

AGREEMENT FOR INSTALLATION OF ROOFING SERVICES AND BIRD NETTING SYSTEM AT OCALA WETLANDS PARK

THIS AGREEMENT FOR INSTALLATION OF ROOFING SERVICES AND BIRD NETTING SYSTEM AT OCALA WETLANDS PARK (Agreement") is entered into by and between the **CITY OF OCALA**, a Florida municipal corporation ("City"), and **CBC CONSTRUCTION GROUP, LLC** a limited liability duly organized and authorized to do business in the state of Florida (EIN: 87-3696144) ("Contractor").

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, on July 8, 2024, City issued an Invitation to Bid ("ITB") for the installation of roofing and bird netting system services at the City of Ocala Wetlands Park, ITB No.: CIP/240753 (the "Solicitation"); and

WHEREAS, a total of one (1) firm responded to the Solicitation and, after consideration of price and other evaluation factors set forth in the Solicitation, CBC Construction Group, LLC was chosen as the intended awardee to provide installation of roofing and bird netting services related to the Ocala Wetlands Park (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, Contractor certifies that Contractor and its subcontractors are qualified and possess the required licensure and skill to perform the work required for the Project; and

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing recitals, the following mutual covenants and conditions, and other good and valuable consideration, City and Contractor agree as follows:

TERMS OF AGREEMENT:

- 1. **RECITALS**. City and Contractor hereby represent, warrant, and agree that the Recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.
- 2. **CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**. The Contract Documents which comprise the entire understanding between City and Contractor shall only include: (a) this Agreement; (b) those documents listed in this section as Exhibits to this Agreement; (c) the City's Solicitation for the Project and the quote submitted by Contractor in response to same (the "Solicitation Documents"); and (d) those documents identified in the Project Specifications section of this Agreement. Each of these documents are incorporated herein by reference for all purposes.

If there is a conflict between the terms of this Agreement and the Contract Documents, then the terms of this Agreement shall control, amend, and supersede any conflicting terms contained in the remaining Contract Documents.

A. **Exhibits to Agreement**: The Exhibits to this Agreement are as follows:

Exhibit A: Scope of Work (A-1 through A-6)
Exhibit B: Locations Map (B-1 through B-2)
Exhibit C: Open Pavilion Flooring As-Built (C-1)

Exhibit D: Ocala Shade Structure (D-1)

Exhibit E: StealthNet Specs (E-1 through E-3)

Exhibit F: Overlook Shade Covers (F-1)

Exhibit G: T19023 Grant Document (G-1 through G-69)

Exhibit H: Price Proposal (H-1)

If there is a conflict between the individual Exhibits regarding the scope of work to be performed, then any identified inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence in the



following order: (1) Exhibit G, then (2) Exhibit A then (3) Exhibit C, then (4) Exhibit B, then (5) Exhibit D, then (6) Exhibit E, then (7) Exhibit F, then (8) Exhibit H.

- B. **Project Specifications**: In addition to the Contract Documents and up-to-date copies of shop drawings, this project will require the Contractor to have the following specifications and documents, which are incorporated by reference:
 - i. City of Ocala "Standard Specifications for Construction of Streets, Stormwater,
 Traffic, Water and Sewer Infrastructure" available at:

www.ocalafl.gov/home/showpublisheddocument/24606

Florida Department of Transportation ("FDOT") Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction (latest edition) available at:

http://www.fdot.gov/programmanagement/Implemented/SpecBooks/.

Florida Department of Transportation Standard Plans for Road and Bridge Construction (latest edition):

https://www.fdot.gov/design/standardplans/sprbc.shtm

Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD), latest edition which can be obtained by downloading from:

https://www.fdot.gov/traffic/trafficservices/mutcd.shtm

Florida Department of Transportation Florida Greenbook (latest edition), can be obtained by downloading from:

https://www.fdot.gov/roadway/floridagreenbook/fgb.shtm

If there is a conflict between the individual Project Specifications regarding the scope of work to be performed, then any identified inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedents to the most restrictive specification.

- 3. SCOPE OF SERVICES. Contractor shall provide all materials, labor, supervision, tools, accessories, equipment, permits, fees, testing, inspections, certifications, and all other things necessary for Contractor to perform its obligations under this Agreement as set forth in the attached Exhibit A Scope of Work and the Solicitation Documents. Prime contractor must perform a minimum of SIXTY PERCENT (60%) of the work with its own forces. The Scope of Work under this Agreement may only be adjusted by written amendment executed by both parties.
- 4. COMPENSATION. City shall pay Contractor a maximum limiting amount of <u>TWENTY-FIVE</u> <u>THOUSAND, FIFTY AND 51/100 DOLLARS (\$25,050.51)</u> (the "Contract Sum") as full and complete compensation for the timely and satisfactory completion of the work in compliance with the pricing schedule in **Exhibit H Price Proposal** and other requirements set forth in the Contract Documents. The pricing under this Agreement may only be adjusted by written amendment executed by both parties.
 - A. **Monthly Progress Payments**: The compensation amount under this section shall be paid by City, monthly, based upon a percentage of completion of the work as invoiced by Contractor and approved by City. The compensation sought under this Agreement is subject to the express terms of this Agreement and any applicable federal and/or state laws.



- B. **Project Schedule and Progress Reports**. A progress report and updated project schedule must be submitted with each monthly pay request indicating the percent of services completed to date. This report will serve as support for payment to Contractor and the basis for payment in the event project is suspended or abandoned.
- C. Invoice Submission. All invoices submitted by Contractor shall include the City Contract Number, an assigned Invoice Number, and an Invoice Date. Contractor shall submit a Certificate of Disbursement of Payment with each invoice after the first payment. Contractor shall also submit an updated schedule with each invoice. Contractor shall be provided with a cover sheet for invoicing. This cover sheet must be filled out correctly and submitted with each invoice. Contractor shall invoice once a month. Contractor shall submit the original invoice through the responsible City Project Manager at: City of Ocala Engineering Department, Attn: Daniel Matvejs, Address: 1805 NE 30th Avenue, Building 700, Ocala, FL 34470 E-Mail: dmatvejs@ocalafl.gov.
- D. **Payment of Invoices by City**. The City Project Manager must review and approve all invoices prior to payment. City Project Manager's approval shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned, or delayed. Payments by City shall be made no later than the time periods established in section 218.735, Florida Statutes.
- E. **Retainage.** City shall withhold an amount equal to **FIVE PERCENT (5%)** of each monthly progress payment as retainage to secure Contractor's full and faithful performance of its obligations under this Agreement (the "Retainage"). Contractor shall not be entitled to any interest received by City on Retainage. The Retainage shall be payable to Contractor, subject to the provisions of this subsection, upon satisfaction of the following condition precedent: confirmation from the City Project Manager that Contractor has satisfactorily completed all work in accordance with the provisions of the Agreement.
- F. Withholding of Payment. City reserves the right to withhold, in whole or in part, payment for any and all work that: (i) has not been completed by Contractor; (ii) is inadequate or defective and has not been remedied or resolved in a manner satisfactory to the City Project Manager; or (iii) which fails to comply with any term, condition, or other requirement under this Agreement. Any payment withheld shall be released and remitted to Contractor within <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/jhtt
- G. **Excess Funds**. If due to mistake or any other reason Contractor receives payment under this Agreement in excess of what is provided for by the Agreement, Contractor shall promptly notify City upon discovery of the receipt of the overpayment. Any overpayment shall be refunded to City within **THIRTY (30)** days of Contractor's receipt of the overpayment or must also include interest calculated from the date of the overpayment at the interest rate for judgments at the highest rate as allowed by law.
- H. **Amounts Due to the City**. Contractor must be current and remain current in all obligations due to the City during the performance of services under this Agreement. Payments to Contractor may be offset by any delinquent amounts due to the City or fees and/or charges owed to the City.
- I. **Tax Exemption**. City is exempt from all federal excise and state sales taxes (State of Florida Consumer's Certification of Exemption 85-8012621655C-9). The City's Employer Identification



Number is 59-60000392. Contractor shall not be exempted from paying sales tax to its suppliers for materials to fulfill contractual obligations with the City, nor will Contractor be authorized to use City's Tax Exemption Number for securing materials listed herein.

- 5. **TIME FOR PERFORMANCE**. Time is of the essence with respect to the performance of all duties, obligations, and responsibilities set forth in this Agreement and the Contract Documents.
 - A. Contractor shall mobilize and commence work no later than **TEN (10)** working days from the date of issuance of a Notice to Proceed for the project by City. At no time will the Contractor be allowed to lag behind.
 - B. All work shall be substantially completed by Contractor in a manner satisfactory to the City Project Manager within <u>ONE HUNDRED TWENTY (120)</u> days of the start date indicated on the Notice to Proceed and ready for final payment within <u>SEVEN (7)</u> days of substantial completion.
 - C. The Time for Performance under this Agreement may only be adjusted by Change Order, in the sole and absolute discretion of City. Any request for an extension of the Time for Performance must be submitted in a writing delivered to the City Project Manager, along with all supporting data, within **SEVEN (7)** calendar days of the occurrence of the event giving rise to the need for adjustment unless the City allows an additional period of time to ascertain more accurate data. All requests for adjustments in the Contract Time shall be determined by City.
 - D. **Lead Time:** The maximum acceptable lead time on materials is two (2) weeks. The City shall issue a Notice to Proceed (NTP) upon notification of receipt materials by Contractor.
 - E. **Weather Days:** Contractor shall submit a written request to the City Project (e-mail is the preferred method) for additional days for which work is suspended or delayed by weather. Weather days shall be reconciled with each monthly pay application for the time period which the application is submitted and shall be final. Contractor performance and execution of work shall be considered in the determination for granting additional days.
 - F. **Working Hours:** The normal/standard working hours for this project are 7:00 AM 5:00 PM Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Contractor shall provide (forty-eight) 48-hour advance notice to City Project Manager for work outside normal shift hours. The city may decline the request.
 - G. **Emergency Work Hours:** The Contractor shall have available staff on site and prepared to begin work within **two (2) hours** notification of any work deemed "Emergency" (this includes all storm related emergencies). If the work is not completed or staff is not on site by contract timelines the contract will be considered in default.
 - H. Upon declaration of default, the City will have full power to appropriate or use any or all suitable and acceptable materials and equipment on the site and may enter an agreement with others to complete the work under the contract or may use other methods to complete the work in an acceptable manner. The City will charge all costs that the City incurs because of the Contractor's default, including the costs of completing the work under the contract, against the Contractor.
 - I. If, after default notice by the City, and prior to any action by the City to otherwise complete the work under the contract, the Contractor establishes their intent to prosecute the work in



accordance with the City's requirements, then the City may allow the Contractor to resume the work, in which case the City will deduct from any monies due or that may become due under the contract, any costs to the City incurred by the delay, or from any reason attributable to the delay.

- J. As to any delay, inefficiency, or interference in this performance of this Agreement caused by any act or failure to act by City, the Contractor's sole remedy shall be the entitlement of an extension of time to complete the performance of the affected work in accordance with the Contract Documents. Contractor agrees to make no claim for extra or additional costs attributable to said delays, inefficiencies, or interference, except as provided in this Agreement.
- K. None of the provisions of this section shall exclude City's right of recovery for damages caused by delays or inefficiencies caused by any act or failure to act by Contractor, to include costs incurred by City for the procurement of additional professional services.
- 6. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES FOR LATE COMPLETION. The parties agree that it would be extremely difficult and impracticable under the presently known facts and anticipated circumstances to ascertain and fix the actual damages that City and its residents would incur should Contractor fail to achieve Substantial Completion and/or Final Completion and readiness for final payment by the dates specified for each under the terms of this Agreement. Accordingly, the parties agree that should Contractor fail to achieve Substantial Completion by the date specified, then Contractor shall pay City, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, the sum of NINE HUNDRED FOUR AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$904) per day for each calendar day of unexcused delay in achieving Substantial Completion beyond the date specified for Substantial Completion in the Contract Documents. After Substantial Completion, if Contractor shall neglect, refuse, or fail to complete the remaining work within the time specified in the Contract Documents for Final Completion and readiness for final payment or any proper extension thereof granted by City, Contractor shall pay City, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, additional sum of TWO HUNDRED AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$200) per day for each calendar day of unexcused delay in achieving completion and readiness for final payment.
 - A. **No Waiver of Rights or Liabilities**. Permitting Contractor to continue and finish the work, or any part thereof, beyond the dates specified for Substantial Completion and/or Final Completion and readiness for final payment shall not operate as a waiver on the part of the City of any of its rights under this Agreement. Any liquidated damages assessed pursuant to this section shall not relieve Contractor from liability for any damages or costs of other contractors caused by a failure of Contractor to complete the work as agreed.
 - B. **Right to Withhold or Deduct Damages**. When liquidated damages are due and owing, City shall have the right to: (1) deduct the liquidated damages from any money in its hands or from any money otherwise due or to become due to Contractor; or to (2) initiate any applicable dispute resolution procedure for the recovery of liquidated damages within the times specified under this Agreement.
 - C. Non-Cumulative. The parties agree and understand that the amounts set forth under this section for liquidated damages are not cumulative with one another. The amount set forth as liquidated damages for Contractor's failure to achieve Substantial Completion shall be assessed upon default and continue until Substantial Completion is attained. The amount set forth as liquidated damages for Contractor's failure to achieve Final Completion and readiness



for payment shall be assessed after Substantial Completion is attained and apply until Final Completion is attained.

- D. **Additional Costs.** In addition to the liquidated damages set forth under this section, Contractor agrees to pay all costs and expenses incurred by City due to Contractor's delay in performance to include inspection fees, superintendence costs, and travel expenses.
- E. **Injunctive Relief.** The parties acknowledge that monetary damages may not be a sufficient remedy for Contractor's failure to achieve Substantial Completion or Final Completion in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, and that City shall be entitled, in addition to all other rights or remedies in law and equity, to seek injunctive relief.
- 7. **DELAYS AND DAMAGES.** The Contractor agrees to make no claim for extra or additional costs attributable to any delays, inefficiencies, or interference in the performance of this contract occasioned by any act or omission to act by the City except as provided in the Agreement. The Contractor also agrees that any such delay, inefficiency, or interference shall be compensated for solely by an extension of time to complete the performance of the work in accordance with the provision in the standard specification.
- 8. **MAINTENANCE AND GUARANTEE BOND.** Prior to final payment, Contractor shall furnish a Maintenance and Guarantee Bond in the amount of **TEN PERCENT (10%)** of the total project value, for a period of **THREE (3)** years for labor and **THREE (3)** years for materials from the date of final completion. Prior to the City's receipt of Contractor's fully executed Maintenance and Guarantee Bond, Contractor will warrant all labor and materials completed pursuant to this Agreement.
- 9. FORCE MAJEURE. Neither party shall be liable for delay, damage, or failure in the performance of any obligation under this Agreement if such delay, damage, or failure is due to causes beyond its reasonable control, including without limitation: fire, flood, strikes and labor disputes, acts of war, acts of nature, terrorism, civil unrest, acts or delays in acting of the government of the United States or the several states, judicial orders, decrees or restrictions, or any other like reason which is beyond the control of the respective party ("Force Majeure"). The party affected by any event of force majeure shall use reasonable efforts to remedy, remove, or mitigate such event and the effects thereof with all reasonable dispatch.
 - A. The party affected by force majeure shall provide the other party with full particulars thereof including, but not limited to, the nature, details, and expected duration thereof, as soon as it becomes aware.
 - B. When force majeure circumstances arise, the parties shall negotiate in good faith any modifications of the terms of this Agreement that may be necessary or appropriate in order to arrive at an equitable solution. Contractor performance shall be extended for a number of days equal to the duration of the force majeure. Contractor shall be entitled to an extension of time only and, in no event, shall Contractor be entitled to any increased costs, additional compensation, or damages of any type resulting from such force majeure delays.
- 10. INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE WORK. Contractor shall report its progress to the City Project Manager as set forth herein. All services, work, and materials provided by Contractor under this Agreement shall be provided to the satisfaction and approval of the City Project Manager.



- A. The City Project Manager shall decide all questions regarding the quality, acceptability, and/or fitness of materials furnished, or workmanship performed, the rate of progress of the work, the interpretation of the plans and specifications, and the acceptable fulfillment of the Agreement, in his or her sole discretion, based upon both the requirements set forth by City and the information provided by Contractor in its Bid. The authority vested in the City Project Manager pursuant to this paragraph shall be confined to the direction or specification of what is to be performed under this Agreement and shall not extend to the actual execution of the work.
- B. Neither the City Project Manager's review of Contractor's work nor recommendations made by City Project Manager pursuant to this Agreement will impose on City Project Manager any responsibility to supervise, direct, or control Contractor's work in progress or for the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction or safety precautions or programs incident Contractor's furnishing and performing the work.
- 11. **TERMINATION AND DEFAULT**. Either party, upon determination that the other party has failed or refused to perform or is otherwise in breach of any obligation or provision under this Agreement or the Contract Document, may give written notice of default to the defaulting party in the manner specified for the giving of notices herein. Termination of this Agreement by either party for any reason shall have no effect upon the rights or duties accruing to the parties prior to termination.
 - A. **Termination by City for Cause**. City shall have the right to terminate this Agreement immediately, in whole or in part, upon the failure of Contractor to carry out any obligation, term, or condition of this Agreement. City's election to terminate the Agreement for default shall be communicated by providing Contractor written notice of termination in the manner specified for the giving of notices herein. Any notice of termination given to Contractor by City shall be effective immediately, unless otherwise provided therein, upon the occurrence of any one or more of the following events:
 - (1) Contractor fails to timely and properly perform any of the services set forth in the specifications of the Agreement;
 - (2) Contractor provides material that does not meet the specifications of the Agreement;
 - (3) Contractor fails to complete the work required within the time stipulated in the Agreement; or
 - (4) Contractor fails to make progress in the performance of the Agreement and/or gives City reason to believe that Contractor cannot or will not perform to the requirements of the Agreement.
 - B. **Contractor's Opportunity to Cure Default**. City may, in its sole discretion, provide Contractor with an opportunity to cure the violations set forth in City's notice of default to Contractor. Contractor shall commence to cure the violations immediately and shall diligently and continuously prosecute such cure to completion within a reasonable time as determined by City. If the violations are not corrected within the time determined to be reasonable by City or to the reasonable satisfaction of City, City may, without further notice, declare Contractor to be in breach of this Agreement and pursue all remedies available at law or equity, to include termination of this Agreement without further notice.



- C. City's Remedies Upon Contractor Default. In the event that Contractor fails to cure any default under this Agreement within the time period specified in this section, City may pursue any remedies available at law or equity, including, without limitation, the following:
 - (1) City shall be entitled to terminate this Agreement without further notice;
 - (2) City shall be entitled to hire another contractor to complete the required work in accordance with the needs of City;
 - (3) City shall be entitled to recover from Contractor all damages, costs, and attorney's fees arising from Contractor's default prior to termination; and
 - (4) City shall be entitled to recovery from Contractor any actual excess costs by: (i) deduction from any unpaid balances owed to Contractor; (ii), or (iii) any other remedy as provided by law.
- D. **Termination for Convenience**. City reserves the right to terminate this Agreement in whole or in part at any time for the convenience of City without penalty or recourse. The City Project Manager shall provide written notice of the termination. Upon receipt of the notice, Contractor shall immediately discontinue all work as directed in the notice, notify all subcontractors of the effective date of the termination, and minimize all further costs to City including, but not limited to, the placing of any and all orders for materials, facilities, or supplies, in connection with its performance under this Agreement. Contractor shall be entitled to receive compensation solely for: (1) the actual cost of the work completed in conformity with this Agreement; and/or (2) such other costs incurred by Contractor as permitted under this Agreement and approved by City.
- 12. **WARRANTY.** Contractor warrants that all labor, materials, and equipment furnished under the agreement are new, of the type and quality required for the Project, and installed in a good and workmanlike manner in accordance with the Contract Documents. Contractor shall guarantee that the work shall be free from any defects in workmanship for a period of not less than **THREE** (3) years from the date of Final Completion. Contractor shall guarantee that the materials provided shall be free from any defects for the longer of: (1) **THREE** (3) years from the date of Final Completion; or (2) the period of warranty provided by any supplier or manufacturer. All written manufacturers' warranties for materials supplied must be provided to the City Project Manager before final payment will be authorized.
- 13. **PERFORMANCE EVALUATION**. At the end of the contract, City may evaluate Contractor's performance. Any such evaluation will become public record.
- 14. **NOTICE REGARDING FAILURE TO FULFILL AGREEMENT**. Any contractor who enters into an Agreement with the City of Ocala and fails to complete the contract term, for any reason, shall be subject to future bidding suspension for a period of **ONE (1)** year and bid debarment for a period of up to **THREE (3)** years for serious contract failures.
- 15. **CONTRACTOR REPRESENTATIONS**. Contractor expressly represents that:
 - A. Contractor has read and is fully familiar with all the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the Contract Documents, and other related data and acknowledges that they are sufficient in scope and detail to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions of the work to be performed by Contractor under this Agreement.



- B. Contractor has disclosed, in writing, all known conflicts, errors, inconsistencies, discrepancies, or omissions discovered by Contractor in the Contract Documents, and that the City's written resolution of same is acceptable to Contractor.
- C. Contractor has had an opportunity to visit, has visited, or has had an opportunity to examine and ask questions regarding the sites upon which the work is to be performed and is satisfied with the site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the work, as observable or determinable by Contractor's own investigation.
- D. Contractor is satisfied with the site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the work, as observable or determinable by Contractor's own investigation.
- E. Contractor is familiar with all local, state, and Federal laws, regulations, and ordinances which may affect cost, progress, or its performance under this Agreement whatsoever.
- F. Public Entity Crimes. Neither Contractor, its parent corporations, subsidiaries, members, shareholders, partners, officers, directors, or executives, nor any of its affiliates, contractors, suppliers, subcontractors, or consultants under this Agreement have been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction of a public entity crime. Contractor understands that a "public entity crime" as defined in section 287.133(1)(g), Florida Statutes, is "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 with the United States..." Contractor further understands that any person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime: (1) may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract: (a) to provide any goods or services to a public entity; (b) for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; or (c) for leases of real property to a public entity; (2) may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and (3) may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.
- 16. **CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES**. Except as otherwise specifically provided for in this Agreement, the following provisions are the responsibility of the Contractor:
 - A. Contractor shall competently and efficiently supervise, inspect, and direct all work to be performed under this Agreement, devoting such attention thereto and applying such skills and expertise as may be necessary to perform the work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
 - B. Contractor shall be solely responsible for the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction and safety precautions or programs incident thereto.
 - C. Contractor shall be responsible to see that the finished work complies accurately with this Agreement and the intent thereof.
 - D. Contractor shall comply with all local, state, and Federal laws, regulations, and ordinances which may affect cost, progress, or its performance under this Agreement, including, but not limited to obtaining all permits, licenses, and other authorizations necessary for the prosecution of the work and be responsible for all costs associated with same.



- E. Contractor shall operate and cause all construction equipment and materials supplied for or intended to be utilized in the Project to be operated and stored in only those areas prescribed by City. This includes the operations of workmen.
- F. Contractor shall be fully responsible for receipt, inspection, acceptance, handling, and storage of all construction equipment and materials supplied for or intended to be utilized in the Project, whether furnished by Contractor or City. Contractor shall be responsible for providing adequate safeguards to prevent loss, theft, damage, or commingling with other materials or projects.
- G. Contractor shall continue its performance under this Agreement during the pendency of any dispute or disagreement arising out of or relating to this Agreement, except as Contractor and City may otherwise agree in writing.
- 17. **NO EXCLUSIVITY**. It is expressly understood and agreed by the parties that this is not an exclusive agreement. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating any exclusive arrangement with Contractor or as prohibit City from either acquiring similar, equal, or like goods and/or services or from executing additional contracts with other entities or sources.
- 18. **RIGHT OF ACCESS AND OTHER WORK PERFORMED BY THIRD PARTIES**. City may perform additional work related to the Project itself, or have additional work performed by utility service companies, or let other direct contracts therefore which shall contain General Conditions similar to these. Contractor shall afford the utility service companies and the other contractors who are parties to such direct contracts (or City, if City is performing the additional work with City's employees) reasonable opportunity for the introduction and storage of materials and equipment and the execution of work and shall properly connect and coordinate his work with theirs.
 - A. If any part of Contractor's work depends for proper execution or results upon the work of any such other contractor or utility service company (or City), Contractor shall inspect and promptly report to City in writing any latent or apparent defects or deficiencies in such work that render it unsuitable for such proper execution and results. Contractor's failure to so report shall constitute an acceptance of the other work as fit and proper for integration with Contractor's work except for latent or non-apparent defects and deficiencies in the other work.
 - B. Contractor shall do all cutting, fitting, and patching of work that may be required to make the parts come together properly and integrate with such other work. 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 City.
- 19. **STORAGE OF MATERIALS/EQUIPMENT**. Contractor shall be fully responsible for receipt, inspection, acceptance, handling, and storage of equipment and materials (whether furnished by Contractor or City) to be utilized in the performance of or incorporated into the work.
- 20. **RESPONSIBILITIES OF CITY.** City or its representative shall issue all communications to Contractor. City has the authority to request changes in the work in accordance with the terms of this Agreement and with the terms in **Exhibit A Scope of Work.** City has the authority to stop work or to suspend any work.
- 21. **COMMERCIAL AUTO LIABILITY INSURANCE.** Contractor shall procure, maintain, and keep in full force, effect, and good standing for the life of this Agreement a policy of commercial auto liability insurance with a minimum combined single limit of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per



occurrence for bodily injury and property damage arising out of Contractor's operations and covering all owned, hired, scheduled, and non-owned automobiles utilized in said operations. If Contractor does not own vehicles, Contractor shall maintain coverage for hired and non-owned automobile liability, which may be satisfied by way of endorsement to Contractor's Commercial General Liability policy or separate Commercial Automobile Liability policy.

- 22. **COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE.** Contractor shall procure, maintain, and keep in full force, effect, and good standing for the life of this Agreement a policy of Commercial General Liability insurance with limits not less than:
 - A. One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) aggregate (or project aggregate, if a construction project) for bodily injury, property damage, and personal and advertising injury; and
 - B. One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) aggregate (or project aggregate, if a construction project) for products and completed operations.
 - C. Policy must include coverage for contractual liability and independent contractors.
 - D. Policy must include Additional Insured coverage in favor of the City that is no less restrictive than that afforded under the CG 20 26 04 13 Additional Insured Form.
- 23. **WORKERS' COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY.** Worker's Compensation insurance shall be provided by Contractor as required by Chapter 440, Florida Statutes, or any other applicable state or federal law, including the U.S. Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers Compensation Act and the Jones Act.
 - A. Contractor shall similarly require any and all subcontractors to afford such coverage for all of its employees as required by applicable law.
 - B. Contractor shall waive and shall ensure that Contractor's insurance carrier waives, all subrogation rights against the City of Ocala and its officers, employees, and volunteers for all losses or damages. Contractor's policy shall be endorsed with WC 00 03 13 Waiver of our Right to Recover from Others or its equivalent.
 - C. Exceptions and exemptions to this Section may be allowed at the discretion of the City's Risk Manager on a case-by-case basis in accordance with Florida Statutes and shall be evidenced by a separate waiver.

