	Existing Power Pole Support	1	AL	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
26	Irrigation Restoration Allowance	1	AL	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
26 27	Irrigation Restoration Allowance Unforseen Conditions Allowance	1	AL AL	\$25,000.00 \$105,268.25	\$25,000.00 \$105,268.25
		1		. ,	\$25,000.00 \$105,268.25

FOTAL BID AMOUNT:	(Write Amount in Figures)
TOTAL BID AMOUNT:	(Write Amount in Words)

AMOUNTS SHALL BE SHOWN IN BOTH WORDS AND FIGURES. IN CASE OF DISCREPANCIES, THE AMOUNT SHOWN IN WORDS SHALL GOVERN AS THE TOTAL BID AMOUNT.

Bidder acknowledges that included in the various items of the Bid or proposal and in the total Bid price are costs for complying with the Florida Trench Safety Act, Florida Statutes Section 553.60-.64. By signing and submitting the Trench Safety Act Compliance Statement, the Bidder is guaranteeing and warranting to the City that it will perform any trench excavation in accordance with applicable trench safety standards. Contract award shall be based upon the Total Bid Price, as identified above, by the lowest responsive, responsible Bidder.

Bidder acknowledges that the purpose of the Bid Worksheet is for Bid balancing comparisons and use as a unit price for potential add/delete items. These worksheets must be completed in their entirety and returned together with the sealed Bids in order for the Bid to be deemed complete, responsive and accepted by the City.

Bidder acknowledges that the units that are listed may not be a complete list of units and Forms 300-5

are provided by the City for informational purposes only. Bidder further acknowledges that the Project shall be completed for the total Lump Sum Project Bid based on the Contract Documents and Technical Special Provisions unless otherwise modified in writing via a formal Contract Amendment and/or Change Order (if any).

Bidder acknowledges that the Bid Worksheet in no way includes all the specific items found in the Contract Documents and Technical Special Provisions, nor represent all the parts of the Project required by this Contract.

Project/Development Name: Cl	TY OF MIRAMAR - Wastewater Reclamation Facility - Reclaimed
<u>V</u>	Vater System Expansion Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission
<u>S</u>	System- IFB No. 19-002
Contractor Company Name:	
Contractor Acknowledgement	
	Print Name/Title
	Signature
Date:	

#### INFORMATION REQUIRED OF BIDDER

# **LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS:**

The Bidder shall list below the name and the location of the place of business of each Subcontractor who will perform Work or labor or render Services to the Contractor in or for the construction of the Work or improvement, or a Subcontractor licensed by the state who, under subcontract to the Contractor, specially fabricates and installs a portion of the Work or improvement according to detailed Drawings contained in the Plans and Specifications, in an amount in excess of one-half of one percent of the Contractor's total base Bid price. The Bidder shall also list below the portion of the Work which will be done by each Subcontractor under the Contract. The Contractor shall list only one Subcontractor for each portion as is defined by the Contractor in its Bid.

Work to be Performed	Subcontract or License <u>Number</u>	Percent of Total Contract	Subcontractor's Name and Address
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			

Note: Attach additional sheets if required.

# NAMED EQUIPMENT / MATERIAL SUPPLIER LIST:

The Contract Documents are based upon the equipment or products available from the Suppliers listed below. Provisions are made in the Contract Documents for alternate Suppliers in certain instances whose equipment or products may be deemed equivalent in quality. However, the Bidder must indicate in its Bid which named Supplier the Bidder intends to use (in the event an alternate is not accepted) for each item of Equipment/Material listed on this form by circling one of the listed Suppliers below for each type of Equipment/Material noted. Should a Bidder fail to circle a named item in any category, it agrees to furnish the first Supplier listed (denoted by the letter "A"). Should a Bidder circle more than one named item in any category, it agrees to furnish the first circled Supplier.

In addition, where noted on the list, the Bidder must provide a price for the Equipment/Material circled exclusive of installation cost. The value referenced is included in the Total Base Bid Price.

Where "or equal" is specified in this Solicitation, the Bidder may write in the proposed "or equal" Supplier name in the "OR EQUAL" SUPPLIER/MATERIAL SUPPLIER LIST, but it must nevertheless also circle one of the listed Suppliers below.

If the proposed "or equal" Supplier is not accepted by the Engineer, the Bidder must furnish the circled Supplier as noted above.

Equipment/Material Item	<u>Supplier</u>
	_ A
	В
	A
	B
	A
	В
	A
	B

# "OR EQUAL" SUPPLIER / MATERIAL SUPPLIER LIST:

The Bidder proposes the following "or equal" Suppliers for the equipment or Material categories so identified:

	Equipment or Material Item	Specification Section	Alternate Supplier (list one only per item)
1	_		
2			
3			
4			
5.			

The acceptance of equipment or Materials by the proposed "or equal" Suppliers shall be at the sole discretion of the City based on the SUBSTITUTES OR "OR EQUAL" ITEMS requirements of the General Conditions. Note that only <u>one</u> "or equal" Supplier may be proposed per equipment or Material Item. In the event that the single proposed "or equal" item is not ultimately accepted by the City, the Contractor shall furnish the named equipment/Material per the NAMED EQUIPMENT/MATERIAL SUPPLIER LIST.





# **Notification and Acknowledgement of Waste Management Service**

The Contractor is hereby notified that Waste Pro is the City's official waste management provider and <u>must be used for all waste disposal activities related to this Project, (if applicable)</u>. For assistance, call (954) 967-4200.

# Project/Development Name:

"CITY OF MIRAMAR - WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY - RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION- PHASE 1B RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM- IFB NO. 19-002

Contractor Company Name:		
Contractor Acknowledgement		
	Print Name/Title	
	Signature	
Date:		

# **BIDDER'S GENERAL INFORMATION:**

The Bidder shall furnish the following information. Additional sheets shall be attached as required. Failure to complete Item Nos. 1, 3, 6, 7 or 8 will result in the Bid being deemed "Non-Responsive" and may cause its rejection. No award will be made until all of the Bidder's General Information (i.e., items 1 through 8, inclusive) is delivered to the City.

(1)	CONTRACTOR'S name and address:								
(2)	CONTRACTOR'S telep	hone number:							
(3)	CONTRACTOR'S license: Primary classification:								
	State License No. and Expiration Date:								
	Supplemental classification held, if any:								
	Name of Licensee, if different from (1) above:								
(4)	Name of person who inspected site of proposed Work for your firm:								
	Name:Date of Inspection:								
(5)	Name, address, and telephone number of surety company and agent who will provide the required Bonds on this Contract:								
(6)	ATTACH TO THIS BID the resume of the person who will be designated chie construction superintendent or on-site construction manager.								
(7)	ATTACH TO THIS BID a financial statement, references, and other information sufficiently comprehensive to permit an appraisal of Contractor's current financial condition.								
(8)	List recent projects completed involving work of similar type and complexity (use separate sheet if required):								
	Project Name	Contract Price and End Date	Name, address, email and phone number of Contact						
1.									
2.									
3									

# **REFERENCE QUESTIONNAIRE**

Reference for Contractor:

Agency Giving Reference:					
Person Giving Reference:					
Telephone:					
E-Mail:					
Name of Project Completed by Contractor:					
What was the Dollar value of the Project:					
Vhat was the Completion Date of the Project:					
Provide a reference for the above named firm by inc	licating below	the level o	f satisfac	tion (Satis	sfactory or Unsat
services provided to your agency.					
	T	1	Rating	]	T
Question	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Unacceptable
Did the contractor complete the project on					
time, in accordance with specifications?					
Did the contractor submit excessive change		YES		N	0
orders? If yes, how many?					
How would you rate the firm's responsiveness					
on administrative and service issues?					
How would you rate the quality and experience					
of the firm's project manager and on-site					
personnel?					
Was this awarded under a competitive					
process?					
How would you rate the contractor's project					
management, including management of sub					
contractors?		YES		NI/	
Would you use the contractor again?		169	I	N <sub>1</sub>	<u> </u>
Overall, what would you rate their performance?					
performance :					
Γhe undersigned does hereby certify that the for	ogoing and s	uheaguar	t statom	onte ara	true and
correct and are made independently, free from v				ents are	li ue anu
correct and are made macpendently, nee nom v	endor miterie	i ence/con	usion.		
Sign Name:		Title:			
	<del></del>				
Print Name:		Date:			
Additional Comments:					

FAILURE TO RETURN THREE (3) REFERENCES BY USING THIS FORM WILL DEEM YOUR PROPOSAL "NON-RESPONSIVE"

#### **BID BOND**

STATE OF		(					
COUNTY OF		) ss: )					
KNOW	ALL	MEN	<b>BY</b>		principal	Ι,	and
City of Miramar	("City"), a	•	corporation	on of the State	, are held and firm e of Florida, in th ), lawful mo	ne penal s	sum of
Reclamation Fa	<u>cility - Re</u>	hich sum we claimed W	ell and tru ater Sys	lly to be made f stem Expansion	or the <u>City of Mirar</u> on, Phase 1B, R	mar - Wast Reclaimed	tewater Water
Transmission Sy and successors j					ur heirs, executor	s, adminis	strators
THE CON submitted the ac					t whereas the prir	•	
For:							

# NOW, THEREFORE,

- (a) if said Bid shall be rejected, or
- (b) if said Bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall properly execute and deliver to City the appropriate Contract Documents, and shall in all respects fulfill all terms and conditions attributable to the acceptance of said Bid, then this obligation shall be void. Otherwise, it shall remain in force and in effect, being expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall in no event exceed the amount of this obligation as herein stated.

The Surety, for value received, hereby agrees that the obligations of said Surety and/or its Bond shall in no way be impaired or affected by any extension of time within which the City may accept such Bid, and said Surety does hereby waive notice of any extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above b	onded parties have executed this instrument under
the corporate seal of each corporate party b signed by its undersigned representative.	f
IN PRESENCE OF:	
Witness	(Individual or Partnership Principal)
Witness	(Business Address)
	(City, State, Zip)
	(Business Phone)
ATTEST:	
Secretary	(Corporate Principal)*
	By:
	(Title)
ATTEST:	
Secretary *Impress Corporate Seal	(Corporate Surety)* By:

**IMPORTANT:** Surety companies executing bonds must appear on the Treasury Department's most current list (Circular 570 as amended) and be authorized to transact business in the State of Florida.

# **ANTI-KICKBACK AFFIDAVIT**

STATE OF	_ )	
COUNTY OF	) ss: _ )	
herein will be paid to any employed	y duly sworn, depose and say that no portion of the Bid am ees of the City of Miramar or its elected officials, as a commis or indirectly by me or any member of my firm or by an offic	sion,
DATED:	BY:	
	BY:(Signature)	
	NAME:(Print)	
	(Print)	
	TITLE:	
STATE OF FLORIDA )		
COUNTY OF BROWARD )		
SWORN TO AND SUBSCI	CRIBED before me thisday of, 20	. bv
	, who is personally known to me or has produ	
Notary Public State of Florida at Large		
My commission expires:		

#### **PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES**

SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 287.133(3)(a), FLORIDA STATUTES ON PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES:

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS.

This sworn statement is submitted to
by
for
whose business address is
and (if applicable) its Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is
(If the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number of the individual signing this sworn statement:

- 2. I understand that a "public entity crime" as defined in Section 287.133(1)(g), Florida Statutes, means a violation of any state or federal Law by a person with respect to and directly related to the transaction of business with any public entity or with an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States, including, but not limited to, any bid or contract for goods or services to be provided to any public entity or an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States and involving antitrust, fraud, theft, bribery, collusion, racketeering, conspiracy, or material misrepresentation.
- 3. I understand that "convicted" or "conviction" as defined in Section 283.133(1)(b), Florida Statutes, means a finding of guilt or a conviction of a public entity crime, with or without an adjudication of guilt, in any federal or state trial court of record relating to charges brought by indictment or information after July 1, 1989, as a result of a jury verdict, non-jury trial, or entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere.
- 4. I understand that an "affiliate" as defined in Section 287.133(1)(a), Florida Statutes means:
  - a. A predecessor or successor of a person convicted of a public entity crime; or
  - b. An entity under the control of any natural person who is active in the management of the entity and who has been convicted of a public entity crime. The term "affiliate" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in the management of an affiliate. The ownership by one person of shares constituting a controlling interest in another person, or a pooling of equipment or income among persons when not for fair market value under an arm's length agreement,

- shall be a prima facie case that one person controls another person. A person who knowingly enters into a joint venture with a person who has been convicted of a public entity crime in Florida during the preceding 36 months shall be considered an affiliate.
- 5. I understand that a "person" as defined in Section 287.133(1)(e), Florida Statutes, means any natural person or entity organized under the laws of any state or of the United States with the legal power to enter into a binding contract and which bids or applies to bids on contracts for the provision of goods or services let by a public entity, or which otherwise transacts or applies to transact business with a public entity. The term "person" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in management of an entity.
- 6. Based on information and belief, the statement which I have marked below is true in relation to the entity submitting this sworn statement (Indicate which statement applies). Neither the entity submitting this sworn statement, nor any of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, nor any affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989. The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989. The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members or agents who are active in the management of the entity, or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989. However, there has been a subsequent proceeding before a Hearing Officer of the State of Florida, Division of Administrative Hearings and the Final Order entered by the Hearing Officer determined that it was not in

the public interest to place the entity submitting this sworn statement on the convicted

vendor list (attach a copy of the final order).

I UNDERSTAND THAT THE SUBMISSION OF THIS FORM TO THE CONTRACTING OFFICER FOR THE PUBLIC ENTITY IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPH 1 ABOVE IS FOR THAT PUBLIC ENTITY ONLY AND, THAT THIS FORM IS VALID THROUGH DECEMBER 31 OF THE CALENDAR YEAR IN WHICH IT IS FILED. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT I AM REQUIRED TO INFORM THE PUBLIC ENTITY PRIOR TO ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT IN EXCESS OF THE THRESHOLD AMOUNT PROVIDED IN SECTION 287.017, FLORIDA STATUTES FOR CATEGORY TWO OF ANY CHANGE IN THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM.

DATED:		BY:							
		•	(Si	gnature)					
	ı	NAM	E:						
				(Prin	t)				
	-	TITLI	E:						
STATE OF FLORIDA )									
) s COUNTY OF BROWARD )	S:								
SWORN TO AND SUB	SCRIBED	befor	re me this_	day	/ of				_, 20, by
	, who	is	personally	known	to	me	or	has	produced
	as ident	ificat	tion.						
Notary Public State of Florida at Large									
My commission expires:									

#### TRENCH SAFETY ACT COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

Project Name: <u>City of Miramar - Wastewater Reclamation Facility - Reclaimed Water System</u>

Expansion- Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System

Project Number: Bid No. IFB-19-002

Project Location: 13900 Pembroke Road, Miramar, Florida 33027

Instructions:

Chapter 90-96 of the Laws of Florida requires all contractors engaged by the City of Miramar, Florida to comply with Occupational Safety and Health Administration Standard 29 C.F.R. s. 1926.650, Subpart P. All prospective contractors are required to sign the compliance statement and provide compliance cost information where indicated below. The costs for complying with the Trench Safety Act must be incorporated into this Project's base Bid as shown on page 1 of this document.

Certify this form in the presence of a notary public or other officer authorized to administer oaths.

#### **CERTIFICATION**

- 1. I understand that Chapter 90-96 of the Laws of Florida (The Trench Safety Act) requires me to comply with OSHA Standard, Standard 29 C.F.R. s. 1926.650, Subpart P. I will comply with the Trench Safety Act, and I will design and provide safety systems at all trench excavations in excess of five feet in depth for this Project.

3. The amount listed Form.	above has been included within the Base Bid as listed on this Proposal
Certified:	(Company Contractor)
By:	(President/ Principal's Signature)
	(President/ Principal's Type or Print Name)
STATE OF FLORIDA	)
COUNTY OF BROWARD	) ss: ) )
SWORN TO AND	SUBSCRIBED before me thisday of, 20, by
	, who is personally known to me or has produced
	as identification.
Notary Public	
State of Florida at Large	
My commission expires:_	

#### **NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT**

STAT	E OF FLO	ORID.	A	)						
COU	NTY OF B	ROV	VARD)	) ss:						
						being	g first duly sworn,	depos	es and say	ys
that:										
(1)	He/she	is	the,	(Owner,	Partner,	Officer,	Representative		Agent) idder that I	of has
	submitte	d the	attach	ed Bid;				_		
(2)		-		ned respect tances resp			d contents of the	attach	ed Bid and	o b
(3)	Such Bio	d is g	enuine	and is not a	a collusive o	or sham Bi	d;			

<b></b>	
Signed, sealed and delivered In the presence of:	
Witness	By:
Witness	(Print Name)
	(Title)
STATE OF FLORIDA )	
) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )	
	before me this day of, 20, by
, who is as identification	s personally known to me or has produced ation.
Notary Public State of Florida at Large	
My commission expires:	

The price or prices quoted in the attached Bid are fair and proper and are not tainted by any collusion, conspiracy, connivance, or unlawful agreement on the part of the Bidder or any other of its agents, representatives, owners, employees or parties in interest, including this

(5)

affidavit.

### DRUG FREE WORKPLACE (Tie Bid Form) FLORIDA STATE STATUTE SECTION 287.087

Identical Tie Bids: Preference shall be given to business with drug-free workplace programs. Whenever two or more bids are equal with respect to price, quality and services, and are received by the State or by any political subdivision for the procurement of commodities or contractual services, a bid received from a business that certifies that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program shall be given preference in the award process. Established procedures for processing tie bids will be followed if none of the tied vendors have a drug-free workplace program. In order to have a drug-free workplace program, a business shall:

- 1. Publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
- 2. Inform employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the business's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
- 3. Give each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under Bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
- 4. In the statement specified in subsection (1), notify the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under Bid, the employee will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the employer of any conviction of, or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of Chapter 893, Florida Statutes, or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction.
- 5. Impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community, by any employee who is so convicted.
- 6. Make a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through the implementation of this section.

As the person authorized above requirements.	to sign t	he s	tatement, I c	ertify tha	t this	firm (	comp	olies fu	ully with the
Bidder's Signature		-		Date				_	
STATE OF FLORIDA ) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )									
SWORN TO AND SUBS	_, who	is	personally						
Notary Public State of Florida at Large My commission expires:									

#### NON-DISCRIMINATION AFFIDAVIT

I, the undersigned, hereby duly sworn, depose and say that the organization, business or entity represented herein shall not discriminate against any person in its operations, activities or delivery of Services under any agreement it enters into with the City of Miramar. The same shall affirmatively comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state and local equal employment Laws and shall not engage in or commit any discriminatory practice against any person based on race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, political affiliation or any other factor which cannot be lawfully used as a basis for Service delivery.

DATED:	BY:		gnature)			
	NAI	ME:	(Print)			
STATE OF FLORIDA )						
) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )						
SWORN TO AND SUBSC	RIBED befo	ore me this_	day of_			_, 20 <u>_</u> , by
,	who is	personally	known to	me	or has	produced
	as identific	ation.				
Notary Public						
State of Florida at Large						
My commission expires:						

**END OF DOCUMENT** 

FAILURE TO COMPLETE, SIGN AND RETURN THIS FORM MAY DEEM YOUR BID NON-RESPONSIVE

#### **BUSINESS/VENDOR PROFILE SURVEY**

Name	of Business:
Addre	ss:
Email	Address:
Phone	e No.:
Conta	ct Person:
Туре	of Business (check the appropriate type):
	<b>CONSTRUCTION / SITE ENGINEERING SERVICES -</b> Firms involved in the process of building, altering, repairing, improving or demolishing any structure, building or real property.
	<b>ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING (A&amp;E) SERVICES -</b> Firms involved in architectural design, engineering services, inspections and environmental consulting (materials and soil testing) and surveying.
	<b>PROFESSIONAL SERVICES -</b> Includes those services that require special licensing, educational degrees, and unusually highly specialized expertise.
	<b>BUSINESS SERVICES -</b> Involves any services that are labor intensive and not a construction related or professional service.
	<b>COMMODITIES -</b> Includes all tangible personal property services, including equipment, leases of equipment, printing, food, building materials, office supplies.
	Small Business Enterprise (SBE) or a County Business Enterprise (CBE), has a Broward County Business Tax Receipt, is located in, and doing Business in Broward County, and is certified by the Broward County Office of Economic Development and Small Business Development.
	Business is claiming the CBE/SBE Preference: yes, no Please attach the Broward County Office of Economic Development and Small Business Development certification to this form.
	Business is claiming the Miramar Local Business Preference: yes, no, Please attach a copy of a current Miramar Business Tax Receipt to this form.
	□ Business is domiciled within City limits, complies with all City licensing requirements and is

current on all taxes.

Business is located outside of the City and employs a minimum of 10 full time equivalent ("FTE") City residents or City residents constitute 20 percent FTE of the company's local workforce (Broward and Miami-Dade Counties), whichever is larger. Please attach proof of meeting this requirement.

FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS FORM AND PROVIDE THE REQUIRED PROOFS

WILL DEEM YOUR BID NON-RESPONSIVE
-END OF DOCUMENT-

# Form W-9 (Rev. January 2003) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

#### Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

ige 2.	Name									
s on page	Business name, if different from above									
Print or type histructions	Check appropriate box: Sole proprietor Corporation Partnership Cother Exempt from backup withholding									
Print o	Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)	Requester's name and City of Miramar	address (optional)							
P Specific	City, state, and ZIP code	2300 Civic Center P	lace							
See	List account number(s) here (optional)									
Pai	Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)									
Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN).  However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see How to get a TIN on page 3.  Or  Note: If the account is in page than one page, see the chart on page 4 for quidelines on whose number.										
Note: to en	: If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose ter.	number Employer id								
Par	t    Certification									
Unde	r penalties of perjury, I certify that:									
	he number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting		F -							
R	<ol> <li>I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (RS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and</li> </ol>									
3. I	am a U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alien).									
withh For m	fication instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS olding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For re nortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debi gement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not requin	al estate transactions, t, contributions to an in	item 2 does not apply. Idividual retirement							

#### Purpose of Form

Signature of

U.S. person **>** 

Sign

Here

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS, must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

provide your correct TIN. (See the instructions on page 4.)

U.S. person. Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee.

Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien. Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the recipient has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement that specifies the following five items:

- The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.
  - 2. The treaty article addressing the income.

Date ▶

### **AGREEMENT CERTIFICATE (if Corporation)**

STATE OF FLORIDA ) ss:	
) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )	
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT a meeting . hereinafter	of the Board of Directors of the "the Corporation", existing under the laws of
, hereinafter the State of , held on resolution was passed and adopted: "BE IT RESOLV	, 20_, the following
resolution was passed and adopted: "BETT RESOLV as (title) of the	ED THAT (name),
as(title) of the execute an Agreement by and between the Corporation his/her execution thereof, attested to by the Secretary Seel affixed, shall be the efficiel set and deed of the Corporation.	of the Corporation, and with the Corporate
Seal affixed, shall be the official act and deed of the C	corporation .
I further certify that said resolution is now in ful	I force and effect.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set Corporation this day of, 2	
S	ecretary
(SEAL)	

### AGREEMENT CERTIFICATE (If Partnership)

"BE IT RESOLVED THAT(name), a	Agreement by and between the
of the Partnership, be and is hereby authorized to execute an Partnership and the City of Miramar, Florida and that his/her ex	Agreement by and between the
official act and deed of the Partnership".  I further certify that said resolution is now in full force and	l effect.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand t	thisday of

### **AGREEMENT CERTIFICATE (If Joint Venture)**

STATE OF FLORIDA )		
OUNTY OF BROWARD )		
I HEREBY CERTIFY that a meetir	ng of the Principals of the	
hereinafter "the Joint Venture", a Joint Venture, 20, the fol	enture under the laws of the State of llowing resolution was duly passed and	
"BE IT RESOLVED that Joint Venture, be and is hereby authorized Venture and the City of Miramar, Florid Managing Partner of the Joint Venture, slower states and the Joint Venture, slower partner of the Joint Venture, slower partner	da and that his/her execution thereof,	attested to by the
I further certify that said resolution	n is now in full force and effect.	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have I	hereunto set my hand this	day of
	Managing Partner	

#### PERFORMANCE BOND

#### **KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:**

	That, pursuant to the requirements of Section §255.05, Florida Statutes, we
hereir where	, as Principal, hereinafter called "Contractor", and, as Surety, are bound to the City of Miramar, Florida, as Obligee nafter called "City", in the amount of Dollars (\$) for the payment eof Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and ns, jointly and severally.
Recla	WHEREAS, Contractor has by written agreement entered into a Contract, Bid No. IFB- 19-002 ded theday of, 20_, with City for the <u>Wastewater Reclamation Facility simed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System</u> , in accordance Drawings (plans) and Specifications prepared by, which Contract is by ence made a part hereof and is hereafter referred to as the "Contract."
THE	CONDITION OF THIS BOND is that if the Contractor:
1.	Fully performs the Contract between the Contractor and the City for construction of the within calendar Days after the date of Contract commencement as specified in the Notice to Proceed and in the manner prescribed in the Contract; and
2.	Indemnifies and pays City all losses, damages (specifically including, but not limited to, damages for delay and other consequential damages caused by or arising out of the acts, omissions or negligence of Contractor), expenses, costs and attorney's fees and costs, including attorney's fees incurred in appellate proceedings, that City sustains because of default by Contractor under the Contract; and
3.	Upon notification by the City, corrects any and all defective or faulty Work or Materials which appear within one (1) year after final acceptance of the Work; and
4.	Performs the guarantee of all Work and Materials furnished under the Contract for the time specified in the Contract, then this Bond is void, otherwise it remains in full force.

Whenever the Contractor shall be and declared by City to be in default under the Contract, the City having performed City's obligations thereunder, the Surety may promptly remedy the default or shall promptly:

- 1. Complete the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions; or
- 2. Obtain a bid or bids for completing the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions, and upon determination by Surety of the best, lowest, qualified, responsible and responsive bidder, or, if the City elects, upon determination by the City and Surety jointly of the best, lowest, qualified, responsible

and responsive bidder, arrange for a contract between such bidder and City, and make available as work progresses (even though there should be a default or a succession of defaults under the Contract or Contracts of completion arranged under this paragraph) sufficient funds to pay the costs of completion less the balance of the Contract Price; but not exceeding, including other costs and damages for which the surety may be liable hereunder, the amount set forth in the first paragraph hereof. The term "balance of the Contract Price", as used in this paragraph, shall mean the total amount payable by City to Contractor under the Contract and any amendments thereto, less the amount properly paid by City to Contractor.

The Contractor and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to the City for the performance of the Construction Contract, which is incorporated herein by reference.

No right of action shall accrue on this Bond to or for use of any person or corporation other than the City named herein and those persons or corporations provided for in Section §255.05, Florida Statutes, or their heirs, executors, administrators, assigns or successors.

Any action under this Bond must be instituted in accordance with the Notice and Time Limitation provisions prescribed in Section 255.05(2), Florida Statutes.

[REMAINDER INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK]

The Surety hereby waives no Documents and compliance or nonco changes does not affect Surety's obliga-	mpliance	with any for						
Signed and sealed thisday of	of		20					
WITNESSES:								
	_	(Name o	f Corporation	on)				
Secretary	Ву:	(Signatu	LTU	`			_	
(OODDODATE OFAL)		(Signatu	ire and Title	e)				
(CORPORATE SEAL)								
		(Type Na	ame and Ti	tle sig	ned a	above	)	
IN THE PRESENCE OF:							_	
		INSURA	NCE COM	PANY	,			
By: Agent and Attorney-In-Fact								
Address:								
(Street)								
(City/State/Zip Code)								
STATE OF FLORIDA )								
) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )								
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBE	<b>ED</b> before	me this	day	/ of			,	20, by
, WI	ho is	personally	known	to	me	or	has	produced
as ide	entification	ı <b>.</b>						
Notary Public State of Florida at Large My commission expires:								

#### **PAYMENT BOND**

#### **KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:**

That, pursuant to the requirements of Section 255.05, Florida Statutes, we,, as
Principal, hereinafter called "Contractor", and, as Surety, are bound to the City of
Miramar, Florida, as Obligee, hereinafter called "City," in the amount of
Dollars (\$) for the payment whereof Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their
heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally.
WHEREAS, Contractor has by written agreement entered into a Contract regarding City IFB Bid No:
19-002, awarded theday of, 20_, for the Wastewater Reclamation Facility - Reclaimed
Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System, in accordance with
Drawings (Plans) and Specifications prepared by, which Contract is by reference made a
part hereof and is hereafter referred to as the "Contract."

#### THE CONDITION OF THIS BOND is that of the Contractor:

- 1. Indemnifies and pays the City all losses, damages (specifically including but not limited to damages for delay and other consequential damages caused by or arising out of the acts, omissions or negligence of Contractor), expenses, costs and attorney's fees incurred in appellate proceedings, that the City sustains because of default by Contractor under the Contract; and
- 2. Promptly make payments to all claimants as defined by Section §255.05(1), Florida Statute, supplying Contractor with all labor, Materials and supplies used directly or indirectly by Contractor in the prosecution of the Work provided for in the Contract, then his obligation shall be void; otherwise, it shall remain in full force and effect subject, however, to the following conditions:
  - A. A claimant, except a laborer, who is not in privity with the Contractor and who has not received payment for his labor, Materials, or supplies shall, within 45 days after beginning to furnish labor, Materials, or supplies for the prosecution of his Work, furnish to the Contractor a notice that he intends to look to the Bond for protection.
  - B. A claimant who is not in privity with the Contractor and who has not received payment for his labor, Materials or supplies shall, within 90 days after performance of the labor or after complete delivery of the Materials or supplies, deliver to the Contractor and to the Surety written notice of the performance of the labor or delivery of the Materials or supplies and of the non-payment.

Any action under this Bond must be instituted in accordance with the Notice and Time Limitations provisions prescribed in Section 255.05(02), Florida Statutes.

The Contractor and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to the City for all labor, materials, suppliers, subcontractor and supplier payment obligations contained in the Construction Contract, which is incorporated herein by reference.

The sureties hereby waive notice of and agree that any changes in or under the Contract Documents and compliance or noncompliance with any formalities connected with the Contract or that the changes do not affect the Surety's obligation under this bond. Signed and sealed this \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_. WITNESSES: (Name of Corporation) By: \_\_\_\_\_(Signature and Title) Secretary (CORPORATE SEAL) (Type Name and Title signed above) IN THE PRESENCE OF: **INSURANCE COMPANY** By: Agent and Attorney-In-Fact Address: (Street) (City/State/Zip Code) STATE OF FLORIDA **COUNTY OF BROWARD** SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_, by who is personally known to me or has produced as identification. Notary Public State of Florida at Large

**END OF DOCUMENT** 

My commission expires:

### **CERTIFICATE AS TO CORPORATE PRINCIPAL**

I,,certify that	I am the Secretary of the corporation named as
Principal in the foregoing Payment Bond; that_	, who signed the Bond
on behalf of the Principal, was then	of said corporation; that I know
his/her signature; and his/her signature thereto sealed and attested to on behalf of said corpor	is genuine; and that said Bond was duly signed, ation by authority of its governing body.
(CORPORATE SEAL)	
	(Name of Corporation)

	APPLICATION FOR PAYMEN	NT NO.:
	PERIOD FROM:	TO:
Pro	ject No.:	
	ject Name:	
Con	tractor Name:	
1.	ORIGINAL CONTRACT SUM: \$	
2.	Net change by Change Order(s): \$	
3.	CONTRACT SUM TO DATE (Line 1 + Line 2):	\$
4.	TOTAL COMPLETED AND STORED TO DATE:	E: \$
5.	RETAINAGE:	
	a% of Completed Work\$	
	b% of Stored material \$	
6.	TOTAL EARNED LESS RETAINAGE: (Line 4 less Line 5 Total)	\$
7.	LESS PREVIOUS CERTIFICATES FOR PAYM	MENT: \$
8.	CURRENT PAYMENT DUE	\$
9.	BALANCE TO FINISH, PLUS RETAINAGE (Line 3 less Line 6)	\$
ПОТ	COPY OF RELEASE OF LIENS OR PARTIL AND INCLUDED IN THIS PAY REQUEST. COPY OF RED LINE AS-BUILT DRAWIN COPY OF (PARTIAL) AS-BUILT DRAWIN REQUEST ALL LABORATORY TEST RESULTS FOR LIST OF SUB-CONTRACTOR(S), WITH NA BY THE CONTRACTOR ON THE PROJ CONTRACTOR. CURRENT UPDATED PROJECT SCHEDU CONSTRUCTION PHOTOGRAPHS, AS RE	CATING THE AMOUNTS OF WORK UNITS COMPLETED. TIAL RELEASE OF LIENS FOR THE WORK COMPLETED UP TO TIAL RELEASE OF LIENS FOR THE WORK COMPLETED UP TO TIAL RELEASE OF LIENS FOR THE WORK COMPLETED IN THIS PAY REQUEST. NG(S) FOR THE WORK COMPLETED IN THE PREVIOUS PAY THE WORK INCLUDED IN THIS PAY REQUEST. NAMES, ADDRESSES AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS, UTILITIZED DIECT, WITH THE AMOUNT OF MONIES OWED EACH SUB-ULE. REQUIRED. ING RESULTS FOR WORK INCLUDED IN THIS PAY REQUEST,