24. ADDITIONAL INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS.

- A. Contractor's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance for all applicable policies. The limits of coverage under each policy maintained by Contractor shall not be interpreted as limiting Contractor's liability or obligations under this Agreement. City does not in any way represent that these types or amounts of insurance are sufficient or adequate enough to protect Contractor's interests or liabilities or to protect Contractor from claims that may arise out of or result from the negligent acts, errors, or omissions of Contractor, any of its agents or subcontractors, or for anyone whose negligent act(s) Contractor may be liable.
- B. No insurance shall be provided by the City for Contractor under this Agreement and Contractor shall be fully and solely responsible for any costs or expenses incurred as a result



- of a coverage deductible, co-insurance penalty to include any loss not covered because of the operation of such deductible, co-insurance penalty, or coverage exclusion or limitation.
- C. Certificates of Insurance. No work shall be commenced by Contractor under this Agreement until the required Certificate of Insurance and endorsements have been provided nor shall Contractor allow any subcontractor to commence work until all similarly required certificates and endorsements of the subcontractor have also been provided. Work shall not continue after expiration (or cancellation) of the Certificate of Insurance and work shall not resume until a new Certificate of Insurance has been provided. Contractor shall provide evidence of insurance in the form of a valid Certificate of Insurance (binders are unacceptable) prior to the start of work contemplated under this Agreement to: City of Ocala. Attention: Procurement & Contracting Department, Address: 110 SE Watula Avenue, Third Floor, Ocala Florida 34471, E-Mail: vendors@ocalafl.gov. Contractor's Certificate of Insurance and required endorsements shall be issued by an agency authorized to do business in the State of Florida with an A.M. Best Rating of A or better. The Certificate of Insurance shall indicate whether coverage is being provided under a claims-made or occurrence form. If any coverage is provided on a claims-made form, the Certificate of Insurance must show a retroactive date, which shall be the effective date of the initial contract or prior.
- D. **City as an Additional Insured**. The City of Ocala shall be named as an Additional Insured and Certificate Holder on all liability on all liability policies identified in this Section with the exception of Workers' Compensation, Auto Liability (except when required by Risk Management) and Professional Liability policies. **Workers Compensation policy must contain a Waiver of Subrogation in favor of the City**.
- E. **Notice of Cancellation of Insurance**. Contractor's Certificate of Insurance shall provide **THIRTY (30) DAY** notice of cancellation, **TEN (10) DAY** notice if cancellation is for non-payment of premium. In the vent that Contractor's insurer is unable to accommodate the cancellation notice requirement, it shall be the responsibility of Contractor to provide the proper notice. Such notification shall be in writing by registered mail, return receipt requested, and addressed to the certificate holder. Additional copies may be sent to the City of Ocala at vendors@ocalafl.gov.
- F. **Failure to Maintain Coverage**. The insurance policies and coverages set forth above are required and providing proof of and maintaining insurance of the types and with such terms and limits set forth above is a material obligation of Contractor. Contractor's failure to obtain or maintain in full force and effect any insurance coverage required under this Agreement shall constitute material breach of this Agreement.
- G. **Severability of Interests**. Contractor shall arrange for its liability insurance to include or be endorsed to include a severability of interests/cross-liability provision so that the "City of Ocala" (where named as an additional insured) will be treated as if a separate policy were in existence, but without increasing the policy limits.
- 27. **SAFETY/ENVIRONMENTAL.** Contractor shall be responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work. Contractor shall make an effort to detect hazardous conditions and shall take prompt action where necessary to avoid accident, injury or property damage. EPA, DEP, OSHA and all other applicable safety laws and ordinances shall be followed as well as American National Standards Institute Safety



Standards. Contractor shall take all necessary precautions for the safety of, and shall provide the necessary protection to prevent damage, injury, or loss to:

- A. All employees on the work and other persons that may be affected thereby;
- B. All work, materials and equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the site; and
- C. Other property at the site or adjacent thereto, including trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavements, roadways, structures, and utilities not designated for removal, relocation, or replacement in the course of construction.

All, injury, or loss to any property caused, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by Contractor, any subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, shall be remedied by Contractor. Contractor's duties and responsibilities for the safety and protection of the work shall continue until such time as the work is completed and accepted by City.

- 28. **TRAFFIC CONTROL AND BARRICADES.** The Contractor shall mitigate impact on local traffic conditions to all extents possible. The Contractor is responsible for establishing and maintaining appropriate traffic control and barricades. The Contractor shall provide sufficient signing, flagging, and barricading to ensure the safety of vehicular and pedestrian traffic at all locations where work is being done under this Agreement.
 - a. In addition to the requirements set forth in its bid, the Contractor shall maintain at all times a good and sufficient fence, railing or barrier around all exposed portions of said work in such a manner as to warn vehicular and pedestrian traffic of hazardous conditions.
 - b. Should Contractor fail to properly barricade his work or stored material sites in the manner outlined above, the City may have the necessary barricading done, and all cost incurred for said barricading shall be charged to the Contractor.
- 29. **WORK SITE AND CLEANUP.** Daily, during the progress of the work, Contractor shall keep the premises free from accumulations of waste materials, rubbish, and all other debris resulting from the work. At the completion of the work, Contractor shall remove all waste materials, rubbish, and debris from and about the premises, as well as all tools, appliances, construction equipment and machinery, and surplus materials, and shall leave the site clean and ready for occupancy by City. Contractor shall provide an inventory listing of all surplus materials in an area designated by City. Contractor shall restore to their original condition those portions of the site not designated or alteration by the Contract.
- 30. **CONSTRUCTION SURVEY LAYOUT.** The work to be performed pursuant to survey work provided by City shall be completed as necessary to establish all proper alignments, right of way, easements, benchmarks, elevations, and grade stakes to complete all phases of this Contract.
 - A. Contractor shall immediately bring to City's attention any survey issues that would impede the Contractor's completion of the work. The work performed pursuant to survey work at the Contractor's expense pursuant to this Agreement shall be prepared by a licensed surveyor and provided to the City. Any survey issues with these surveys that would impede the



- Contractor's completion of the work shall immediately be brought to the City's attention. If additional or corrective survey work is required, it shall be at Contractor's expense.
- B. The City Engineer/City Project Manager shall establish a number of benchmarks on the project which in their opinion will enable the Contractor to perform the work. If Contractor shall remove or destroy any stake, marker, or benchmark on the work without first having secured the approval of the City Engineer/City Project Manager, such stake, or benchmark shall be re-established by and at Contractor's expense.
- C. It shall be the responsibility of Contractor to preserve all adjacent property corner markers which might be affected by their operations and replace same if undermined. Corner locations known by City will be made available to Contractor. All original field notes, calculations, and other documents developed by the surveyor in conjunction with this work shall be given to City and become City property. All surveying work must be in accordance with Chapters 177 and 472 of Florida Statutes and Chapter 6IG17 of the Florida Administrative Code.
- 31. **NON-DISCRIMINATORY EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES**. During the performance of the contract, the Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, sex, pregnancy, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital or domestic partner status, familial status, or veteran status and shall take affirmative action to ensure that an employee or applicant is afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference to, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
- 32. **SUBCONTRACTORS.** Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to create, impose, or give rise to any duty owed by City or its representatives to any subcontractor of Contractor or any other persons or organizations having a direct contract with Contractor, nor shall it create any obligation on the part of City or its representatives to pay or seek payment of any monies to any subcontractor of Contractor or any other persons or organizations having a direct contract with Contractor, except as may otherwise be required by law. City shall not be responsible for the acts or omissions of any Contractor, subcontractor, or of any of their agents or employees, nor shall it create any obligation on the part of City or its representatives to pay or to seek the payment of any monies to any subcontractor or other person or organization, except as may otherwise be required by law.
- 33. **EMERGENCIES**. In an emergency affecting the welfare and safety of life or property, Contractor, without special instruction or authorization from the City Project Manager, is hereby permitted, authorized, and directed to act at its own discretion to prevent threatened loss or injury. Except in the case of an emergency requiring immediate remedial work, any work performed after regular working hours, on Saturdays, Sundays, or legal holidays, shall be performed without additional expense to the City unless such work has been specifically requested and approved by the City Project Manager. Contractor shall be required to provide to the City Project Manager with the names, addresses and telephone numbers of those representatives who can be contacted at any time in case of emergency. Contractor's emergency representatives must be fully authorized and equipped to correct unsafe or excessively inconvenient conditions on short notice by City or public inspectors.
- 34. **INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS.** Contractor acknowledges and agrees that under this Agreement, Contractor and any agent or employee of Contractor shall be deemed at all times to



be an independent contractor and shall be wholly responsible for the manner in which it performs the services and work required under this Agreement. Neither Contractor nor its agents or employees shall represent or hold themselves out to be employees of City at any time. Neither Contractor nor its agents or employees shall have employee status with City. Nothing in this Agreement shall constitute or be construed to create any intent on the part of either party to create an agency relationship, partnership, employer-employee relationship, joint venture relationship, or any other relationship which would allow City to exercise control or discretion over the manner or methods employed by Contractor in its performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

- 35. **ACCESS TO FACILITIES.** City shall provide Contractor with access to all City facilities as is reasonably necessary for Contractor to perform its obligations under this Agreement.
- 36. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither party may assign its rights or obligations under this Agreement to any third party without the prior express approval of the other party, which shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- 37. **RIGHT OF CITY TO TAKE OVER CONTRACT.** Should the work to be performed by Contractor under this Agreement be abandoned, or should Contractor become insolvent, or if Contractor shall assign or sublet the work to be performed hereunder without the written consent of City, the City Project Manager shall have the power and right to hire and acquire additional men and equipment, supply additional material, and perform such work as deemed necessary for the completion of this Agreement. Under these circumstances, all expenses and costs actually incurred by City to accomplish such completion shall be credited to City along with amounts attributable to any other elements of damage and certified by the City Project Manager. The City Project Manager's certification as to the amount of such liability shall be final and conclusive.
- 38. **PUBLIC RECORDS.** The Contractor shall comply with all applicable provisions of the Florida Public Records Act, Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. Specifically, the Contractor shall:
 - A. Keep and maintain public records required by the public agency to perform the service.
 - B. Upon request from the public agency's custodian of public records, provide the public agency with a copy of the 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.
 - C. 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 the contract term and following completion of the contract if the Contractor does not transfer the records to the public agency.
 - D. Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost, to the public agency all public records in possession of the Contractor or keep and maintain public records required by the public agency to perform the service. If the Contractor transfers all public records to the public agency upon completion of the contract, the Contractor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Contractor keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the contract, the Contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the public agency, upon request from



the public agency's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the public agency.

IF THE CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT: CITY OF OCALA, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK; 352-629-8266; E-mail: clerk@ocalafl.gov; City Hall, 110 SE Watula Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471.

- 39. **AUDIT.** Contractor shall comply and cooperate immediately with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits relating to this Agreement as deemed necessary by the Florida Office of the Inspector General, the City's Internal or External auditors or by any other Florida official with proper authority.
- 40. **PUBLICITY.** Contractor shall not use City's name, logo, seal or other likeness in any press release, marketing materials, or other public announcement without City's prior written approval.
- 41. **E-VERIFY.** Pursuant to section 448.095, Contractor shall register with and use the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's ("DHS") E-Verify System, accessible at https://e-verify.uscis.gov/emp, to verify the work authorization status of all newly hired employees. Contractor shall obtain affidavits from any and all subcontractors in accordance with paragraph 2(b) of section 448.095, Florida Statutes, and maintain copies of such affidavits for the duration of this Agreement. By entering into this Agreement, Contractor certifies and ensures that it utilizes and will continue to utilize the DHS E-Verify System for the duration of this Agreement and any subsequent renewals of same. Contractor understands that failure to comply with the requirements of this section shall result in the termination of this Agreement and Contractor may lose the ability to be awarded a public contract for a minimum of one (1) year after the date on which the Agreement was terminated. Contractor shall provide a copy of its DHS Memorandum of Understanding upon City's request. Please visit www.e-verify.gov for more information regarding the E-Verify System.
- 42. **CONFLICT OF INTEREST.** Contractor is required to have disclosed, with the submission of their bid, the name of any officer, director, or agent who may be employed by the City. Contractor shall further disclose the name of any City employee who owns, directly or indirectly, any interest in Contractor's business or any affiliated business entity. Any additional conflicts of interest that may occur during the contract term must be disclosed to the City of Ocala Procurement Department.
- 43. **WAIVER.** The failure or delay of any party at any time to require performance by another party of any provision of this Agreement, even if known, shall not affect the right of such party to require performance of that provision or to exercise any right, power or remedy hereunder. Any waiver by any party of any breach of any provision of this Agreement should not be construed as a waiver of any continuing or succeeding breach of such provision, a waiver of the provision itself, or a waiver of any right, power or remedy under this Agreement. No notice to or demand on any party in any circumstance shall, of itself, entitle such party to any other or further notice or demand in similar or other circumstances.



- 44. **SEVERABILITY OF ILLEGAL PROVISIONS.** Wherever possible, each provision of this Agreement shall be interpreted in such a manner as to be effective and valid under the applicable law. Should any portion of this Agreement be declared invalid for any reason, such declaration shall have no effect upon the remaining portions of this Agreement.
- 45. **INDEMNITY.** Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless City and its elected officials, employees and volunteers against any actions, claims, or damages arising out of, relating to, or resulting from negligent or wrongful acts of Contractor, or any of its officers, agents, or employees, acting within the scope of their office or employment, in connection with the rights granted to or exercised by Contractor.
- 46. **NO WAIVER OF SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY.** The foregoing indemnification shall not constitute a waiver of the City's sovereign immunity beyond the limits set forth in section 768.28, Florida Statutes. Nor shall the same be construed to constitute agreement by Contractor to indemnify City for the negligent acts or omissions of City, its officers, agents, or employees, or third parties. This indemnification shall survive the termination of this Agreement.
- 47. **NOTICES.** All notices, certifications or communications required by this Agreement shall be given in writing and shall be deemed delivered when personally served, or when received if by facsimile transmission with a confirming copy mailed by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested. Notices can be concurrently delivered by e-mail. All notices shall be addressed to the respective parties as follows:

If to Contractor: CBC Construction Group

Attention: Tyler Lea 329 SE 36th Avenue Ocala, Florida 34471 Phone: 352-840-3304 Cell: 352-840-3203

E-mail: tyler@cbcconstructiongroup.com

If to City of Ocala: Daphne M. Robinson, Esq., Contracting Officer

City of Ocala

110 SE Watula Avenue, Third Floor

Ocala, Florida 34471 Phone: 352-629-8343 E-mail: notices@ocalafl.gov

Copy to: William E. Sexton, Esq., City Attorney

City of Ocala

110 SE Watula Avenue, Third Floor

Ocala, Florida 34471 Phone: 352-401-3972

E-mail: wsexton@ocalafl.gov

48. **ATTORNEYS' FEES.** If any civil action, arbitration or other legal proceeding is brought for the enforcement of this Agreement, or because of an alleged dispute, breach, default or misrepresentation in connection with any provision of this Agreement, the successful or prevailing party shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorneys' fees, sales and use taxes, court



costs and all expenses reasonably incurred even if not taxable as court costs (including, without limitation, all such fees, taxes, costs and expenses incident to arbitration, appellate, bankruptcy and post-judgment proceedings), incurred in that civil action, arbitration or legal proceeding, in addition to any other relief to which such party or parties may be entitled. Attorneys' fees shall include, without limitation, paralegal fees, investigative fees, administrative costs, sales and use taxes and all other charges reasonably billed by the attorney to the prevailing party.

- 49. JURY WAIVER. IN ANY CIVIL ACTION, COUNTERCLAIM, OR PROCEEDING, WHETHER AT LAW OR IN EQUITY, WHICH ARISES OUT OF, CONCERNS, OR RELATES TO THIS AGREEMENT, ANY AND ALL TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED HEREUNDER, THE PERFORMANCE HEREOF, OR THE RELATIONSHIP CREATED HEREBY, WHETHER SOUNDING IN CONTRACT, TORT, STRICT LIABILITY, OR OTHERWISE, TRIAL SHALL BE TO A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION AND NOT TO A JURY. EACH PARTY HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT IT MAY HAVE TO A TRIAL BY JURY. NEITHER PARTY HAS MADE OR RELIED UPON ANY ORAL REPRESENTATIONS TO OR BY ANY OTHER PARTY REGARDING THE ENFORCEABILITY OF THIS PROVISION. EACH PARTY HAS READ AND UNDERSTANDS THE EFFECT OF THIS JURY WAIVER PROVISION.
- 50. **GOVERNING LAW.** This Agreement is and shall be deemed to be a contract entered and made pursuant to the laws of the state of Florida and shall in all respects be governed, construed, applied, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the state of Florida.
- 51. **JURISDICTION AND VENUE.** The parties acknowledge that a majority of the negotiations, anticipated performance and execution of this Agreement occurred or shall occur in Marion County, Florida. Any civil action or legal proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement shall be brought only in the courts of record of the State of Florida in Marion County or the United States District Court, Middle District of Florida, Ocala Division. Each party consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of such court in any such civil action or legal proceeding and waives any objection to the laying of venue of any such civil action or legal proceeding in such court and/or the right to bring an action or proceeding in any other court. Service of any court paper may be effected on such party by mail, as provided in this Agreement, or in such other manner as may be provided under applicable laws, rules of procedures or local rules.
- 52. **REFERENCE TO PARTIES.** Each reference herein to the parties shall be deemed to include their successors, assigns, heirs, administrators, and legal representatives, all whom shall be bound by the provisions hereof.
- 53. **MUTUALITY OF NEGOTIATION.** Contractor and City acknowledge that this Agreement is a result of negotiations between Contractor and City, and the Agreement shall not be construed in favor of, or against, either party because of that party having been more involved in the drafting of the Agreement.
- 54. **SECTION HEADINGS.** The section headings herein are included for convenience only and shall not be deemed to be a part of this Agreement.
- 55. **RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES.** Nothing in this Agreement, whether express or implied, is intended to confer any rights or remedies under or because of this Agreement on any persons other than the parties hereto and their respective legal representatives, successors and permitted assigns. Nothing in this Agreement is intended to relieve or discharge the obligation or liability of any



- third persons to any party to this Agreement, nor shall any provision give any third persons any right of subrogation or action over or against any party to this Agreement.
- 56. **AMENDMENT.** No amendment to this Agreement shall be effective except those agreed to in writing and signed by both parties to this Agreement.
- 57. **COUNTERPARTS.** This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute the same instrument.
- 58. **ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE(S).** Contractor, if and by offering an electronic signature in any form whatsoever, will accept and agree to be bound by said electronic signature to all terms and conditions of this Agreement. Further, a duplicate or copy of the Agreement that contains a duplicated or non-original signature will be treated the same as an original, signed copy of this original Agreement for all purposes.
- 59. **ENTIRE AGREEMENT.** This Agreement, including exhibits, (if any) constitutes the entire Agreement between the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof. There are no other representations, warranties, promises, agreements, or understandings, oral, written, or implied, among the Parties, except to the extent reference is made thereto in this Agreement. No course of prior dealings between the parties and no usage of trade shall be relevant or admissible to supplement, explain, or vary any of the terms of this Agreement. No representations, understandings, or agreements have been made or relied upon in the making of this Agreement other than those specifically set forth herein.
- 60. **LEGAL 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.

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ITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have ex	xecuted this Agreement on		
ATTEST:	CITY OF OCALA		
Signed by: Angel B. Jacob	Cocustymed by: Ken Whitehead		
Angel B. Jacobs	Ken Whitehead		
City Clerk	Assistant City Manager		
Approved as to form and legality:	CBC CONSTRUCTION GROUP, LLC		
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Exhibit A – SCOPE OF WORK

BACKGROUND

- Contractor shall provide the installation of roofing for <u>three (3)</u> overlook structures located at the City of Ocala Wetlands Park, as well as the installation of a bird netting system for the open pavilion. All <u>four (4)</u> structures in this project are located at the City of Ocala Wetland Recharge Park (2105 NW 21st Street). See <u>Exhibit B-Locations Map</u>. The project includes, but is not limited to: installation of plywood, timber supports, aluminum panels, and the bird netting system. Contractor shall be responsible for the disposition of all the debris, backfilling, leveling, and sodding.
- 2. Contractor shall be responsible for providing all materials, labor, and equipment (in good working condition) to complete the installation of the roofing and bird netting system.

REQUIREMENTS

Contractor and all subcontractors shall be required to conform to the labor standards and employment requirements set forth in the Solicitation. All work shall be performed under the supervision of a qualified, competent foreman or supervisor.

PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

- 1. **Permits Required:** Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining the following City of Ocala permits at no additional cost to the City:
 - Building
- 2. **Estimated Permit Cost:** The estimated permit costs are \$500. **Permit Fee Schedule:** For information regarding permitting fees, please visit the following link: https://www.ocalafl.org/home/showpublisheddocument/490/637545367420930000
- 3. **Permit Application:** The ROW Utilization Permit Application is available under "Documents" at: https://www.ocalafl.org/government/city-departments-a-h/city-engineer-s-office
- 4. **Construction Permit Applications:** For construction permits and related documents, please visit: https://www.ocalafl.org/government/city-departments-a-h/growth-management/building/construction-permits

ANTICIPATED TASKS, DELIVERABLES AND HOURS

- 1. **Anticipated Tasks:** The Contractor may be required to perform the following types of services for the City of Ocala. This list is not an attempt to exclusively define those specific activities the Contractor will perform.
 - Installation of bird netting system (Open Pavilion).
 - Installation of plywood. (Overlooks)
 - Installation of support timbers. (Overlooks)
 - Installation of aluminum panels. (Overlooks)
 - Metal for roofing panels will be provided by the City.
- 2. **Deliverables:** The Contractor shall provide monthly reports of all Task Work Orders in progress. Deliverables shall be accepted by the City of Ocala Project Manager before payment for such work.

PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS

This project will require the Contractor to follow the following plans and specifications:

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- 1. Plan Set for the project attached as an exhibit.
- 2. City of Ocala Standard Specifications for Construction of Streets, Stormwater, Traffic, Water and Sewer Infrastructure (dated 1/11/2024) available at: www.ocalafl.gov/home/showpublisheddocument/24606
- 3. Florida Department of Transportation Standard Specifications (FDOT) for Road and Bridge Construction, latest edition available at: http://www.fdot.gov/programmanagement/Implemented/SpecBooks/
- 4. Florida Department of Transportation Standard Plans for Road and Bridge Construction (latest edition): https://www.fdot.gov/design/standardplans/sprbc.shtm
- 5. Florida Department of Transportation Florida Greenbook (latest edition) can be obtained by downloading from: https://www.fdot.gov/roadway/floridagreenbook/fgb.shtm
- 6. Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD), available at: https://www.fdot.gov/traffic/trafficservices/mutcd.shtm
- 7. FDOT Design Standards available at: https://www.fdot.gov/design/standardplans/DS.shtm
- 8. All work must be in compliance with the Florida Building Code, latest edition. For information please visit the following link: https://floridabuilding.org/c/default.aspx
- 9. The Contractor must have the above listed documents in addition to up-to-date copies of shop drawings, plans and bid document at job sites at all times.
- 10. All material and construction equipment must meet FDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge, latest edition. Substantial completion date will start warranty period for each project assigned.

WRITTEN QUOTES

- 1. The Contractor shall submit a detailed written estimate of the proposed services prior to any work being performed by the Contractor. Written quotes shall be submitted within **three (3)** days of the initial request by the City. The Contractor shall submit an itemized not-to-exceed price, giving a full description of the project for each project covered by this contract.
- 2. Written quotes shall list the location name and address. The project estimate shall list each and every item per bid specifications, i.e., items and quantity, and all hardware items used. Each quote shall be submitted to the City Project Manager by email with a clear sketch or drawing (if applicable).

CONTRACTOR EMPLOYEES AND EQUIPMENT

- 1. An employee roster shall be provided for all projects assigned.
- 2. Contractor must utilize competent employees in performing the work. Employees performing the work must be properly licensed or qualified as required by the scope/project.
- 3. Contractor shall provide an assigned project manager, who will be the primary point of contact. Contractor must provide a valid telephone number, email, and address at all times to the City Project Manager. The telephone must be answered during normal working hours or voicemail must be available to take a message.
- 4. At the request of the City, the Contractor must replace any incompetent, unfaithful, abusive, or disorderly person in their employment. The City and the Contractor must each be promptly notified by the other of any complaints received.

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- 5. The Contractor's employees shall wear suitable work clothes and personal protective equipment as defined by OSHA (hard hats, bucket harnesses, etc.) and meeting Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) and National Electrical Safety Code (NESC) requirements as indicated for all work conducted and be as clean and in as good appearance as the job conditions permit.
- 6. Contractor shall operate as an independent contractor and not as an agent, representative, partner, or employee of the City of Ocala, and shall control their operations at the work site, and be solely responsible for the acts or omissions of their employees.
- 7. No smoking is allowed on City property or projects.
- 8. Contractor must possess/obtain all required equipment to perform the work. A list of equipment shall be provided to the City upon request.
- 9. All company vehicles and uniforms shall display a visible company name/logo.

CITY OF OCALA RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. The City of Ocala will furnish the following services/data to the Contractor for the performance of services:
 - A. Provide access to drawings, specifications, schedules, reports, and other information prepared by/for the City of Ocala pertinent to the Contractor's responsibilities.
 - B. Access to City buildings and facilities to perform the work.
- 2. The City reserves the right to purchase any materials for the Contractor to use. The Contractor shall not charge a mark-up fee for material furnished by the City.
 - A. Metal for roofing panels will be provided by the City.

CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Contractor shall complete all work performed under this contract in accordance with policies and procedures of the City of Ocala and all applicable State and Federal laws, policies, procedures, and quidelines.
- 2. Contractor shall obtain and pay for any and licenses, additional equipment, dumping and/or disposal fees, etc., required to fulfill this contract.
- 3. If the Contractor is advised to leave a property by the property owner or their representative, the Contractor shall leave at once without altercation. Contractor shall then contact the City Project Manager within 24 hours and advise of the reason for not completing the assigned project.
- 4. Contractor shall be responsible for inspector's overtime.
- 5. Contractor is responsible for any and all damages including but not limited to buildings, curbing, pavement, landscaping, or irrigation systems caused by their activity. Should any public or private property be damaged or destroyed, the Contractor, at their expense, shall repair or make restoration as acceptable to the City of destroyed or damaged property no later than one (1) month from the date damage occurred.
- 6. Data collected by the Contractor shall be in a format compatible with, or easily converted to City's databases. A sequential naming convention should be applied to the files and documentation provided to the City.

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- 7. The Contractor shall ensure that all documents prepared under this contract have been prepared on a Windows-based operating system computer using the most current version of Microsoft Office, which includes: Word, Excel, Power Point, Access or any other software as specified and approved by City staff.
- 8. **Erosion Sediment and Flood Control:** Provide, maintain, and operate temporary facilities to control erosion and sediment, and to protect work and existing facilities from flooding during construction. Maintain drainage ways and construct temporary drainage facilities to allow runoff to flow properly.
- 9. **Testing Requirements:** Contractor shall be responsible for arranging, obtaining, and paying for all inspections and tests required. Such inspections and tests shall be performed by independent inspectors, testing laboratories, or other qualified individuals or entities acceptable to Engineer. Results of all required testing and inspections shall be submitted to the Engineer. For other requirements for tests and inspection refer to Article 14 in the City of Ocala Standard Specifications for Construction of Streets, Stormwater, Traffic, Water and Sewer Infrastructure.

SUB-CONTRACTORS

- 1. Contractor must perform a minimum of 60% of the work with their own forces.
- 2. Services assigned to sub-contractors must be approved in advance by the City Project Manager.

CONSTRUCTION WORK AREAS

- 1. The City of Ocala is not responsible for providing property or lay down yards to the Contractor for their materials or equipment. If private property is used, the City requires a copy of the agreement between the property owner and the Contractor. **Utilizing private property without written permission is prohibited.**
- 2. Components of the project, including temporary work and storage areas, will be located on-site per project. Staging areas will be located at project locations. Material and equipment staging areas will be kept in a clean and orderly fashion.
- 3. Provide on-site sanitary facilities as required by governing agencies.
- 4. Construction work area must be backfilled or protected by construction fencing at the end of each business day. Any work areas in roadways must at least be filled temporarily with asphalt millings or covered with a FDOT approved steel road plate before the roadway can be opened to traffic. If millings are used, the Contractor must maintain the millings daily until the millings are replaced with permanent asphalt.

SITE HOUSEKEEPING AND CLEANUP

- 1. **Waste/Debris:** The Contractor shall keep the premises free at all times from accumulation of waste materials and rubbish caused by operations and employees. Contractor shall provide approved containers for collection and disposal of waste materials, debris, and rubbish. Contractor shall dispose of debris in a legal manner. At least once weekly dispose of such waste materials, debris, and rubbish off-site.
- 2. **Cleanup:** Periodic cleanup to avoid hazards or interference with operations at the site, and to leave the site in a reasonable neat condition. Work site will be completely cleaned after each day of work. Sweep all roadways affected by the construction and where adjacent to work daily.

- 3. **Water Use:** The use of water to prevent the blowing of dust and debris during cutting operations and or cleaning operations is mandatory.
- 4. **Individual Project Cleaning:** At completion of each individual project, Contractor shall remove from the site all tools, equipment, surplus materials, debris, temporary facilities, scaffolding, and equipment. The areas of work shall be swept thoroughly and all marks, stains, rust, dirt, paint drippings, and the like shall be removed from all new and existing work to the satisfaction of the Owner.
- 5. **Final Cleaning:** Upon completion of work, clean entire work area/project site as applicable.
 - A. Leave the work and adjacent areas affected in a cleaned condition satisfactory to the City Project Manager.
 - B. The Contractor shall clean and remove from the premises, all surplus and discarded materials, rubbish, and temporary structures, and shall restore in an acceptable manner all property, both public and private, which has been damaged during the prosecution of the work and shall have the work in a neat and presentable condition. *Note: Any and all debris shall be removed from the premises. New construction debris, trash, etc., shall not be left or buried on site.*
 - C. Broom clean exterior paved driveways and parking areas and hose clean sidewalks and concrete exposed surfaces if impacted by work or included in work area.
 - D. All furnishings and equipment shall be placed back in the original locations.
 - E. All work areas must be returned to original condition.