#### **CERTIFICATION OF CONTRACTOR FOR PAYMENT**

shown on Application of Parand/or Materials supplied in dated	of my knowledge and belief, I certify that all items and amounts yment Noare correct, that all Work has been performed n full accordance with the terms and conditions of this Contract, 20, between the City of Miramar (hereinafter the "CITY")(hereinafter the "Contractor").
vendors, Material men and Contractor in the performal terms and conditions, and had Release of Liens. Furthermonand Use Tax Act), as amonand vendors, mechanics or oth	Il just and lawful bills against Contractor and all Subcontractors, d Suppliers of labor, Material and equipment employed by the nce of this Contract have been paid in full accordance with their nereby deliver to the Contractor the attached duly executed Partial ore, that all taxes imposed by Chapter 212, Florida Statutes (Sales ended, have been paid and discharged, and that there are <b>NO</b> ner liens or rights to liens or conditional sales contracts which arged before such payment is made.
DATE:	_
CONTRACTOR:	
STATE OF	) ss: )
SWORN TO AND SUBS	SCRIBED before me this day of, 20_, by
	_, who is personally known to me or has produced
	_ as identification.
Notary Public State of Florida at Large	
My commission expires:	

**END OF DOCUMENT** 

(The Contractor shall execute this certificate and attach it to each Application for Payment)

#### **AFFIDAVIT FOR PAYMENT**

STATE OF	)	
COUNTY OF	) ss: )	
and take acknowledgments, pers who, after being first duly swor directly with, or directly employ 212, Florida Statutes (Sales and	rsigned authority, authorized to administer sonally appeared	, ontracting / Chapter irged and
in connection with the construct	tion of	
have been paid in full.	Signed	
WITNESSES:	By	
STATE OF FLORIDA ) ) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )		
	who is personally known to me or has identification.	
Notary Public State of Florida at Large My commission expires:		

**END OF DOCUMENT** 

(The Contractor shall execute this Affidavit and attach it to each Application for Payment)

Resolution No	Contract No	-:	Project No.
Project Title:			
Contractor:			
Cost: Estimated: Yes	No [		
Budget Number:			
Descriptions of changes, reason therefore,	and cost and/or t	ime change	for each:
Description	Amount	Time (days)	Completion Date
ORIGINAL CONTRACT:		<u> </u>	
Total Previous Change Orders: Qty.			
Adjusted Contract Amount:			
Change Order No.:(This Change Order)			
Total Change Orders to Date:			
Revised Contract Amount:			
Notes:			
Attachments: (List)			
Total Change In Amount: Increase: \$De	ecrease: \$	No Change:	
Total Change in Contract Period: Add:	Deduct:	_No Change	e: 🗌
Ca	lendar Days Calend	dar Days	
These changes are authorized by the following s	signatures:		

	Title	Date
Recommended By:		
	Jody Kirkman	Date
	Director of Utilities	
Recommended By:		
	Project Manager	Date
Accepted By:		
	Contractor Name	_
	Title	Date
Approved By:		
	Alicia Ayum	 Date
	Director of Procurement Department	Date
Approved By:		
		Date
Approved By:		
	Vernon E. Hargray	 Date
	City Manager	Dalt

#### CERTIFICATE OF SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

City's Project No.:	Engineer's Project No.:
	CITY OF MIRAMAR
	WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY – RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION, PHASE 1B, RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM IFB NO. 19-002
CONTRACTOR _	11 B NO. 13-002
Contract Date _	
This Certificate the following speci	te of Substantial Completion applies to all Work under the Contract Documents or fied parts thereof.
Го:	The City of Miramar
And To:	City
	Contractor
	which this Certificate applies has been inspected by authorized representatives of Cityneer, and that Work is declared to be substantially complete in accordance with thon:
	Date of Substantial Completion
NOTES:	

A tentative list of items to be completed or corrected is attached hereto. This list may not be all- inclusive, and the failure to include an item therein does not alter the responsibility of Contractor to complete all the Work in accordance with the Contract documents. When this Certification applies to a specified part of the Work the items in the tentative list shall be completed or corrected by Contractor within  $\bf 30$  Work Days of the above date of Substantial Completion.

The date of Substantial Completion is the date upon which all guarantees and warranties begin, except as follows:

The responsibilities between City and Contractor for security, operation, safety, maintenance, heat, utilities and insurance shall be as follows:

RESPONSIBILITIES:

CITY:	
CONTRACTOR:	
The following documents are attached to and made a part of this Certificate:  1 2	
3 4 Partial Punch List had previously been submitted. Substantial Completion Punch List to be provided by	
This certificate does not constitute an acceptance of Work not in accordance with the Contract Documents nor is it a release of Contractor's obligation to complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.	
Executed by Engineer on, 20	
Engineer of Record Name	
Signature	_
By	-
Executed by the City on, 20	
By:	_
The Contractor accepts this Certificate of Substantial Completion on:	
, 20	
Contractor Name	
Signature	_
<u>_</u>	

#### **FINAL RELEASE OF LIEN**

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#### WARRANTY OF TITLE

(For Periodic Progress Payments)

STATE OF_	 )
	) ss
<b>COUNTY OF</b>	)

#### CITY OF MIRAMAR WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION, PHASE 1B RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

#### **CITY BID NO. IFB 19-002**

BEFORE	ME,	the	undersigned	authority	personally	appeared
		(t	he "Affiant"), wh	o after being	duly sworn,	says that he
is the "Contractor	" pursua	ant to a	Contract (the "	Contract") da	ated	.,
20 with the City	of Miram	nar, Flo	rida (the "City")	for the supp	ly of certain	labor and/or
Materials (the "W	ork") to	certair	n property, as s	shown and c	lescribed in	the Contract
Documents, subs	equent	Addend	lums or Change	Orders (if a	ny), and on	behalf of the
Contractor makes	the follo	owing w	arranties:			

- I. The Contractor warrants that it has fully completed, in accordance with the Plans and Specifications, that portion of the Work, pursuant to the Contract (the "Completed Work") covered by the attached Periodic Progress Payment Request.
  - II. The Contractor further warrants and represents that:
    - a. All Subcontractors, vendors, Material men, Suppliers and other parties of whatever kind or nature who are entitled to payment from the Contractor for providing labor and/or Materials to the Contractor pursuant to the Contract as of the date in the last previous request for payment have been paid in full and therefore have delivered to the Contractor validly executed Partial Release of Liens/Claims with respect thereto with copy of said Partial Release of Lien/Claims attached.

b. Title to all Materials a	and equipment covere	ed by the attac	hed Periodic
Pay Request No	for Payment dated		, 20 <u> </u>
passes to the City at	the time of payment f	ree and clear o	f all liens.
Signed,			
(Name of Contractor)			
(Signature)			
(Title)			
STATE OF FLORIDA )			
) ss: COUNTY OF BROWARD )			
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBE	<b>D</b> before me this	day of	,
20, by	, who is perso	onally known to	me or has
produced	as identification.		
Notary Public State of Florida at Large			
My commission expires:			

(The Contractor shall execute this Affidavit and attach it to each Application for Payment)

#### TOXIC AND NONTOXIC SUBSTANCES

The Federal "Right to Know" Regulation implemented by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) and the Florida "Right to Know" Law requires employers to inform their employees of any toxic substances to which they may be exposed in the workplace, and to provide training in safe handling practices and emergency procedures. It also requires notification to the local fire department of the location and characteristics of all toxic substances regularly present in the workplace. The Successful Bidder shall supply this information to:

City of Miramar Fire Department Attention: **Fire Prevention** 2200 Civic Center Place Miramar, FL 33025

The Successful Bidder must submit with their Bid a list of all chemical products (soaps, glass cleaners, detergents, degreasers, glues, primers, etc.) that they propose to use to accomplish the work specified herein. The City is endeavoring to use environmentally safe products and may require any product named to be deleted from the list and a more acceptable product used. Inclusion of a product on this list constitutes a commitment to use said product(s) for the full term of the Contract. Failure to meet this requirement may result in a Bid being deemed non-responsive.

For more information concerning toxic substances, contact the Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security at the address listed below for any related information packets:

Toxic Substances Information Center 2551 Executive Center Circle West Tallahassee, Florida 32501-5014

#### **INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

Bidder shall agree that he/she/it will, in the performance of Work and Services under the Contract, comply with all federal, state and local laws and regulations now in effect, or hereinafter enacted during the term of the Contract that are applicable to Successful Bidder, its employees, agents or Subcontractors, if any, with respect to the Work and Services described herein.

Bidder shall obtain at Bidder's expense all necessary insurance in such form and amount as required by the City's Risk Manager before beginning Work under the Contract, including but not limited to Workers' Compensation Insurance required by law. The Bidder's liability insurance policies shall name the City as the certificate holder on all certificates. Bidder shall maintain such insurance in full force and effect during the life of the Contract. Bidder shall provide to the City's Risk Manager certificates of all insurance and endorsements required under this section prior to beginning any Work under the Contract. Bidder shall make this same requirement of any of its Subcontractors to which Florida's Workers' Compensation laws apply.

Bidder shall indemnify and hold the City harmless from any damage resulting to them for failure of either Bidder or any Subcontractor to secure or maintain such insurance.

For programs that are active in nature, which shall be determined in the sole and exclusive discretion of the City, Bidder shall maintain commercial general, automobile (where applicable), workers' compensation and professional liability insurance in an amount acceptable to the City's Risk Manager.

#### **Minimum Limits of Insurance**

Bidder shall maintain the following minimum limits of insurance (unless higher limits are required by law or statute):

- 1. Commercial General Liability: \$1,500,000 combined single limit per occurrence, property damage \$1,000,000 each occurrence or combined single limit of \$1,000,000 each occurrence; personal and advertising injury \$1,000,000; Bodily Injury, \$1,000,000 each person, \$1,000,000 each occurrence; products and completed operations policy aggregate \$2,000,000.
- 2 Automobile Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit per accident (if applicable).
- 3. Employer's Liability/Worker's Compensation: \$1,000,000 each accident, \$1,000,000 each employee for injury by disease and \$1,000,000 aggregate for injury by disease.

#### **Required Insurance Endorsements**

The City requires the following three insurance endorsements:

- 1. AUTOMOBILE The City must be included as an additional insured by policy endorsement under Automobile Liability policy (if applicable).
- 2 ADDITIONAL INSURED The City must be included as an additional insured by policy endorsement under Commercial General Liability policy with respect to liability arising from Work or operations performed by or on behalf of the Bidder.
- 3. WAIVERS OF SUBROGATION Bidder shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the City by policy endorsement under Commercial General Liability policy for loss, damage, claims, suits or demands, whosoever caused:
  - a. To property, equipment, vehicles, laptops, cell phones, etc. owned, leased or used by the Bidder or the Bidder's employees, agents or Subcontractors; and
  - b. To the extent such loss, damage, claims, suits or demands are covered, or should be covered, by the required or any other insurance (except professional liability to which this requirement does not apply) maintained by the Bidder.

This waiver shall apply to all first party property, equipment, vehicle and workers' compensation claims, and all third party liability claims, including deductibles or retentions which may be applicable thereto. If necessary, the Bidder agrees to endorse the required insurance policies to acknowledge the required waivers of subrogation in favor of the City. Bidder shall further agree to hold harmless and indemnify the City for any loss or expense incurred as a result of Bidder's failure to obtain such waivers of subrogation from Bidder's insurers.

The Agreement shall not be deemed approved until the Bidder has obtained all insurance required under this section and has supplied the City with evidence of such coverage in the form of complete copies of the actual insurance policies with additional insured and waiver of subrogation endorsements for policies as stated in the required insurance endorsement section above. The City shall be named as certificate holder in all of Bidder's liability insurance policies. The City shall approve insurance policies prior to the performance of any Services pursuant to this Agreement.

ALL INSURANCE COMPANIES PROVIDED SHALL: Be rated at least A VII per Best's Key Rating Guide and be licensed to do business in Florida. The Bidder's liability insurance shall be primary to any liability insurance policies that may be carried by the City. The Bidder shall be responsible for all deductibles and self-insured retentions on their liability insurance policies.

All of the policies of insurance so required to be purchased and maintained shall contain a provision or endorsement that the coverage afforded shall not be cancelled, materially changed or renewal refused until at least 30 calendar days' written notice has been given to the City by certified mail.

#### CITY OF MIRAMAR

# RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK FOR PROJECT SITE VISIT(S)

In consideration of being permitted to enter, visit or tour Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System, ("Project Premises") with the property address of: East bound Pembroke Road between SW 145<sup>th</sup> Ave and approximately 500' west of I-75 overpass, Miramar, Florida., for inspection in relation to the Wastewater Reclamation Facility-Reclaimed Water System Expansion-Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System, by signing below the UNDERSIGNED HEREBY:

- 1. ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE VISIT TO OR TOUR OF THE PROJECT PREMISES IS POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS and involves certain risks, including the risks of serious bodily injury, death, and property damage.
- 2. ASSUMES FULL AND SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR BODILY INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE arising out of or related to the visit to or tour of the Project Premises, whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise.
- 3. RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES, AND COVENANTS NOT TO SUE the City of Miramar ("City"), its officers, officials, agents, and employees ("Releasees"), from and for any and all claims, losses, or damages, and any claims or demands therefore (including, without limitation, legal fees and disbursements) on account of bodily injury, death, or property damage (including the loss therefrom) arising out of, from, or in any manner related or connected to the visit to or tour of the Project Premises or the entry by the UNDERSIGNED upon the Project Premises, whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise.
- 4. AGREES TO ASSUME THE RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY for damage or injury to all persons and to all property, including the loss of use therefrom, arising out of, from, or in any manner connected with the UNDERSIGNED'S entry upon or use of the Project Premises. Notwithstanding any provision or agreement to the contrary, UNDERSIGNED shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees against all claims, damages and losses (including without limitation legal fees and disbursements) for injury to persons or damage to property, including the loss of use therefrom, arising out of, from, or in any manner connected with the UNDERSIGNED'S entry upon or occupancy of the Project Premises.
- 5. AGREES THAT THIS RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY, AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK EXTENDS TO ALL ACTS OF NEGLIGENCE BY RELEASEES, AND IS INTENDED TO BE AS BROAD AND INCLUSIVE AS IS PERMITTED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA and that if any portion thereof is invalid, agrees that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. This Release sets forth all agreements and understandings of UNDERSIGNED with respect to the subject matter hereof.
- 6. AGREES TO ABIDE by the City's safety policies and procedures, criteria and requirements at the Project Premises, and all safety instructions and directions provided by the City at the Project Premises.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY, AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY, KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT, ASSURANCE, OR GUARANTEE BEING MADE TO ME AND INTEND MY SIGNATURE TO COMPLETELY AND UNCONDITIONALLY RELEASE ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW. This document is binding upon me and my family, heirs, children, assigns, personal representatives and anyone with the authority to act on my behalf.

By: Releasor's Signature	Title:
Print Name:	Company:
Date:	

THIS DOCUMENT MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED TO THE PROCUREMENT DEPARTMENT BEFORE ANY SITE VISITS (IF APPLICABLE)

#### **AGREEMENT**

(The City reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to amend the terms and conditions set forth herein)



## AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MIRAMAR, FLORIDA AND

FOR THE WASTEWATER RECLAMATION FACILITY –
RECLAIMED WATER SYSTEM EXPANSION-, PHASE 1B
RECLAIMED WATER TRANSMISSION SYSTEM
IN MIRAMAR, FLORIDA

T	HIS	AGRE	<b>EMENT</b>	(the	"Agreement")	is	entered	into	and	dated
			_, 2019,	by and	l between the C	ITY C	OF MIRAM	AR, FL	.ORIDA	A (the
"City"), a	a Flo	rida mu	inicipal c	orpora	tion, whose ad	dress	is 2300 (	Civic (	Center	Place,
Miramar	, Floi	ida 330	25, and				(the "Co	ntracto	or"), a	Florida
corporat	ion w	hose ad	dress is_							

#### WITNESSED:

WHEREAS, on\_\_\_\_\_\_, by Resolution No.\_\_\_\_\_\_, the City Commission approved the award of Invitation to Bids No. 19-002 (the "IFB"), entitled "Wastewater Reclamation Facility - Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System" (the "Work" or "Services"), to Contractor as the lowest, responsible, responsive Bidder whose bid is in the best interest of the City; and

**WHEREAS**, the City intends to contract for the Services related to the Work and desires to engage the services of Contractor for this purpose; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor desires to contract with the City to provide the Services as set forth in the IFB the terms of which are incorporated and made a part hereof, including all definitions set forth therein.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the City and Contractor, in consideration of the mutual covenants hereinafter set forth, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, agree as follows:

# ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS

Except as provided herein, terms used in this Agreement are defined in the IFB, which is deemed fully incorporated herein for all purposes, and have the meanings indicated in the IFB or in the General Terms and Conditions incorporated herein and made

a part hereof. In the event of conflict, the definitions and all other terms and conditions contained in the IFB shall govern.

#### ARTICLE 2 WORK

Contractor shall complete the Work as specified under the Bid Schedule(s) of the Contract Documents entitled: "City of Miramar – Wastewater Reclamation Facility Reclaimed Water System Expansion, Phase 1B, Reclaimed Water Transmission System," and shall provide all labor, materials, machinery, tools, Maintenance of Traffic, Testing and equipment necessary for the installation of a 2700 LF of 30" HDPE Reclaimed Water Pipeline by means of Horizontal Directional Drill and pipe connections to existing Reclaimed Water main at SW 145th Avenue and connection to Phase 1A Reclaimed Water main and any and all additional Work included in the Contract Documents and the Contractor's proposal, attached hereto as **Exhibit "A".** 

# ARTICLE 3 CONTRACT TIME

Time is of the essence in the performance of the Work under this Agreement. The Work shall be substantially complete within 120 Calendar Days after the Notice to Proceed is issued, and shall be closed out for full acceptance within 150 Calendar Days after the Notice to Proceed is issued. Ten weather Days or rain Days are included within the overall Contract time of 150 Calendar Days. However, the Contractor's Project schedule shall provide for 10 inclement weather delay Days during the interval from the Notice to Proceed until Substantial Completion; e.g., a schedule that demonstrates that all actual Work will be underway and substantially completed within 120 Calendar Days. If the Contractor elects to delay the start of the Project (utilizing any of the allowable 10 Days after issuance of the Notice to Proceed set forth in Article 3 of the Agreement), then the schedule shall reflect the actual start date and the 120 Calendar Days to substantially complete the Work must be reduced accordingly.

# ARTICLE 4 CONTRACTOR AND CITY'S RELATIONSHIP

- 4.1 The Contractor accepts the relationship of trust and confidence established between it and the City by this Agreement. The Contractor represents that it will furnish its best skill and judgment in performing the Contractor's Services and the Work, and shall always act to further the interest of the City in the expeditious completion of the Project, at the lowest responsible cost to the City, and in strict accordance with the Contract Documents and prudent and customary industry practices.
- **42** By signing this Agreement, the Contractor accepts a fiduciary duty with the City and warrants and represents to the City that the Contractor:
  - A. Has all licenses and certifications required by applicable law to perform the

Contractor's Services and the Work;

- B. Is experienced in all aspects of the Work required for projects similar to the Project;
- C. Will act in the City's highest and best interest in performing the Contractor's Services and the Work; and
- D. That no employee or affiliate of the Contractor, including all Subconsultants, Subcontractors and Suppliers, at any tier, has been convicted of a public entity crime pursuant to Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, within the preceding 36 months from the date of execution of this Agreement.
- **43** The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the City is relying on these representations and covenants as a material inducement to enter into this Agreement.

# ARTICLE 5 TERM

The term of this Agreement shall commence upon the date of execution hereof and shall remain in effect until acceptance of the Goods and/or Services by the City, unless terminated earlier as provided herein.

## ARTICLE 6 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

City and the Contractor recognize that time is of the essence of this Agreement and that the City will suffer financial loss if the Work is not completed within the time specified herein. They also recognize the delays, expense, and difficulties involved in proving in a legal proceeding the actual loss suffered by the City if the Work is not completed on time. Accordingly, instead of requiring any such proof, the City and the Contractor agree that as liquidated damages for delay (but not as a penalty), the Contractor shall pay the City \$500 for each Day that expires after the time specified herein for Substantial Completion until Substantial Completion is achieved, and \$800 for each calendar Day that expires after the time herein for Final Completion and full acceptance is achieved. Liquidated damages are cumulative.

# ARTICLE 7 CONTRACT PRICE

## ARTICLE 8 PAYMENT PROCEDURES

Contractor shall submit Applications for Payment in accordance with the General Terms and Conditions. Applications for Payment will be processed by the Engineer as provided in the General Terms and Conditions.

## ARTICLE 9 INDEMNIFICATION

- **9.1** To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, the Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City, the Engineer, and their officers, directors, agents, and employees, against and from all claims and liability arising under, by reason of or incidental to the Agreement or any performance of the Work, but not from the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the City and/or the Engineer. Such indemnification by the Contractor shall include but not be limited to the following:
  - A. Liability or claims resulting directly or indirectly from the negligence or carelessness of the Contractor, its employees, or agents in the performance of the Work, or in guarding or maintaining the same, or from any improper Materials, implements, or appliances used in the Work, or by or on account of any act or omission of the Contractor, its employees, or agents;
  - B. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from bodily injury, occupational sickness or disease, or death of the Contractor's or Subcontractor's own employees engaged in the Work resulting in actions brought by or on behalf of such employees against the City and/or the Engineer;
  - C. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from or based on the violation of any Law, ordinance, Regulation, order, or decree, whether by the Contractor, its employees, or agents;
  - D. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from the use or manufacture by the Contractor, its employees or agents in the performance of this Agreement, of any copyrighted or uncopyrighted composition, secret process, patented or unpatented invention, article, or appliance, unless otherwise specifically stipulated in this Agreement;
  - E. Liability or claims arising directly or indirectly from the breach of any warranties, whether express or implied, made to the City or any other parties by the Contractor, its employees or agents;
  - F. Liabilities or claims arising directly or indirectly from the willful misconduct of the Contractor, its employees or agents; and
  - G. Liabilities or claims arising directly or indirectly from any breach of the obligations assumed herein by the Contractor.
- 92 The Contractor shall reimburse the City and the Engineer for all costs and expenses (including but not limited to fees and charges of Engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and court costs) incurred by the City and the

Engineer in enforcing the provisions of this indemnification.

- 93 This indemnification obligation shall not be limited in any way by any limitation of the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any Subcontractor or other person or organization under workers' compensation acts, disability benefit acts, or other employee benefit acts, or insurance coverage.
- **94** The Contractor acknowledges receipt and the adequacy of the specific consideration in the amount of \$100.00, which sum was included in the total Bid Price and is included in the Contract Price to be paid by City to the Contractor as consideration for the indemnification given by the Contractor to the City.
- 95 Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed or treated as a waiver by the City of any immunity to which it is entitled to by law, including but not limited to the City's sovereign immunity set forth in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.

## ARTICLE 10 TERMINATION

## 10.1 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT BY CITY (CONTRACTOR DEFAULT):

In the event of default by the Contractor, the City shall provide Contractor with 10 Days written notice of City's intent to terminate this Agreement and provide the Contractor an opportunity to remedy the conditions constituting the default. It shall be a default by the Contractor whenever Contractor shall:

- **A** Declare bankruptcy, become insolvent, or assign its assets for the benefit of its creditors;
- **B.** Fail to provide Materials or workmanship meeting the requirements of the Contract Documents:
- C. Disregard or violate provisions of the Contract Documents or Engineer's or City's instructions;
- D. Fail to execute the Work or provide Services on a timely basis or according to the Contract Documents:
- **E** Fail to provide a qualified superintendent, competent workmen, or Materials or equipment meeting the requirements of the Contract Documents; or
- **F.** Fail in any other material way to comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- **10.1.1** If the Contractor fails to remedy the conditions constituting default within 10 Days from the date of the City's written notice of its intent to terminate this Agreement, the City may then issue a Notice of Termination and terminate this Agreement.

10.1.2 In the event the Agreement is terminated for Contractor's default, the City may take possession of the Work and may complete the Work by whatever method or means the City may select. The cost of completing the Work shall be deducted from the balance which would have been due the Contractor had the Agreement not been terminated and the Work completed in accordance with the Contract Documents. If such cost exceeds the balance which would have been due, the Contractor shall promptly pay the excess amount to the City. If such cost is less than the balance which would have been due, the Contractor shall have no claim to the difference and waives any such balance by virtue of the default. In the event it is adjudicated that Contractor was not in default, the Contract shall be deemed to have been terminated for convenience as described below.

### 10.2 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT BY CITY (FOR CONVENIENCE):

The City may terminate this Agreement at any time if it is in the City's interest to do so. The City shall provide 10 days' notice in the event that it exercises this provision. In such a case, the Contractor shall have no claims against the City except: (1) for the value of Work performed up to the date the Agreement is terminated; and (2) for the cost of Materials and equipment on hand, in transit, or on definite commitment, as of the date this Agreement is terminated and that would be needed in the Work and that meets the requirements of the Contract Documents.

# ARTICLE 11 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- 11.1 The Contract Documents which comprise the entire agreement between City and Contractor concerning the Work consist of this Agreement, including amendments hereto and the following:
  - All Change Orders (if any) which may be delivered or issued after the Effective Date of this Agreement;
  - All Addenda;
  - Contractor's Bid;
  - Solicitation, General Provisions;
  - General Conditions;
  - Technical Specifications;
  - Referenced Standard Specifications; and
  - Drawings.
- 11.2 There are no Contract Documents other than those listed herein. The Contract Documents may only be amended by written Change Order (if any) as provided in the General Conditions. In the event of any conflict between this Agreement and any other of the Contract Documents, this Agreement and amendments shall govern first and then the other Contract Documents in the order listed above.

# ARTICLE 12 ASSIGNMENT

No assignment by the Contractor of any rights or obligations hereunder or interests in the Contract Documents will be binding on the City without the written consent of the City, which may be withheld for any reason, in the City's sole discretion.

## ARTICLE 13 APPLICABLE LAW: ACCIDENT PREVENTION AND REGULATIONS

Contractor shall comply with all applicable Laws and Regulations at all times. Precautions shall be exercised at all times for the protection of persons and property. The Contractor and all Subcontractors shall conform to all OSHA, federal, state, county and City Regulations while performing under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Any fines levied by the above-mentioned authorities because of inadequacies to comply with these requirements shall be borne solely by the Contractor.

# ARTICLE 14 AUDIT AND INSPECTION RIGHTS

- **14.1** The City may, at reasonable times and for a period of up to three years following the date of Final Completion, audit, or cause to be audited, those books and records of Contractor that are related to Contractor's performance under this Agreement. Contractor agrees to maintain all such books and records at its principal place of business for a period of three years after final payment is made under this Agreement.
- 14.2 The City may, at reasonable times during the term hereof, inspect Contractor's facilities and perform such inspections as the City deems reasonably necessary to determine whether the Services required to be provided by Contractor under this Agreement conform to the terms hereof and/or the terms of this Agreement. Contractor shall make available to the City all reasonable facilities and assistance to facilitate the performance of inspections by the City's representatives. All inspections shall be subject to, and made in accordance with, all applicable Laws, including but not limited to the provisions of the City Code and the Code of Broward County, Florida, as same may be amended or supplemented from time to time.
- **14.3** The City may, as deemed necessary, require from the Contractor support and/or documentation for any submission. Upon execution of the Agreement, the Contractor agrees that the City shall have unrestricted access during normal working hours to all Contractor's records relating to this Project, including hard copy as well as electronic records, for a period of three years after Final Completion.

## ARTICLE 15 NON-SOLICITATION

Contractor represents and warrants to the City that it has not employed or retained any person or company employed by the City to solicit or secure this Agreement and that it has not offered to pay, paid, or agreed to pay any person any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, or gift of any kind contingent upon or in connection with, the

award or making of this Agreement. For the breach or violation of this provision, the City shall have the right to terminate the Agreement without liability at its discretion, to deduct from the Contract Price, or otherwise recover the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, gift or consideration.

# ARTICLE 16 PUBLIC RECORDS

- **16.1** The Contractor shall comply with The Florida Public Records Act as follows:
  - 16.1.1 Keep and maintain public records in the Contractor's possession or control in connection with the Contractor's performance under this Agreement, that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by the City in order to perform the service.
  - **16.1.2** Upon request by the City's records custodian, provide the City with a copy of requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by law.
  - **16.1.3** Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of this Agreement, and following completion of this Agreement until the records are transferred to the City.
  - 16.1.4 Upon completion of this Agreement or in the event of termination of this Agreement by either party, any and all public records relating to this Agreement in the possession of the Contractor shall be delivered by the Contractor to the City, at no cost to the City, within seven (7) days. All records stored electronically by the Contractor shall be delivered to the City in a format that is compatible with the City's information technology systems. Once the public records have been delivered to City upon completion or termination of this Agreement, the Contractor shall destroy any and all duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public record disclosure requirements.
  - **16.1.5** The Contractor's failure or refusal to comply with the provisions of this Section shall result in the immediate termination of this Agreement by the City.
  - 16.1.6 IF CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT 954-602-3011, <a href="maintain-dagibbs@miramarfl.gov">dagibbs@miramarfl.gov</a> OR BY MAIL: City Of Miramar City Clerk's Office, 2300 Civic Center Place, Miramar, FL 33025.
  - **16.1.7** Ownership of Documents: Unless otherwise provided by law, any and all reports, surveys, and other data and documents provided or created in

connection with this Agreement are and shall remain the property of the City. Any compensation due to the Contractor shall be withheld until all documents are received as provided herein.

# ARTICLE 17 COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LAWS

- 17.1 Contractor understands that agreements between private entities and local governments are subject to certain Laws and Regulations, including, by example and not limited to, Laws pertaining to public records, conflict of interest, and record keeping. Contractor agrees to comply with and observe all applicable Laws, codes and ordinance as they may be amended from time to time.
- 17.2 The Contractor agrees that it shall not make any statements, press releases or publicity releases concerning this Agreement or its subject matter or otherwise disclose or permit to be disclosed any of the data or other information obtained or furnished in compliance with this Agreement, or any particulars thereof, during the period of the Agreement, without first notifying the City and securing prior written consent, unless and except otherwise required by Law. The Contractor also agrees that it shall not publish, copyright or patent any of the data developed under this Agreement, it being understood that such data or information are works made for hire and the property of the City.
- **17.3** The knowing employment by Contractor or its Subcontractors or Subconsultants of any alien not authorized to work by the immigration Laws or the Attorney General of the United States is prohibited and shall be a default of this Agreement.

# ARTICLE 18 CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY

Contractor shall, at the time of executing this Agreement, hold a valid certificate of competency or applicable license for providing the Services, if applicable, issued by the federal, state, or county examining board qualifying the Contractor to perform the Work. If a Subcontractor(s) or Subconsultant(s) is employed, an applicable certificate of competency or license issued to the Subcontractor(s) or Subconsultant(s) shall be submitted along with Contractor's certificate or license upon execution of this Agreement; provided, however, that the City may, at its sole option, upon written approval to Contractor, and in its best interest, allow Contractor to supply the certificate(s) to the City during the first week of Work or Services.

# ARTICLE 19 INSURANCE

**19.1** Consultant shall maintain the following required types and minimum limits of insurance coverage during the term of the Agreement. The Contractor shall furnish the City's Risk Manager, at 2300 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025, with certificates

of insurance and all required endorsements indicating that insurance coverage has been obtained and meets the requirements below:

- a) Comprehensive General Liability Insurance on a comprehensive basis in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. The City <u>must</u> be shown as an additional insured and with waiver of subrogation in its favor on both endorsements.
- b) Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned, and hired vehicles used in connection with the Work, in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Coverage shall stipulate that it is primary over any insurance or self-insurance program available to the City, (if applicable).
- c) Workers' Compensation Insurance for all employees of the Vendor as required by Florida Statute Chapter 440, and Employer's Liability limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per accident.
- d) The insurance coverage required shall include those classifications, as listed in the standard liability insurance manuals, which most nearly reflect the operations of the Contractor.
- e) All insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:
- i. The company must be rated no less than "A" as a management, and no less than "Class VII" as to financial strength, by the latest edition of Best's Key Rating Guide.
- 19.2 This Agreement shall not be deemed approved until the Contractor has obtained all insurance requirements under this section and has supplied the City with evidence of such coverage in the form of a Certificate of Insurance and endorsement. The City shall be named as the certificate holder and an additional insured on all certificates. All liability insurance policies shall have endorsements adding the City of Miramar as an additional insured, a waiver of subrogation in favor of the City and a separate endorsement for automobile liability. Insurance shall be maintained continuously during the term of the Contract up to the date of Final Completion, but the Consultant's liabilities under this Agreement shall not be deemed limited in any way to the insurance coverage required.
- 19.3 Insurance shall be maintained continuously during the term of the Contract up to the date of Final Completion, but the Contractor's liabilities under this Agreement shall not be deemed limited in any way to the insurance coverage required. All policies of insurance so required to be purchased and maintained shall contain a provision of endorsement that the coverage afforded shall not be cancelled, materially changed or renewal refused until at least 30 calendar days' written notice has been given to the City by certified mail.

# ARTICLE 20 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Contractor has been procured and is being engaged to provide Services to the City as an independent contractor, and not as an agent or employee of the City. The Contractor will be responsible for planning all the work without the assistance of City staff. Accordingly, Contractor shall not attain nor be entitled to any rights or benefits of the City, nor any rights generally afforded, classified or unclassified, employees of the City. Contractor further understands that Florida Workers' Compensation benefits available to employees of the City are not available to Contractor, and agrees to provide workers' compensation insurance for any employee or agent of Contractor rendering Services to the City under this Agreement.

# ARTICLE 21 REAFFIRMATION OF REPRESENTATIONS

Contractor reaffirms all of the representations contained in the Solicitation documents and previously made in all Contract Documents.