SUBMITTALS

- 1. Provide submittals as required by City of Ocala Standard Specifications for Construction of Streets, Stormwater, Traffic, Water and Sewer Infrastructure.
- 2. Submit copies of permits and approvals for construction as required by laws and regulations of governing agencies.
- 3. Submit temporary construction parking area plans, storage yard, storage trailer location, staging area plan, and plan for disposal of waste materials.

SAFETY

- 1. The Contractor is solely responsible for ensuring safety during construction, and for conformance to all applicable OSHA standards; and local, state, and national codes concerning safety provisions for their employees, sub-contractors, all building and site occupants, staff, public, and all persons in or around the work area.
- 2. Job site visits by City staff do not constitute approval, awareness, or liability for any hazardous condition.
- 3. Contractor shall be responsible for securing their equipment, materials, clothing, and other property.
- 4. Prior to completion, storage and adequate protection of all material and equipment will be the Contractor's responsibility.
- 5. In no event shall the City be responsible for any damages to any of the Contractor's equipment, materials, property, or clothing lost, damaged, destroyed or stolen.

Exhibit A – SCOPE OF WORK

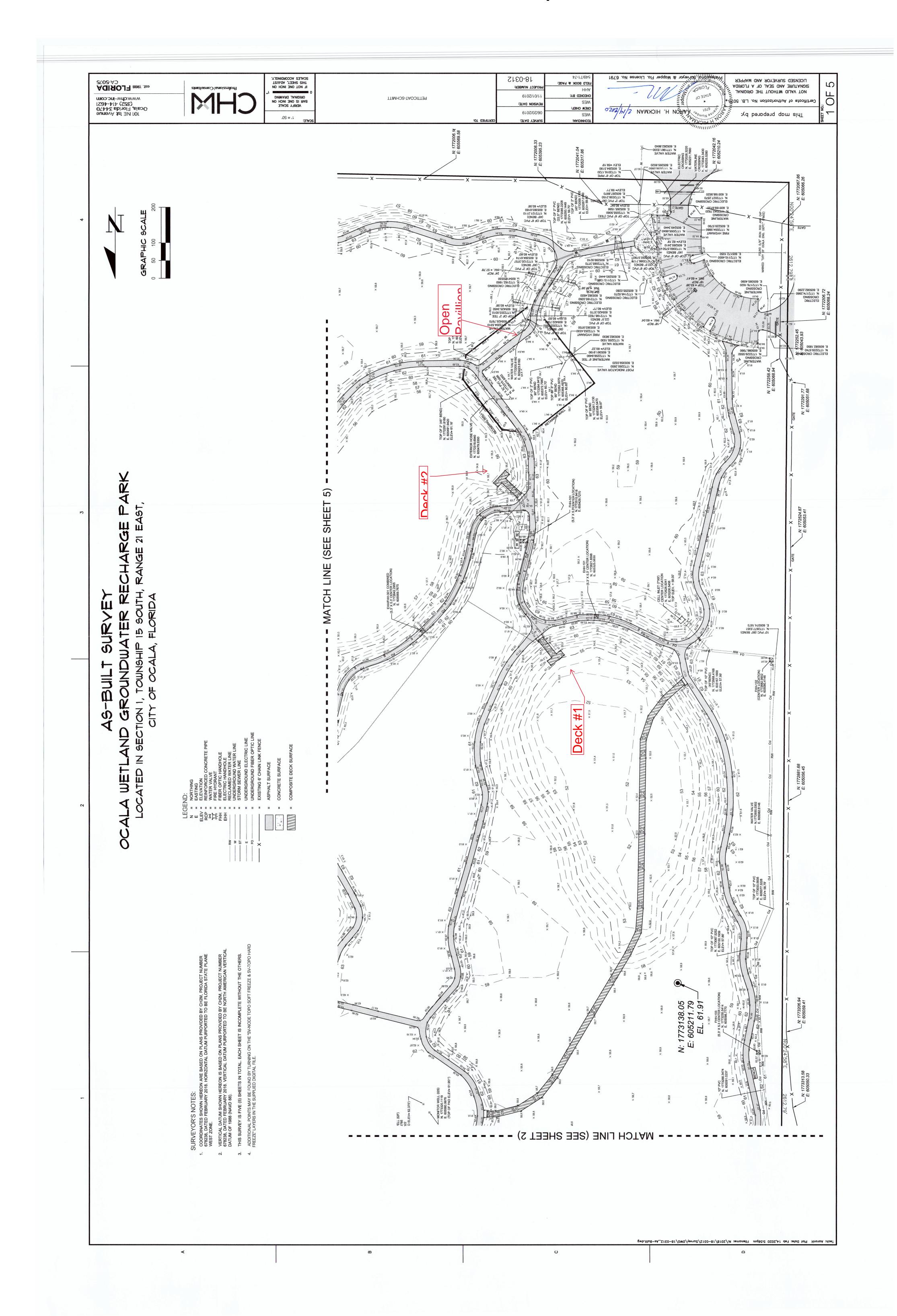
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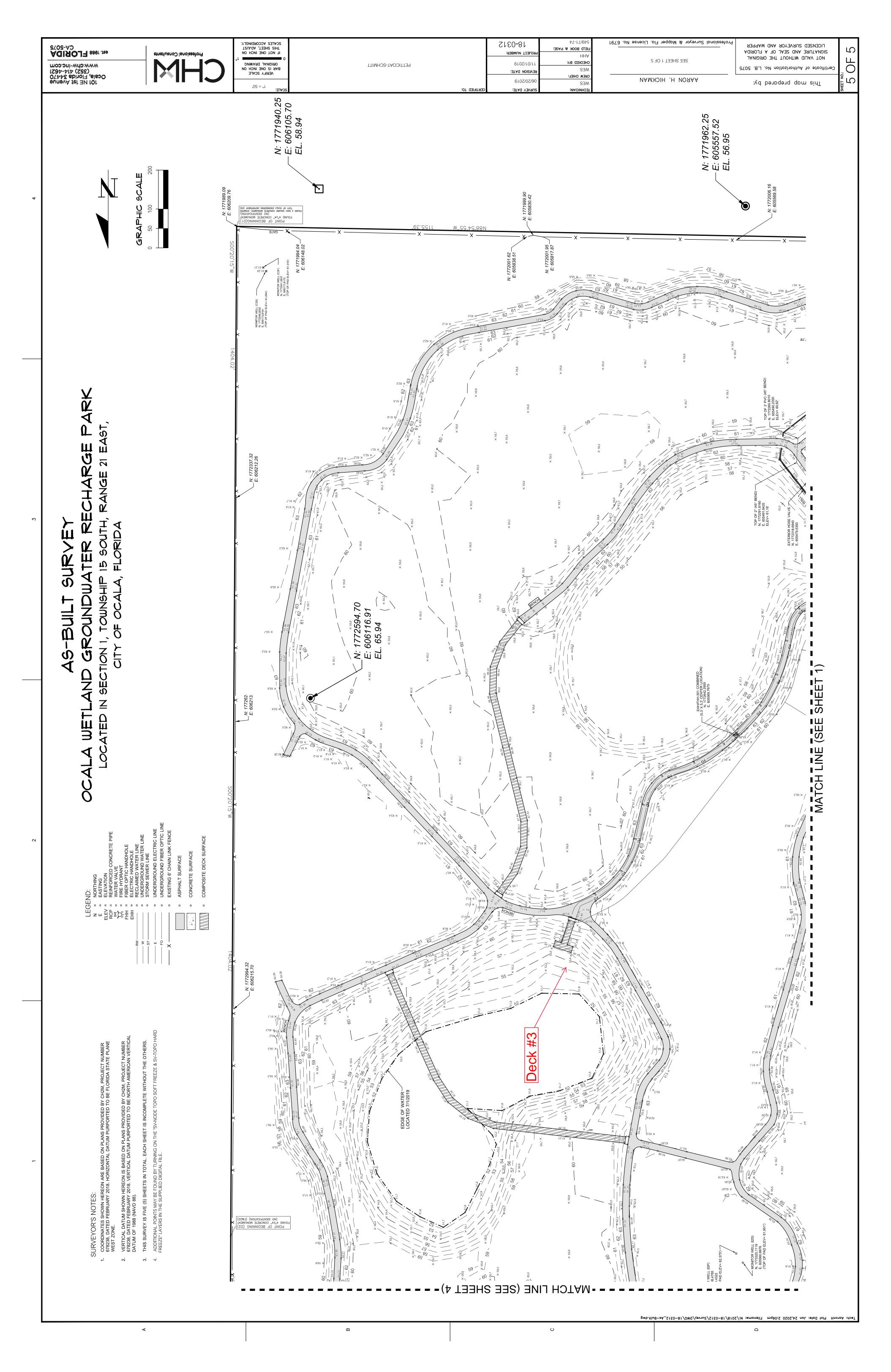
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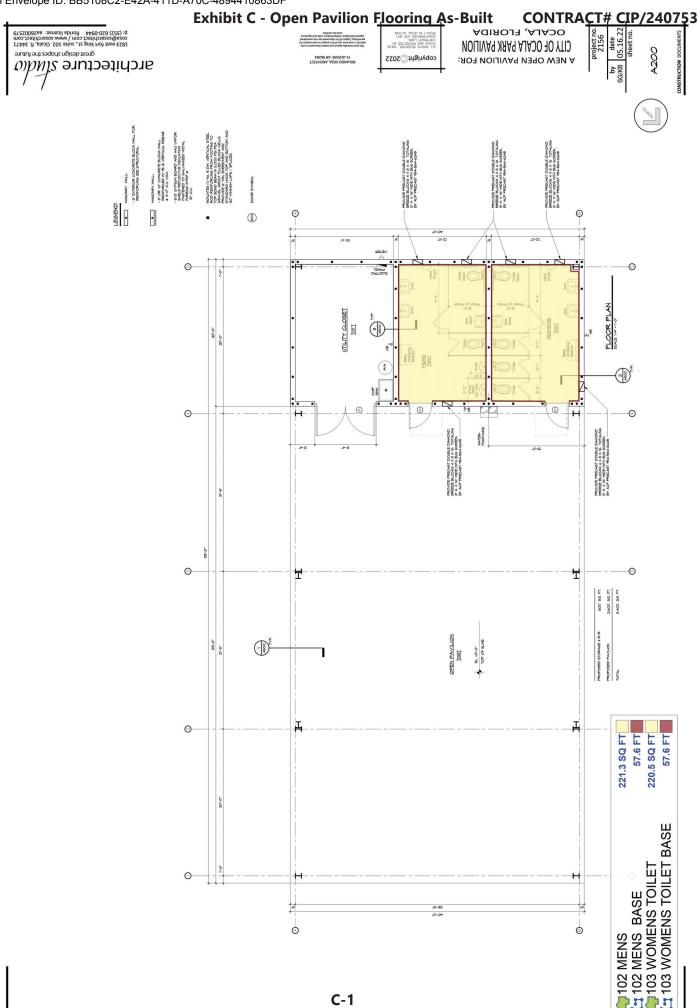
- 1. Contractor shall provide a **three (3) years** material and labor warranty from the date of substantial completion, against operational failure caused by defective material or workmanship which occurs during normal use.
- 2. All manufacturer warranty documentation and owner/operator manuals must be provided before final payment request.

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Lump sum amount must include all direct and indirect costs to complete the project.







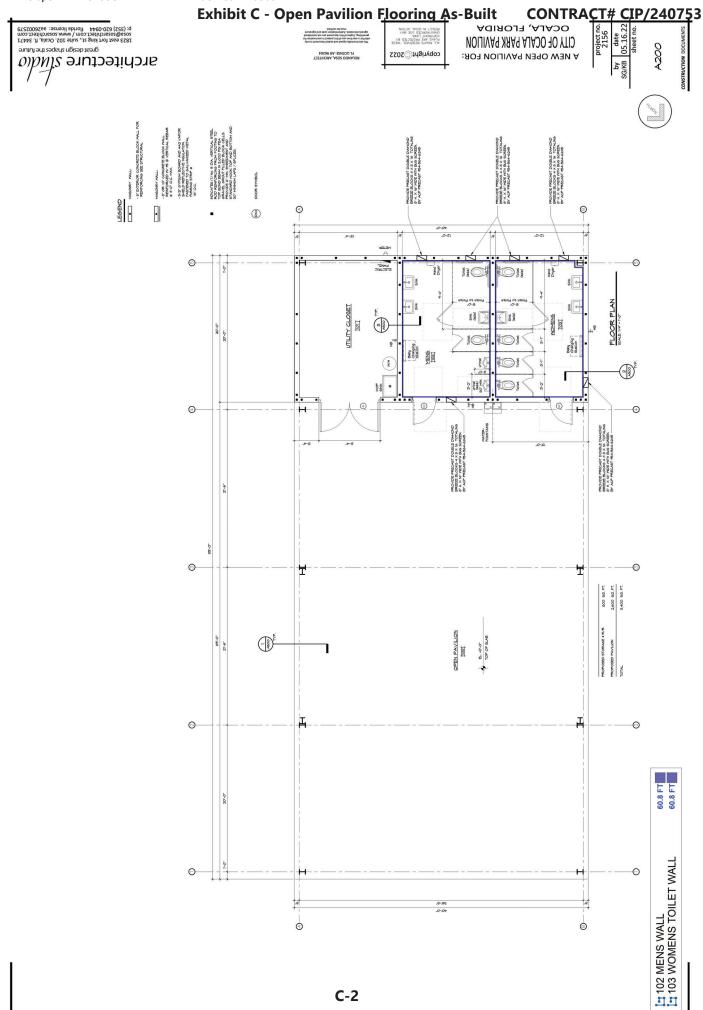


Exhibit D – Ocala Shade Structure CONTRACT# CIP/240753

The Ocala Shade Structure Plans for the Ocala Wetlands Structure are available for inspection and copying at:

1805 NE 30th Avenue, Bldg. 700, Ocala, Florida 34470.

StealthNet™

Bird Barrier America, Inc. 20925 Chico Street Carson, CA 90746

Phone (310) 527-8000, (800) 503-5444

Fax: (310) 527-8005

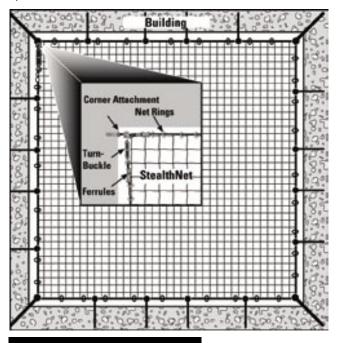
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CSI Division 10296

Bird Barrier StealthNet and Intallation Hardware Systems

MR-MANUFACTURER

Bird Barrier America, Inc. manufactures StealthNet from ultraviolet stabilized strands of polyethylene plastic. Installation hardware is available in both galvanized and stainless steel options.



StealthNet installation schematic

PR-PRODUCT PRESENTATION

Total Bird Exclusion

Bird Barrier's StealthNet offers the latest technology in total bird exclusion of sparrows, starlings, swallows, pigeons, gulls, crows and any other pest bird. StealthNet is fast becoming the most widely used netting for bird exclusion across America.

Strong, Versatile Netting

The net is made from high density, ultra-violet stabilized polyethylene twine, a material that will last ten years or more if installed correctly. Because StealthNet is knotted from a

strong cabled twine, it is more than five times stronger than inferior plastic molded nets; it will not rip apart under normal stress, or sag over time.

Invisible

StealthNet's twine, while very strong, is actually very thin. And because it is available in black, white, stone (beige) and the net can always be chosen in a color that will blend in with the background. The final result is always a secure and permanent solution that is very hard to see.

Multiple Mesh Sizes

Because pest birds vary in size, StealthNet is available in different mesh sizes for different birds. For example, 3/4" mesh for sparrows and swallows, 1-1/8" mesh for starlings, 2" mesh for pigeons, and 4" mesh for gulls and crows. Obviously, smaller birds can penetrate larger mesh nets, so care must be taken to identify the pest birds correctly.

No Size Limit

StealthNet is readily available in a whole host of pre-cut sizes, from 25' x 25' up to 50' x 100'. And, for no extra per-foot cost, it is available in custom sizes up to 500' x 500'. That means large net jobs can be installed without seams which take extra time and weaken the overall net job.

Access Behind Net

StealthNet zippers or net clips can be installed in the netting in any application to allow for access to enclosed areas, maintenance, changing of light-bulbs, etc.

Many Uses

StealthNet has literally thousands of applications including: courtyards, warehouse ceilings, bridge undersides, air conditioning enclosures, signs and billboards, church steeples, ledges, balconies, alleys, loading docks, hangars, patios, eaves, roofs, ponds, vineyards and faces of entire buildings.

Installation Hardware

StealthNet's comprehensive hardware has options for any mounting surface including stone, concrete, steel, wood, stucco and brick. A strong cable system is actually bolted or fastened securely to the building before the netting is installed. This insures a strong, solid, non-moving system that will not weaken over time. And because all fixtures are mechanical (no adhesives, Velcro etc.), you can be assured of an installation that will stand the test of time. Specialized tools for the netting and hardware are available from Bird Barrier.

StealthNet

Material: Ultra-violet stabilized polyethylene plastic Construction: 3 x 2 ply. Three groups of two strands are

Exhibit E - StealthNet Specs

wrapped into a tight, rope-like group of six.

Breaking Strength: Std. 44lbs - HD 50lbs per strand

Size: Mesh available in 3/4", 1-1/8", 2", 4" and 6"

Sizes: 25' x 25', 25' x 50', 25' x 75', 50' x 50', 50' x 75', and

50' x 100'. Unlimited custom sizes available up to 500' x 500'.

Colors: Black, white and stone (beige)

Installation Hardware

Corner Bolts: For wood, stone, steel etc. available in galvanized and stainless steel

Cable: 5/64" perimeter cable available in galvanized and stainless steel

Turnbuckles: Small, medium and large available in galvanized and stainless steel

Miscellaneous fasteners, brackets and clips. All additional mounting systems are available in galvanized and stainless steel

UA-USES, APPLICATIONS

Bird Barrier's StealthNet can be used to block access to any bird in or on any architectural structure. The net can be installed horizontally, vertically or literally any way necessary to accomplish the task of closing off access to unwanted pest birds like sparrows, starlings, pigeons, gulls, crows etc. StealthNet's anchoring system can provide for a permanent solution that is very hard to see.

AI-ASSEMBLY, INSTALLATION

The netting is available out of the box in many pre-cut sizes, colors and mesh configurations (see above). The comprehensive hardware system is available as required for the specific installation.

MF-MATERIALS, FINISHES

StealthNet is made from ultra-violet stabilized polyethylene, while the hardware is made from both galvanized and stainless steel.

TS-TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Bird Barrier's knowledgeable field representatives are available to assist in any aspect of evaluation, product recommendation and even local certified installation. Call 800-503-5444, or fax drawings and other pertinent information to 310-527-8005. Free literature, catalogs, job evaluation worksheets and installation information is available.

Due to the complexity of the average StealthNet installation, it is highly recommended that the manufacturer is contacted directly, and that knowledgeable, certified installers be used to insure the best, long-lasting results.

StealthNet's Thermal Properties

Softening Point: In the region of 250 degrees Fahrenheit. Melting Point: In excess of 270 degrees. Burns with difficulty, flame will not spread. May be heated for short periods up to 600 degrees.

Low Temperature: Retains its flexibility at very low temperatures and does not become rigid under freezing conditions.

StealthNet's Chemical Properties

Polyethylene, being a paraffin hydrocarbon, is inherently chemically inert and is highly resistant to a wide range of chemicals at ordinary temperatures. It does not rot and does not absorb water. Polyethylene fibers have a high resistance to acids and alkalids of all concentrations. They are insoluble in most common organic solvents at room temperature.

StealthNet's Electrical Properties

Polyethylene is an outstanding electrical insulator, especially to high frequency currents.

Effects of Insects and Micro-organisms

The fibers are not digested by insects and are completely resistant to bacteria, mildew and other micro-organisms. This makes StealthNet virtually rot-proof.

SPECIFICATION GUIDELINES

General

1.1 Description

1.1.1 Install Bird Barrier StealthNet to block access to pest birds from any open area, opening or complicated bird roost, to prevent damage from droppings and nesting materials.

1.2 Quality Assurance

- 1.2.1 Obtain technical literature from manufacturer or distributor, telephone consultation and plan/photograph evaluation.
- 1.2.2 Utilize certified installation companies in your area who are fully skilled with Bird Barrier products, and carry the proper insurance coverage.
- 1.2.3 Utilize labor recommended by Bird Barrier for especially challenging applications.

1.3 Submittals

1.3.1 Submit manufacturer's samples, catalog cuts, shop sketches and other descriptive material.

1.4 Product Handling

1.4.1 Protect Bird Barrier StealthNet and hardware systems from damage before, during and after installation.

1.4.2 If damage occurs to Bird Barrier StealthNet, make all replacements immediately.

Products

2.1 Acceptable Manufacturer

2.1.1 Bird Barrier America, Inc., 20925 Chico Street, Carson, CA 90746. Phone 800-503-5444, 310-527-8000, Fax 310-527-8005, Web: www.birdbarrier.com

2.2 Model Designation

2.2.1 StealthNet 3/4" Mesh, available in black, white and stone (beige) with 12/6 and 12/4 strand configurations.

2.2.2 StealthNet 1-1/8" Mesh, available in black, white and stone (beige)

2.2.3 StealthNet 2" Mesh, available in black, white and stone (beige)

Material

Material: Ultra-violet stabilized polyethylene plastic Construction: 3 x 2 ply. Three groups of two strands are wrapped into a tight, rope-like group of six.

Breaking Strength: 50 pounds per strand

Size: Mesh available in 3/4", 1-1/8", 2", 4" and 6"

Sizes: 25' x 25', 25' x 50', 25' x 75', 50' x 50', 50' x 75', 50' x

100'

Unlimited custom sizes available up to 500' x 500'.

Colors: Black, white and stone (beige)

2.3 Mounting Systems

- 2.3.1 Solid steel: for corner attachments use Bird Barrier corner bolts with lock nuts or Bird Barrier multipurpose fasteners with powder actuated fire-in pins. Use Bird Barrier multipurpose fasteners with powder actuated fire-in pins, for intermediate attachments.
- 2.3.2 Steel I-beams: for corner attachments use Bird Barrier corner bolts with lock nuts and for intermediate attachments, use the appropriate size Bird Barrier girder clip.
- 2.3.3 Sheet metal: use Bird Barrier multipurpose fasteners with self-tapping screws for corner/intermediate attachments.
 2.3.4 Brick, concrete and stone: for corner attachments use Bird Barrier expanding corner net bolts and for intermediate attachments use one of the following Bird Barrier attachments, open or closed net loop, net spike, or split pin and anchor rivet.
- 2.3.5 Wood: for corner attachments use Bird Barrier screw eyes and for intermediate fasteners use one of the following Bird Barrier spade screw, screw eye or split pin and anchor rivet.
- 2.3.6 Stucco: for corner attachments use either Bird Barrier corner net bolts or screw eyes and for intermediate fasteners use Bird Barrier Kwik togs with eye loops. For smaller installations it is possible to use Bird Barrier thin wire net clips for intermediate attachments.
- 2.3.7 Upon completion of installing corner bolts and intermediate attachments, using a Bird Barrier crimping tool and ferrules attach cable to a corner bolt. Then guide

the cable through the intermediate attachments (straight runs of cable are the only acceptable way to install cable). At the opposite end of the cable run, a turnbuckle (opened all the way) will be installed using ferrules and a Bird Barrier crimping tool to tension the cable.

2.3.8 Special systems available where holes are not desired.2.3.9 Special tools such as Bird Barrier Crimping tool and Hog Ring tool are necessary to insure the proper installation of StealthNet.

2.3.10 Correct intermediate attachment placement 2" or 1-1/8" StealthNet every 4 feet, 3/4" StealthNet every 3 feet.

Execution

3.1 Examination

- 3.1.1 Examine installation area. Notify architect of detrimental work conditions.
- 3.1.2 Do not proceed until conditions are corrected.

3.2 Surface Preparation

- 3.2.1 Bird droppings shall be removed in a safe manner; large quantities shall be removed and disposed of by reputable waste removal companies. Work areas shall be cleaned, and repair work shall be done in areas which will be excluded by StealthNet.
- 3.2.2 Remove or repair articles that may damage the StealthNet after installation, such as tree limbs, brush, and loose parts of the building.

3.3 Installation

- 3.3.1 Install StealthNet as recommended by the manufacturer. StealthNet shall fit the area to be protected perfectly so pest birds cannot enter the protected area, and so the netting blends perfectly with the architecture.
- 3.3.2 StealthNet's correct mesh sized shall be specified to insure exclusion of the correct pest bird
- 3.3.3 StealthNet shall be installed "tight-as-a-drum" to insure a secure, long-lasting installation that is very hard to see. Loose installations will not stand the test of time, will look unsightly and may entrap birds.

3.4 Inspection

- 3.4.1 Visually inspect StealthNet for poor adherence to mounting surfaces, or other problems related to poor installation or surface preparation.
- 3.4.2 Repair as necessary immediately.

OM-OPERATION, MAINTENANCE

If the StealthNet is installed per our specifications, the product should be virtually maintenance free. Wind or rain will not damage the net as long as it is secured per our specifications. Ten year manufacturer's warranty against ultra-violet breakdown and defective workmanship for black StealthNet and three year warranty for Stone and White StealthNet.

Exhibit F – Overlook Shade Covers CONTRACT# CIP/240753

The Overlook Shade Covers Plan for the Ocala Wetlands is available for inspection and copying at:

1805 NE 30th Avenue, Bldg. 700, Ocala, Florida 34470.

Exhibit G - T19023 Grant Document

CONTRACT# CIP/240753

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Standard Grant Agreement

This Agreement is entered into between the Parties named below, pursuant to Section 215.971, Florida Statutes:							
1.	Project Title (Project):	Project Title (Project): Agreement Number:			mber:		
	Wetland Park Rest Area				T1923		
2.			f Environmental Protectio	on,			
		mmonwealth Boulevan			(Department)		
	Grantee Name: City of Oc	see, Florida 32399-300	<u>UU </u>	Entity Type:			
	Grance Traine. City of Oc	aia		a l	Entity Type: a local government		
	Grantee Address: 1805 NE	30th Avenue, Buil	ding 600, Ocala, FL 3	4470 FEID:	59-6000392 (Grantee)		
3.	. Agreement Begin Date: Date of Expiration:			iration:			
	Upon Execution	oon Execution Two years from date of execution			n date of execution		
4.	Project Number: T19023 (If different from Agreement Number) Project Location(s): 2201 NW 21st Street, Ocala, FL 34			Street, Ocala, FL 34475			
	Project Description: Engineer	ing, design and construc	etion of 40' x 90' (+/- 10%) re	stroom pavilion with wa	ter stations, three overlook		
	shade cov	ers, water fountain with	n bottle filling attachment and	d shade cover for existin	g restroom.		
5.	Total Amount of Funding:	Funding Source?	Award #s or Line Item Ap	nronriations:	Amount per Source(s):		
5.	\$376,880.00	☐ State ☑ Federal	RTP		\$376,880.00		
	\$370,000.00	☐ State ☐ Federal			40.0,00000		
		✓ Grantee Match			\$94,231.00		
		r	Total Amount of Funding +	Grantee Match, if any:	\$471,111.00		
6.	Department's Grant Manager		Grantee's Grant I				
	Name: Tara V. Reynolds		Name:	Rachel Slocumb			
		or succes	ssor		or successor		
	Address: 3900 Commonwea	alth Boulevard	Address:	1805 NE 30th Avenu	e		
	MS 58			Building 600			
Tallahassee, FL 32399			Ocala, FL 34470				
	Phone: 850-245-2065	OF LIDER		352-351-6774			
	Email: Tara.V.Reynolds	9		Email: Rslocumb@ocalafl.org			
7. The Parties agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the following attachments and exhibits which are hereby incorporated by reference:							
	Attachment 1: Standard Terms		cable to All Grants Agreeme	ents			
	Attachment 2: Special Terms a						
✓ Attachment 3: Grant Work Plan							
✓ Attachment 4: Public Records Requirements							
✓ Attachment 5: Special Audit Requirements							
✓ Attachment 6: Program-Specific Requirements ✓ Attachment 7: Grant Award Terms (Federal) *Copy available at https://facts.fldfs.com , in accordance with §215.985, F.S.							
	Attachment 8: Federal Regulat			e at ittps://facts.fidis.com, in	accordance with §213.363, P.S.		
Additional Attachments (if necessary): Attachment 9: Form FHWA 1273							
☑ Exhibit A: Progress Report Form							
	Exhibit B: Property Reporting						
✓ Exhibit C: Payment Request Summary Form							
☐ Exhibit D: Quality Assurance Requirements for Grants							
	Exhibit E: Advance Payment T						
	Additional Exhibits (if necessa			ntractor Recipient General Terms a	nd Conditions for Assistance Awards		

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8. The following information applies to Federal Grants only and is identified in accordance with 2 CFR 200.331(a)(1):

Federal Award Identification Number(s) (FAIN):

Federal Award Date to Department:

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Federal Award Date to Department:

9/10/19

Total Federal Funds Obligated by this Agreement:

Federal Awarding Agency:

U.S. Department of Transportation - Federal Highway Administration

Award R&D?

□ Yes ☑ N/A

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement shall be effective on the date indicated by the Agreement Begin Date above or the last date signed below, whichever is later.

City o	f Ocala	GRANTEE	
Grant By	tee Name	02 / 02 / 2021	
	(Authorized Signature) n Grabelle, City Council President	Date Signed	ATTEST: Angel B. Jacobs
			Angel B. Jacobs
Print	Name and Title of Person Signing		City Clerk
State	of Florida Department of Environmental Protectio	n DEPARTMEN	VΤ
Ву	Emile Hamilton Digitally signed by Emile Hamilton Date: 2021.03.04 07:08:00 -06'00'		
	Secretary or Designee	Date Signed	
Emile	e D. Hamilton, Deputy Secretary, Land an	d Recreation	
Print	Name and Title of Person Signing		
∃ Ado	ditional signatures attached on separate page.	Approved as to form and legality:	
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		Robert W. Batsel, Jr. City Attorney	



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STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO GRANT AGREEMENTS

ATTACHMENT 1

1. Entire Agreement.

This Grant Agreement, including any Attachments and Exhibits referred to herein and/or attached hereto (Agreement), constitutes the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to such subject matter. Any terms and conditions included on Grantee's forms or invoices shall be null and void.

2. Grant Administration.

- a. <u>Order of Precedence.</u> If there are conflicting provisions among the documents that make up the Agreement, the order of precedence for interpretation of the Agreement is as follows:
 - i. Standard Grant Agreement
 - ii. Attachments other than Attachment 1, in numerical order as designated in the Standard Grant Agreement
 - iii. Attachment 1, Standard Terms and Conditions
 - iv. The Exhibits in the order designated in the Standard Grant Agreement
- b. All approvals, written or verbal, and other written communication among the parties, including all notices, shall be obtained by or sent to the parties' Grant Managers. All written communication shall be by electronic mail, U.S. Mail, a courier delivery service, or delivered in person. Notices shall be considered delivered when reflected by an electronic mail read receipt, a courier service delivery receipt, other mail service delivery receipt, or when receipt is acknowledged by recipient. If the notice is delivered in multiple ways, the notice will be considered delivered at the earliest delivery time.
- c. If a different Grant Manager is designated by either party after execution of this Agreement, notice of the name and contact information of the new Grant Manager will be submitted in writing to the other party and maintained in the respective parties' records. A change of Grant Manager does not require a formal amendment or change order to the Agreement.
- d. This Agreement may be amended, through a formal amendment or a change order, only by a written agreement between both parties. A formal amendment to this Agreement is required for changes which cause any of the following: (1) an increase or decrease in the Agreement funding amount; (2) a change in Grantee's match requirements; (3) a change in the expiration date of the Agreement; and/or (4) changes to the cumulative amount of funding transfers between approved budget categories, as defined in Attachment 3, Grant Work Plan, that exceeds or is expected to exceed twenty percent (20%) of the total budget as last approved by Department. A change order to this Agreement may be used when: (1) task timelines within the current authorized Agreement period change; (2) the cumulative transfer of funds between approved budget categories, as defined in Attachment 3, Grant Work Plan, are less than twenty percent (20%) of the total budget as last approved by Department; (3) changing the current funding source as stated in the Standard Grant Agreement; and/or (4) fund transfers between budget categories for the purposes of meeting match requirements. This Agreement may be amended to provide for additional services if additional funding is made available by the Legislature.
- e. All days in this Agreement are calendar days unless otherwise specified.

3. Agreement Duration.

The term of the Agreement shall begin and end on the dates indicated in the Standard Grant Agreement, unless extended or terminated earlier in accordance with the applicable terms and conditions. The Grantee shall be eligible for reimbursement for work performed on or after the date of execution through the expiration date of this Agreement, unless otherwise specified in Attachment 2, Special Terms and Conditions. However, work performed prior to the execution of this Agreement may be reimbursable or used for match purposes if permitted by the Special Terms and Conditions.

4. Deliverables.

The Grantee agrees to render the services or other units of deliverables as set forth in Attachment 3, Grant Work Plan. The services or other units of deliverables shall be delivered in accordance with the schedule and at the pricing outlined in the Grant Work Plan. Deliverables may be comprised of activities that must be completed prior to Department making payment on that deliverable. The Grantee agrees to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement and all attachments and exhibits incorporated by the Standard Grant Agreement.

Attachment 1

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5. Performance Measures.

The Grantee warrants that: (1) the services will be performed by qualified personnel; (2) the services will be of the kind and quality described in the Grant Work Plan; (3) the services will be performed in a professional and workmanlike manner in accordance with industry standards and practices; (4) the services shall not and do not knowingly infringe upon the intellectual property rights, or any other proprietary rights, of any third party; and (5) its employees, subcontractors, and/or subgrantees shall comply with any security and safety requirements and processes, if provided by Department, for work done at the Project Location(s). The Department reserves the right to investigate or inspect at any time to determine whether the services or qualifications offered by Grantee meet the Agreement requirements. Notwithstanding any provisions herein to the contrary, written acceptance of a particular deliverable does not foreclose Department's remedies in the event deficiencies in the deliverable cannot be readily measured at the time of delivery.

6. Acceptance of Deliverables.

- a. <u>Acceptance Process.</u> All deliverables must be received and accepted in writing by Department's Grant Manager before payment. The Grantee shall work diligently to correct all deficiencies in the deliverable that remain outstanding, within a reasonable time at Grantee's expense. If Department's Grant Manager does not accept the deliverables within 30 days of receipt, they will be deemed rejected.
- b. Rejection of Deliverables. The Department reserves the right to reject deliverables, as outlined in the Grant Work Plan, as incomplete, inadequate, or unacceptable due, in whole or in part, to Grantee's lack of satisfactory performance under the terms of this Agreement. The Grantee's efforts to correct the rejected deliverables will be at Grantee's sole expense. Failure to fulfill the applicable technical requirements or complete all tasks or activities in accordance with the Grant Work Plan will result in rejection of the deliverable and the associated invoice. Payment for the rejected deliverable will not be issued unless the rejected deliverable is made acceptable to Department in accordance with the Agreement requirements. The Department, at its option, may allow additional time within which Grantee may remedy the objections noted by Department. The Grantee's failure to make adequate or acceptable deliverables after a reasonable opportunity to do so shall constitute an event of default.

7. Financial Consequences for Nonperformance.

- a. Withholding Payment. In addition to the specific consequences explained in the Grant Work Plan and/or Special Terms and Conditions, the State of Florida (State) reserves the right to withhold payment when the Grantee has failed to perform/comply with provisions of this Agreement. None of the financial consequences for nonperformance in this Agreement as more fully described in the Grant Work Plan shall be considered penalties.
- b. <u>Corrective Action Plan</u>. If Grantee fails to correct all the deficiencies in a rejected deliverable within the specified timeframe, Department may, in its sole discretion, request that a proposed Corrective Action Plan (CAP) be submitted by Grantee to Department. The Department requests that Grantee specify the outstanding deficiencies in the CAP. All CAPs must be able to be implemented and performed in no more than sixty (60) calendar days.
 - i. The Grantee shall submit a CAP within ten (10) days of the date of the written request from Department. The CAP shall be sent to the Department's Grant Manager for review and approval. Within ten (10) days of receipt of a CAP, Department shall notify Grantee in writing whether the CAP proposed has been accepted. If the CAP is not accepted, Grantee shall have ten (10) days from receipt of Department letter rejecting the proposal to submit a revised proposed CAP. Failure to obtain Department approval of a CAP as specified above may result in Department's termination of this Agreement for cause as authorized in this Agreement.
 - ii. Upon Department's notice of acceptance of a proposed CAP, Grantee shall have ten (10) days to commence implementation of the accepted plan. Acceptance of the proposed CAP by Department does not relieve Grantee of any of its obligations under the Agreement. In the event the CAP fails to correct or eliminate performance deficiencies by Grantee, Department shall retain the right to require additional or further remedial steps, or to terminate this Agreement for failure to perform. No actions approved by Department or steps taken by Grantee shall preclude Department from subsequently asserting any deficiencies in performance. The Grantee shall continue to implement the CAP until all deficiencies are corrected. Reports on the progress of the CAP will be made to Department as requested by Department's Grant Manager.
 - iii. Failure to respond to a Department request for a CAP or failure to correct a deficiency in the performance of the Agreement as specified by Department may result in termination of the Agreement.

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8. Payment

- a. <u>Payment Process.</u> Subject to the terms and conditions established by the Agreement, the pricing per deliverable established by the Grant Work Plan, and the billing procedures established by Department, Department agrees to pay Grantee for services rendered in accordance with Section 215.422, Florida Statutes (F.S.).
- b. <u>Taxes.</u> The Department is exempted from payment of State sales, use taxes and Federal excise taxes. The Grantee, however, shall not be exempted from paying any taxes that it is subject to, including State sales and use taxes, or for payment by Grantee to suppliers for taxes on materials used to fulfill its contractual obligations with Department. The Grantee shall not use Department's exemption number in securing such materials. The Grantee shall be responsible and liable for the payment of all its FICA/Social Security and other taxes resulting from this Agreement.
- c. <u>Maximum Amount of Agreement</u>. The maximum amount of compensation under this Agreement, without an amendment, is described in the Standard Grant Agreement. Any additional funds necessary for the completion of this Project are the responsibility of Grantee.
- d. Reimbursement for Costs. The Grantee shall be paid on a cost reimbursement basis for all eligible Project costs upon the completion, submittal, and approval of each deliverable identified in the Grant Work Plan. Reimbursement shall be requested on Exhibit C, Payment Request Summary Form. To be eligible for reimbursement, costs must be in compliance with laws, rules, and regulations applicable to expenditures of State funds, including, but not limited to, the Reference Guide for State Expenditures, which can be accessed at the following web address:

 https://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/AA/Manuals/documents/ReferenceGuideforStateExpenditures.pdf.
- e. <u>Invoice Detail.</u> All charges for services rendered or for reimbursement of expenses authorized by Department pursuant to the Grant Work Plan shall be submitted to Department in sufficient detail for a proper pre-audit and post-audit to be performed. The Grantee shall only invoice Department for deliverables that are completed in accordance with the Grant Work Plan.
- f. <u>Interim Payments.</u> Interim payments may be made by Department, at its discretion, if the completion of deliverables to date have first been accepted in writing by Department's Grant Manager.
- g. <u>Final Payment Request.</u> A final payment request should be submitted to Department no later than sixty (60) days following the expiration date of the Agreement to ensure the availability of funds for payment. However, all work performed pursuant to the Grant Work Plan must be performed on or before the expiration date of the Agreement.
- h. <u>Annual Appropriation Contingency</u>. The State's performance and obligation to pay under this Agreement is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Legislature. This Agreement is not a commitment of future appropriations. Authorization for continuation and completion of work and any associated payments may be rescinded, with proper notice, at the discretion of Department if the Legislature reduces or eliminates appropriations.
- i. <u>Interest Rates.</u> All interest rates charged under the Agreement shall be calculated on the prevailing rate used by the State Board of Administration. To obtain the applicable interest rate, please refer to: www.mvfloridacfo.com/Division/AA/Vendors/default.htm.
- j. <u>Refund of Payments to the Department.</u> Any balance of unobligated funds that have been advanced or paid must be refunded to Department. Any funds paid in excess of the amount to which Grantee or subgrantee is entitled under the terms of the Agreement must be refunded to Department. <u>If this Agreement is funded with federal funds and the Department is required to refund the federal government</u>, the Grantee shall refund the Department its share of those funds.
- 9. Documentation Required for Cost Reimbursement Grant Agreements and Match.

If Cost Reimbursement or Match is authorized in Attachment 2, Special Terms and Conditions, the following conditions apply. Supporting documentation must be provided to substantiate cost reimbursement or match requirements for the following budget categories:

- a. <u>Salary/Wages.</u> Grantee shall list personnel involved, position classification, direct salary rates, and hours spent on the Project in accordance with Attachment 3, Grant Work Plan in their documentation for reimbursement or match requirements.
- b. Overhead/Indirect/General and Administrative Costs. If Grantee is being reimbursed for or claiming match for multipliers, all multipliers used (i.e., fringe benefits, overhead, indirect, and/or general and administrative rates) shall be supported by audit. If Department determines that multipliers charged by Grantee exceeded the rates supported by audit, Grantee shall be required to reimburse such funds to Department within thirty (30) days of written notification. Interest shall be charged on the excessive rate.

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- c. Contractual Costs (Subcontractors). Match or reimbursement requests for payments to subcontractors must be substantiated by copies of invoices with backup documentation identical to that required from Grantee. Subcontracts which involve payments for direct salaries shall clearly identify the personnel involved, salary rate per hour, and hours spent on the Project. All eligible multipliers used (i.e., fringe benefits, overhead, indirect, and/or general and administrative rates) shall be supported by audit. If Department determines that multipliers charged by any subcontractor exceeded the rates supported by audit, Grantee shall be required to reimburse such funds to Department within thirty (30) days of written notification. Interest shall be charged on the excessive rate. Nonconsumable and/or nonexpendable personal property or equipment costing \$5,000 or more purchased for the Project under a subcontract is subject to the requirements set forth in Chapters 273 and/or 274, F.S., and Chapter 69I-72, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.) and/or Chapter 69I-73, F.A.C., as applicable. The Grantee shall be responsible for maintaining appropriate property records for any subcontracts that include the purchase of equipment as part of the delivery of services. The Grantee shall comply with this requirement and ensure its subcontracts issued under this Agreement, if any, impose this requirement, in writing, on its subcontractors.
 - For fixed-price (vendor) subcontracts, the following provisions shall apply: The Grantee may award, on a competitive basis, fixed-price subcontracts to consultants/contractors in performing the work described in Attachment 3, Grant Work Plan. Invoices submitted to Department for fixed-price subcontracted activities shall be supported with a copy of the subcontractor's invoice and a copy of the tabulation form for the competitive procurement process (e.g., Invitation to Bid, Request for Proposals, or other similar competitive procurement document) resulting in the fixed-price subcontract. The Grantee may request approval from Department to award a fixed-price subcontract resulting from procurement methods other than those identified above. In this instance, Grantee shall request the advance written approval from Department's Grant Manager of the fixed price negotiated by Grantee. The letter of request shall be supported by a detailed budget and Scope of Services to be performed by the subcontractor. Upon receipt of Department Grant Manager's approval of the fixed-price amount, Grantee may proceed in finalizing the fixed-price subcontract.
 - ii. If the procurement is subject to the Consultant's Competitive Negotiation Act under section 287.055, F.S. or the Brooks Act, Grantee must provide documentation clearly evidencing it has complied with the statutory or federal requirements.
- d. <u>Travel.</u> All requests for match or reimbursement of travel expenses shall be in accordance with Section 112.061, F.S.
- e. <u>Direct Purchase Equipment.</u> For the purposes of this Agreement, Equipment is defined as capital outlay costing \$5,000 or more. Match or reimbursement for Grantee's direct purchase of equipment is subject to specific approval of Department, and does not include any equipment purchased under the delivery of services to be completed by a subcontractor. Include copies of invoices or receipts to document purchases, and a properly completed Exhibit B, Property Reporting Form.
- f. Rental/Lease of Equipment. Match or reimbursement requests for rental/lease of equipment must include copies of invoices or receipts to document charges.
- g. <u>Miscellaneous/Other Expenses</u>. If miscellaneous or other expenses, such as materials, supplies, non-excluded phone expenses, reproduction, or mailing, are reimbursable or available for match or reimbursement under the terms of this Agreement, the documentation supporting these expenses must be itemized and include copies of receipts or invoices. Additionally, independent of Grantee's contract obligations to its subcontractor, Department shall not reimburse any of the following types of charges: cell phone usage; attorney's fees or court costs; civil or administrative penalties; or handling fees, such as set percent overages associated with purchasing supplies or equipment.
- h. <u>Land Acquisition</u>. Reimbursement for the costs associated with acquiring interest and/or rights to real property (including access rights through ingress/egress easements, leases, license agreements, or other site access agreements; and/or obtaining record title ownership of real property through purchase) must be supported by the following, as applicable: Copies of Property Appraisals, Environmental Site Assessments, Surveys and Legal Descriptions, Boundary Maps, Acreage Certification, Title Search Reports, Title Insurance, Closing Statements/Documents, Deeds, Leases, Easements, License Agreements, or other legal instrument documenting acquired property interest and/or rights. If land acquisition costs are used to meet match requirements, Grantee agrees that those funds shall not be used as match for any other Agreement supported by State or Federal funds.

10. Status Reports.

The Grantee shall submit status reports quarterly, unless otherwise specified in the Attachments, on Exhibit A, Progress Report Form, to Department's Grant Manager describing the work performed during the reporting period, problems encountered, problem resolutions, scheduled updates, and proposed work for the next reporting

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period. Quarterly status reports are due no later than twenty (20) days following the completion of the quarterly reporting period. For the purposes of this reporting requirement, the quarterly reporting periods end on March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31. The Department will review the required reports submitted by Grantee within thirty (30) days.

11. Retainage.

The following provisions apply if Department withholds retainage under this Agreement:

- a. The Department reserves the right to establish the amount and application of retainage on the work performed under this Agreement up to the maximum percentage described in Attachment 2, Special Terms and Conditions. Retainage may be withheld from each payment to Grantee pending satisfactory completion of work and approval of all deliverables.
- b. If Grantee fails to perform the requested work, or fails to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, Grantee shall forfeit its right to payment of the retainage associated with the work. Failure to perform includes, but is not limited to, failure to submit the required deliverables or failure to provide adequate documentation that the work was actually performed. The Department shall provide written notification to Grantee of the failure to perform that shall result in retainage forfeiture. If the Grantee does not correct the failure to perform within the timeframe stated in Department's notice, the retainage will be forfeited to Department.
- c. No retainage shall be released or paid for incomplete work while this Agreement is suspended.
- d. Except as otherwise provided above, Grantee shall be paid the retainage associated with the work, provided Grantee has completed the work and submits an invoice for retainage held in accordance with the invoicing procedures under this Agreement.

12. Insurance.

- a. <u>Insurance Requirements for Sub-Grantees and/or Subcontractors.</u> The Grantee shall require its sub-grantees and/or subcontractors, if any, to maintain insurance coverage of such types and with such terms and limits as described in this Agreement. The Grantee shall require all its sub-grantees and/or subcontractors, if any, to make compliance with the insurance requirements of this Agreement a condition of all contracts that are related to this Agreement. Sub-grantees and/or subcontractors must provide proof of insurance upon request.
- b. <u>Deductibles.</u> The Department shall be exempt from, and in no way liable for, any sums of money representing a deductible in any insurance policy. The payment of such deductible shall be the sole responsibility of the Grantee providing such insurance.
- c. <u>Proof of Insurance.</u> Upon execution of this Agreement, Grantee shall provide Department documentation demonstrating the existence and amount for each type of applicable insurance coverage *prior to* performance of any work under this Agreement. Upon receipt of written request from Department, Grantee shall furnish Department with proof of applicable insurance coverage by standard form certificates of insurance, a self-insured authorization, or other certification of self-insurance.
- d. <u>Duty to Maintain Coverage</u>. In the event that any applicable coverage is cancelled by the insurer for any reason, or if Grantee cannot get adequate coverage, Grantee shall immediately notify Department of such cancellation and shall obtain adequate replacement coverage conforming to the requirements herein and provide proof of such replacement coverage within ten (10) days after the cancellation of coverage.
- e. <u>Insurance Trust.</u> If the Grantee's insurance is provided through an insurance trust, the Grantee shall instead add the Department of Environmental Protection, its employees, and officers as an additional covered party everywhere the Agreement requires them to be added as an additional insured.

13. Termination.

- a. <u>Termination for Convenience.</u> When it is in the State's best interest, Department may, at its sole discretion, terminate the Agreement in whole or in part by giving 30 days' written notice to Grantee. The Department shall notify Grantee of the termination for convenience with instructions as to the effective date of termination or the specific stage of work at which the Agreement is to be terminated. The Grantee must submit all invoices for work to be paid under this Agreement within thirty (30) days of the effective date of termination. The Department shall not pay any invoices received after thirty (30) days of the effective date of termination.
- b. <u>Termination for Cause.</u> The Department may terminate this Agreement if any of the events of default described in the Events of Default provisions below occur or in the event that Grantee fails to fulfill any of its other obligations under this Agreement. If, after termination, it is determined that Grantee was not in default, or that the default was excusable, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the termination had been issued for the convenience of Department. The rights and remedies of Department in this clause are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Agreement.
- c. <u>Grantee Obligations upon Notice of Termination.</u> After receipt of a notice of termination or partial termination unless as otherwise directed by Department, Grantee shall not furnish any service or deliverable on the date, and

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to the extent specified, in the notice. However, Grantee shall continue work on any portion of the Agreement not terminated. If the Agreement is terminated before performance is completed, Grantee shall be paid only for that work satisfactorily performed for which costs can be substantiated. The Grantee shall not be entitled to recover any cancellation charges or lost profits.

- d. <u>Continuation of Prepaid Services</u>. If Department has paid for any services prior to the expiration, cancellation, or termination of the Agreement, Grantee shall continue to provide Department with those services for which it has already been paid or, at Department's discretion, Grantee shall provide a refund for services that have been paid for but not rendered.
- e. <u>Transition of Services Upon Termination, Expiration, or Cancellation of the Agreement.</u> If services provided under the Agreement are being transitioned to another provider(s), Grantee shall assist in the smooth transition of Agreement services to the subsequent provider(s). This requirement is at a minimum an affirmative obligation to cooperate with the new provider(s), however additional requirements may be outlined in the Grant Work Plan. The Grantee shall not perform any services after Agreement expiration or termination, except as necessary to complete the transition or continued portion of the Agreement, if any.

14. Notice of Default.

If Grantee defaults in the performance of any covenant or obligation contained in the Agreement, including, any of the events of default, Department shall provide notice to Grantee and an opportunity to cure that is reasonable under the circumstances. This notice shall state the nature of the failure to perform and provide a time certain for correcting the failure. The notice will also provide that, should the Grantee fail to perform within the time provided, Grantee will be found in default, and Department may terminate the Agreement effective as of the date of receipt of the default notice.

15. Events of Default.

Provided such failure is not the fault of Department or outside the reasonable control of Grantee, the following non-exclusive list of events, acts, or omissions, shall constitute events of default:

- a. The commitment of any material breach of this Agreement by Grantee, including failure to timely deliver a material deliverable, failure to perform the minimal level of services required for a deliverable, discontinuance of the performance of the work, failure to resume work that has been discontinued within a reasonable time after notice to do so, or abandonment of the Agreement;
- b. The commitment of any material misrepresentation or omission in any materials, or discovery by the Department of such, made by the Grantee in this Agreement or in its application for funding;
- c. Failure to submit any of the reports required by this Agreement or having submitted any report with incorrect, incomplete, or insufficient information;
- d. Failure to honor any term of the Agreement;
- e. Failure to abide by any statutory, regulatory, or licensing requirement, including an entry of an order revoking the certificate of authority granted to the Grantee by a state or other licensing authority;
- f. Failure to pay any and all entities, individuals, and furnishing labor or materials, or failure to make payment to any other entities as required by this Agreement;
- g. Employment of an unauthorized alien in the performance of the work, in violation of Section 274 (A) of the Immigration and Nationality Act;
- h. Failure to maintain the insurance required by this Agreement;
- i. One or more of the following circumstances, uncorrected for more than thirty (30) days unless, within the specified 30-day period, Grantee (including its receiver or trustee in bankruptcy) provides to Department adequate assurances, reasonably acceptable to Department, of its continuing ability and willingness to fulfill its obligations under the Agreement:
 - i. Entry of an order for relief under Title 11 of the United States Code;
 - ii. The making by Grantee of a general assignment for the benefit of creditors;
 - iii. The appointment of a general receiver or trustee in bankruptcy of Grantee's business or property; and/or
 - iv. An action by Grantee under any state insolvency or similar law for the purpose of its bankruptcy, reorganization, or liquidation.

16. Suspension of Work.

The Department may, in its sole discretion, suspend any or all activities under the Agreement, at any time, when it is in the best interest of the State to do so. The Department shall provide Grantee written notice outlining the particulars of suspension. Examples of reasons for suspension include, but are not limited to, budgetary constraints, declaration of emergency, or other such circumstances. After receiving a suspension notice, Grantee shall comply with the notice. Within 90 days, or any longer period agreed to by the parties, Department shall either: (1) issue a notice authorizing

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resumption of work, at which time activity shall resume; or (2) terminate the Agreement. If the Agreement is terminated after 30 days of suspension, the notice of suspension shall be deemed to satisfy the thirty (30) days' notice required for a notice of termination for convenience. Suspension of work shall not entitle Grantee to any additional compensation.

17. Force Majeure.

The Grantee shall not be responsible for delay resulting from its failure to perform if neither the fault nor the negligence of Grantee or its employees or agents contributed to the delay and the delay is due directly to acts of God, wars, acts of public enemies, strikes, fires, floods, or other similar cause wholly beyond Grantee's control, or for any of the foregoing that affect subcontractors or suppliers if no alternate source of supply is available to Grantee. In case of any delay Grantee believes is excusable, Grantee shall notify Department in writing of the delay or potential delay and describe the cause of the delay either (1) within ten days after the cause that creates or will create the delay first arose, if Grantee could reasonably foresee that a delay could occur as a result; or (2) if delay is not reasonably foreseeable, within five days after the date Grantee first had reason to believe that a delay could result. THE FOREGOING SHALL CONSTITUTE THE GRANTEE'S SOLE REMEDY OR EXCUSE WITH RESPECT TO DELAY. Providing notice in strict accordance with this paragraph is a condition precedent to such remedy. No claim for damages, other than for an extension of time, shall be asserted against Department. The Grantee shall not be entitled to an increase in the Agreement price or payment of any kind from Department for direct, indirect, consequential, impact or other costs, expenses or damages, including but not limited to costs of acceleration or inefficiency, arising because of delay, disruption, interference, or hindrance from any cause whatsoever. If performance is suspended or delayed, in whole or in part, due to any of the causes described in this paragraph, after the causes have ceased to exist Grantee shall perform at no increased cost, unless Department determines, in its sole discretion, that the delay will significantly impair the value of the Agreement to Department, in which case Department may: (1) accept allocated performance or deliveries from Grantee, provided that Grantee grants preferential treatment to Department with respect to products subjected to allocation; (2) contract with other sources (without recourse to and by Grantee for the related costs and expenses) to replace all or part of the products or services that are the subject of the delay, which purchases may be deducted from the Agreement quantity; or (3) terminate Agreement in whole or in part.

18. Indemnification.

- a. The Grantee shall be fully liable for the actions of its agents, employees, partners, or subcontractors and shall fully indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Department and its officers, agents, and employees, from suits, actions, damages, and costs of every name and description arising from or relating to:
 - i. personal injury and damage to real or personal tangible property alleged to be caused in whole or in part by Grantee, its agents, employees, partners, or subcontractors; provided, however, that Grantee shall not indemnify for that portion of any loss or damages proximately caused by the negligent act or omission of Department;
 - ii. the Grantee's breach of this Agreement or the negligent acts or omissions of Grantee.
- b. The Grantee's obligations under the preceding paragraph with respect to any legal action are contingent upon Department giving Grantee: (1) written notice of any action or threatened action; (2) the opportunity to take over and settle or defend any such action at Grantee's sole expense; and (3) assistance in defending the action at Grantee's sole expense. The Grantee shall not be liable for any cost, expense, or compromise incurred or made by Department in any legal action without Grantee's prior written consent, which shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- c. Notwithstanding sections a. and b. above, the following is the sole indemnification provision that applies to Grantees that are governmental entities: Each party hereto agrees that it shall be solely responsible for the negligent or wrongful acts of its employees and agents. However, nothing contained herein shall constitute a waiver by either party of its sovereign immunity or the provisions of Section 768.28, F.S. Further, nothing herein shall be construed as consent by a state agency or subdivision of the State to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of any contract or this Agreement.
- d. No provision in this Agreement shall require Department to hold harmless or indemnify Grantee, insure or assume liability for Grantee's negligence, waive Department's sovereign immunity under the laws of Florida, or otherwise impose liability on Department for which it would not otherwise be responsible. Any provision, implication or suggestion to the contrary is null and void.