# ARTICLE 22 NONDISCRIMINATION

Contractor represents and warrants to the City that Contractor does not and shall not engage in discriminatory practices and that there shall be no discrimination in connection with Contractor's performance under this Agreement on account of race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, political affiliation or any other factor which cannot be lawfully used as a basis for delivery of Services. Contractor further covenants that no otherwise qualified individual shall, solely by reason of his/her race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, political affiliation or any other factor which cannot be lawfully used as a basis for delivery of Services, be excluded from participation in, be denied any Services, or be subject to discrimination under any provision of the General Conditions.

# ARTICLE 23 COSTS AND ATTORNEY FEES

If either City or Contractor is required to enforce the terms of this Agreement by court proceedings or otherwise, whether or not formal legal action is required, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the other party all such costs and expenses, including but not limited to court costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

# ARTICLE 24 COUNTERPARTS

This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original but all of which, when taken together, shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

# ARTICLE 25 WAIVER

The waiver by either party of any failure on the part of the other party to perform in accordance with any of the terms or conditions of this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver of any future or continuing similar or dissimilar failure. No waiver shall be effective unless made in writing.

# ARTICLE 26 BINDING AUTHORITY

Each person signing this Agreement on behalf of either party individually warrants that he or she has full legal power to execute this Agreement on behalf of the party for whom he or she is signing, and to bind and obligate such party with respect to all provisions contained in this Agreement. This Agreement shall be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, executors, legal representatives, successors, or assigns.

# ARTICLE 27 NOTICES

All notices or other communications required under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be given by hand-delivery or by registered or certified U.S. Mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the other party at the address indicated herein or to such other address as a party may designate by notice given as herein provided. Notice shall be deemed given on the day on which personally delivered, or, if by mail, on the fifth day after being posted or the date of actual receipt, whichever is earlier.

TO CITY OF MIRAMAR:
ATTN: Vernon E. Hargray, City Manager CITY OF MIRAMAR
2300 Civic Center Place Miramar, Florida 33025 Telephone: (954) 602-3115 Fax: (954) 602-3672

### WITH A COPY TO:

City Attorney
Weiss Serota Helfman
Cole & Bierman, P.L.
200 East Broward Boulevard, Suite 1900
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301
Telephone: (954) 763-4242

Fax: (954) 764-7770

# ARTICLE 28 CITY'S OWN FORCES

- **28.1** The City reserves the right to perform operations related to the Project with the City's own forces, and to award contracts in connection with the Project which are not part of the Contractor's responsibilities under this Agreement.
- **28.2** The City will have the right to inspect and conduct periodic inspections of the Work and/or Materials to determine compliance with the requirements of the Contract. Any Work and/or Materials rejected by the City for non-compliance shall be replaced and/or corrected at the Contractor's expense. Failure to reject Defective Work and/or Materials, whether from lack of discovery of such defect or for any other reason, will not relieve the Contractor from responsibility to complete the Work in full compliance with all Contract requirements and shall in no way prevent later rejection of such Defective Work when discovered.

# ARTICLE 29 <u>LIMITATION OF LIABILITY</u>

- **29.1** The City desires to enter into this Agreement only if in so doing the City can place a limit on City's liability for any cause of action for money damages due to an alleged breach by the City of this Agreement, so that its liability for any such breach never exceeds the fee paid to Contractor herein, less any sums paid by the City. Contractor hereby expresses its willingness to enter into this Agreement with Contractor's recovery from the City for any damage action for breach of contract to be limited to a maximum fee paid to Contractor herein, less any sums paid by the City.
- **29.2** Accordingly, and notwithstanding any other term or condition of this Agreement, Contractor agrees that the City shall not be liable to Contractor for damages in an amount in excess of the fee paid to the Contractor herein, less any sums paid by the City, for any action or claim for breach of contract arising out of the performance or non-performance of any obligations imposed upon the City by this Agreement. Nothing contained in this paragraph or elsewhere in this Agreement is in any way intended to be a waiver of the limitation placed upon the City's liability as set forth in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.
- **29.3** In no event shall either party be liable for any indirect, incidental, special, or consequential damages, including, without limitation, loss of profits, revenue, or use incurred by either party or any third party, whether in an action in contract or tort, even if the other party or any other person has been advised of the possibility of such damages.

# ARTICLE 30 THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARY

It is specifically agreed to between the City and Contractor executing this Agreement that it is not intended by any of the provisions of any part of the Agreement to create in the public or any member thereof a third party beneficiary hereunder, or to

authorize anyone not a party to this Agreement to maintain a suit for personal injuries or property damage pursuant to the terms or provisions of this Agreement.

# ARTICLE 31 WARRANTY AND GUARANTEE

Contractor warrants and guarantees that at the conclusion of the Project, a written certificate to the City will be provided stating that all Work has been performed in accordance with the General Conditions. A written warranty will be given to the City against the occurrence of defective Materials and workmanship for a period of one year after acceptance of the Project by the City. At the expiration of the one-year warranty period, Contractor will formally assign to the City all extended and special warranties given by Subcontractor or Subconsultant, manufacturers or Suppliers for their Work or products on the Project and formally notify Subcontractor or Subconsultant and Suppliers of the assignments.

## ARTICLE 32 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

- 32.1 Any dispute concerning performance of this Agreement shall be decided by the City, who shall reduce the decision to writing and serve a copy on the Contractor. The decision shall be final and conclusive unless within 21 Days from the date of receipt, the Contractor files with the City a petition for administrative hearing. The City's decision on the petition shall be final, subject to the Contractor's right to review pursuant to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. Exhaustion of administrative remedies is an absolute condition precedent to the Contractor's ability to pursue any other form of dispute resolution; provided, however, that the parties may employ the alternative dispute resolution procedures outlined in Chapter 120.
- **322** Without limiting the foregoing, the exclusive venue of any legal or equitable action that arises out of or relates to this Agreement shall be the appropriate state court in Broward County, Florida. In any such action, Florida law shall apply and the parties waive any right to trial by jury.

# ARTICLE 33 HEADINGS AND INTERPRETATION

Title and paragraph headings are for convenient reference and are not a part of this Agreement. Contractor has been given an opportunity for counsel of its choice to review this Agreement. Accordingly, no party shall be deemed to have any benefit as the drafter of the document for interpretation purposes.

## ARTICLE 34 SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES

**34.1** Contractor certifies that it and its subcontractors are not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List. Pursuant to Section 287.135, F.S., the City may immediately terminate this Agreement at its sole option if the Contractor or its subcontractors are found to have submitted a false certification; or if the Contractor, or

its subcontractors are placed on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List or is engaged in the boycott of Israel during the term of the Agreement.

- **34.2** If this Agreement is for more than one million dollars, the Contractor certifies that it and its subcontractors are also not on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan, Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, or engaged with business operations in Cuba or Syria as identified in Section 287.135, F.S. Pursuant to Section 287.135, F.S., the City may immediately terminate this Agreement at its sole option if the Contractor, its affiliates, or its subcontractors are found to have submitted a false certification; or if the Contractor, its affiliates, or its subcontractors are placed on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List, or Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, or engaged with business operations in Cuba or Syria during the term of the Agreement.
- **34.3** The Contractor agrees to observe the above requirements for applicable subcontracts entered into for the performance of work under this Agreement.
- **34.4** As provided in Subsection 287.135(8), F.S., if federal law ceases to authorize the above-stated contracting prohibitions then they shall become inoperative.

## ARTICLE 35 SEVERABILITY

- **35.1** Should any provision, paragraph, sentence, word or phrase contained in this Agreement be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, illegal or otherwise unenforceable under any applicable Law, such provision, paragraph, sentence, word or phrase shall be deemed modified to the extent necessary in order to conform with such Laws, or if not modifiable, then same shall be deemed severable, and in either event, the remaining terms and provisions of this Agreement shall remain unmodified and in full force and effect for limitation of its use.
- **35.2** City and Contractor each binds itself, its partners, successors, assign and legal representatives to the other party hereto, its partners, successors, assign and legal representatives in respect of all covenants, agreements and obligations contained in this Agreement and in all the Contract Documents.

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# ARTICLE 36 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The Contract Documents constitute the sole and entire agreement of the parties relating to the subject matter hereof and correctly set forth the rights, duties, and obligations of each to the other as of its date. Any prior agreements, promises, negotiations, or representations not expressly set forth therein, are of no force or effect. No modification or amendment thereto shall be valid unless in writing and executed by properly authorized representatives of the parties herein.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

CITY OF MIRAMAR: By:	CONTRACTOR: By:
City Manager Vernon E. Hargray	
Thisday of, 2019.	Date:
ATTEST:	
Denise A. Gibbs, City Clerk	Corporate Seal
Approved as to form and legal sufficiency for the use of and reliance by the City of Miramar, Florida only:	
City Attorney Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, P.L.	

### **SECTION 00400 - GENERAL CONDITIONS**

### ARTICLE 1-- DEFINITIONS

Wherever used in these General Conditions, the terms used have the meanings indicated in the IFB and Section 00200.

### ARTICLE 2 -- PRELIMINARY MATTERS

#### 2.1 DELIVERY OF BONDS/INSURANCE CERTIFICATES

If applicable, when the Contractor delivers the signed Contracts to the City, the Contractor shall also deliver to the City the Bonds and insurance policies and certificates and endorsements as the Contractor may be required to furnish in accordance with the Contract Documents.

#### 2.2 COPIES OF DOCUMENTS

The City shall furnish to the Contractor two copies of the Contract Documents. Additional quantities of the Contract Documents may be furnished at Contractor's cost.

## 2.3 COMMENCEMENT OF CONTRACT TIME; NOTICE TO PROCEED

The Contract Time will start to run on the commencement date stated in the Notice to Proceed.

#### 2.4 STARTING THE PROJECT

The Contractor shall begin to perform the Work within 10 Days after the commencement date stated in the Notice to Proceed, unless stated otherwise in the Notice to Proceed but no Work shall be done at the site prior to said commencement date.

#### 2.5 BEFORE STARTING CONSTRUCTION

Before undertaking each part of the Work, the Contractor shall study and compare the Contract Documents and Specifications and check and verify pertinent figures shown thereon and all applicable field measurements. The Contractor shall promptly report in writing to the Engineer any conflict, error, or discrepancy which the Contractor may discover and shall obtain a written interpretation or clarification from the Engineer before proceeding with any Work affected thereby. Contractor waives any subsequent claim of conflict, error, discrepancy, error or omission. The Contractor shall submit to the Engineer for review those documents called for in the General Requirements as, "Submittals".

#### 2.6 PRE-CONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE

A non- mandatory pre-construction conference attended by the Contractor, Engineer and others as appropriate will be held to discuss the requirements of the Work.

#### 2.7 FINALIZING SCHEDULES

Before the first pre-construction conference, the Contractor shall submit for the Architect's/Engineer's review, and to others as appropriate, the following documents (to the extent applicable): Hurricane Preparedness Plan, Construction Schedule, Schedule of Values, MOT Plan, Staging Plan, and Mobilization Plan, all submitted in accordance with the General Requirements.

## ARTICLE 3 -- CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: INTENT; AMENDMENT; REUSE

#### 3.1 INTENT

- A. The Contract Documents comprise the entire agreement between the City and the Contractor concerning the Work. The Contract Documents are complementary; what is called for by one is as binding as if called for by all. The Contract Documents will be construed in accordance with the Laws of the State of Florida.
- B. It is the intent of the Contract Documents to describe the Work, functionally complete, to be constructed in accordance with the Contract Documents. Any Work, Materials, or equipment that may reasonably be inferred from the Contract Documents as being required to produce the intended result shall be supplied whether or not specifically called for. When words which have a well-known technical or trade meaning are used to describe Work, Materials, or equipment, such words shall be interpreted in accordance with that meaning. Reference to standard Specifications, manuals, or codes of any technical society, organization, or association, or to the Laws or Regulations of any governmental authority, whether such reference be specific or by implication, shall mean the latest standard Specification, manual, code, or Laws or Regulations in effect at the time of opening of Bids, except as may be otherwise specifically stated. However, no provision of any referenced standard Specification, manual, or code (whether or not specifically incorporated by reference in the Contract Documents) shall be effective to change the duties and responsibilities of the City, the Contractor, or the Engineer or any of their consultants, agents, or employees from those set forth in the Contract Documents.

C. If, during the performance of the Work, the Contractor finds a conflict, error, or discrepancy in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall so report to the Architect/Engineer in writing at once and before proceeding with the Work affected thereby, and shall obtain a written interpretation, clarification, or correction from the Architect's/Engineer.

#### 3.2 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

A. In resolving conflicts resulting from conflicts, errors, or discrepancies in any of the Contract Documents, the order of precedence shall be as follows:

Change Orders (if any);

Contract:

Addenda:

Contractor's Bid:

Solicitation, General Provisions;

General Conditions;

Technical Specifications;

Referenced Standard Specifications; and

Drawings.

- B. With reference to the Drawings, the order of precedence is as follows:
  - 1. Figures govern over scaled dimensions;
  - 2. Detail Drawings govern over general Drawings;
  - Addenda/Change Order Drawings govern over Contract Drawings;
     and
  - 4. Contract Drawings govern over standard Drawings.
- C. Items of Material, equipment, machinery and specific tools to be used may be specified on the Drawings or the Specifications. In the event of any conflict, the matters reflected in the Drawings shall prevail. Contractor shall make inquiry of the Architect/Engineer in the event of any doubt on these matters, rather than making an uninformed decision.

### 3.3 AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

The Contract Documents may be amended to provide for additions, deletions, and revisions in the Work or to modify the terms and conditions thereof by a Change Order in accordance with the procedure set forth at Article 10 below.

### 3.4 REUSE OF DOCUMENTS

Neither the Contractor, nor any Subcontractor or Supplier, nor any other person or organization performing any of the Work under a Contract with the City shall have or acquire any title to or ownership rights in any of the Drawings,

Specifications, or other documents used in the Work, and they shall not reuse any of them on the extensions of the Project or any other project without written consent of the City.

# ARTICLE 4 -- AVAILABILITY OF LANDS; PHYSICAL CONDITIONS; REFERENCE POINTS

#### 4.1 AVAILABILITY OF LANDS

The City shall furnish, as indicated in the Contract Documents, the lands upon which the Work is to be performed, rights-of-way and easements for access thereto, and such other lands which are designated for the use of the Contractor. Easements for permanent structures or permanent changes in existing facilities will be obtained and paid for by the City, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents. Nothing contained in the Contract Documents shall be interpreted as giving the Contractor exclusive occupancy of the lands or rightsof-way provided. The Contractor shall provide for all additional lands and access thereto that may be required for temporary construction facilities or storage of Materials and equipment, provided that the Contractor shall not enter upon nor use any property not under the control of the City until a written temporary construction easement agreement has been executed by the Contractor and the property owner, and a copy of said easement is furnished to the Architect/Engineer prior to said use. Neither the City nor the Architect/Engineer shall be liable for any claims or damages resulting from the Contractor's unauthorized trespass or use of any properties.

#### 4.2 DIFFERING SITE CONDITIONS

- A. The Contractor shall notify the Architect/Engineer in writing of any unforeseen conditions, including but not limited to the following conditions which are collectively called differing site conditions, promptly upon discovery (but in no event later than 14 Days) and before they are disturbed:
  - Subsurface or latent physical conditions at the site of the Work differing materially from those indicated, described, or delineated in the Contract Documents; and
  - 2. Unknown physical conditions at the site of the Work of an unusual nature differing materially from those ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in Work of the character provided for in the Contract Documents.
- B. The Architect/ Engineer will review the pertinent conditions, determine the necessity of obtaining additional explorations or tests with respect thereto, and advise the City in writing of the Architect's/Engineer's findings

- and conclusions.
- C. If the City concludes that, because of newly discovered conditions, a change in the Contract Documents is required, a Change Order (when applicable) will be issued as provided herein to reflect and document the consequences of the difference.
- D. In each such case, an increase or decrease in the Contract Price or an extension or shortening of the Contract Time, or any combination thereof, will be allowable to the extent that they are attributable to any such difference. If the City and the Contractor are unable to agree as to the amount or length thereof, a claim may be made as provided herein.
- E. The Contractor's failure to give notice of differing site conditions as provided herein in the claims procedure shall constitute a waiver of all claims in connection therewith, whether direct or consequential in nature.

### 4.3 PHYSICAL CONDITIONS - UNDERGROUND UTILITIES

- Α. Shown or Indicated: The information and data shown or indicated in the Contract Documents with respect to existing Underground Utilities at or contiguous to the site are based on information and data furnished to the City or the Architect/Engineer by the owners of such Underground Utilities or by others. The City and the Architect/Engineer shall not be responsible for the accuracy or completeness of any such information or data, and the Contractor shall have full responsibility for reviewing and checking all such information and data, and perform soft digs as required for locating all Underground Utilities shown or indicated in the Contract Documents, for coordination of the Work with the owners of such Underground Utilities during construction, for the safety and protection thereof and repairing any damage thereto resulting from the Work, the cost of which will be considered as having been included in the Contract Price. The Contractor must be equipped with all necessary tools and parts in order to repair damaged Underground Utilities in a timely manner.
- B. <u>Not Shown or Indicated</u>: If an Underground Utility is uncovered or revealed at or contiguous to the site which was not shown or indicated in the Contract Documents or which the Contractor could not reasonably have been expected to be aware of, the Contractor shall notify the owner of the location of such utility and modify the Work as necessary and as directed by the Architect/Engineer.

#### 4.4 REFERENCE POINTS

A. The Contractor shall furnish all lines, grades and bench marks required for proper execution of the Work.

B. The Contractor shall preserve all bench marks, stakes, and other survey marks, and in case of their removal or destruction by its own employees or by its Subcontractor's employees, the Contractor shall be responsible for the accurate replacement of such reference points by professionally qualified personnel.

## 4.5 ASBESTOS, HAZARDOUS WASTE, OR TOXIC OR RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS

A. If the Contractor observes, uncovers, or otherwise becomes aware of any asbestos, hazardous waste, or toxic or radioactive material at the site, the Contractor shall immediately notify the City and the Architect/Engineer and thereafter confirm any oral notice in writing. The City will promptly consult with the Architect/Engineer concerning such condition and determine the necessity of retaining special consultants or qualified experts to deal therewith. The Contractor shall not perform any Work in connection therewith prior to receipt of special written instructions from the City or the Architect/Engineer.

## ARTICLE 5 -- BONDS AND INSURANCE

#### 5.1 PERFORMANCE AND OTHER BONDS

- A. The Contractor shall furnish Performance and Payment Bonds, each in the amount of 100 percent of the Contract Price in a form satisfactory to the City as security for the faithful performance and payment of all the Contractor's obligations under the Contract Documents. The Performance Bond shall remain in effect for one year after Final Completion unless otherwise provided by Law or Regulation or by the Contract Documents.
- B. If the Surety on any Bond furnished by the Contractor is declared a bankrupt or becomes insolvent or its right to do business is terminated in any state where any part of the Work is located, the Contractor shall within seven Days thereafter substitute another Bond and Surety acceptable to the City.

#### 5.2 INSURANCE

A. The Contractor shall purchase and maintain the insurance required under this Paragraph. Such insurance shall include the specific amounts and coverage set out herein and written for not less than the limits of liability and coverage provided herein or required by Law, whichever are greater. Insurance shall be maintained continuously during the term of the Contract up to the date of Final Completion, but the Contractor's liabilities under this Agreement shall not be deemed limited in any way to the insurance coverage required.

- B. The Contractor shall furnish the City with certificates showing the type, amount, class of operations covered, effective dates and dates of expiration of policies. All of the policies of insurance so required to be purchased and maintained (or the certificates or other evidence thereof) shall contain a provision or endorsement that the coverage afforded will not be cancelled, materially changed, or renewal refused until at least 30 Days prior written notice has been given to the City by certified mail. All such insurance shall remain in effect until the date of Final Completion. In addition, the insurance required herein shall name the City, the Architect/Engineer, and theirofficers, directors, agents, and employees as "additional insured" under the policies, and all required endorsements shall be provided to the City.
  - 1. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability: This insurance shall protect the Contractor against all claims under applicable state workers' compensation Laws. The Contractor shall also be protected against claims for injury, disease, or death of employees which, for any reason, may not fall within the provisions of a workers' compensation Law. This policy shall include an "all states" endorsement. The Contractor shall require each Subcontractor similarly to provide Workers' Compensation Insurance for all of the latter's employees to be engaged in such Work unless such employees are covered by the protection afforded by the Contractor's Workers' Compensation Insurance. In case any class of employees is not protected under the Workers' Compensation statute, the Contractor shall provide and shall cause each Subcontractor to provide adequate employer's liability insurance for the protection of such of its employees as are not otherwise protected.
  - Comprehensive General Liability: This insurance shall be written in comprehensive form and shall protect the Contractor against all claims arising from injuries to persons other than its employees or damage to property of the City or others arising out of any act or omission of the Contractor or its agents, employees, or Subcontractors. The policy shall also include protection against claims insured by usual personal injury liability coverage, a "protective liability" endorsement to insure the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor under the indemnification provisions in the General Conditions. To the extent that the Work may require blasting, explosive conditions, or underground operations, the comprehensive general liability coverage shall contain no exclusion relative to blasting, explosion, collapse of buildings, or damage to underground structures.

- 3. Comprehensive Automobile Liability: This insurance shall be written in comprehensive form and shall protect the Contractor against all claims for injuries to members of the public and damage to property of others arising from the use of motor vehicles, and shall cover operation on or off the site of all motor vehicles licensed for highway use, whether they are owned, non- owned, or hired.
- 4. Subcontractor's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance and Vehicle Liability: The Contractor shall either require each of its Subcontractors to procure and to maintain Subcontractor's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance and Vehicle Liability Insurance of the type in the amounts specified herein for like insurance or insure the activities of its Subcontractors in the Contractor's own policy, in like amount.
- 5. <u>Builders' Liability</u>: The Contractor shall maintain Builders Risk/Course of Construction Insurance for all Projects (vertical and non-vertical).
- C. Workers' Compensation:
  - 1. State: Statutory
  - 2. Applicable Federal (e.g., Longshore): Statutory

Note: If the Work called for in the Contract Documents involves Work in or on any navigable waters, the Contractor shall provide Workers' Compensation coverage which shall include coverage under the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act, the Jones Act, and any other coverage required under federal or state Laws pertaining to workers in or on navigable waters.

- 3. Employer's Liability:\$100,000.00
- D. Comprehensive General Liability: (under Paragraph 5.2 B.2 of the General Conditions):
  - 1. Combined Single Limit \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence
    - a. Products / Completed
      Operations \$1,000,000 Each occurrence
    - b. Personal Injury \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence

If policies are written on a claims-made basis, certificate should so specify and policies continue in force for one year after completion of the Project.

Policies will include premises/operations, products, completed operations, independent contractors, City's and Contractor's protective, Explosion, Collapse, Underground Hazard, Broad form Contractual, Personal Injury with employment exclusion deleted, and Broad Form Property Damage.

2. Comprehensive Automobile Liability: (under Paragraph 5.2 B.3 of the General Conditions) including Owned, Hired, and Non-owned Vehicles:

a. Bodily Injury: \$1,000,000.00 Each Person

\$1,000,000.00 Each Occurrence

b. Property Damage: \$1,000,000.00 Each Occurrence or combined single limit of \$1,000,000.00 Each Occurrence

### ARTICLE 6 -- CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

### 6.1 SUPERVISION AND SUPERINTENDENCE

- A. The Contractor shall supervise and direct the Work competently and efficiently, devoting such attention thereto and applying such skills and expertise as may be necessary to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall be responsible for the means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures of construction and safety precautions and programs incidental thereto. The Contractor shall be responsible to see that the Work at all times accurately complies with the Contract Documents.
- B. The Contractor shall designate in writing and keep on the Work site at all times during its progress a technically qualified superintendent who shall not be replaced without written notice to the City and the Architect/Engineer. The City reserves the right to reject the replacement superintendent for any reason and the Contractor will provide an alternative replacement superintendent. The superintendent will be the Contractor representative at the site and shall have authority to act on behalf of the Contractor. All communications given to the superintendent shall be as binding as if given to the Contractor. The Contractor shall issue all its communications to the City through the Architect/Engineer.
- C. The Contractor's supervisor or superintendent shall be present at the site of the Work at all times while Work is in progress. Failure to observe this requirement shall be considered as suspension of the Work by the

Contractor until such time as such supervisor or superintendent is again present at the site.

## 6.2 LABOR, MATERIALS, AND EQUIPMENT

Α. The Contractor shall provide competent, suitably qualified personnel to survey and lay out the Work and perform construction as required by the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall furnish, erect, maintain, and remove the construction plant and any temporary works as may be required. The Contractor shall at all times maintain good discipline and order at the site. Except in connection with the safety or protection of persons or the Work or property at the site or adjacent thereto, and except as otherwise indicated in the Contract Documents, all Work at the site shall be performed between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. on weekdays. except for such Work as is necessary for the proper care and protection of Work already performed, or except in case of emergency. The Contractor will not permit overtime Work or the performance of Work on Saturday, Sunday, or holidays without the City's written consent given after prior written notice to the Architect/Engineer. Holidays for the City are as follows:

1. New Year's Eve Day – ½ Day (afternoon)

2. New Year's Day

3. Martin Luther King's Birthday

4. President's Day

5. Memorial Day

6. Independence Day

7. Labor Day

8. Veterans Day

9. Thanksgiving Day

10.Day after Thanksgiving Day

11. Christmas Eve Day – ½
Day

12. Christmas Day

When a holiday falls on Saturday, the previous Friday will be observed, and if the holiday falls on Sunday, Monday will be observed.

There will be no inspection Services provided by the Engineering Services Department or the Building Division on Fridays or on any of the established holidays. The Contractor's Schedule shall be tailored to account for occasions when inspection Services will not be available.

B. In case the Contractor falls behind schedule or where the nature of the Work requires special attention, the Contractor may be permitted to work additional shifts or to work beyond normal working hours, provided the Contractor has requested an approval for change of its Work schedule, in writing, from the City. In any event, the cost for working additional shifts or beyond normal working hours, unless such Work is required by a Change Order (when applicable) or in emergency, shall be borne solely by the Contractor without any additional cost to the City, including the cost of the

- engineering Services. If authorized, the Contractor shall provide written notice to residents that may be impacted by the Work.
- C. No workers other than skilled foremen and workmen shall be employed to perform Work requiring special qualifications. Except as otherwise required by Law, convicted felons who have not completed their sentences or other workers from county, state or federal prisons who are on work release programs shall not be employed for Work on this Project.
- D. Contractor shall receive no additional compensation for overtime Work, even though such overtime Work may be required under emergency conditions and may be ordered by the Architect/Engineer. A Change Order is required for any changes in Contract Price, including for payment of overtime Work.
- E. All costs of inspection and testing performed during overtime Work by the Contractor which is allowed solely for the convenience of the Contractor shall be borne by the Contractor. The City shall have the authority to deduct the cost of all such inspection and testing from any payments otherwise due to the Contractor.
- F. Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall furnish and assume full responsibility for all Materials, equipment, labor, transportation, construction equipment and machinery, instrumentation, electronics, tools, appliances, fuel, power, light, heat, telephone, water, sanitary facilities, and all other facilities and incidentals necessary for the furnishing, performance, testing, start-up, and completion of the Work.
- G. All Materials and equipment to be incorporated into the Work shall be good quality and new, except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents. All Suppliers' warranties and guarantees specifically called for by the Specifications shall expressly run to the benefit of the City. If required by the Architect/Engineer, the Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence (including reports of required tests) as to the kind and quality of Materials and equipment used in the Work. All Materials and equipment shall be applied, installed, connected, erected, used, cleaned, and conditioned in accordance with the instructions of the applicable Supplier except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, but no provisions of any such instructions will be effective to assign to the Architect/Engineer, or any of the Architect's/Engineer's consultants, agents, or employees, any duty or authority to supervise or direct the furnishing or performance of the Work or any duty or authority to undertake responsibility contrary to the specific provisions Article 9 hereof.
- H. All construction equipment necessary and required for the proper construction of this Project shall be on the construction site, in first-class

working condition, and shall have been approved by the Architect/Engineer before construction is permitted to start. The Contractor shall provide such tamping tools and equipment as are necessary for the proper compaction of the backfill.

#### 6.3 ADJUSTING PROGRESS SCHEDULE

The Contractor shall submit any adjustments in the progress schedule to the Architect/Engineer for acceptance in accordance with the provisions for "Submittals" in the General Requirements.

### 6.4 SUBSTITUTES OR "OR-EQUAL" ITEMS

The Contractor shall submit proposed substitutes or "or-equal to" items in accordance with the provisions for "Submittals" in the General Requirements.

## 6.5 CONCERNING SUBCONTRACTORS, SUPPLIERS, AND OTHERS

The Contractor shall be responsible to the City and the Architect/Engineer for the acts and omissions of its Subcontractors and their employees to the same extent as Contractor is responsible for the acts and omissions of its own employees. Nothing contained in this paragraph shall create any contractual relationship between any Subcontractor and the City or the Architect/Engineer nor relieve the Contractor of any liability or obligation under the Contract. The Contractor shall perform not less than 20 percent of the Work with its own forces and not with subcontracting. This requirement is measured by the proportionate value to the Contract Price. The City shall approve all Subcontractors and principal providers of Materials and equipment and no deviations may be made without the City's approval.

### 6.6 PERMITS

- A. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the allotted permit fee allowances provided in Division 1 of the Bid Form herein shall be utilized for the purposes of obtaining all required permits and fees necessary to complete the Work, required by City and any agencies. The Contractor shall be responsible for payment of said permit fees and will be directly reimbursed by the City. Any and all remaining allowance balances shall remain with the City. If Contractor fails the regulatory inspections, Contractor shall pay for all the re-inspection fees and permit extension fees necessary for completion of the Work. Contractor shall not commence any Work without the appropriate permit. Copies of all permits shall be submitted to the Engineer prior to commencement of Work.
- B. The Contractor shall pay all license fees and royalties and assume all costs

incident to the use in the performance of the Work or the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device which is the subject of patent rights or copyrights held by others. If a particular invention, design, process, product, or device is specified in the Contract Documents for use in the performance of the Work and if to the actual knowledge of the City or the Architect/Engineer its use is subject to patent rights or copyrights calling for the payment of any license fee or royalty to others, the existence of such rights shall be disclosed by the City in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the City and the Architect/Engineer and anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses (including attorneys' fees and court costs) arising out of any infringement of patent rights or copyrights incident to the use in the performance of the Work or resulting from the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device not specified in the Contract Documents, and shall defend City in all such claims in connection with any alleged infringement of such rights.

C. The Contractor is responsible for obtaining and paying for all applicable permits, including but not limited to City of Miramar, Broward County permits, including, permit fees, reports, monitoring, evaluations, etc., required to obtain and close permits. The Contractor will be reimbursed by the City for the direct cost of required permits.

#### 6.7 LAWS AND REGULATIONS

The Contractor shall observe and comply with all federal, state, and local Laws, ordinances, codes, orders, and Regulations which in any manner affect those engaged or employed on the Work, the Materials used in the Work, or the performance of the Work. If any discrepancy or inconsistency should be discovered in the Contract Documents in relation to any such Law, ordinance, code, order, or Regulation, the Contractor shall report the same in writing to the Architect/Engineer. The Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City, the Architect/Engineer and their officers, agents, and employees against all claims or liability arising from violation of any such Law, ordinance, code, order, or Regulation, whether by Contractor or by its employees or Subcontractors. Any particular Law or Regulation specified or referred to elsewhere in the Contract Documents shall not in any way limit the obligation of the Contractor to comply with all other provisions of federal, state, and local Laws and Regulations.

### 6.8 TAXES

The Contractor shall pay all sales, consumer, use, and other similar taxes required to be paid by the Contractor in accordance with the Laws and Regulations applicable to the Work.

#### 6.9 USE OF PREMISES

The Contractor shall confine construction equipment, the storage of Materials and equipment, and the operations of workers to the Project site, and the land and areas identified in and permitted by the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall assume full responsibility for any damage to any land, or to the owner or occupant thereof resulting from the performance of the Work. Should any claim be made against the City or the Architect/Engineer by any such owner or occupant because of the performance of the Work, the Contractor shall promptly attempt to settle with such other party by agreement. The Contractor shall, to the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, indemnify, defend, and hold the City and the Architect/Engineer harmless from and against all claims, damages, losses, and expenses (including, but not limited to, fees of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and court costs) arising directly, indirectly, or consequentially out of any action, legal or equitable, brought by any such other party against the City or the Architect/Engineer to the extent based on a claim arising out of the Contractor's performance of the Work.

#### 6.10 SAFETY AND PROTECTION

- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work. The Contractor shall take all necessary precautions for the safety of and shall provide the necessary protection to prevent damage, injury or loss to:
  - 1. All persons at or near the Work;
  - 2. All Materials and equipment to be used in the Work, whether in storage or on or off the site; and
  - 3. All other property at or near the site, including without limitation trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavements, roadways, structures, mechanical equipment, electronics, instrumentation, and utilities not designated for removal, relocation, or replacement.
- B. The Contractor shall protect the public and property from damage, injury or loss and shall erect and maintain all necessary safeguards to provide such safety and protection. The Contractor shall notify owners of adjacent property and utilities when prosecution of the Work may affect them, and shall cooperate with them in the protection, removal, relocation, and replacement of their property.
- C. The Contractor shall designate a responsible representative at the site whose duty shall be the prevention of accidents. This person shall be the Contractor's superintendent unless otherwise designated in writing by the Contractor to the City.
- D. Trench excavations over five feet deep shall comply with OSHA 29

C.F.R. 196.650. A Contractor's statement that the Contractor will comply is required. Trenching costs shall be included in the appropriate unit and/ or lump sum prices for the respective Work in which such trenching is required.