19. Limitation of Liability.

The Department's liability for any claim arising from this Agreement is limited to compensatory damages in an amount no greater than the sum of the unpaid balance of compensation due for goods or services rendered pursuant to and in compliance with the terms of the Agreement. Such liability is further limited to a cap of \$100,000.

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20. Remedies.

Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to make Grantee liable for force majeure events. Nothing in this Agreement, including financial consequences for nonperformance, shall limit Department's right to pursue its remedies for other types of damages under the Agreement, at law or in equity. The Department may, in addition to other remedies available to it, at law or in equity and upon notice to Grantee, retain such monies from amounts due Grantee as may be necessary to satisfy any claim for damages, penalties, costs and the like asserted by or against it.

21. Waiver.

The delay or failure by Department to exercise or enforce any of its rights under this Agreement shall not constitute or be deemed a waiver of Department's right thereafter to enforce those rights, nor shall any single or partial exercise of any such right preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right.

22. Statutory Notices Relating to Unauthorized Employment and Subcontracts.

- a. The Department shall consider the employment by any Grantee of unauthorized aliens a violation of Section 274A(e) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. If Grantee/subcontractor knowingly employs unauthorized aliens, such violation shall be cause for unilateral cancellation of this Agreement. The Grantee shall be responsible for including this provision in all subcontracts with private organizations issued as a result of this Agreement.
- b. Pursuant to Sections 287.133 and 287.134, F.S., the following restrictions apply to persons placed on the convicted vendor list or the discriminatory vendor list:
 - <u>Public Entity Crime</u>. 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 Grantee, 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 Section 287.017, F.S., for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months following the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.
 - ii. <u>Discriminatory Vendors</u>. An entity or affiliate who has been placed on the discriminatory vendor list 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.
 - iii. Notification. The Grantee shall notify Department if it or any of its suppliers, subcontractors, or consultants have been placed on the convicted vendor list or the discriminatory vendor list during the life of the Agreement. The Florida Department of Management Services is responsible for maintaining the discriminatory vendor list and posts the list on its website. Questions regarding the discriminatory vendor list may be directed to the Florida Department of Management Services, Office of Supplier Diversity, at (850) 487-0915.

23. Compliance with Federal, State and Local Laws.

- a. The Grantee and all its agents shall comply with all federal, state and local regulations, including, but not limited to, nondiscrimination, wages, social security, workers' compensation, licenses, and registration requirements. The Grantee shall include this provision in all subcontracts issued as a result of this Agreement.
- b. No person, on the grounds of race, creed, color, religion, national origin, age, gender, or disability, shall be excluded from participation in; be denied the proceeds or benefits of; or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in performance of this Agreement.
- c. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.
- d. Any dispute concerning performance of the Agreement shall be processed as described herein. Jurisdiction for any damages arising under the terms of the Agreement will be in the courts of the State, and venue will be in the Second Judicial Circuit, in and for Leon County. Except as otherwise provided by law, the parties agree to be responsible for their own attorney fees incurred in connection with disputes arising under the terms of this Agreement.

24. Scrutinized Companies.

a. Grantee certifies that it is not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List or engaged in a boycott of Israel. Pursuant to Section 287.135, F.S., the Department may immediately terminate this Agreement at its sole

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- option if the Grantee is found to have submitted a false certification; or if the Grantee is placed on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List or is engaged in the boycott of Israel during the term of the Agreement.
- b. If this Agreement is for more than one million dollars, the Grantee certifies that it is 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 Department may immediately terminate this Agreement at its sole option if the Grantee is found to have submitted a false certification; or if the Grantee is 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.
- c. As provided in Subsection 287.135(8), F.S., if federal law ceases to authorize these contracting prohibitions then they shall become inoperative.

25. Lobbying and Integrity.

The Grantee agrees that no funds received by it under this Agreement will be expended for the purpose of lobbying the Legislature or a State agency pursuant to Section 216.347, F.S., except that pursuant to the requirements of Section 287.058(6), F.S., during the term of any executed agreement between Grantee and the State, Grantee may lobby the executive or legislative branch concerning the scope of services, performance, term, or compensation regarding that agreement. The Grantee shall comply with Sections 11.062 and 216.347, F.S.

26. Record Keeping.

The Grantee shall maintain books, records and documents directly pertinent to performance under this Agreement in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles (US GAAP) consistently applied. The Department, the State, or their authorized representatives shall have access to such records for audit purposes during the term of this Agreement and for five (5) years following the completion date or termination of the Agreement. In the event that any work is subcontracted, Grantee shall similarly require each subcontractor to maintain and allow access to such records for audit purposes. Upon request of Department's Inspector General, or other authorized State official, Grantee shall provide any type of information the Inspector General deems relevant to Grantee's integrity or responsibility. Such information may include, but shall not be limited to, Grantee's business or financial records, documents, or files of any type or form that refer to or relate to Agreement. The Grantee shall retain such records for the longer of: (1) three years after the expiration of the Agreement; or (2) the period required by the General Records Schedules maintained by the Florida Department of State (available at:

http://dos.myflorida.com/library-archives/records-management/general-records-schedules/).

27. Audits.

- a. <u>Inspector General</u>. The Grantee understands its duty, pursuant to Section 20.055(5), F.S., to cooperate with the inspector general in any investigation, audit, inspection, review, or hearing. The Grantee will comply with this duty and ensure that its sub-grantees and/or subcontractors issued under this Agreement, if any, impose this requirement, in writing, on its sub-grantees and/or subcontractors, respectively.
- b. <u>Physical Access and Inspection</u>. Department personnel shall be given access to and may observe and inspect work being performed under this Agreement, with reasonable notice and during normal business hours, including by any of the following methods:
 - i. Grantee shall provide access to any location or facility on which Grantee is performing work, or storing or staging equipment, materials or documents;
 - ii. Grantee shall permit inspection of any facility, equipment, practices, or operations required in performance of any work pursuant to this Agreement; and,
 - iii. Grantee shall allow and facilitate sampling and monitoring of any substances, soils, materials or parameters at any location reasonable or necessary to assure compliance with any work or legal requirements pursuant to this Agreement.
- c. Special Audit Requirements. The Grantee shall comply with the applicable provisions contained in Attachment 5, Special Audit Requirements. Each amendment that authorizes a funding increase or decrease shall include an updated copy of Exhibit 1, to Attachment 5. If Department fails to provide an updated copy of Exhibit 1 to include in each amendment that authorizes a funding increase or decrease, Grantee shall request one from the Department's Grants Manager. The Grantee shall consider the type of financial assistance (federal and/or state) identified in Attachment 5, Exhibit 1 and determine whether the terms of Federal and/or Florida Single Audit Act Requirements may further apply to lower tier transactions that may be a result of this Agreement. For federal financial assistance, Grantee shall utilize the guidance provided under 2 CFR §200.330 for determining whether the relationship represents that of a subrecipient or vendor. For State financial assistance, Grantee shall utilize the form entitled "Checklist for Nonstate Organizations Recipient/Subrecipient vs Vendor Determination" (form

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number DFS-A2-NS) that can be found under the "Links/Forms" section appearing at the following website: https://apps.fldfs.com/fsaa.

- d. Proof of Transactions. In addition to documentation provided to support cost reimbursement as described herein, Department may periodically request additional proof of a transaction to evaluate the appropriateness of costs to the Agreement pursuant to State guidelines (including cost allocation guidelines) and federal, if applicable. Allowable costs and uniform administrative requirements for federal programs can be found under 2 CFR 200. The Department may also request a cost allocation plan in support of its multipliers (overhead, indirect, general administrative costs, and fringe benefits). The Grantee must provide the additional proof within thirty (30) days of such request.
- e. No Commingling of Funds. The accounting systems for all Grantees must ensure that these funds are not commingled with funds from other agencies. Funds from each agency must be accounted for separately. Grantees are prohibited from commingling funds on either a program-by-program or a project-by-project basis. Funds specifically budgeted and/or received for one project may not be used to support another project. Where a Grantee's, or subrecipient's, accounting system cannot comply with this requirement, Grantee, or subrecipient, shall establish a system to provide adequate fund accountability for each project it has been awarded.
 - i. If Department finds that these funds have been commingled, Department shall have the right to demand a refund, either in whole or in part, of the funds provided to Grantee under this Agreement for non-compliance with the material terms of this Agreement. The Grantee, upon such written notification from Department shall refund, and shall forthwith pay to Department, the amount of money demanded by Department. Interest on any refund shall be calculated based on the prevailing rate used by the State Board of Administration. Interest shall be calculated from the date(s) the original payment(s) are received from Department by Grantee to the date repayment is made by Grantee to Department.
 - ii. In the event that the Grantee recovers costs, incurred under this Agreement and reimbursed by Department, from another source(s), Grantee shall reimburse Department for all recovered funds originally provided under this Agreement and interest shall be charged for those recovered costs as calculated on from the date(s) the payment(s) are recovered by Grantee to the date repayment is made to Department.
 - iii. Notwithstanding the requirements of this section, the above restrictions on commingling funds do not apply to agreements where payments are made purely on a cost reimbursement basis.

28. Conflict of Interest.

The Grantee covenants that it presently has no interest and shall not acquire any interest which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of services required.

29. Independent Contractor.

The Grantee is an independent contractor and is not an employee or agent of Department.

30. Subcontracting.

- a. Unless otherwise specified in the Special Terms and Conditions, all services contracted for are to be performed solely by Grantee.
- b. The Department may, for cause, require the replacement of any Grantee employee, subcontractor, or agent. For cause, includes, but is not limited to, technical or training qualifications, quality of work, change in security status, or non-compliance with an applicable Department policy or other requirement.
- c. The Department may, for cause, deny access to Department's secure information or any facility by any Grantee employee, subcontractor, or agent.
- d. The Department's actions under paragraphs b. or c. shall not relieve Grantee of its obligation to perform all work in compliance with the Agreement. The Grantee shall be responsible for the payment of all monies due under any subcontract. The Department shall not be liable to any subcontractor for any expenses or liabilities incurred under any subcontract and Grantee shall be solely liable to the subcontractor for all expenses and liabilities incurred under any subcontract.
- e. The Department will not deny Grantee's employees, subcontractors, or agents access to meetings within the Department's facilities, unless the basis of Department's denial is safety or security considerations.
- f. The Department supports diversity in its procurement program and requests that all subcontracting opportunities afforded by this Agreement embrace diversity enthusiastically. The award of subcontracts should reflect the full diversity of the citizens of the State. A list of minority-owned firms that could be offered subcontracting opportunities may be obtained by contacting the Office of Supplier Diversity at (850) 487-0915.
- g. The Grantee shall not be liable for any excess costs for a failure to perform, if the failure to perform is caused by the default of a subcontractor at any tier, and if the cause of the default is completely beyond the control of both

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Grantee and the subcontractor(s), and without the fault or negligence of either, unless the subcontracted products or services were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time for Grantee to meet the required delivery schedule.

31. Guarantee of Parent Company.

If Grantee is a subsidiary of another corporation or other business entity, Grantee asserts that its parent company will guarantee all of the obligations of Grantee for purposes of fulfilling the obligations of Agreement. In the event Grantee is sold during the period the Agreement is in effect, Grantee agrees that it will be a requirement of sale that the new parent company guarantee all of the obligations of Grantee.

32. Survival.

The respective obligations of the parties, which by their nature would continue beyond the termination or expiration of this Agreement, including without limitation, the obligations regarding confidentiality, proprietary interests, and public records, shall survive termination, cancellation, or expiration of this Agreement.

33. Third Parties.

The Department shall not be deemed to assume any liability for the acts, failures to act or negligence of Grantee, its agents, servants, and employees, nor shall Grantee disclaim its own negligence to Department or any third party. This Agreement does not and is not intended to confer any rights or remedies upon any person other than the parties. If Department consents to a subcontract, Grantee will specifically disclose that this Agreement does not create any third-party rights. Further, no third parties shall rely upon any of the rights and obligations created under this Agreement.

34. Severability.

If a court of competent jurisdiction deems any term or condition herein void or unenforceable, the other provisions are severable to that void provision, and shall remain in full force and effect.

35. Grantee's Employees, Subcontractors and Agents.

All Grantee employees, subcontractors, or agents performing work under the Agreement shall be properly trained technicians who meet or exceed any specified training qualifications. Upon request, Grantee shall furnish a copy of technical certification or other proof of qualification. All employees, subcontractors, or agents performing work under Agreement must comply with all security and administrative requirements of Department and shall comply with all controlling laws and regulations relevant to the services they are providing under the Agreement.

36. Assignment.

The Grantee shall not sell, assign, or transfer any of its rights, duties, or obligations under the Agreement, or under any purchase order issued pursuant to the Agreement, without the prior written consent of Department. In the event of any assignment, Grantee remains secondarily liable for performance of the Agreement, unless Department expressly waives such secondary liability. The Department may assign the Agreement with prior written notice to Grantee of its intent to do so.

37. Execution in Counterparts and Authority to Sign.

This Agreement, any amendments, and/or change orders related to the Agreement, may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute the same instrument. In accordance with the Electronic Signature Act of 1996, electronic signatures, including facsimile transmissions, may be used and shall have the same force and effect as a written signature. Each person signing this Agreement warrants that he or she is duly authorized to do so and to bind the respective party to the Agreement.

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STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION Special Terms and Conditions AGREEMENT NO. T1923

ATTACHMENT 2

These Special Terms and Conditions shall be read together with general terms outlined in the Standard Terms and Conditions, Attachment 1. Where in conflict, these more specific terms shall apply.

1. Scope of Work.

The Project funded under this Agreement is Wetland Park Rest Area. The Project is defined in more detail in Attachment 3, Grant Work Plan.

2. Duration.

- a. <u>Reimbursement Period.</u> The reimbursement period for this Agreement begins on the Agreement Begin Date and ends on the Project Completion Date, as defined in Attachment 3.
- b. <u>Extensions.</u> There are two one-year extensions available to the Grantee, if requested in writing, for good cause, subject to the conditions in Rule 62S-2.075(7)(a), F.A.C. There are no other extensions available for this Project.
- c. <u>Service Periods.</u> Additional service periods are not authorized under this Agreement.

3. Payment Provisions.

- a. <u>Compensation.</u> This is a cost reimbursement Agreement. The Grantee shall be compensated under this Agreement as described in Attachment 3.
- b. <u>Invoicing</u>. Invoicing will occur after approval of each deliverable.
- c. Advance Pay. Advance Pay is not authorized under this Agreement.

4. Cost Eligible for Reimbursement or Matching Requirements.

Reimbursement for costs or availability for costs to meet matching requirements shall be limited to the following budget categories, as defined in the Reference Guide for State Expenditures, as indicated:

Reimbursement	Match	Category
\boxtimes	\boxtimes	Salaries/Wages
		Overhead/Indirect/General and Administrative Costs:
\bowtie	\bowtie	a. Fringe Benefits, which shall be calculated at the rate of 40% of direct
		salaries.
\boxtimes	\boxtimes	b. Indirect Costs, which shall be calculated at the rate of 15% of direct
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	costs.
\boxtimes	\boxtimes	Contractual (Subcontractors)
		Travel, in accordance with Section 112, F.S.
		Equipment
	\boxtimes	Rental/Lease of Equipment
	\boxtimes	Miscellaneous/Other Expenses
		Land Acquisition

5. Equipment Purchase.

No Equipment purchases shall be funded under this Agreement.

6. Land Acquisition.

There will be no Land Acquisitions funded under this Agreement.

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7. Match Requirements

The Agreement requires at least a 20% match on the part of the Grantee. Therefore, the Grantee is responsible for providing \$94,231.00 through cash or third party in-kind towards the project funded under this Agreement. The Grantee may claim allowable project expenditures made on 9/10/2019 or after for purposes of meeting its match requirement as identified above.

Each payment request submitted shall document all matching funds and/or match efforts (i.e., in-kind services) provided during the period covered by each request. The final payment will not be processed until the match requirement has been met.

All required matching funds shall meet the federal requirements established in 2 CFR § 200.306 and other federal statutory requirements, as applicable. Grantee acknowledges and agrees to provide eligible match types as set forth in subsection 62S-2.071(4)(b), F.A.C. Grantee acknowledges and agrees not to provide ineligible match sources which includes value of real property or inmate labor.

8. Insurance Requirements

Required Coverage. At all times during the Agreement the Grantee, at its sole expense, shall maintain insurance coverage of such types and with such terms and limits described below. The limits of coverage under each policy maintained by the Grantee shall not be interpreted as limiting the Grantee's liability and obligations under the Agreement. All insurance policies shall be through insurers licensed and authorized to issue policies in Florida, or alternatively, Grantee may provide coverage through a self-insurance program established and operating under the laws of Florida. Additional insurance requirements for this Agreement may be required elsewhere in this Agreement, however the minimum insurance requirements applicable to this Agreement are:

a. Commercial General Liability Insurance.

The Grantee shall provide adequate commercial general liability insurance coverage and hold such liability insurance at all times during the Agreement. The Department, its employees, and officers shall be named as an additional insured on any general liability policies. The minimum limits shall be \$250,000 for each occurrence and \$500,000 policy aggregate.

b. <u>Commercial Automobile Insurance</u>.

If the Grantee's duties include the use of a commercial vehicle, the Grantee shall maintain automobile liability, bodily injury, and property damage coverage. Insuring clauses for both bodily injury and property damage shall provide coverage on an occurrence basis. The Department, its employees, and officers shall be named as an additional insured on any automobile insurance policy. The minimum limits shall be as follows:

\$200,000/300,000 Automobile Liability for Company-Owned Vehicles, if applicable \$200,000/300,000 Hired and Non-owned Automobile Liability Coverage

c. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Coverage.

The Grantee shall provide workers' compensation, in accordance with Chapter 440, F.S. and employer liability coverage with minimum limits of \$100,000 per accident, \$100,000 per person, and \$500,000 policy aggregate. Such policies shall cover all employees engaged in any work under the Grant.

d. Other Insurance. None.

9. Quality Assurance Requirements.

There are no special Quality Assurance requirements under this Agreement.

10. Retainage.

Retainage is permitted under this Agreement. Retainage may be up to a maximum of 10% of the total amount of the Agreement.

11. Subcontracting.

- a. The Grantee may subcontract work under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the Department's Grant Manager except for certain fixed-price subcontracts pursuant to this Agreement, which require prior approval. Regardless of any subcontract, the Grantee is ultimately responsible for all work to be performed under this Agreement.
- b. The Grantee shall physically attach: (1) Attachment 8, Contract Provisions for Department of Transportation (DOT) Funded Agreements; (2) Attachment 9, Form FHWA-1273, Required Contract Provisions Federal-Aid Construction Contracts; (3) Exhibit F, Appendices A and E; (4) Exhibit G, 49 CFR §26.13; and (5) Exhibit H,

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FHWA Contractors & Recipients General Terms and Conditions for Assistance Awards to all subcontracts executed under this Agreement.

12. State-owned Land.

The work will not be performed on State-owned land.

13. Office of Policy and Budget Reporting.

There are no special Office of Policy and Budget reporting requirements for this Agreement.

14. Additional Terms.

None.

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ATTACHMENT 3 **GRANT WORK PLAN** RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM (RTP)

Project Name: Wetland Park Rest Area Grantee Name: City of Ocala RTP Project #T19023

SUMMARY: The Grantee will complete the Project Element(s), which were approved by the Department through the RTP Application Evaluation Criteria, pursuant to Chapter 62S-2, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.) and the FHWA Recreational Trails Program Interim Guidance Manual. Any alteration(s) to the Project Element(s) defined in the Grant Work Plan resulting in a change in the total point score of Grantee's Application as it appears on the RTP Advisory Committee's Priority List for FY2019-20 is considered a significant change, must be pre-approved by the Department, and requires a formal Amendment to this Agreement. All work must be completed in accordance with laws, rules, and guidance including, but not limited to: local, state and federal laws, the approved Project plans, all required permits, the Florida Building Code and, as applicable, the Manual of Uniform Minimum Standards for Design, Construction and Maintenance for Streets and Highways ("Florida Greenbook"). Prior to the Department issuing a Notice to Proceed to the Grantee, as specified in Attachment 6, Program Specific Requirements, the Department must receive evidence of and have approved all Deliverables in Task 1.

The Department will designate the Project complete upon receipt and approval of all Deliverables and when Project site is open and available for use by the public for outdoor recreation purposes. The Department will retain ten percent (10%) of the Grant Award until the Grantee completes the Project and the Department approves the Completion Documentation set forth in paragraph 62S-2.075(7)(e), F.A.C. The final payment of the retained ten percent (10%) will be processed within thirty (30) days of the Project being designated complete by the Department.

For the purpose of this Agreement, the terms "Project Element" and "Project Task" are used interchangeably to mean an identified facility within the Project.

The project is located at 2201 NW 21st Street, Ocala, FL 34475.

BUDGET: Reimbursement for allowable costs for the Project may not exceed the maximum grant award amount outlined below. Required match will be provided by cash or inkind services as set forth in subsection 62S-2.071(4), F.A.C. Grantee shall maintain an accounting system that meets generally accepted accounting principles and will maintain financial records to properly account for all Program and matching funds. The total estimated Project cost provided below is based on the approved RTP Application. A detailed Project cost analysis will be provided in the Deliverables for Task 1, prior to the Department issuing the Notice to Proceed. All final Project costs shall be submitted to the Department with the payment request.

Maximum Grant Award Amount:	\$ 376,880.00
Required Grantee Match Amount:	\$ 94,231.00
Total Estimated Project Cost:	\$ 471,111.00
Match Ratio:	80:20

Scope of Work/Tasks within Deliverable	Deliverables	Due Date	Financial Consequences
TASK 11.A. Approval of required NEPA documentation by FDOT.	DELIVERABLE 11.A. Submission through SWEPT and approval of required NEPA documentation by FDOT.	Deliverable 1.A. 180 days after	The Department will terminate the Project Agreement if the required

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Exhibit	G -	T19023	Grant	Document
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 1.B. Development of Commencement Documentation Checklist (OGT-11)¹. 1.C. A Cost Analysis Form, with detailed budget (and In-House Cost Schedule(s), if applicable). 	1.B. All applicable Project specific Commencement documentation, listed on Commencement Documentation Checklist (OGT-11). 1.C. Cost Analysis Form with detailed budget (and/or In-House Cost Schedule(s), if applicable). The Department will issue Notice to Proceed upon receipt and approval of deliverables 1.A., 1.B. and 1.C. Project planning expenses, such as application preparation, surveys (boundary and topographic), title searches, project signs, architectural and engineering fees, permitting fees, project inspection fees, and other similar fees are eligible for reimbursement. However, reimbursement, if requested, shall not to exceed fifteen percent (15%) of total Project cost, and shall be invoiced upon Project completion, in accordance with the Payment Request Schedule below.	Execution of Agreement ² Deliverables 1.B. and 1.C. 12 months after Execution of Agreement ²	Deliverables are not submitted and approved by the Department.
	The Grantee may not proceed with construction of the Project until Notice to Proceed has been issued.		
TASK 2	DELIVERABLE 2		
 2.A. Development of Project Elements, including: Engineering, design and construction of 40' x 90' (+/- 10%) restroom pavilion with water stations, three overlook shade covers, water fountain with bottle filling attachment and shade cover for existing restroom. 2.B. Development of Completion of Documentation Checklist (OGT-13). 2.C. Completion of Final Status Report (DRP-109). 	The Grantee may request reimbursement upon Department receipt and approval of: 2.A. Development of required Project Elements. 2.B. All applicable Project specific Completion documentation listed on Project Completion Documentation Checklist (OGT-13). 2.C. Final Status Report (DRP-109). Grantee may submit bi-annual payment request for cost reimbursement of planning expenses.	Due 60 calendar days prior to the expiration of this Agreement which shall also be the Project Completion Date ³	No reimbursement will be made for Deliverable(s) deemed unsatisfactory by the Department. Payment(s) will not be made for unsatisfactory or incomplete work. In addition, a Task may be terminated for Grantee's failure to perform.

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Project Task Performance Standard: The Department's Grant Manager will review the Project Completion Certificate and the Deliverables to verify compliance with the requirements for funding under the Recreation Trails Program (RTP); approved plans and application approved for funding. Upon review and written acceptance by the Department's Grant Manager of the Project Completion Certification and the Deliverables, the Grantee may proceed with the payment request submittal.

Payment Request Schedule: Following Department approval of Project Deliverables, the Grantee may submit a payment request for cost reimbursement bi-annually for planning expenses on Payment Request Summary Form (DRP-115) along with all required documentation as outlined in the Financial Reporting Procedures (DRP-110), as applicable, to support payment. A payment request submitted as part of the reimbursement process must correspond with the Cost Analysis and supporting documents provided under Project Tasks. The payment request must include documentation regarding the match source, as required.

Endnotes:

- 1. RTP documentation is available at https://floridadep.gov/lands/land-and-recreation-grants/content/rtp-assistance and/or, Land and Recreational Grants Section, State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, M.S. 585, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000.
- 2. Project Agreement is subject to termination if Commencement documents under Task 1 are not received and approved by the Department within 12 months of the Project Agreement execution.
- 3. This time period may be extended within the parameters of the RTP and/or FHWA federal guidelines, upon written request of the Grantee and approval by the Department.

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STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION **Public Records Requirements**

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1. Public Records.

- a. If the Agreement exceeds \$35,000.00, and if Grantee is acting on behalf of Department in its performance of services under the Agreement, Grantee must allow public access to all documents, papers, letters, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received by Grantee in conjunction with the Agreement (Public Records), unless the Public Records are exempt from section 24(a) of Article I of the Florida Constitution or section 119.07(1), F.S.
- b. The Department may unilaterally terminate the Agreement if Grantee refuses to allow public access to Public Records as required by law.
- 2. Additional Public Records Duties of Section 119.0701, F.S., If Applicable.

For the purposes of this paragraph, the term "contract" means the "Agreement." If Grantee is a "contractor" as defined in section 119.0701(1)(a), F.S., the following provisions apply and the contractor shall:

- Keep and maintain Public Records required by Department to perform the service.
- Upon request, provide Department with a copy of requested Public Records or allow the Public Records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, F.S., or as otherwise provided by law.
- A contractor who fails to provide the Public Records to Department within a reasonable time may be subject to penalties under section 119.10, F.S.
- d. 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 the contract term and following completion of the contract if the contractor does not transfer the Public Records to Department.
- Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost, to Department all Public Records in possession of the contractor or keep and maintain Public Records required by Department to perform the service. If the contractor transfers all Public Records to Department upon completion of the contract, the contractor shall destroy any duplicate Public Records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from Public Records disclosure requirements. If the contractor keeps and maintains Public Records upon completion of the contract, the contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining Public Records. All Public Records stored electronically must be provided to Department, upon request from Department's custodian of Public Records, in a format specified by Department as compatible with the information technology systems of Department. These formatting requirements are satisfied by using the data formats as authorized in the contract or Microsoft Word, Outlook, Adobe, or Excel, and any software formats the contractor is authorized to access.
- IF THE CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, F.S., TO THE CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THE CONTRACT, CONTACT THE DEPARTMENT'S **CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:**

Telephone: (850) 245-2118

Email: public.services@floridadep.gov

Mailing Address: Department of Environmental Protection

ATTN: Office of Ombudsman and Public Services

Public Records Request

3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, MS 49

Tallahassee, Florida 32399

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION Special Audit Requirements (State and Federal Financial Assistance)

Attachment 5

The administration of resources awarded by the Department of Environmental Protection (which may be referred to as the "Department", "DEP", "FDEP" or "Grantor", or other name in the agreement) to the recipient (which may be referred to as the "Recipient", "Grantee" or other name in the agreement) may be subject to audits and/or monitoring by the Department of Environmental Protection, as described in this attachment.

MONITORING

In addition to reviews of audits conducted in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F-Audit Requirements, and Section 215.97, F.S., as revised (see "AUDITS" below), monitoring procedures may include, but not be limited to, on-site visits by DEP Department staff, limited scope audits as defined by 2 CFR 200.425, or other procedures. By entering into this Agreement, the recipient agrees to comply and cooperate with any monitoring procedures/processes deemed appropriate by the Department of Environmental Protection. In the event the Department of Environmental Protection determines that a limited scope audit of the recipient is appropriate, the recipient agrees to comply with any additional instructions provided by the Department to the recipient regarding such audit. The recipient further agrees to comply and cooperate with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by the Chief Financial Officer (CFO) or Auditor General.

AUDITS

PART I: FEDERALLY FUNDED

This part is applicable if the recipient is a State or local government or a non-profit organization as defined in 2 CFR §200.330

- 1. A recipient that expends \$750,000 or more in Federal awards in its fiscal year, must have a single or program-specific audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F. EXHIBIT 1 to this Attachment indicates Federal funds awarded through the Department of Environmental Protection by this Agreement. In determining the federal awards expended in its fiscal year, the recipient shall consider all sources of federal awards, including federal resources received from the Department of Environmental Protection. The determination of amounts of federal awards expended should be in accordance with the guidelines established in 2 CFR 200.502-503. An audit of the recipient conducted by the Auditor General in accordance with the provisions of 2 CFR Part 200.514 will meet the requirements of this part.
- 2. For the audit requirements addressed in Part I, paragraph 1, the recipient shall fulfill the requirements relative to auditee responsibilities as provided in 2 CFR 200.508-512.
- 3. A recipient that expends less than \$750,000 in federal awards in its fiscal year is not required to have an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F-Audit Requirements. If the recipient expends less than \$750,000 in federal awards in its fiscal year and elects to have an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of 2 CFR 200, Subpart F-Audit Requirements, the cost of the audit must be paid from non-federal resources (i.e., the cost of such an audit mist be paid from recipient resources obtained from other federal entities.
- 4. The recipient may access information regarding the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) via the internet at www.cfda.gov

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PART II: STATE FUNDED

This part is applicable if the recipient is a nonstate entity as defined by Section 215.97(2), Florida Statutes.

- 1. In the event that the recipient expends a total amount of state financial assistance equal to or in excess of \$750,000 in any fiscal year of such recipient (for fiscal years ending June 30, 2017, and thereafter), the recipient must have a State single or project-specific audit for such fiscal year in accordance with Section 215.97, F.S.; Rule Chapter 69I-5, F.A.C., State Financial Assistance; and Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General. EXHIBIT 1 to this form lists the state financial assistance awarded through the Department of Environmental Protection by this agreement. In determining the state financial assistance expended in its fiscal year, the recipient shall consider all sources of state financial assistance, including state financial assistance received from the Department of Environmental Protection, other state agencies, and other nonstate entities. State financial assistance does not include federal direct or pass-through awards and resources received by a nonstate entity for Federal program matching requirements.
- 2. In connection with the audit requirements addressed in Part II, paragraph 1; the recipient shall ensure that the audit complies with the requirements of Section 215.97(8), Florida Statutes. This includes submission of a financial reporting package as defined by Section 215.97(2), Florida Statutes, and Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General.
- 3. If the recipient expends less than \$750,000 in state financial assistance in its fiscal year (for fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, and thereafter), an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of Section 215.97, Florida Statutes, is not required. In the event that the recipient expends less than \$750,000 in state financial assistance in its fiscal year, and elects to have an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of Section 215.97, Florida Statutes, the cost of the audit must be paid from the non-state entity's resources (i.e., the cost of such an audit must be paid from the recipient's resources obtained from other than State entities).
- 4. For information regarding the Florida Catalog of State Financial Assistance (CSFA), a recipient should access the Florida Single Audit Act website located at https://apps.fldfs.com/fsaa for assistance. In addition to the above websites, the following websites may be accessed for information: Legislature's Website at http://www.leg.state.fl.us/Welcome/index.cfm, State of Florida's website at http://www.myflorida.com/, Department of Financial Services' Website at http://www.nyflorida.com/audgen/.

PART III: OTHER AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

(NOTE: This part would be used to specify any additional audit requirements imposed by the State awarding entity that are solely a matter of that State awarding entity's policy (i.e., the audit is not required by Federal or State laws and is not in conflict with other Federal or State audit requirements). Pursuant to Section 215.97(8), Florida Statutes, State agencies may conduct or arrange for audits of State financial assistance that are in addition to audits conducted in accordance with Section 215.97, Florida Statutes. In such an event, the State awarding agency must arrange for funding the full cost of such additional audits.)

PART IV: REPORT SUBMISSION

- Copies of reporting packages for audits conducted in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F-Audit Requirements, and required by PART I of this form shall be submitted, when required by 2 CFR 200.512, by or on behalf of the recipient <u>directly</u> to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse (FAC) as provided in 2 CFR 200.36 and 200.512
 - A. The Federal Audit Clearinghouse designated in 2 CFR §200.501(a) (the number of copies required by 2 CFR §200.501(a) should be submitted to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse), at the following address:

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By Mail:

Federal Audit Clearinghouse Bureau of the Census 1201 East 10th Street Jeffersonville, IN 47132

Submissions of the Single Audit reporting package for fiscal periods ending on or after January 1, 2008, must be submitted using the Federal Clearinghouse's Internet Data Entry System which can be found at http://harvester.census.gov/facweb/

- 2. Copies of financial reporting packages required by PART II of this Attachment shall be submitted by or on behalf of the recipient <u>directly</u> to each of the following:
 - A. The Department of Environmental Protection at one of the following addresses:

By Mail:

Audit Director

Florida Department of Environmental Protection Office of Inspector General, MS 40 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000

Electronically:

FDEPSingleAudit@dep.state.fl.us

B. The Auditor General's Office at the following address:

Auditor General Local Government Audits/342 Claude Pepper Building, Room 401 111 West Madison Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1450

The Auditor General's website (http://flauditor.gov/) provides instructions for filing an electronic copy of a financial reporting package.

3. Copies of reports or management letters required by PART III of this Attachment shall be submitted by or on behalf of the recipient <u>directly</u> to the Department of Environmental Protection at one of the following addresses:

By Mail:

Audit Director

Florida Department of Environmental Protection Office of Inspector General, MS 40 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000

Electronically:

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4. Any reports, management letters, or other information required to be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to this Agreement shall be submitted timely in accordance with 2 CFR 200.512, section 215.97, F.S., and Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General, as applicable.

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5. Recipients, when submitting financial reporting packages to the Department of Environmental Protection for audits done in accordance with 2 CFR 200, Subpart F-Audit Requirements, or Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) and 10.650 (non and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General, should indicate the date and the reporting package was delivered to the recipient correspondence accompanying the reporting package.

PART V: RECORD RETENTION

The recipient shall retain sufficient records demonstrating its compliance with the terms of the award and this Agreement for a period of **five (5)** years from the date the audit report is issued, and shall allow the Department of Environmental Protection, or its designee, Chief Financial Officer, or Auditor General access to such records upon request. The recipient shall ensure that audit working papers are made available to the Department of Environmental Protection, or its designee, Chief Financial Officer, or Auditor General upon request for a period of **three (3)** years from the date the audit report is issued, unless extended in writing by the Department of Environmental Protection.

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Exhibit G - T19023 Grant Document EXHIBIT – 1

FUNDS AWARDED TO THE RECIPIENT PURSUANT TO THIS AGREEMENT CONSIST OF THE FOLLOWING:

Note: If the <u>resources</u> awarded to the recipient represent more than one federal program, provide the same information shown below for each federal program and show total federal resources awarded

Federal Resou	Federal Resources Awarded to the Recipient Pursuant to this Agreement Consist of the Following:									
Federal Program A	Federal Agency	CFDA Number	CFDA Title	Funding Amount	State Appropriation Category					
Original Agreement	U.S. Department of Transportation – Federal Highway Administration	20.219	Recreational Trails Program		140185					
Federal Program B	Federal Agency	CFDA Number	CFDA Title	Funding Amount	State Appropriation Category					
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Note: Of the resources awarded to the recipient represent more than one federal program, list applicable compliance requirements for each federal program in the same manner as shown below:

Federal Program A	First Compliance requirement: i.e.: (what services of purposes resources must be used for)	
	Second Compliance requirement: i.e.:(eligibility requirement for recipients of the resources)	
	Etc.	
	Etc.	
Federal Program B	First Compliance requirement: i.e.: (what services of purposes resources must be used for)	
	Second Compliance requirement: i.e.: (eligibility requirement for recipients of the resources)	
	Etc.	
	Etc.	

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Note: If the resources awarded to the recipient for matching represent more than one federal program, provide the same information shown below for each federal program and show total state resources awarded for matching.

State Resourc	State Resources Awarded to the Recipient Pursuant to this Agreement Consist of the Following Matching Resources for Federal Programs:								
Federal Program					State Appropriation				
A	Federal Agency	CFDA	CFDA Title	Funding Amount	Category				
Federal Program B	Federal Agency	CFDA	CFDA Title	Funding Amount	State Appropriation Category				

Note: If the resources awarded to the recipient represent more than one state project, provide the same information shown below for each state project and show total state financial assistance awarded that is subject to section 215.97, F.S.

State Resourc	es Awarded to the Recipient	Pursuant to this A	Agreement Co	nsist of the Following Resources Subje	ect to Section 215.97, F.	S.:
State				CSFA Title		State
Program		State	CSFA	or		Appropriation
A	State Awarding Agency	Fiscal Year ¹	Number	Funding Source Description	Funding Amount	Category
State				CSFA Title		State
Program		State	CSFA			Appropriation
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В	State Awarding Agency	Fiscal Year ²	Number	Funding Source Description	Funding Amount	Category

Total Award

Note: List applicable compliance requirement in the same manner as illustrated above for federal resources. For matching resources provided by the Department for DEP for federal programs, the requirements might be similar to the requirements for the applicable federal programs. Also, to the extent that different requirements pertain to different amount for the non-federal resources, there may be more than one grouping (i.e. 1, 2, 3, etc.) listed under this category.

For each program identified above, the recipient shall comply with the program requirements described in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) [www.cfda.gov] and/or the Florida Catalog of State Financial Assistance (CSFA) [https://apps.fldfs.com/fsaa/searchCatalog.aspx], and State Projects Compliance Supplement (Part Four: State Projects Compliance Supplement [https://apps.fldfs.com/fsaa/state_project_compliance.aspx]. The services/purposes for which the funds are to be used are included in the Agreement's Grant Work Plan. Any match required by the Recipient is clearly indicated in the Agreement.

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¹ Subject to change by Change Order.

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STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PROGRAM SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR THE RECREATIONAL TRAILS GRANT PROGRAM

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1. Project Submittal Forms.

Administrative Forms, Reimbursement Forms and guidelines referenced in this Agreement may be found at https://floridadep.gov/lands/land-and-recreation-grants/content/rtp-assistance, or by contacting the Department's Grant Manager.

2. Notice to Proceed.

Prior to commencement of Project, the Grantee shall submit to the Department for approval all documentation and completion of responsibilities listed on the Commencement Documentation Checklist, OGT-11. In addition to the Checklist items, the Grantee shall submit a copy of the executed subcontract to the Department. Upon satisfactory approval by the Department, the Department will issue written "Notice to Proceed" to the Grantee to commence the Project. The Grantee SHALL NOT proceed until the Department issues the "Notice to Proceed". The Grantee shall commence Task 2 Performance within ninety (90) days after the "Notice to Proceed" is issued by the Department, unless the Grantee requests an extension in writing for good cause, in accordance with the requirements of Rule 62S-2.075(7)(a), F.A.C. Until the Department issues the "Notice to Proceed," the Department is not obligated to reimburse Grantee for fees, costs or general expenses of any kind.

3. RTP Guidelines.

- i. This Agreement must be performed according to all applicable state and federal guidelines, including but not limited to, 23 U.S.C. § 206, Chapter 260, F.S., Chapter 62S-2, F.A.C., and the FHWA Recreational Trails Program Interim Guidance Manual (Manual). The Grantee acknowledges that receiving this grant does not guarantee that a federal, state, or local permit will be issued for a particular activity to complete the Project. Further, the Grantee agrees to ensure that Grantee has obtained all necessary permits prior to implementing any Grant Work Plan activity that may fall under applicable federal, state, or local laws.
- ii. The Department will terminate this Project Agreement if the Commencement Documentation is not received and approved by the Department within twelve (12) months of this Project Agreement's execution. The Department may extend this time period for good cause, such as a natural disaster, pursuant to subparagraph 62S-2.075(7)(d)3, F.A.C.
 - All awards will be administered pursuant to the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards found in 2 CFR part 200, as adopted by USDOT at 2 CFR part 1201

4. National Environmental Policy Act Compliance.

The Grantee's compliance with the Florida Department of Transportation's Project Development and Environmental Manual (PD&E Manual), hereby incorporated by reference constitutes compliance with National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) standards as more fully implemented pursuant to subsection 62S-2.074(1), F.A.C.

- 5. The following hereby replaces paragraph 8.d, Attachment 1, Standard Terms and Conditions:
- d. Reimbursement for Costs. Project costs will be reimbursed as provided in paragraph 62S-2.075(3)(a), F.A.C. and in the Project Agreement. The Grantee must incur costs between the effective date of, and the Project Completion Date identified in, the Project Agreement, except for Pre-agreement expenses. The Grantee shall be paid on a cost reimbursement basis for all eligible Project costs upon the completion, submittal, and approval of each deliverable identified in the Grant Work Plan. Reimbursement shall be requested on Exhibit C, Payment Request Summary Form. To be eligible for reimbursement, costs must be in compliance with laws, rules, and regulations applicable to expenditures of State funds, including, but not limited to, the Reference Guide for State Expenditures, which can be accessed at the following web address: https://www.myfloridaefo.com/Division/AA/Manuals/default.htm. However, unless the Department issues the "Notice to Proceed," the Department is not obligated to reimburse Grantee for fees, costs or general expenses of any kind.
 - i. Pre-agreement Expenses means expenses incurred by a Grantee for an eligible RTP project after authorization by Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) but before full execution of the Agreement. RTP funds remaining after termination of a grant award or completion of Project will revert to the State's program funds

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under the provisions of the federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21) and subsection 62S-2.075(6), F.A.C. All funds not paid out after four (4) years will revert to FHWA pursuant to paragraph 62S-2.075(7)(a), F.A.C. The Grantee will be entitled to reimbursement of eligible Pre-agreement Expenses for expenses incurred after the Department provides notice of Project approval and before the effective date of this Agreement.

- **6.** The following hereby replaces paragraph 8.h, Attachment 1, Standard Terms and Conditions:
- h. Annual Appropriation Contingency. The State's performance and obligation to pay under this Agreement is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Legislature & the FHWA. This Agreement is not a commitment of future appropriations. Authorization for continuation and completion of work and any associated payments may be rescinded, with proper notice, at the discretion of Department if the Legislature & the FHWA reduces or eliminates appropriations. It is further understood that Grant Awards may be revised by the Department due to the availability of RTP Program Funds.
- 7. The following hereby adds to paragraph 8, Attachment 1, Standard Terms and Conditions:
- k. <u>Project Costs</u>. The Department will reimburse Project costs pursuant to paragraph 62S-3.075(3)(a), F.A.C., and as provided herein. The Grantee must incur all reimbursable Project costs between the Agreement Effective Date and the Project Completion Date. If the total cost of the Project exceeds the grant amount and the required match, the Grantee must pay the excess cost.
- 1. <u>Cost Limits</u>. Pursuant to paragraph 62S-2.075(3)(b), F.A.C., project planning expenses, such as application preparation, surveys (boundary and topographic), title searches, project signs, architectural and engineering fees, permitting fees, project inspection fees, and other similar fees are eligible Project costs provided that such costs do not exceed fifteen percent (15%) of the total Project cost. These costs must be incurred between the Agreement Begin Date and the Project Completion Date.
 - i. Applicants may seek reimbursement for costs related to the required approval under the National Environmental Policy Act ("NEPA"). These expenses are considered planning expenses, and are included in the 15% of total Project cost limit set forth in Rule 62S-2.075(3)(b), F.A.C. All eligible planning expenses related to NEPA approval must be incurred within 180 days of the Effective Date of the Agreement.
- **8.** The following replaces paragraph 10, Attachment 1, Standard Terms and Conditions:

Status Reports.

- i. The Grantee must utilize Exhibit A, Project Status Report, DRP-109, available online and incorporated herein by reference, to describe the work performed during the reporting period, problems encountered, problem resolutions, schedule updates, and proposed work for the next reporting period. The Project Status Reports must be submitted to the Department's Grant Manager no later than January 5, May 5, and September 5. The Department's Grant Manager will have thirty (30) calendar days to review the required reports and deliverables submitted by the Grantee.
- ii. Additionally, the Grantee must comply with the reporting and inventory requirements set forth in the Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP), available online: https://floridadep.gov/parks/florida-scorp-outdoor-recreation-florida and hereby incorporated by reference, by updating the Florida Outdoor Recreation Inventory (FORI) system (https://floridadep.gov/parks/florida-outdoor-recreation-inventory).

9. Site Dedication.

i. The Grantee agrees to dedicate for ninety-nine (99) years the Project Site and all land within the Project boundaries, which is developed or acquired with RTP Program Funds, as an outdoor recreational area for the use and benefit of the general public in accordance with Rule 62S-2.076, F.A.C. Land under control other than by ownership of the Grantee (e.g., by lease) must be dedicated as an outdoor recreation area for the use and benefit of the general public for a minimum of twenty-five (25) years from the Project Completion Date as set forth in the Project Completion Certificate. The lease must not be revocable at will; must extend for twenty-five (25) years after Project Completion Date; and must include safeguards to ensure the use requirement enabling the Grantee to dedicate the land for the twenty-five (25) year period. Safeguards include such things as joint sponsorship of the Project or an agreement between the Parties that the lessor will assume compliance responsibility for the Project Site in the event of default by the lessee (Grantee) or termination or expiration of the lease. The dedication must be recorded in the county's public property records by the Grantee, or in the case of a nonprofit Grantee, by the land owner. Execution of this Agreement by the Department constitutes an

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acceptance of a Project Site dedication on behalf of the general public of the State of Florida. The Project Site(s) must be open at reasonable times and must be managed in a safe and attractive manner. The Grantee must obtain Department approval prior to any development of facilities on the Project Site. This Agreement is not transferable.

ii. Should the Grantee's interest in the land change, either by sale, lease, or other written legal instrument, the Grantee is required to notify the Department in writing of the change no later than ten (10) days after the change occurs, and the Grantee is required to notify all subsequent parties with interest to the land of the terms and conditions as set forth in this Agreement.

10. Management of Project Site.

- i. <u>Site Inspections</u>. Grantees must ensure by site inspections that facilities on the Project Site are being operated and maintained for public outdoor recreational purposes for a period of twenty-five (25) years from the Project Completion Date set forth in the Project Completion Certificate. The Project Site must be open at reasonable times and managed in a safe and attractive manner.
- ii. <u>Non-Compliance</u>. The Department will terminate an Agreement and demand return of the program funds (including interest) if a Grantee fails to comply with the terms stated in the Agreement. If the Grantee fails to comply with the Agreement, the Department will declare the Grantee ineligible for further participation in RTP until such time as the Grantee comes into compliance.
- iii. <u>Public Accessibility</u>. All facilities must be accessible to the public on a non-exclusive basis without regard to age, gender, race, religion, residence, or ability level.
- iv. Entrance Fees. Grantees may charge user fees for the Project Site, as described in the Manual. Reasonable differences in entrance fees for RTP projects may be allowed on the basis of residence, but only if the Grantee can clearly show that the difference in entrance fees reflects, and is substantially related to, all economic factors related to park management, and is not simply related to the amount of tax dollars spent by the residents for the park; and that a definite burden on the Grantee in park maintenance costs clearly justifies a higher fee for nonresidents.

11. Procurement Requirements for Grantee.

The Grantee must secure all goods and services for accomplishment of this Project according to its adopted procurement procedures and applicable federal requirements identified in the FHWA Recreational Trails Guidance Manual.

12. Project Completion Certification.

Project completion means the Project is open and available for use by the public. To certify completion, the Grantee will submit to the Department the Project Completion Certification, OGT-14, available online and incorporated herein by reference. The Project must be designated complete prior to release of final reimbursement.

13. Good Cause Extensions.

The Department staff will only extend this Agreement for good cause such as financial hardship, public controversy, material shortage, unexpected weather conditions, or other major factors beyond Grantee's control.

14. Signage.

The Grantee must erect a permanent information sign on the Project site which credits funding or a portion thereof, to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and the Recreational Trails Program. The sign must be made of appropriate materials, which will be durable for a minimum of twenty-five (25) years after the Project is complete. The sign must be installed on the Project site and approved by the Department before the final Project reimbursement request is processed.

15. Termination and Ineligibility.

In addition to the remedies provided elsewhere in this Agreement, if the Grantee materially fails to comply with the terms stated in this Agreement or with any provisions of Chapter 62S-2, F.A.C., the Department shall terminate this Agreement and demand return of the program funds (including interest) and any equipment purchased with grant funds that has not been properly disposed of in accordance with the federal property management requirements set forth in 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart D (§§ 200.310 through 200.316). Furthermore, the Department shall declare the Grantee ineligible for further participation in RTP until such time as compliance has been obtained pursuant to subsection 62S-2.076(4).

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16. Conversion.

This Project Site acquired and/or developed with RTP assistance must be retained and used for public outdoor recreation. Should the Grantee, within the periods set forth in subsections 62S-2.076(1) and (2), F.A.C., convert all or part of the Project Site to other than public outdoor recreational uses, the Grantee must replace the area, facilities, resource, or Project Site at its own expense with an acceptable project of comparable, scope, and quality.

17. Monitoring.

The Grantee further agrees to comply and cooperate with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) and FHWA. The Grantee also grants the FDOT and FHWA the same monitoring rights it has agreed to provide the Department.

18. Compliance with FDOT Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program.

The Department and the Grantee adhere to FDOT's DBE program on all FHWA-assisted contracts in accordance with 49 CFR Part 26.21 and the FDOT DBE Program Plan. DBE participation on FHWA-assisted contracts in Florida must be achieved through race-neutral methods. 'Race neutral' means that the DEP can likely achieve the overall state DBE goal of 10.65% through ordinary procurement methods. Therefore, no specific DBE contract goal may be applied to this project. Nevertheless, the Department is committed to supporting the identification and use of DBEs and other small businesses and encourages all reasonable efforts to do so. Furthermore, the Transportation Planning Organization recommends the use of certified DBE's listed in the Florida Unified Certification Program (UCP) DBE Directory, who by reason of their certification are ready, willing, and able to provide and assist with the services identified in the scope of work. Assistance with locating DBEs and other special services are available at no cost through FDOT's Equal Opportunity Office DBE Supportive Services suppliers. More information is available by visiting https://www.fdot.gov/equalopportunity/serviceproviders.shtm or by calling 850-414-4750.

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Contract Provisions for Department of Transportation (DOT) Funded Agreements

The Department, as a Non-Federal Entity as defined by 2 CFR §200.69, shall comply with the following provisions, where applicable. For purposes of this Grant Agreement between the Department and the Grantee, the term "Recipient" shall mean "Grantee."

Further, the Department, as a pass-through entity, also requires the Grantee to pass on these requirements to all lower tier subrecipients, and to comply with the provisions of the award, including applicable provisions of the OMB Uniform Guidance (2 CFR Part 200), and all associated terms and conditions. Therefore, Grantees must include these requirements in all related subcontracts and/or sub-awards. Grantees can include these requirements by incorporating this Attachment in the related subcontract and/or sub-awards, however for all such subcontracts and sub-awards, the Grantee shall assume the role of the Non-Federal Entity and the subrecipients shall assume the role of the Recipient.

2 CFR PART 200 APPENDIX 2 REQUIREMENTS

1. Administrative, Contractual, and Legal Remedies

The following provision is required if the Agreement is for more than \$150,000. In addition to any of the remedies described elsewhere in the Agreement, if the Recipient materially fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this Contract, including any Federal or State statutes, rules or regulations, applicable to this Contract, the Non-Federal Entity may take one or more of the following actions.

- A. Temporarily withhold payments pending correction of the deficiency by the Recipient.
- B. Disallow (that is, deny both use of funds and any applicable matching credit for) all or part of the cost of the activity or action not in compliance.
- C. Wholly or partly suspend or terminate this Contract.
- D. Take other remedies that may be legally available.

The remedies identified above, do not preclude the Recipient from being subject to debarment and suspension under Presidential Executive Orders 12549 and 12689. The Non-Federal entity shall have the right to demand a refund, either in whole or part, of the funds provided to the Recipient for noncompliance with the terms of this Agreement.

2. Termination for Cause and Convenience

Termination for Cause and Convenience are addressed elsewhere in the Agreement.

3. Equal Opportunity Clause

The following provision applies if the agreement meets the definition of "federally assisted construction contract" as defined by 41 CFR Part 60-1.3:

During the performance of this Agreement, the Recipient agrees as follows:

- i. The Recipient will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The Recipient will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following:
 - a. Employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Recipient agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
- ii. The Recipient will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Recipient, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin.
- iii. The Recipient will not discharge or in any other manner discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because such employee or applicant has inquired about, discussed, or disclosed the compensation of the employee or applicant or another employee or applicant. This provision shall not apply to instances in which

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an employee who has access to the compensation information of other employees or applicants as a part of such employee's essential job functions discloses the compensation of such other employees or applicants to individuals who do not otherwise have access to such information, unless such disclosure is in response to a formal complaint or charge, in furtherance of an investigation, proceeding, hearing, or action, including an investigation conducted by the employer, or is consistent with the Recipient's legal duty to furnish information.

- iv. The Recipient will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other Agreement or understanding, a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers' representatives of the Recipient's commitments under this section, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- v. The Recipient will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.
- vi. The Recipient will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
- vii. In the event of the Recipient's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this Agreement or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this Agreement may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Recipient may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts or federally assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.
- viii. The Recipient will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (8) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Recipient will take such action with respect to any subcontractor purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance.

4. <u>Davis Bacon Act</u>

If the Agreement is a prime construction contract in excess of \$2,000 awarded by the Recipient, and if required by the Federal Legislation, the Recipient must comply with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5, "Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction"). In accordance with the statute, contractors must pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must pay wages not less than once a week. The Recipient must comply with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (40 U.S.C. 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 3, "Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States"). The Act provides that each Recipient or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled.

5. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act

Where applicable, if the Agreement is in excess of \$100,000 and involves the employment of mechanics or laborers, the Recipient must comply with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5). Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each Recipient must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic

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must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.

6. Rights to Inventions Made Under Agreement

If the Federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 CFR §401.2 (a) and the Non-Federal Entity or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement," the Non-Federal Entity or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 CFR Part 401, "Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements," and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency.

7. <u>Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.)</u>, the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387), and EPA Regulations

If the Agreement is in excess of \$100,000, the Recipient shall comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387), and by the EPA (40 CFR Part 15). Violations must be reported to the Federal Awarding Agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

8. <u>Debarment and Suspension (Executive Orders 12549 and 12689)</u>

The Recipient certifies that it is not listed on the governmentwide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR 180 and 2 CF 1200 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR part 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension."

9. Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

The Recipient certifies that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. If applicable, the Recipient shall disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award, using form SF-LLL, available at: https://apply07.grants.gov/apply/forms/sample/SFLLL 1 2 P-V1.2.pdf.

10. Procurement of Recovered Materials

The Recipient must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act as described in 2 CFR part 200.322.

11. Prohibition on Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment
The Recipients and subrecipients are prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to procure
or obtain; extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain; or enter into a contract (or extend or renew a
contract) to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications
equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part
of any system. See Section 889 of Public Law 115-232 (National Defense Authorization Act 2019). Also,
see 2 CFR 200.216 and 200.471.

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12. General Federal Regulations

Recipients shall comply with the regulations listed in 2 CFR 200, 48 CFR 31, and 40 U.S.C. 1101 et sequence.

13. <u>Rights to Patents and Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement</u>
Rights to inventions made under this assistance agreement are subject to federal patent and licensing regulations, which are codified at Title 37 CFR Part 401 and Title 35 U.S.C. 200 through 212.

- 14. Compliance with the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 (2 CFR Part 175)
- Recipients, their employees, subrecipients under this award, and subrecipients' employees may not:
 - A. Engage in severe forms of trafficking in persons during the period of time that the award is in effect:
 - B. Procure a commercial sex act during the period of time that the award is in effect; or
 - C. Use forced labor in the performance of the award or subawards under the award.
 - 15. Whistleblower Protection

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Recipients shall comply with U.S.C. §4712, Enhancement of Recipient and Subrecipient Employee Whistleblower Protection. This requirement applies to all awards issued after July 1, 2013 and effective December 14, 2016 has been permanently extended (Public Law (P.L.) 114-261).