### 6.11 SHOP DRAWINGS AND SAMPLES (WHEN APPLICABLE)

- A. The Contractor shall submit Shop Drawings and samples in accordance with the terms of this Solicitation. The purpose of the Shop Drawings is to show the suitability, efficiency, technique of manufacture, installation requirements, details of the item and evidence of its compliance or noncompliance with the Contract Documents.
- B. Within 30 calendar Days after the commencement date specified in the Notice to Proceed, Contractor shall submit to Architect/Engineer a complete list of preliminary data on items for which Shop Drawings are to be submitted and shall identify the critical items. Approval of this list by Architect/Engineer shall in no way relieve Contractor from submitting complete Shop Drawings and providing Materials, equipment, and any other necessary information fully in accordance with the Contract Documents. This procedure is required in order to expedite final approval of Shop Drawings.
- C. After the approval of the list of items required in Paragraph B above, Contractor shall promptly request Shop Drawings from the various manufacturers, fabricators, and Suppliers. Contractor shall include all Shop Drawings and other submittals in its certification.
- D. Contractor shall thoroughly review and check the Shop Drawings and each and every copy shall show this approvalthereon.
- E. If the Shop Drawings show or indicate departures from the Contract requirements, Contractor shall make specific mention thereof in its letter of transmittal. Failure to point out such departures shall not relieve Contractor from its responsibility to comply with the Contract Documents.
- F. Architect/Engineer shall review and approve Shop Drawings within 15 calendar Days from the date received, unless said Drawings are rejected by Architect/Engineer for material reasons. Architect's/Engineer's approval of Shop Drawings will be general and shall not relieve Contractor of responsibility for the accuracy of such Drawings, nor for the proper fitting and construction of the Work, nor for the furnishing of Materials or Work required by the Contract Documents and not indicated on the Drawings. No Work called for by Shop Drawings shall be performed until the Drawings have been approved by the Architect/Engineer. Approval shall not relieve Contractor from responsibility for errors or omissions of any sort on the Shop

Drawings.

- G. No approval will be given to partial submittals of Shop Drawings for items which interconnect and/or are interdependent where necessary to properly evaluate the design. It is Contractor's responsibility to assemble the Shop Drawings for all such interconnecting and/or interdependent items, check them and then make one submittal to Architect/Engineer along with its comments as to compliance, noncompliance, or features requiring special attention.
- H. If catalog sheets or prints of manufacturers' standard Drawings are submitted as Shop Drawings, any additional information or changes on such Drawings shall be typewritten or lettered in ink.
- I. Contractor shall submit the number of copies required by Architect/Engineer. Resubmissions of Shop Drawings shall be made in the same quantity until final approval is obtained.
- J. Contractor shall keep one set of Shop Drawings marked with Architect's/Engineer's approval at the job site at all times.

#### 6.12 CONTINUING THE WORK

The Contractor shall carry on the Work and adhere to the progress schedule during all disputes or disagreements with the City. **No Work shall be delayed or postponed pending resolution of any disputes or disagreements, except as the Contractor and the City may otherwise agree in writing.** 

### 6.13 CONTRACTOR'S DAILY REPORTS

The Contractor shall complete a daily report indicating manpower, major equipment used, Subcontractors, weather conditions, and other conditions impacting the performance of the Work. The daily report shall be completed on forms prepared by the Contractor and acceptable to the Architect/Engineer. A copy of the daily reports for the period covered shall be submitted to the City with each pay request.

#### 6.14 LAYING OUT THE WORK

The Contractor shall be held responsible for establishing all lines and grades together with all reference points as required by the various trades for all Work under the Contract. All required layout shall be done using competent and experienced personnel under the supervision of a local professional engineer and/or land surveyor registered in the State of Florida.

#### 6.15 ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACT

The Contractor shall not assign, sublet, sell, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the Contract or any portion thereof, or its right, title, or interest therein, or obligations thereunder, without the written consent of the City. If the Contractor violates this provision, the Contract may be terminated at the option of the City. In such event, the City shall be relieved of all liability and obligations to the Contractor and to its assignee or transferee.

## ARTICLE 7 -- OTHER WORK

### 7.1 RELATED WORK AT SITE

- A. The City may perform other Work at the site by the City's own forces, have other Work performed by utility owners, or let other direct contracts therefor. If not previously noted in the Contract Documents, written notice of other Work shall be given to the Contractor prior to commencement of the other Work.
- B. The Contractor shall afford each third party contractor performing Work at the site proper and safe access to the site and a reasonable opportunity for the introduction and storage of Materials and equipment, and shall properly connect and coordinate the Work with theirs. The Contractor shall do all cutting, fitting, and patching of the Work that may be required to make its several parts come together properly and integrate with such other Work. The Contractor shall not endanger any Work of others by cutting, excavating, or otherwise altering their Work and will only cut or alter their Work with the written consent of the Architect/Engineer and the others whose Work will be affected.
- C. If any part of the Contractor's Work depends for proper execution or results upon the Work of any third party contractor, the Contractor shall inspect and report to the Architect/Engineer, in writing, any delays, defects, or deficiencies in such third party Work that renders it unavailable or unsuitable for such proper execution and results. The Contractor's failure to report such delays, defects, or deficiencies will constitute an acceptance of the other Work as fit and proper for integration with the Contractor's Work, except for latent defects and deficiencies in the other Work.

### <u>ARTICLE 8 -- CITY'S RESPONSIBILITIES (RESERVED)</u>

## ARTICLE 9 -- ENGINEER'S STATUS DURING CONSTRUCTION

#### 9.1 CITY'S REPRESENTATIVE

The Architect/Engineer will be the City's representative during the construction period. The duties and responsibilities and the limitations of authority of the Architect/Engineer as the City's representative during construction are set forth herein and in the Contract Documents. The City may change the duties, responsibilities and authority of the Architect/Engineer by written notice to Contractor.

#### 9.2 VISITS TO SITE

The Architect/Engineer will make visits to the site during construction to observe the progress and quality of the Work and to determine if the Work is proceeding in accordance with the Contract Documents. The Architect/Engineer will not supervise, direct, or have control over the Contractor's Work.

#### 9.3 PROJECT REPRESENTATION

The Architect/Engineer may furnish a Resident Project Representative to assist in observing the performance of the Work. The duties, responsibilities, and limitations of authority of any such Resident Project Representative will be the same as for the Architect/Engineer.

#### 9.4 CLARIFICATIONS AND INTERPRETATIONS

The Architect/Engineer will issue with reasonable promptness such written clarifications or interpretations of the requirements of the Contract Documents (in the form of Drawings or otherwise) as the Architect/Engineer may determine necessary, which shall be consistent with or reasonably inferable from the overall intent of the Contract Documents.

### 9.5 AUTHORIZED VARIATIONS IN WORK

The Architect/Engineer may authorize minor variations in the Work from the requirements of the Contract Documents which do not involve an adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Time and are consistent with the overall intent of the Contract Documents. These may be accomplished by a Field Order (if any) and will require the Contractor to perform the Work involved promptly. If the Contractor believes that a Field Order (if any) justifies an increase in the Contract Price or Contract Time, the Contractor may make a claim therefore as provided herein.

#### 9.6 REJECTING DEFECTIVE WORK

The Architect/Engineer has authority to reject Work which the Architect/Engineer believes to be defective and also has authority to require special inspections or testing of the Work.

### 9.7 CONTRACTOR SUBMITTALS, CHANGE ORDERS, AND PAYMENTS

In accordance with the procedures set forth in these General Requirements, the Architect/Engineer will review all Contractor submittals, including, without limitation, Shop Drawings, samples, substitutes, or "or equal to" items in order to determine if the items covered by the submittals will, after installation or incorporation in the Work, conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents and be compatible with the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole as indicated by the Contract Documents. The Architect/Engineer's review will not extend to means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures of construction or to safety precautions or programs incident thereto.

#### 9.8 DECISIONS ON DISPUTES

- The Architect/Engineer will be the initial interpreter of the requirements of Α. the Contract Documents; disputes regarding additional or decreased Work and Change Orders (when applicable); claims relating to the acceptability of the Work, interpretation of the requirements of the Contract Documents, Contract Time and Contract Price. Architect/Engineer will also be the arbiter of all claims by the Contractor, subject to the provisions below. Claims will be referred initially to the Architect/Engineer in writing with a request for formal decision, which the Architect/Engineer will render in writing within 30 Days of receipt of the request, subject to prior review by City of any claim made by the Contractor and proposed decision by the Architect/Engineer. Written notice of each such claim, dispute, and other matter will be delivered by the Contractor to the Architect/Engineer no later than five Days after commencement of the event giving rise thereto. The Architect/Engineer may allow extra time for supplements of this information. Written supporting data providing the extent and amount of the claim and supporting documentation will be submitted to the Architect/Engineer with such notice. All Claims for changes to the Contract Time and Contract Price are waived if not submitted in accordance with the requirements of this Section.
- B. The Architect/Engineer will not show partiality to the City or the Contractor and will not be liable in connection with any interpretation or decision rendered in good faith in such capacity. In the event the City disagrees

with the Architect/Engineer's proposed decision on any claim when submitted to the City for review, the Architect/Engineer shall withhold its written decision and shall confer with the City until a mutually agreeable decision is made between City and Architect/Engineer appropriate to submit to Contractor.

#### 9.9 LIMITATION ON ENGINEER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. The Architect/Engineer when acting in good faith and exercising his authority to act for City, shall have no duty or responsibility to the Contractor or any Subcontractor, Supplier, any surety for any of them, or any other person or organization performing any of the Work.
- B. The Architect/Engineer has no duty or authority to supervise or direct the performance of the Work.
- C. The Architect/Engineer has no authority over and is not responsible for the Contractor's means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or for any failure of the Contractor to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work. The Architect/Engineer is not responsible for the Contractor's failure to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- D. The Architect/Engineer is not responsible for the acts or omissions of the Contractor or of any Subcontractor, Supplier, or any other person or organization performing any of the Work.

### ARTICLE 10 -- CHANGES IN THE WORK

#### 10.1 GENERAL

- A. When applicable, the City may order additions, deletions, or revisions in the Work by a Field Order or a Construction Change Directive or a Change Order. Upon receipt of any such document, the Contractor shall promptly proceed with the Work involved which will be performed under the conditions of the Field Order or Change Order.
- B. When applicable, Architect/Engineer may also issue a Construction Change Directive and Field Orders setting forth written interpretations of the intent of the Contract Documents, order minor changes in Work execution, and issue Supplemental Instructions setting forth written orders, instructions, or interpretations of the Contract Documents, providing the Field Order involves no change in the Contract Price or the Contract Time.

## 10.2 CHANGE ORDERS (WHEN APPLICABLE)

- A. Changes in the quantity or character of the Work within the scope of the Project which are not properly the subject of Field Orders or Supplemental Instructions, including all changes resulting in changes in the Contract Price or the Contract Time, shall be authorized only by Change Orders approved in advance and issued in accordance with the provisions of the City Code, as amended from time to time.
- B. Contractor shall not start Work on any changes requiring an increase in the Contract Price or the Contract Time until a Change Order setting forth the adjustments is approved by the City. Upon receipt of a Change Order, Contractor shall promptly proceed with the Work set forth within the document.
- C. In the event satisfactory adjustment cannot be reached for any item requiring a change in the Contract Price or Contract Time, and a Change Order has not been issued, the City reserves the right at its sole option to either terminate the Contract as it applies to the items in question and make such arrangements as may be deemed necessary to complete the disputed Work; or submit the matter in dispute to the Architect/Engineer as set forth herein. During the pendency of the dispute, and upon receipt of a Change Order approved by the City Contractor shall promptly proceed with the change in the Work involved and advise the Architect/Engineer in writing within seven calendar Days of Contractor's agreement or disagreement with the method, if any, provided in the Change Order for determining the proposed adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Time.
- D. Under circumstances determined necessary by the City, Change Orders may be issued unilaterally by the City.
- E. The City and the Contractor shall execute appropriate Change Orders covering:
  - 1. Changes in the Work ordered by the City;
  - 2. Changes required because of acceptance of defective Work; and
  - 3. Changes in the Contract Price, Contract Time or other changes agreed to by the parties.
- F. If notice of any kind is required by the provisions of any Bond to be given to a surety, the giving of any such notice will be the Contractor's responsibility. On approval of any Contract change increasing the Contract Price, Contractor shall ensure that the Bonds are increased so that each

reflects the Contract Price as increased.

### ARTICLE 11 -- CHANGE OF CONTRACT PRICE

#### 11.1 GENERAL

- A. The Contract Price constitutes the total compensation payable to the Contractor for performing the Work. All duties, responsibilities, and obligations assigned to or undertaken by the Contractor shall be at its expense without change in the Contract Price.
- B. The value of any Work covered by a Change Order (when applicable) or of any claim for an increase or decrease in the Contract Price shall be determined in one of the following ways:
  - Where the Work involved is covered by unit prices contained in the Contract Documents, by application of unit prices to the quantities of the increased or decreased units.
  - 2 By mutual acceptance of a lump sum amount, properly itemized and supported by substantiating data to permit evaluation, which may or may not include an allowance for overhead and profit as agreed to by the parties.
  - 3. On the basis of the Cost of Work, as defined below.

#### 11.2 COST OF WORK

General: The term "Cost of Work" means the sum of all reasonable costs Α. necessarily incurred and paid by the Contractor for labor, Materials, and equipment in the proper performance of extra Work. Except as otherwise may be agreed to in writing by the City, such costs shall be in amounts no higher than those prevailing in the locality of the Project. Whenever any extra Work is in progress, for which the definite price has not been agreed on in advance, the Contractor shall each Day report to the Architect/Engineer the amount and cost of the labor, Materials and equipment used, and any other expense incurred in such extra Work on the preceding Day, and no claim for compensation for such extra Work shall be included unless such report shall have been made. If in the opinion of the Architect/Engineer the cost of Material is excessive, or the Contractor does not furnish satisfactory evidence of the cost of such Material, then the cost shall be deemed to be the lowest current wholesale price for the quantity delivered to the Work site, less trade discount. For extra Work involving a combination of increases and decreases in the Work, the cost will be the sum of the additive and deductive costs.

- The City reserves the right to furnish Materials for the extra Work and no claim shall be made by the Contractor for costs and profit on such Materials. All equipment shall be in good working condition and suitable for the purpose for which the equipment is to be used.
- 2 Before construction equipment is used on the extra Work, the Contractor shall plainly stencil or stamp an identifying number thereon at a conspicuous location, and shall furnish to the Architect/Engineer, in duplicate, a description of the equipment and its identifying number. Individual pieces of equipment or tools having a replacement value of \$100 or less, whether or not consumed by use, shall be considered to be small tools and no payment will be made therefore. Rental time will not be allowed while equipment is inoperative for any reason.
- B. <u>Mark-up</u>: The Cost of the Work shall include a 10 percent mark-up applied to the total amount of labor, material and equipment inclusive of but not limited to: Overhead and Profit, General Conditions, Labor Burden, fees and insurances, supervision, incidental general office expenses, etc.

## ARTICLE 12 -- CHANGE OF CONTRACT TIME

#### 12.1 GENERAL

- A. In no event shall Contractor be entitled to any delay damages from City or Architect/Engineer for any reason.
- B. The Contract Time will be extended in an amount equal to time Days due to Force Majeure, which includes acts of God or of the public enemy, fire, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, labor disputes, sabotage, or freight embargoes. Other Contract Time extensions shall be only by Change Orders or by claims made by Contractor in accordance with the provisions herein.
- C. All time limits stated in the Contract Documents are of the essence.

### 12.2 EXTENSIONS OF TIME FOR DELAY DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER

A. Contract Times may be extended by the Architect/Engineer due to unusually severe weather, provided that the Contractor shall, within 10 Days of the beginning of any such delay, request such extension in writing stating the cause of delay. The Architect/Engineer m ay extend the Contract Time when, in its judgment, the facts justify such an extension. The Contractor's construction schedule shall be based upon the inclusion of 10 Days of inclement Weather Delays. No extension of the Contract Time due to inclement weather will be considered until after the said number of Days of inclement weather has been reached. No increase in Contract Time will be made if said number of Days of inclement weather

is not reached.