- A. This award, related subawards, and related contracts over the simplified acquisition threshold and all employees working on this award, related subawards, and related contracts over the simplified acquisition threshold are subject to the whistleblower rights and remedies in the pilot program on award recipient employee whistleblower protections established at 41 U.S.C. 4712 by section 828 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 (P.L. 112-239).
- B. Recipients, their subrecipients, and their contractors awarded contracts over the simplified acquisition threshold related to this award, shall inform their employees in writing, in the predominant language of the workforce, of the employee whistleblower rights and protections under 41 U.S.C. 4712.
- C. The Recipient shall insert this clause, including this paragraph C, in all subawards and in contracts over the simplified acquisition threshold related to this award; best efforts should be made to include this clause, including this paragraph C in any subawards and contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this provision.

16. Notification of Termination (2 CFR § 200.340)

In accordance with 2 CFR § 200.340, in the event that the Agreement is terminated prior to the end of the period of performance due to the Recipient's or subcontractor's material failure to comply with Federal statutes, regulations or the terms and conditions of this Agreement or the Federal award, the termination shall be reported to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)-designated integrity and performance system, accessible through System for Award Management (SAM) currently the Federal Awardee Performance and Integrity Information System (FAPIIS). The Non-Federal Entity will notify the Recipient of the termination and the Federal requirement to report the termination in FAPIIS. See 2 CFR § 200.340 for the requirements of the notice and the Recipient's rights upon termination and following termination.

17. Additional Lobbying Requirements

- A. The Recipient certifies that no funds provided under this Agreement have been used or will be used to engage in the lobbying of the Federal Government or in litigation against the United States unless authorized under existing law.
- B. The Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, as amended (2 U.S.C. §1601 et seq.), prohibits any organization described in Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, from receiving federal funds through an award, grant (and/or subgrant) or loan unless such organization warrants that it does not, and will not engage in lobbying activities prohibited by the Act as a special condition of such an award, grant (and/or subgrant), or loan. This restriction does not apply to loans made pursuant to approved revolving loan programs or to contracts awarded using proper procurement procedures.
- C. Pursuant to 2 CFR §200.450 and 2 CFR §200.454(e), the Recipient is hereby prohibited from using funds provided by this Agreement for membership dues to any entity or organization engaged in lobbying activities.

COMPLIANCE WITH ASSURANCES

18. Assurances

Recipients shall comply with any and all applicable assurances made by the Department or the Recipient to the Federal Government during the Grant application process.

FEDERAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Grant Recipients awarded a new Federal grant greater than or equal to \$30,000 awarded on or after October 1, 2015, are subject to the FFATA the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act ("FFATA") of 2006. The FFATA legislation requires that information on federal awards (federal financial assistance and expenditures) be made available to the public via a single, searchable website, which is www.USASpending.gov. The Grantee agrees to provide the information necessary, within one (1) month of execution, for the Department to comply with this requirement.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION-SPECIFIC

19. DOT Regulations

Recipients shall comply with the following regulations: 2 CFR 1200-1201, 23 CFR 200, 49 CFR 17, 49 CFR 20-21, 49 CFR 25-28.

20. Retention and Access Requirements for Records

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Pursuant to 49 CFR §18.37(a)(3), for cost reimbursement subgrants of any tier, Recipients and subrecipients shall comply with the record retention and access requirements of 49 CFR §18.42.

21. Energy Efficiency Policies

Recipients must comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94–163, 89 Stat. 871).

22. Drug-Free Workplace

The Department must make an ongoing, good faith effort to maintain a drug-free workplace pursuant to the specific requirements set forth in 49 CFR 32. Additionally, in accordance with these regulations, the recipients must identify all known workplaces under its federal awards, and keep this information on file during the performance of the award.

23. <u>Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act</u> As applicable, Recipient shall comply with the requirements of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) to provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of Federal or federally assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of Federal participation in purchases.

24. Payments to Subcontractors

The Recipient must pay all subcontractors within 30 days of receipt of payment in accordance with 49 CFR 26.29. If retainage is withheld, the Department may make prompt and regular incremental acceptances of portions of the Agreement and pay retainage to Recipients based on these acceptances. Further, the Recipient must pay all retainage owed to the subcontractors for satisfactory completion of the accepted work within 30 days after your payment to the Recipient.

25. Additional Assurances

Consistent with 49 CFR 26.13(a) and (b), neither the Department nor the Recipient or any sub-recipient or subcontractor shall discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The Recipient shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the Recipient to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this Agreement, which may result in the termination of this Agreement or such other remedy as the recipient deems appropriate, which may include, but is not limited to:

- A. _Withholding monthly progress payments;
- B. Assessing sanctions;
- C. Liquidated damages; and/or
- D. Disqualifying the contractor from future bidding as non-responsible.

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION-SPECIFIC

26. Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Contractors & Recipients General Terms and Conditions for Assistance Awards

Recipients shall comply with FWHA <u>Contractors & Recipients General Terms and Conditions for Assistance Awards</u> available at https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/cfo/contractor_recip/gtandc_generaltermsconditions.cfm, and incorporated by reference.

27. Contract Provisions

If the Project meets the definition of a "Federal Aid Construction Project," Form <u>FHWA-1273 Required Contract Provisions</u>, available at https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/construction/cqit/form1273.cfm and incorporated by reference, must be physically incorporated into each contract and subcontract.

RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM-SPECIFIC

28. Recreational Trails Program Guidance

Recipients shall comply with the applicable requirements of <u>Recreational Trails Program Guidance</u> available at https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/recreational_trails/guidance/index.cfm, and incorporated by reference.

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REQUIRED CONTRACT PROVISIONS FEDERAL-AID CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

- I. General
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A. Employment and Materials Preference for Appalachian Development Highway System or Appalachian Local Access Road Contracts (included in Appalachian contracts only)

I. GENERAL

1. Form FHWA-1273 must be physically incorporated in each construction contract funded under Title 23 (excluding emergency contracts solely intended for debris removal). The contractor (or subcontractor) must insert this form in each subcontract and further require its inclusion in all lower tier subcontracts (excluding purchase orders, rental agreements and other agreements for supplies or services).

The applicable requirements of Form FHWA-1273 are incorporated by reference for work done under any purchase order, rental agreement or agreement for other services. The prime contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor, lower-tier subcontractor or service provider.

Form FHWA-1273 must be included in all Federal-aid designbuild contracts, in all subcontracts and in lower tier subcontracts (excluding subcontracts for design services, purchase orders, rental agreements and other agreements for supplies or services). The design-builder shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor, lower-tier subcontractor or service provider.

Contracting agencies may reference Form FHWA-1273 in bid proposal or request for proposal documents, however, the Form FHWA-1273 must be physically incorporated (not referenced) in all contracts, subcontracts and lower-tier subcontracts (excluding purchase orders, rental agreements and other agreements for supplies or services related to a construction contract).

 Subject to the applicability criteria noted in the following sections, these contract provisions shall apply to all work performed on the contract by the contractor's own organization and with the assistance of workers under the contractor's immediate superintendence and to all work performed on the contract by piecework, station work, or by subcontract.

- 3. A breach of any of the stipulations contained in these Required Contract Provisions may be sufficient grounds for withholding of progress payments, withholding of final payment, termination of the contract, suspension / debarment or any other action determined to be appropriate by the contracting agency and FHWA.
- 4. Selection of Labor: During the performance of this contract, the contractor shall not use convict labor for any purpose within the limits of a construction project on a Federal-aid highway unless it is labor performed by convicts who are on parole, supervised release, or probation. The term Federal-aid highway does not include roadways functionally classified as local roads or rural minor collectors.

II. NONDISCRIMINATION

The provisions of this section related to 23 CFR Part 230 are applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related construction subcontracts of \$10,000 or more. The provisions of 23 CFR Part 230 are not applicable to material supply, engineering, or architectural service contracts.

In addition, the contractor and all subcontractors must comply with the following policies: Executive Order 11246, 41 CFR 60, 29 CFR 1625-1627, Title 23 USC Section 140, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 USC 794), Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and related regulations including 49 CFR Parts 21, 26 and 27; and 23 CFR Parts 200, 230, and 633.

The contractor and all subcontractors must comply with: the requirements of the Equal Opportunity Clause in 41 CFR 60-1.4(b) and, for all construction contracts exceeding \$10,000, the Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications in 41 CFR 60-4.3.

Note: The U.S. Department of Labor has exclusive authority to determine compliance with Executive Order 11246 and the policies of the Secretary of Labor including 41 CFR 60, and 29 CFR 1625-1627. The contracting agency and the FHWA have the authority and the responsibility to ensure compliance with Title 23 USC Section 140, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 USC 794), and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and related regulations including 49 CFR Parts 21, 26 and 27; and 23 CFR Parts 200, 230, and 633.

The following provision is adopted from 23 CFR 230, Appendix A, with appropriate revisions to conform to the U.S. Department of Labor (US DOL) and FHWA requirements.

1. Equal Employment Opportunity: Equal employment opportunity (EEO) requirements not to discriminate and to take affirmative action to assure equal opportunity as set forth under laws, executive orders, rules, regulations (28 CFR 35, 29 CFR 1630, 29 CFR 1625-1627, 41 CFR 60 and 49 CFR 27) and orders of the Secretary of Labor as modified by the provisions prescribed herein, and imposed pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 140 shall constitute the EEO and specific affirmative action standards for the contractor's project activities under

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this contract. The provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.) set forth under 28 CFR 35 and 29 CFR 1630 are incorporated by reference in this contract. In the execution of this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with the following minimum specific requirement activities of EEO:

- a. The contractor will work with the contracting agency and the Federal Government to ensure that it has made every good faith effort to provide equal opportunity with respect to all of its terms and conditions of employment and in their review of activities under the contract.
- b. The contractor will accept as its operating policy the following statement:

"It is the policy of this Company to assure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, religion, sex, color, national origin, age or disability. Such action shall include: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship, pre-apprenticeship, and/or on-the-job training."

- 2. EEO Officer: The contractor will designate and make known to the contracting officers an EEO Officer who will have the responsibility for and must be capable of effectively administering and promoting an active EEO program and who must be assigned adequate authority and responsibility to do so.
- 3. Dissemination of Policy: All members of the contractor's staff who are authorized to hire, supervise, promote, and discharge employees, or who recommend such action, or who are substantially involved in such action, will be made fully cognizant of, and will implement, the contractor's EEO policy and contractual responsibilities to provide EEO in each grade and classification of employment. To ensure that the above agreement will be met, the following actions will be taken as a minimum:
- a. Periodic meetings of supervisory and personnel office employees will be conducted before the start of work and then not less often than once every six months, at which time the contractor's EEO policy and its implementation will be reviewed and explained. The meetings will be conducted by the EEO Officer.
- b. All new supervisory or personnel office employees will be given a thorough indoctrination by the EEO Officer, covering all major aspects of the contractor's EEO obligations within thirty days following their reporting for duty with the contractor.
- c. All personnel who are engaged in direct recruitment for the project will be instructed by the EEO Officer in the contractor's procedures for locating and hiring minorities and women
- d. Notices and posters setting forth the contractor's EEO policy will be placed in areas readily accessible to employees, applicants for employment and potential employees.
- e. The contractor's EEO policy and the procedures to implement such policy will be brought to the attention of employees by means of meetings, employee handbooks, or other appropriate means.

- 4. Recruitment: When advertising for employees, the contractor will include in all advertisements for employees the notation: "An Equal Opportunity Employer." All such advertisements will be placed in publications having a large circulation among minorities and women in the area from which the project work force would normally be derived.
- a. The contractor will, unless precluded by a valid bargaining agreement, conduct systematic and direct recruitment through public and private employee referral sources likely to yield qualified minorities and women. To meet this requirement, the contractor will identify sources of potential minority group employees, and establish with such identified sources procedures whereby minority and women applicants may be referred to the contractor for employment consideration.
- b. In the event the contractor has a valid bargaining agreement providing for exclusive hiring hall referrals, the contractor is expected to observe the provisions of that agreement to the extent that the system meets the contractor's compliance with EEO contract provisions. Where implementation of such an agreement has the effect of discriminating against minorities or women, or obligates the contractor to do the same, such implementation violates Federal nondiscrimination provisions.
- c. The contractor will encourage its present employees to refer minorities and women as applicants for employment. Information and procedures with regard to referring such applicants will be discussed with employees.
- 5. Personnel Actions: Wages, working conditions, and employee benefits shall be established and administered, and personnel actions of every type, including hiring, upgrading, promotion, transfer, demotion, layoff, and termination, shall be taken without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability. The following procedures shall be followed:
- a. The contractor will conduct periodic inspections of project sites to insure that working conditions and employee facilities do not indicate discriminatory treatment of project site personnel.
- b. The contractor will periodically evaluate the spread of wages paid within each classification to determine any evidence of discriminatory wage practices.
- c. The contractor will periodically review selected personnel actions in depth to determine whether there is evidence of discrimination. Where evidence is found, the contractor will promptly take corrective action. If the review indicates that the discrimination may extend beyond the actions reviewed, such corrective action shall include all affected persons.
- d. The contractor will promptly investigate all complaints of alleged discrimination made to the contractor in connection with its obligations under this contract, will attempt to resolve such complaints, and will take appropriate corrective action within a reasonable time. If the investigation indicates that the discrimination may affect persons other than the complainant, such corrective action shall include such other persons. Upon completion of each investigation, the contractor will inform every complainant of all of their avenues of appeal.

6. Training and Promotion:

a. The contractor will assist in locating, qualifying, and increasing the skills of minorities and women who are

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applicants for employment or current employees. Such efforts should be aimed at developing full journey level status employees in the type of trade or job classification involved.

- b. Consistent with the contractor's work force requirements and as permissible under Federal and State regulations, the contractor shall make full use of training programs, i.e., apprenticeship, and on-the-job training programs for the geographical area of contract performance. In the event a special provision for training is provided under this contract, this subparagraph will be superseded as indicated in the special provision. The contracting agency may reserve training positions for persons who receive welfare assistance in accordance with 23 U.S.C. 140(a).
- c. The contractor will advise employees and applicants for employment of available training programs and entrance requirements for each.
- d. The contractor will periodically review the training and promotion potential of employees who are minorities and women and will encourage eligible employees to apply for such training and promotion.
- 7. Unions: If the contractor relies in whole or in part upon unions as a source of employees, the contractor will use good faith efforts to obtain the cooperation of such unions to increase opportunities for minorities and women. Actions by the contractor, either directly or through a contractor's association acting as agent, will include the procedures set forth below:
- a. The contractor will use good faith efforts to develop, in cooperation with the unions, joint training programs aimed toward qualifying more minorities and women for membership in the unions and increasing the skills of minorities and women so that they may qualify for higher paying employment.
- b. The contractor will use good faith efforts to incorporate an EEO clause into each union agreement to the end that such union will be contractually bound to refer applicants without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability.
- c. The contractor is to obtain information as to the referral practices and policies of the labor union except that to the extent such information is within the exclusive possession of the labor union and such labor union refuses to furnish such information to the contractor, the contractor shall so certify to the contracting agency and shall set forth what efforts have been made to obtain such information.
- d. In the event the union is unable to provide the contractor with a reasonable flow of referrals within the time limit set forth in the collective bargaining agreement, the contractor will, through independent recruitment efforts, fill the employment vacancies without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability; making full efforts to obtain qualified and/or qualifiable minorities and women. The failure of a union to provide sufficient referrals (even though it is obligated to provide exclusive referrals under the terms of a collective bargaining agreement) does not relieve the contractor from the requirements of this paragraph. In the event the union referral practice prevents the contractor from meeting the obligations pursuant to Executive Order 11246, as amended, and these special provisions, such contractor shall immediately notify the contracting agency.
- 8. Reasonable Accommodation for Applicants / Employees with Disabilities: The contractor must be familiar

with the requirements for and comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act and all rules and regulations established there under. Employers must provide reasonable accommodation in all employment activities unless to do so would cause an undue hardship.

- 9. Selection of Subcontractors, Procurement of Materials and Leasing of Equipment: The contractor shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall take all necessary and reasonable steps to ensure nondiscrimination in the administration of this contract.
- a. The contractor shall notify all potential subcontractors and suppliers and lessors of their EEO obligations under this contract.
- b. The contractor will use good faith efforts to ensure subcontractor compliance with their EEO obligations.

10. Assurance Required by 49 CFR 26.13(b):

- a. The requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 and the State DOT's U.S. DOT-approved DBE program are incorporated by reference.
- b. The contractor or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the contracting agency deems appropriate.
- 11. Records and Reports: The contractor shall keep such records as necessary to document compliance with the EEO requirements. Such records shall be retained for a period of three years following the date of the final payment to the contractor for all contract work and shall be available at reasonable times and places for inspection by authorized representatives of the contracting agency and the FHWA.
- a. The records kept by the contractor shall document the following:
- (1) The number and work hours of minority and nonminority group members and women employed in each work classification on the project;
 - (2) The progress and efforts being made in cooperation with unions, when applicable, to increase employment opportunities for minorities and women; and
 - (3) The progress and efforts being made in locating, hiring, training, qualifying, and upgrading minorities and women;
- b. The contractors and subcontractors will submit an annual report to the contracting agency each July for the duration of the project, indicating the number of minority, women, and non-minority group employees currently engaged in each work classification required by the contract work. This information is to be reported on Form FHWA-1391. The staffing data should represent the project work force on board in all or any part of the last payroll period preceding the end of July. If on-the-job training is being required by special provision, the contractor

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will be required to collect and report training data. The employment data should reflect the work force on board during all or any part of the last payroll period preceding the end of July.

III. NONSEGREGATED FACILITIES

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related construction subcontracts of \$10,000 or more.

The contractor must ensure that facilities provided for employees are provided in such a manner that segregation on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin cannot result. The contractor may neither require such segregated use by written or oral policies nor tolerate such use by employee custom. The contractor's obligation extends further to ensure that its employees are not assigned to perform their services at any location, under the contractor's control, where the facilities are segregated. The term "facilities" includes waiting rooms, work areas, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, restrooms, washrooms, locker rooms, and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation, and housing provided for employees. The contractor shall provide separate or single-user restrooms and necessary dressing or sleeping areas to assure privacy between sexes.

IV. DAVIS-BACON AND RELATED ACT PROVISIONS

This section is applicable to all Federal-aid construction projects exceeding \$2,000 and to all related subcontracts and lower-tier subcontracts (regardless of subcontract size). The requirements apply to all projects located within the right-of-way of a roadway that is functionally classified as Federal-aid highway. This excludes roadways functionally classified as local roads or rural minor collectors, which are exempt. Contracting agencies may elect to apply these requirements to other projects.

The following provisions are from the U.S. Department of Labor regulations in 29 CFR 5.5 "Contract provisions and related matters" with minor revisions to conform to the FHWA-1273 format and FHWA program requirements.

1. Minimum wages

a. All laborers and mechanics employed or working upon the site of the work, will be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a week, and without subsequent deduction or rebate on any account (except such payroll deductions as are permitted by regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor under the Copeland Act (29 CFR part 3)), the full amount of wages and bona fide fringe benefits (or cash equivalents thereof) due at time of payment computed at rates not less than those contained in the wage determination of the Secretary of Labor which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, regardless of any contractual relationship which may be alleged to exist between the contractor and such laborers and mechanics.

Contributions made or costs reasonably anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits under section 1(b)(2) of the Davis-Bacon Act on behalf of laborers or mechanics are considered wages paid to such laborers or mechanics, subject to the provisions of paragraph 1.d. of this section; also, regular contributions made or costs incurred for more than a weekly period (but not less often than quarterly) under plans, funds, or programs which cover the particular weekly period, are deemed to be constructively made or incurred during such weekly period. Such laborers and mechanics shall be paid the appropriate wage rate and fringe benefits on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed, without regard to skill, except as provided in 29 CFR 5.5(a)(4). Laborers or mechanics performing work in more than one classification may be compensated at the rate specified for each classification for the time actually worked therein: Provided, That the employer's payroll records accurately set forth the time spent in each classification in which work is performed. The wage determination (including any additional classification and wage rates conformed under paragraph 1.b. of this section) and the Davis-Bacon poster (WH-1321) shall be posted at all times by the contractor and its subcontractors at the site of the work in a prominent and accessible place where it can be easily seen by the workers.

- b.(1) The contracting officer shall require that any class of laborers or mechanics, including helpers, which is not listed in the wage determination and which is to be employed under the contract shall be classified in conformance with the wage determination. The contracting officer shall approve an additional classification and wage rate and fringe benefits therefore only when the following criteria have been met:
 - (i) The work to be performed by the classification requested is not performed by a classification in the wage determination; and
 - (ii) The classification is utilized in the area by the construction industry; and
 - (iii) The proposed wage rate, including any bona fide fringe benefits, bears a reasonable relationship to the wage rates contained in the wage determination.
 - (2) If the contractor and the laborers and mechanics to be employed in the classification (if known), or their representatives, and the contracting officer agree on the classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits where appropriate), a report of the action taken shall be sent by the contracting officer to the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, DC 20210. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will approve, modify, or disapprove every additional classification action within 30 days of receipt and so advise the contracting officer or will notify the contracting officer within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary.
 - (3) In the event the contractor, the laborers or mechanics to be employed in the classification or their representatives, and the contracting officer do not agree on the proposed classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits, where appropriate), the contracting officer shall refer the questions, including the views of all interested parties and the recommendation of the contracting officer, to the Wage and Hour Administrator for determination. The Wage and Hour Administrator, or an authorized representative, will issue a determination within 30 days of receipt and so advise the contracting officer or

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will notify the contracting officer within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary.

- (4) The wage rate (including fringe benefits where appropriate) determined pursuant to paragraphs 1.b.(2) or 1.b.(3) of this section, shall be paid to all workers performing work in the classification under this contract from the first day on which work is performed in the classification.
- c. Whenever the minimum wage rate prescribed in the contract for a class of laborers or mechanics includes a fringe benefit which is not expressed as an hourly rate, the contractor shall either pay the benefit as stated in the wage determination or shall pay another bona fide fringe benefit or an hourly cash equivalent thereof.
- d. If the contractor does not make payments to a trustee or other third person, the contractor may consider as part of the wages of any laborer or mechanic the amount of any costs reasonably anticipated in providing bona fide fringe benefits under a plan or program, Provided, That the Secretary of Labor has found, upon the written request of the contractor, that the applicable standards of the Davis-Bacon Act have been met. The Secretary of Labor may require the contractor to set aside in a separate account assets for the meeting of obligations under the plan or program.

2. Withholding

The contracting agency shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor, withhold or cause to be withheld from the contractor under this contract, or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federallyassisted contract subject to Davis-Bacon prevailing wage requirements, which is held by the same prime contractor, so much of the accrued payments or advances as may be considered necessary to pay laborers and mechanics, including apprentices, trainees, and helpers, employed by the contractor or any subcontractor the full amount of wages required by the contract. In the event of failure to pay any laborer or mechanic, including any apprentice, trainee, or helper, employed or working on the site of the work, all or part of the wages required by the contract, the contracting agency may, after written notice to the contractor, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds until such violations have ceased.

3. Payrolls and basic records

a. Payrolls and basic records relating thereto shall be maintained by the contractor during the course of the work and preserved for a period of three years thereafter for all laborers and mechanics working at the site of the work. Such records shall contain the name, address, and social security number of each such worker, his or her correct classification, hourly rates of wages paid (including rates of contributions or costs anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits or cash equivalents thereof of the types described in section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-Bacon Act), daily and weekly number of hours worked, deductions made and actual wages paid. Whenever the Secretary of Labor has found under 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(iv) that the wages of any laborer or mechanic include the amount of any costs reasonably anticipated in providing benefits under a plan or program described in section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-

Bacon Act, the contractor shall maintain records which show that the commitment to provide such benefits is enforceable, that the plan or program is financially responsible, and that the plan or program has been communicated in writing to the laborers or mechanics affected, and records which show the costs anticipated or the actual cost incurred in providing such benefits. Contractors employing apprentices or trainees under approved programs shall maintain written evidence of the registration of apprenticeship programs and certification of trainee programs, the registration of the apprentices and trainees, and the ratios and wage rates prescribed in the applicable programs.

- b.(1) The contractor shall submit weekly for each week in which any contract work is performed a copy of all payrolls to the contracting agency. The payrolls submitted shall set out accurately and completely all of the information required to be maintained under 29 CFR 5.5(a)(3)(i), except that full social security numbers and home addresses shall not be included on weekly transmittals. Instead the payrolls shall only need to include an individually identifying number for each employee (e.g., the last four digits of the employee's social security number). The required weekly payroll information may be submitted in any form desired. Optional Form WH-347 is available for this purpose from the Wage and Hour Division Web site at http://www.dol.gov/esa/whd/forms/wh347instr.htm or its successor site. The prime contractor is responsible for the submission of copies of payrolls by all subcontractors. Contractors and subcontractors shall maintain the full social security number and current address of each covered worker, and shall provide them upon request to the contracting agency for transmission to the State DOT, the FHWA or the Wage and Hour Division of the Department of Labor for purposes of an investigation or audit of compliance with prevailing wage requirements. It is not a violation of this section for a prime contractor to require a subcontractor to provide addresses and social security numbers to the prime contractor for its own records, without weekly submission to the contracting agency..
- (2) Each payroll submitted shall be accompanied by a "Statement of Compliance," signed by the contractor or subcontractor or his or her agent who pays or supervises the payment of the persons employed under the contract and shall certify the following:
 - (i) That the payroll for the payroll period contains the information required to be provided under §5.5 (a)(3)(ii) of Regulations, 29 CFR part 5, the appropriate information is being maintained under §5.5 (a)(3)(i) of Regulations, 29 CFR part 5, and that such information is correct and complete;
 - (ii) That each laborer or mechanic (including each helper, apprentice, and trainee) employed on the contract during the payroll period has been paid the full weekly wages earned, without rebate, either directly or indirectly, and that no deductions have been made either directly or indirectly from the full wages earned, other than permissible deductions as set forth in Regulations, 29 CFR part 3;
 - (iii) That each laborer or mechanic has been paid not less than the applicable wage rates and fringe benefits or cash equivalents for the classification of work performed, as specified in the applicable wage determination incorporated into the contract.

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- (3) The weekly submission of a properly executed certification set forth on the reverse side of Optional Form WH–347 shall satisfy the requirement for submission of the "Statement of Compliance" required by paragraph 3.b.(2) of this section
- (4) The falsification of any of the above certifications may subject the contractor or subcontractor to civil or criminal prosecution under section 1001 of title 18 and section 231 of title 31 of the United States Code.
- c. The contractor or subcontractor shall make the records required under paragraph 3.a. of this section available for inspection, copying, or transcription by authorized representatives of the contracting agency, the State DOT, the FHWA, or the Department of Labor, and shall permit such representatives to interview employees during working hours on the job. If the contractor or subcontractor fails to submit the required records or to make them available, the FHWA may, after written notice to the contractor, the contracting agency or the State DOT, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds. Furthermore, failure to submit the required records upon request or to make such records available may be grounds for debarment action pursuant to 29 CFR 5.12.

4. Apprentices and trainees

a. Apprentices (programs of the USDOL).

Apprentices will be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work they performed when they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a bona fide apprenticeship program registered with the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services, or with a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by the Office, or if a person is employed in his or her first 90 days of probationary employment as an apprentice in such an apprenticeship program, who is not individually registered in the program, but who has been certified by the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services or a State Apprenticeship Agency (where appropriate) to be eligible for probationary employment as an apprentice.

The allowable ratio of apprentices to journeymen on the job site in any craft classification shall not be greater than the ratio permitted to the contractor as to the entire work force under the registered program. Any worker listed on a payroll at an apprentice wage rate, who is not registered or otherwise employed as stated above, shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed. In addition, any apprentice performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed. Where a contractor is performing construction on a project in a locality other than that in which its program is registered, the ratios and wage rates (expressed in percentages of the journeyman's hourly rate) specified in the contractor's or subcontractor's registered program shall be observed.

Every apprentice must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the registered program for the apprentice's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeymen hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Apprentices shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the apprenticeship program. If the apprenticeship program does not specify fringe benefits, apprentices must be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed on the wage determination for the applicable classification. If the Administrator determines that a different practice prevails for the applicable apprentice classification, fringes shall be paid in accordance with that determination.

In the event the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services, or a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by the Office, withdraws approval of an apprenticeship program, the contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize apprentices at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.

b. Trainees (programs of the USDOL).

Except as provided in 29 CFR 5.16, trainees will not be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work performed unless they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a program which has received prior approval, evidenced by formal certification by the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration.