- B. Inclement weather by itself is not a cause for time extension. Only where duration and frequency of rain is abnormal as compared with the Weather Bureau data and supported by Project logs will time extensions be considered. No time extension will be allowed for weekend rains unless the Contractor has received approval and been working weekends on a regular basis.
- C. In order to demonstrate that a delay is the result of exceptionally adverse weather conditions, the Contractor must demonstrate that critical path activities have been delayed by more Days than those cumulatively expected during the Contract Time, based upon an average number of Days of adverse weather conditions experienced in the place where the Project is located during the five years prior to the date of this Agreement, which average shall be based upon the historical data of the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, and that any float time in the Construction Schedule has been exceeded. In order to be considered a delay, the Contractor must demonstrate that critical path activities were suspended during the exceptionally adverse weather event for more than 50 percent of the Day the Work period of the Day of the exceptionally adverse weather.
- D. <u>Hurricane Precautions</u>: During such periods of time as are designated by the United States Weather Bureau as being a hurricane watch or warning, the Contractor, at no cost to the City, shall take all precautions necessary to secure the Project site in response to all threatened storm events, regardless of whether the City or the City's Architect/Engineer has given notice of same. Compliance with any specific hurricane watch or warning precautions will not constitute additional Work.

Consideration of additional Contract Time relating to hurricane watch or warning at the Project site will be addressed by a Change Order (when applicable) in accordance with the non-compensable excusable delays section of the General Conditions.

Suspension of the Work caused by a storm watch or warning, or storm event or official state of emergency (until termination of same), regardless of whether the City has directed such suspension, will entitle the Contractor to additional Contract Time as non-compensable, excusable delay, and shall not give rise to a claim for compensable delay.

ARTICLE 13 -- WARRANTY AND GUARANTEE; TESTS AND INSPECTIONS;

CORRECTION, REMOVAL, OR ACCEPTANCE OF DEFECTIVE

WORK

#### 13.1 WARRANTY AND GUARANTEE

The Contractor warrants and guarantees to the City and the Architect/Engineer that all Work will be in accordance with the Contract Documents and will not be defective.

#### 13.2 ACCESS TO WORK

The City, the Architect/Engineer and their collective representatives, testing agencies, and governmental agencies with jurisdictional interests all shall have access to the Work at reasonable times for observation, inspections, and testing. The Contractor shall provide proper and safe conditions for such access.

#### 13.3 INTERACTION AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF ENGINEER AND CONTRACTOR

- A. The Contractor shall give the Architect/Engineer timely notice of readiness of the Work for all required inspections, tests, or approvals.
- B. Other than inspections by the City (unless specifically excepted below), the Contractor shall pay for the costs of all inspections and testing, including without limitation by any public body with jurisdiction requiring testing inspection or approval, with regard to any substitutions of Materials, equipment or Suppliers to be used or incorporated in the Work and for repeats of failed tests.
- C. In the event inspections or tests reveal non-compliance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall bear the cost of corrective measures deemed necessary by the Architect/Engineer, as well as the cost of subsequent re-inspection and retesting. Neither observations by the Architect/Engineer nor inspections, tests, or approvals by others shall relieve the Contractor from the Contractor's obligation to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents. The Architect/Engineer shall verify that the tests, equipment, and systems startups and operating and maintenance instruction are conducted as required by the Contract Documents.
- D. All inspections, tests, or approvals other than those required by Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction shall be performed by organizations acceptable to the Architect/Engineer and the Contractor.
- E. If any Work (including the Work of others) that is to be inspected, tested, or approved is covered without written concurrence of the Architect/Engineer, it must, if requested by the Architect/Engineer, be uncovered for observation. Such uncovering shall be at the Contractor's expense. If such Work is not found to be Defective Work, the Contractor shall be allowed an increase in the Contract Price or an extension of

the Contract Time, or both, directly attributable to such uncovering. If the parties are unable to agree as to the amount or extent thereof, the Contractor may make a claim therefore as provided herein.

- F. The Architect/Engineer shall review the progress schedule of Shop Drawings, submittals and the schedule of values prepared by the Contractor.
- G. The Architect/Engineer shall attend pre-construction conferences, arrange progress meetings and conferences, attend meetings and maintain and circulate copies of minutes.
- H. The Architect/Engineer shall assist the Contractor in understanding the intent of the Contract Documents.
- I. The Architect/Engineer shall receive and record date of receipt of all submittals furnished by the Contractor.
- J. The Architect/Engineer shall conduct on-site observations of the Work in progress and determine if the Work is proceeding in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- K. The Architect/Engineer shall review applications for payment with the Contractor for compliance with the established procedure for their submittal.
- L. The Architect/Engineer shall: (a) prepare a Certificate of Substantial Completion/Notice of completion, as applicable, and submit to the Contractor a list of observed items requiring completion or correction; (b) conduct final review of the Work and prepare a "punch list" of items to be completed or corrected; and (c) verify that all items on the punch list have been completed or corrected.

### M. The Architect/Engineer shall not:

- 1. Authorize any deviation from the Contract Documents or approve any substitute Material or equipment.
- 2 Exceed limitations on the Architect/Engineer's authority as set forth in the Contract Documents.
- 3. Undertake any of the responsibilities of the Contractor, Subcontractors or Contractor's superintendent, or expedite the Work.
- 4. Advise on or issue directions relative to any aspect of the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction unless such is specifically called for in the Contract Documents.

- 5. Advise on or issue directions as to safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work.
- 6. Participate in specialized field or laboratory test.

#### 13.4 CITY MAY STOP THE WORK

If the Work is Defective Work, or the Contractor fails to perform Work in such a way that the completed Work will conform to the Contract Documents, the City may order the Contractor to stop the Work, or any portion thereof, until the cause for such order has been eliminated; however, this right of the City to stop the Work shall not give rise to any duty on the part of the City to exercise this right for the benefit of the Contractor or any other party.

#### 13.5 CORRECTION OR REMOVAL OF DEFECTIVE WORK

If required by the Architect/Engineer, the Contractor shall either correct all Defective Work, whether or not fabricated, installed, or completed, or, if the Work has been rejected by the Architect/Engineer, remove it from the site and replace it with non-Defective Work. The Contractor shall bear all direct, indirect and consequential costs and damages of such correction or removal, including but not limited to fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals made necessary thereby.

### 13.6 ONE-YEAR CORRECTION PERIOD

If, within one year after the date of Final Completion, or such longer period of time as may be prescribed by Laws or Regulations, the terms of any applicable special guarantee required by the Contract Documents or by any specific provision of the Contract Documents, any Work is found to be defective, the Contractor shall promptly, without cost to the City and in accordance with City's written notification, either correct such Defective Work, or, if it has been rejected by the City, remove it from the site and replace it with non-defective Work. If the Contractor does not promptly comply with the such notification, or in an emergency where delay would cause serious risk of loss or damage, the City may have the Defective Work corrected or the rejected Work removed and replaced, and all direct, indirect, and consequential costs and damages of such removal and replacement, including but not limited to fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys and other professionals will be paid by the Contractor.

Where Defective Work (and damage to other Work resulting therefrom) has been corrected, removed or replaced, the correction period hereunder with respect to such Work will be extended for an additional period of one year after such correction or removal and replacement has been satisfactorily completed.

#### 13.7 ACCEPTANCE OF DEFECTIVE WORK

If, instead of requiring correction or removal and replacement of Defective Work the City prefers to accept the Work, the City may do so. The Contractor shall bear all direct, indirect, and consequential costs attributable to the City's inspection, testing, testing, evaluation of and determination to accept such Defective Work. If acceptance occurs prior to final payment, a Change Order (when applicable) will be issued incorporating the necessary revisions in the Contract Documents with respect to the Work, and the City shall be entitled to an appropriate decrease in the Contract Price.

## ARTICLE 14 -- PAYMENTS TO CONTRACTOR AND COMPLETION

## 14.1 SCHEDULE OF VALUES (LUMP SUM PRICE BREAKDOWN)

The schedule of values or price breakdown shall be established as provided in the General Requirements and shall serve as the basis for progress payments and will be incorporated into a form of Application for Payment acceptable to the Architect/Engineer.

#### 14.2 UNIT PRICE BID SCHEDULE

Progress payments on account of unit price Work will be based on the number of units completed.

#### 14.3 APPLICATION FOR PROGRESS PAYMENT

- A. Unless otherwise prescribed by Law, on the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of each month, or other agreed upon date, the Contractor shall submit to the Architect/Engineer for review an Application for Payment filled out and signed by the Contractor covering the Work completed as of the date of the Application and accompanied by partial lien releases and other such supporting documentation as is required by the Contract Documents.
- B. The Application for Payment shall identify, as a subtotal, the amount of the Contractor's total earnings to date. No payment shall be made for Materials stored at the site.
- C. The net payment due to the Contractor shall be the above-mentioned subtotal from which shall be deducted the amount of retainage specified herein and the total amount of all previous payments made to the Contractor. Retention shall be 10 percent of each approved progress payment until the Work is 50 percent complete and accepted by the City. Retention will then be reduced to five percent of each approved progress payment until the Work is 100 percent complete and accepted

by the City.

#### 14.4 CONTRACTOR'S WARRANTY OF TITLE

The Contractor warrants and guarantees that title to all Work, Materials, and equipment covered by an Application for Payment, whether incorporated in the Work or not, will pass to the City free and clear of all liens no later than the time of payment by the City for such Materials and equipment.

#### 14.5 REVIEW OF APPLICATIONS FOR PROGRESS PAYMENT

- A. The Architect/Engineer will, within seven Days after receipt of each Application for Payment, either indicate in writing a recommendation of payment and present the Application to the City, or return the Application to the Contractor indicating in writing the Architect's/Engineer's reasons for refusing to recommend payment. In the latter case, the Contractor may make the necessary corrections and resubmit the Application. Thirty Days after presentation of the Application for Payment with the Architect's/Engineer's recommendation, the amount recommended will be due, subject to the provisions of this Article.
- B. The City may refuse to make payment of the full amount recommended by the Architect/Engineer because claims have been made against the City on account of the Contractor's performance of the Work or Liens have been filed in connection with the Work or there are other items entitling the City to a credit against the amount recommended. In that event, the City must give the Contractor written notice within seven Days (with a copy to the Architect/Engineer) stating the reasons for such action.

### 14.6 PARTIAL UTILIZATION

- A. The City shall have the right to take possession of and use or place into service any item of equipment, usable portion of the Work, or partially completed portion of the Work prior to completion of the Work, but such taking, use or possession shall not be deemed an acceptance of any Work not completed in accord with the Contract Documents. Whenever the City plans to exercise said right, the Contractor will be notified in writing by the City identifying the specific portion or portions of the Work to be so utilized or otherwise placed into service.
- B. It shall be understood by the Contractor that until such written notification is issued, all responsibility for care and maintenance of all items of the Work shall be borne by the Contractor. Upon issuance of said written notice of partial utilization, the City will accept responsibility for the protection and maintenance of such items of the Work described in the

written notice.

C. The Contractor shall retain full responsibility for satisfactory completion of the Work, regardless of whether a portion thereof has been partially utilized by the City and the Contractor's one-year correction period shall commence only after the date of Final Completion of the Work.

### 14.7 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

When the Contractor considers the Work ready for its intended use, the Contractor shall notify the City and the Architect/Engineer in writing that the Work is Substantially Complete and request that the Architect/Engineer prepare a Certificate of Substantial Completion/Notice of Completion. Within a reasonable time thereafter, the City, the Contractor and the Architect/Engineer shall make an inspection of the Work to determine the status of completion. If the Architect/Engineer does not consider the Work Substantially Complete, the Architect/Engineer will notify the Contractor in writing, giving the reasons therefore. If the Architect/Engineer considers the Work Substantially Complete, the Architect/Engineer will prepare and deliver to the City for execution the Certificate of Substantial Completion/Notice of Completion signed by the Architect/Engineer and Contractor, which shall fix the date of Substantial Completion. As applicable, there shall be attached to the Certificate/Notice a list of items to be completed or corrected before final payment.

### 14.8 FINAL APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT

After the Contractor has completed all correction Work indicated on the attachment to the Certificate of Substantial Completion and delivered all maintenance and operating instructions, schedules, guarantees, Bonds, certificates of inspection, marked-up record documents (as provided in the General Requirements) and other documents required by the Contract Documents, and after the Architect/Engineer has indicated that the Work is acceptable, the Contractor may make application for final payment following the procedure for progress payments. The final Application for Payment shall be accompanied by all documentation called for in the Contract Documents, together with complete and legally effective releases or waivers (satisfactory to the City) of all liens arising out of or filed in connection with the Work.

#### 14.9 FINAL PAYMENT AND ACCEPTANCE

A. If, on the basis of the Architect's/Engineer's observation of the Work during construction and final inspection, and the Architect's/Engineer's review of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation, all as required by the Contract Documents, the Architect/Engineer is satisfied that the Work has been completed and the Contractor's other obligations under the Contract Documents have been

fulfilled, the Architect/Engineer will, within 14 Days after receipt of the final Application for Payment, indicate in writing the Architect's/Engineer's recommendation of payment and present the Application to the City for payment.

- B. After acceptance of the Work and obtaining the surety's consent to final payment, the City will make final payment to the Contractor of the amount remaining after deducting all prior payments and all amounts to be kept or retained under the provisions of the Contract Documents, including the following items:
  - 1. Liquidated damages, as applicable.
  - 2. Two times the value of outstanding items of correction Work or "punch list" items indicated on the Certificate of Substantial Completion/Notice of Completion which are yet uncompleted or uncorrected, as applicable. All such outstanding Work shall be completed or corrected to the satisfaction of the City promptly within the time stated on the Certificate of Substantial Completion/Notice of Completion, or the Contractor shall waive any and all claims to all monies withheld by the City to cover the value of all such uncompleted or uncorrected items.
  - 3. Release of final payment or retainage does not constitute City's approval of the Work.

### 14.10 CONTRACTOR'S CONTINUING OBLIGATION

The Contractor's obligation to perform and complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents shall be absolute. Neither recommendation of any progress or final payment by the Architect/Engineer, nor the issuance of a Certificate of Substantial Completion/Notice of Completion, nor any payment by the City to the Contractor under the Contract Documents (final or otherwise), nor any use or occupancy of the Work or any part thereof by the City, nor any act of acceptance by the City nor any failure to do so, nor any review of a Shop Drawing or sample submittal, will constitute an acceptance of Work not in accordance with the Contract Documents or a release of the Contractor's obligation to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

#### 14.11 FINAL PAYMENT TERMINATES LIABILITY OF CITY

A final payment is defined as the last progress payment made to the Contractor for earned funds, less retainage as applicable, less deductions as applicable and described above. The acceptance by the Contractor of the final payment constitutes a release of the City and its agents from all claims of liability to the Contractor for anything done or furnished for, or relating to, the Work or for any

act or neglect of the City or of any person relating to or affecting the Work, except demands against the City for the remainder, if any, of the amounts kept or retained and except pending, unresolved claims filed prior to the date of the Certificate of Substantial Completion/Notice of Completion.

### ARTICLE 15 -- SUSPENSION OF WORK BY CITY

The City may, at any time and without cause, suspend the Work or any portion thereof for a period of not more than 90 Days by notice in writing to the Contractor. The Contractor shall resume the Work on receipt from the Architect/Engineer or City of a notice of resumption of Work. The Contractor shall be allowed an increase in the Contract Time directly attributable to any suspension.

### <u>ARTICLE 16 -- MISCELLANEOUS</u>

#### 16.1 TITLE/OWNERSHIP TO MATERIALS FOUND ON THE WORK

The City reserves the right to retain title to all soils, stone, sand, gravel, and other Materials developed and obtained from excavations and other operations connected with the Work. The Contractor shall deliver such Materials to City at City's request, at a location determined by City, at no cost to City, unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents. If the City releases ownership of the Material, it shall become the property of the Contractor, who shall dispose of it in manner satisfactorily to the Architect/Engineer at no extra cost to the City.

#### 16.2 RIGHT TO AUDIT

The City shall have the right to audit the Contractor's books upon reasonable notice. This right shall include the right to examine books, records, documents, and other evidence and accounting procedures and practices, sufficient to discover and verify all direct and indirect costs of whatever nature claimed to have been incurred or anticipated to be incurred. The right to audit shall include the right to inspect the Contractor's plants, or such parts thereof, as may be or have been engaged in the performance of the Work. The rights to examine and inspect herein provided for shall be exercisable through such representatives as the City deems desirable during the Contractor's normal business hours at the office of the Contractor. The Contractor shall make available to the City for auditing all records and documents and other financial data relevant to the Work, and upon request, shall submit true copies of requested records to the City.

### 16.3 WATER SUPPLY

All water required for testing, flushing and construction shall be the full responsibility of the Contractor in accordance with requirements set forth in the Specifications.

#### 16.4 SALVAGE

Any existing equipment or Material, including but not limited to valves, pipes, fittings, and couplings which is removed as a result of construction under this Project may be designated to the City at a location directed by the Architect/Engineer. Any equipment or Material not worth of salvaging shall be disposed of by the Contractor in a sound environmental manner in an approved final disposal site.

### 16.5 LIMITATIONS OF OPERATION

The Contractor shall, at all times, conduct the Work in such a manner and in such sequence as will ensure the least practicable interference. The Architect/Engineer may require the Contractor to finish a section on which Work is in progress before Work is started on any additional section.

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