The ratio of trainees to journeymen on the job site shall not be greater than permitted under the plan approved by the Employment and Training Administration.

Every trainee must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the approved program for the trainee's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeyman hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Trainees shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the trainee program. If the trainee program does not mention fringe benefits, trainees shall be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed on the wage determination unless the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division determines that there is an apprenticeship program associated with the corresponding journeyman wage rate on the wage determination which provides for less than full fringe benefits for apprentices. Any employee listed on the payroll at a trainee rate who is not registered and participating in a training plan approved by the Employment and Training Administration shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed. In addition, any trainee performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed.

In the event the Employment and Training Administration withdraws approval of a training program, the contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize trainees at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.

c. Equal employment opportunity. The utilization of apprentices, trainees and journeymen under this part shall be in conformity with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Executive Order 11246, as amended, and 29 CFR part 30.

d. Apprentices and Trainees (programs of the U.S. DOT).

Apprentices and trainees working under apprenticeship and skill training programs which have been certified by the Secretary of Transportation as promoting EEO in connection with Federal-aid highway construction programs are not subject to the requirements of paragraph 4 of this Section IV. The straight time hourly wage rates for apprentices and trainees under such programs will be established by the particular programs. The ratio of apprentices and trainees to journeymen shall not be greater than permitted by the terms of the particular program.

- **5. Compliance with Copeland Act requirements.** The contractor shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR part 3, which are incorporated by reference in this contract.
- **6. Subcontracts.** The contractor or subcontractor shall insert Form FHWA-1273 in any subcontracts and also require the subcontractors to include Form FHWA-1273 in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for the compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with all the contract clauses in 29 CFR 5.5.
- **7. Contract termination: debarment.** A breach of the contract clauses in 29 CFR 5.5 may be grounds for termination of the contract, and for debarment as a contractor and a subcontractor as provided in 29 CFR 5.12.
- 8. Compliance with Davis-Bacon and Related Act requirements. All rulings and interpretations of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts contained in 29 CFR parts 1, 3, and 5 are herein incorporated by reference in this contract.
- 9. Disputes concerning labor standards. Disputes arising out of the labor standards provisions of this contract shall not be subject to the general disputes clause of this contract. Such disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the procedures of the Department of Labor set forth in 29 CFR parts 5, 6, and 7. Disputes within the meaning of this clause include disputes between the contractor (or any of its subcontractors) and the contracting agency, the U.S. Department of Labor, or the employees or their representatives.

10. Certification of eligibility.

- a. By entering into this contract, the contractor certifies that neither it (nor he or she) nor any person or firm who has an interest in the contractor's firm is a person or firm ineligible to be awarded Government contracts by virtue of section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1).
- b. No part of this contract shall be subcontracted to any person or firm ineligible for award of a Government contract by virtue of section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1).
- c. The penalty for making false statements is prescribed in the U.S. Criminal Code, 18 U.S.C. 1001.

V. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT

The following clauses apply to any Federal-aid construction contract in an amount in excess of \$100,000 and subject to the overtime provisions of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act. These clauses shall be inserted in addition to the clauses required by 29 CFR 5.5(a) or 29 CFR 4.6. As used in this paragraph, the terms laborers and mechanics include watchmen and guards.

- 1. Overtime requirements. No contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic in any workweek in which he or she is employed on such work to work in excess of forty hours in such workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in such workweek.
- 2. Violation; liability for unpaid wages; liquidated damages. In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1.) of this section, the contractor and any subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable for the unpaid wages. In addition, such contractor and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory), for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, employed in violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1.) of this section, in the sum of \$10 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard workweek of forty hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in paragraph (1.) of this section.
- 3. Withholding for unpaid wages and liquidated damages. The FHWA or the contacting agency shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the contractor or subcontractor under any such contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federally-assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, which is held by the same prime contractor, such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such contractor or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in paragraph (2.) of this section.
- 4. Subcontracts. The contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in paragraph (1.) through (4.) of this section and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1.) through (4.) of this section.

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VI. SUBLETTING OR ASSIGNING THE CONTRACT

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts on the National Highway System.

- 1. The contractor shall perform with its own organization contract work amounting to not less than 30 percent (or a greater percentage if specified elsewhere in the contract) of the total original contract price, excluding any specialty items designated by the contracting agency. Specialty items may be performed by subcontract and the amount of any such specialty items performed may be deducted from the total original contract price before computing the amount of work required to be performed by the contractor's own organization (23 CFR 635.116).
- a. The term "perform work with its own organization" refers to workers employed or leased by the prime contractor, and equipment owned or rented by the prime contractor, with or without operators. Such term does not include employees or equipment of a subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor, agents of the prime contractor, or any other assignees. The term may include payments for the costs of hiring leased employees from an employee leasing firm meeting all relevant Federal and State regulatory requirements. Leased employees may only be included in this term if the prime contractor meets all of the following conditions:
- (1) the prime contractor maintains control over the supervision of the day-to-day activities of the leased employees;
 - (2) the prime contractor remains responsible for the quality of the work of the leased employees;
- (3) the prime contractor retains all power to accept or exclude individual employees from work on the project; and
- (4) the prime contractor remains ultimately responsible for the payment of predetermined minimum wages, the submission of payrolls, statements of compliance and all other Federal regulatory requirements.
- b. "Specialty Items" shall be construed to be limited to work that requires highly specialized knowledge, abilities, or equipment not ordinarily available in the type of contracting organizations qualified and expected to bid or propose on the contract as a whole and in general are to be limited to minor components of the overall contract.
- 2. The contract amount upon which the requirements set forth in paragraph (1) of Section VI is computed includes the cost of material and manufactured products which are to be purchased or produced by the contractor under the contract provisions.
- 3. The contractor shall furnish (a) a competent superintendent or supervisor who is employed by the firm, has full authority to direct performance of the work in accordance with the contract requirements, and is in charge of all construction operations (regardless of who performs the work) and (b) such other of its own organizational resources (supervision, management, and engineering services) as the contracting officer determines is necessary to assure the performance of the contract.
- 4. No portion of the contract shall be sublet, assigned or otherwise disposed of except with the written consent of the contracting officer, or authorized representative, and such consent when given shall not be construed to relieve the contractor of any responsibility for the fulfillment of the contract. Written consent will be given only after the contracting agency has assured that each subcontract is

evidenced in writing and that it contains all pertinent provisions and requirements of the prime contract.

5. The 30% self-performance requirement of paragraph (1) is not applicable to design-build contracts; however, contracting agencies may establish their own self-performance requirements.

VII. SAFETY: ACCIDENT PREVENTION

- This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts.
- 1. In the performance of this contract the contractor shall comply with all applicable Federal, State, and local laws governing safety, health, and sanitation (23 CFR 635). The contractor shall provide all safeguards, safety devices and protective equipment and take any other needed actions as it determines, or as the contracting officer may determine, to be reasonably necessary to protect the life and health of employees on the job and the safety of the public and to protect property in connection with the performance of the work covered by the contract.
- 2. It is a condition of this contract, and shall be made a condition of each subcontract, which the contractor enters into pursuant to this contract, that the contractor and any subcontractor shall not permit any employee, in performance of the contract, to work in surroundings or under conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous to his/her health or safety, as determined under construction safety and health standards (29 CFR 1926) promulgated by the Secretary of Labor, in accordance with Section 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3704).
- 3. Pursuant to 29 CFR 1926.3, it is a condition of this contract that the Secretary of Labor or authorized representative thereof, shall have right of entry to any site of contract performance to inspect or investigate the matter of compliance with the construction safety and health standards and to carry out the duties of the Secretary under Section 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C.3704).

VIII. FALSE STATEMENTS CONCERNING HIGHWAY PROJECTS

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts.

In order to assure high quality and durable construction in conformity with approved plans and specifications and a high degree of reliability on statements and representations made by engineers, contractors, suppliers, and workers on Federalaid highway projects, it is essential that all persons concerned with the project perform their functions as carefully, thoroughly, and honestly as possible. Willful falsification, distortion, or misrepresentation with respect to any facts related to the project is a violation of Federal law. To prevent any misunderstanding regarding the seriousness of these and similar acts, Form FHWA-1022 shall be posted on each Federal-aid highway project (23 CFR 635) in one or more places where it is readily available to all persons concerned with the project:

18 U.S.C. 1020 reads as follows:

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"Whoever, being an officer, agent, or employee of the United States, or of any State or Territory, or whoever, whether a person, association, firm, or corporation, knowingly makes any false statement, false representation, or false report as to the character, quality, quantity, or cost of the material used or to be used, or the quantity or quality of the work performed or to be performed, or the cost thereof in connection with the submission of plans, maps, specifications, contracts, or costs of construction on any highway or related project submitted for approval to the Secretary of Transportation; or

Whoever knowingly makes any false statement, false representation, false report or false claim with respect to the character, quality, quantity, or cost of any work performed or to be performed, or materials furnished or to be furnished, in connection with the construction of any highway or related project approved by the Secretary of Transportation; or

Whoever knowingly makes any false statement or false representation as to material fact in any statement, certificate, or report submitted pursuant to provisions of the Federal-aid Roads Act approved July 1, 1916, (39 Stat. 355), as amended and supplemented;

Shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than 5 years or both."

IX. IMPLEMENTATION OF CLEAN AIR ACT AND FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts.

By submission of this bid/proposal or the execution of this contract, or subcontract, as appropriate, the bidder, proposer, Federal-aid construction contractor, or subcontractor, as appropriate, will be deemed to have stipulated as follows:

- 1. That any person who is or will be utilized in the performance of this contract is not prohibited from receiving an award due to a violation of Section 508 of the Clean Water Act or Section 306 of the Clean Air Act.
- 2. That the contractor agrees to include or cause to be included the requirements of paragraph (1) of this Section X in every subcontract, and further agrees to take such action as the contracting agency may direct as a means of enforcing such requirements.

X. CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts, design-build contracts, subcontracts, lower-tier subcontracts, purchase orders, lease agreements, consultant contracts or any other covered transaction requiring FHWA approval or that is estimated to cost \$25,000 or more – as defined in 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200.

1. Instructions for Certification – First Tier Participants:

- a. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective first tier participant is providing the certification set out below.
- b. The inability of a person to provide the certification set out below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this

covered transaction. The prospective first tier participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification set out below. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the department or agency's determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective first tier participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such a person from participation in this transaction.

- c. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when the contracting agency determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the contracting agency may terminate this transaction for cause of default.
- d. The prospective first tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the contracting agency to whom this proposal is submitted if any time the prospective first tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- e. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred,"
 "suspended," "ineligible," "participant," "person," "principal,"
 and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, are defined
 in 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200. "First Tier Covered
 Transactions" refers to any covered transaction between a
 grantee or subgrantee of Federal funds and a participant (such
 as the prime or general contract). "Lower Tier Covered
 Transactions" refers to any covered transaction under a First
 Tier Covered Transaction (such as subcontracts). "First Tier
 Participant" refers to the participant who has entered into a
 covered transaction with a grantee or subgrantee of Federal
 funds (such as the prime or general contractor). "Lower Tier
 Participant" refers any participant who has entered into a
 covered transaction with a First Tier Participant or other Lower
 Tier Participants (such as subcontractors and suppliers).
- f. The prospective first tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency entering into this transaction.
- g. The prospective first tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transactions," provided by the department or contracting agency, entering into this covered transaction, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions exceeding the \$25,000 threshold.
- h. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant is responsible for ensuring that its principals are not suspended, debarred, or otherwise ineligible to participate in covered transactions. To verify the eligibility of its principals, as well as the eligibility of any lower tier prospective participants, each participant may, but is not required to, check the Excluded Parties List System website (https://www.epls.gov/), which is compiled by the General Services Administration.

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- i. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require the establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of the prospective participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- j. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph (f) of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause or default.

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2. Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion – First Tier Participants:

- a. The prospective first tier participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
- Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participating in covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
- (2) Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
- (3) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (a)(2) of this certification; and
- (4) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- b. Where the prospective participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

2. Instructions for Certification - Lower Tier Participants:

(Applicable to all subcontracts, purchase orders and other lower tier transactions requiring prior FHWA approval or estimated to cost \$25,000 or more - 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200)

- a. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier is providing the certification set out below.
- b. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department, or agency with which

this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

- c. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- d. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred,"
 "suspended," "ineligible," "participant," "person," "principal,"
 and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, are defined
 in 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200. You may contact the person to
 which this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a
 copy of those regulations. "First Tier Covered Transactions"
 refers to any covered transaction between a grantee or
 subgrantee of Federal funds and a participant (such as the
 prime or general contract). "Lower Tier Covered Transactions"
 refers to any covered transaction under a First Tier Participant
 Transaction (such as subcontracts). "First Tier Participant"
 refers to the participant who has entered into a covered
 transaction with a grantee or subgrantee of Federal funds
 (such as the prime or general contractor). "Lower Tier
 Participant" refers any participant who has entered into a
 covered transaction with a First Tier Participant or other Lower
 Tier Participants (such as subcontractors and suppliers).
- e. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- f. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include this clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transaction," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions exceeding the \$25,000 threshold.
- g. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant is responsible for ensuring that its principals are not suspended, debarred, or otherwise ineligible to participate in covered transactions. To verify the eligibility of its principals, as well as the eligibility of any lower tier prospective participants, each participant may, but is not required to, check the Excluded Parties List System website (https://www.epls.gov/), which is compiled by the General Services Administration.
- h. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- i. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph e of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the

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department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

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Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion--Lower Tier Participants:

- 1. The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participating in covered transactions by any Federal department or agency.
- Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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XI. CERTIFICATION REGARDING USE OF CONTRACT FUNDS FOR LOBBYING

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts which exceed \$100,000 (49 CFR 20).

- 1. The prospective participant certifies, by signing and submitting this bid or proposal, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:
- a. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- b. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- 2. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.
- 3. The prospective participant also agrees by submitting its bid or proposal that the participant shall require that the language of this certification be included in all lower tier subcontracts, which exceed \$100,000 and that all such recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

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ATTACHMENT A - EMPLOYMENT AND MATERIALS PREFERENCE FOR APPALACHIAN DEVELOPMENT HIGHWAY SYSTEM OR APPALACHIAN LOCAL ACCESS ROAD CONTRACTS

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid projects funded under the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965.

- 1. During the performance of this contract, the contractor undertaking to do work which is, or reasonably may be, done as on-site work, shall give preference to qualified persons who regularly reside in the labor area as designated by the DOL wherein the contract work is situated, or the subregion, or the Appalachian counties of the State wherein the contract work is situated, except:
- a. To the extent that qualified persons regularly residing in the area are not available.
- b. For the reasonable needs of the contractor to employ supervisory or specially experienced personnel necessary to assure an efficient execution of the contract work.
- c. For the obligation of the contractor to offer employment to present or former employees as the result of a lawful collective bargaining contract, provided that the number of nonresident persons employed under this subparagraph (1c) shall not exceed 20 percent of the total number of employees employed by the contractor on the contract work, except as provided in subparagraph (4) below.
- 2. The contractor shall place a job order with the State Employment Service indicating (a) the classifications of the laborers, mechanics and other employees required to perform the contract work, (b) the number of employees required in each classification, (c) the date on which the participant estimates such employees will be required, and (d) any other pertinent information required by the State Employment Service to complete the job order form. The job order may be placed with the State Employment Service in writing or by telephone. If during the course of the contract work, the information submitted by the contractor in the original job order is substantially modified, the participant shall promptly notify the State Employment Service.
- 3. The contractor shall give full consideration to all qualified job applicants referred to him by the State Employment Service. The contractor is not required to grant employment to any job applicants who, in his opinion, are not qualified to perform the classification of work required.
- 4. If, within one week following the placing of a job order by the contractor with the State Employment Service, the State Employment Service is unable to refer any qualified job applicants to the contractor, or less than the number requested, the State Employment Service will forward a certificate to the contractor indicating the unavailability of applicants. Such certificate shall be made a part of the contractor's permanent project records. Upon receipt of this certificate, the contractor may employ persons who do not normally reside in the labor area to fill positions covered by the certificate, notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph (1c) above.
- 5. The provisions of 23 CFR 633.207(e) allow the contracting agency to provide a contractual preference for the use of mineral resource materials native to the Appalachian region.

6. The contractor shall include the provisions of Sections 1 through 4 of this Attachment A in every subcontract for work which is, or reasonably may be, done as on-site work.

Florida Department of Environmental Protection



Recreational Trails Program Project Status Report

Required Signatures: Adobe Signature		
Project Name:	Project N	umber:
Project Sponsor:		
Identify primary and support recreation areas and fa PROVIDE PHOTOS OF WORK IN PROGRES PRIMARY FACILITIES/ELEMENTS:	cilities to be constructed. (50% of total costs must be $\underline{\mathbf{S}}$	in primary facilities).
Project Elements	Work Accomplished	% Completed
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SUPPORT	FACII	ITIES/EI	EMENTS

Project Elements	Work Accomplished	
PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED:		
Period Covered (Check Appropriate Period):	January through April: May through August:	Due May 5 th Due September 5 th
	September through December:	Due January 5 th
LIAISON:		
Signature	Date	

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Florida Department of Environmental Protection

DEP 55-223 PAYMENT REQUEST SUMMARY FORM

Required Signatures: Original Ink		
Grantee:	Grantee's Grant Manager:	
Mailing Address: 3900 Commonwealth Boulev	Payment Request No.:	
DEP Agreement No.:	Tuyment Request I ton	
Date Of Request:	Performance	
	Period:	
Task/Deliverable Amount	Task/Deliverable	
Requested:\$	No.:	-

GRANT EXPENDITURES SUMMARY SECTION

[Effective Date of Grant through End-of-Grant Period]

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				FUNDS
Salaries	\$	\$	\$	\$
Fringe Benefits	\$	\$	\$	\$
Travel (if authorized)	\$	\$	\$	\$
Subcontracting:				
Planning	\$	\$	\$	\$
Design	\$	\$	\$	\$
Construction	\$	\$	\$	\$
Equipment Purchases	\$	\$	\$	\$
Supplies/Other Expenses	\$	\$	\$	\$
Land	\$	\$	\$	\$
Indirect	\$	\$	\$	\$
TOTAL AMOUNT	\$	\$	\$	\$
TOTAL TASK BUDGET	\$		\$	
AMOUNT				
Less Total Cumulative Payments	\$		\$	
of:				
TOTAL REMAINING IN TASK	\$		\$	

GRANTEE CERTIFICATION

The undersigned certifies that the amount being requested for reimbursement above was for items that were charged to and utilized only for the above cited grant activities.

Grantee's Grant Manager's Signature	Grantee's Fiscal Agent
Print Name	Print Name
Telephone Number	Telephone Number

Exhibit G - T19023 Grant Document EXHIBIT F

APPENDICES A and E

During the performance of this contract, the contractor, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor") agrees as follows:

- (1.) Compliance with Regulations: The Contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the U.S. Department of Transportation (hereinafter, "USDOT") Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement.
- (2.) Nondiscrimination: The Contractor, with regard to the work performed during the contract, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The Contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.
- (3.) Solicitations for Subcontractors, including Procurements of Materials and Equipment: In all solicitations made by the Contractor, either by competitive bidding or negotiation for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment; each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the Contractor of the Contractor's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status.
- (4.) Information and Reports: The Contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a Contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the Contractor shall so certify to the Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
- (5.) Sanctions for Noncompliance: In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the Florida Department of Transportation shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - a. withholding of payments to the Contractor under the contract until the Contractor complies, and/or
 - b. cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.
- (6.) Incorporation of Provisions: The Contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the

Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. In the event a Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a sub-contractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the Contractor may request the Florida Department of Transportation to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the Florida Department of Transportation, and, in addition, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

(7.) Compliance with Nondiscrimination Statutes and Authorities: Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., 78 stat. 252), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin); and 49 CFR Part 21; The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 U.S.C. § 4601), (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects); Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973, (23 U.S.C. § 324 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex): Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. (29 U.S.C. § 794 et seq.), as amended, (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR Part 27; The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age); Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982, (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended, (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex); The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, (PL 100-209), (Broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, The Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms "programs or activities" to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal-aid recipients, sub-recipients and contractors, whether such programs or activities are Federally funded or not); Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing entities (42 U.S.C. §§ 12131 -- 12189) as implemented by Department of Transportation regulations at 49 C.F.R. parts 37 and 38; The Federal Aviation Administration's Non-discrimination statute (49 U.S.C. § 47123) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex); Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, which ensures non-discrimination against minority populations by discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations; Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination because of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, you must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to your programs (70 Fed. Reg. at 74087 to 74100); Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq).

EXHIBIT G

49 CFR 26.13 - What assurances must recipients and contractors make?

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§ 26.13 What assurances must recipients and contractors make?

- (a) Each financial assistance agreement you sign with a DOT operating administration (or a primary recipient) must include the following assurance: The recipient shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the award and performance of any DOT-assisted contract or in the administration of its DBE program or the requirements 49 CFR part 26. The recipient shall take all necessary and reasonable steps under 49 CFR part 26 to ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. The recipient's DBE program, as required by 49 CFR part 26 and as approved by DOT, is incorporated by reference in this agreement. Implementation of this program is a legal obligation and failure to carry out its terms shall be treated as a violation of this agreement. Upon notification to the recipient of its failure to carry out its approved program, the Department may impose sanctions as provided for under 49 CFR part 26 and may, in appropriate cases, refer the matter for enforcement under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and/or the Program Fraud Civil Remedies Act of 1986 (31 U.S.C. 3801 et seq.).
- (b) Each <u>contract</u> you sign with a <u>contractor</u> (and each subcontract the prime <u>contractor</u> signs with a subcontractor) must include the following assurance: The <u>contractor</u>, sub <u>recipient</u> or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this <u>contract</u>. The <u>contractor</u> shall carry out applicable requirements of <u>49 CFR part 26</u> in the award and administration of DOT-assisted <u>contracts</u>. Failure by the <u>contractor</u> to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this <u>contract</u>, which may result in the termination of this <u>contract</u> or such other remedy as the <u>recipient</u> deems appropriate, which may include, but is not limited to:
- (1) Withholding monthly progress payments;
- (2) Assessing sanctions;
- (3) Liquidated damages; and/or
- (4) Disqualifying the contractor from future bidding as non-responsible.

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Exhibit H

U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Highway Administration

1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590 202-366-4000

DOING BUSINESS WITH FHWA



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Effective Date: March 6, 2015

(for awards effective after June 22, 2015)

DEFINITIONS

AO	Agreement Officer
AS	Agreement Specialist

AOR Agreement Officer's Representative

Agreement Grant Agreement or Cooperative Agreement

CFR Code of Federal Regulation
FAR Federal Acquisition Regulation

FHWA The Federal Highway Administration **OMB** Office of Management and Budget

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1. GOVERNING REGULATIONS

Performance under this Agreement will be governed by and in compliance with the following regulations:

2 CFR Part 200, "Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards."

2 CFR Part 200 will be applicable to all non–federal entities as a default position, and that any determination not to apply 2 CFR Part 200 subparts A through E to for–profit entities, foreign public entities, or foreign organizations will be made in writing and identify the basis for that determination.

Cost Principles For-profit Organizations: 48 CFR 31 (Federal Acquisition Regulations) Subpart 31.2

2. SECTION 508 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973

While the requirements of Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, do not apply to assistance agreements, the FHWA is subject to the Act's requirements that all documents posted on an FHWA or FHWA-hosted website comply with the accessibility standards of the Act. Accordingly, final deliverable reports prepared under this Agreement and submitted in electronic format must be submitted in a format whereby FHWA can easily meet the requirements of Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

NOTE: Quarterly Progress Reports and financial reports are not considered final deliverables and therefore the following requirements do not apply.

Accessibility Requirements: Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973

All electronic documents prepared under this Agreement must meet the requirements of Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended. The act requires that all electronic products prepared for the Federal Government be accessible to persons with disabilities, including those with vision, hearing, cognitive, and mobility impairments. View Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act (http://www.access-board.gov/508/508standards.htm) - PART 1194 and the Federal IT Accessibility Initiative Home Page (http://section508.gov) for detailed information.

The following paragraphs summarize the requirements for preparing FHWA reports in conformance with Section 508 for eventual posting by FHWA to an FHWA-sponsored website.

a. Electronic documents with images

Provide a text equivalent for every non-text element (including photographs, charts and equations) in all publications prepared in electronic format. Use descriptions such as "alt" and "longdesc" for all non-text images or place them in element content. For all documents prepared, vendors must prepare one standard HTML format as described in this statement of work AND one text format that includes descriptions for all non-text images. "Text equivalent" means text sufficient to reasonably describe the image. Images that are merely decorative require only a very brief "text equivalent" description. However, images that

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convey information that is important to the content of the report require text sufficient to reasonably describe that image and its purpose within the context of the report.

b. Electronic documents with complex charts or data tables

When preparing tables that are heavily designed, prepare adequate alternate information so that assistive technologies can read them out. Identify row and column headers for data tables. Provide the information in a non-linear form. Markups will be used to associate data cells and header cells for data tables that have two or more logical levels of row and column headers.

c. Electronic documents with forms

When electronic forms are designed to be completed on-line, the form will allow people using assistive technology to access the information, field elements, and functionality required for completion and submission of the form, including all directions and cues.

Draft documents developed under this Agreement will be delivered as electronic files compatible with Microsoft Word 2000, or verified to be error free when read using Microsoft Word 2000 and Adobe PDF formats. Any other electronic format will receive prior approval from the AOR. With prior approval of the AOR, artwork or graphics not embedded in the electronic (MS Word) document may be submitted in camera ready format. Deliverables must follow the Turner Fairbanks Highway Research Center (TFHRC) **Communications Reference Guide** (https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/publications/research/general/03074/index.cfm) unless otherwise indicate in this scope of work.

The final deliverables under this Agreement must comply with Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act and the Access Board Standards available online at: http://www.section508.gov/. Unless otherwise indicated, the Recipient represents by signature on this Agreement that all deliverables will comply with the Access Board Standards. Final documents will be delivered in Microsoft Word 2000, PDF, and HTML formats. These documents will be prepared in electronic GPO-required format and will meet the Section 508 requirements to allow them to be posted and viewed on the Internet. Files should be organized so that they are readable without requiring an associated style sheet. The html versions will include a text equivalent description (e.g., via "alt", "longdesc", or in element content) for every non-text (e.g., graph, table, photo, diagram, etc.) element in the document. The best location for information on regulations for 36 CFR 1194, which implements Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, is at http://www.access-board.gov/sec508/guide/index.htm.

If the information center website existed before the effective date of this Agreement, information presented prior to the date of execution of this Agreement does not need to be modified to comply with Federal accessibility requirements. However, if a web page is modified or updated during this Agreement's period of performance, the modified or updated page must be presented in accessible format.

3. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE RECIPIENT

The Recipient will provide overall program management. Specifically, the Recipient will be responsible for the following, as a minimum:

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- Meeting with the AOR as necessary.
- Participating in a kick-off meeting with the AO and/or the AOR to discuss agreement expectations and procedures.
- Participating in meetings via teleconference or web conference with the AOR.
- Performing the Statement of Work as described in Section I, Funding Opportunity Description.
- Coordinating and managing work, including issuing and managing subcontracts/sub awards and consulting arrangements, as necessary.
- Submitting all required reports including Quarterly Progress Reports. (See Part B of this Section, entitled Reporting.)
- During the period of performance, the FHWA and the Recipient will meet periodically, at a minimum annually, to discuss project activities. The location of the meeting will be established by the AOR. Note: for application process, assume the meeting will be in Washington, DC and will last 1 full day.

4. NON-DOMESTIC TRAVEL

All non-domestic travel must be approved in writing by the AO prior to incurring costs. Travel requirements under this Agreement will be met using the most economical form of transportation available. If economy class transportation is not available, the request for payment vouchers must be submitted with justification for use of higher class travel indicating dates, times, and flight numbers.

5. AMENDMENTS

This Agreement and any amendments executed by the AO constitute the entire agreement between the parties. Discussions and understandings concerning such scope and subject matter are superseded by this Agreement and any executed amendments. All changes to the terms and conditions of this Agreement will be in writing, issued as an Amendment and signed by the AO pursuant to 2 CRF 200.308.

- a. *Unilateral*. A unilateral amendment is signed only by the AO. Unilateral amendments are used, for example, to make administrative changes; i.e. funding, accounting data changes, change in Government personnel.
- b. *Bilateral*. A bilateral amendment is a change that is signed by the Recipient and the AO. Bilateral amendments are used to reflect other agreements of the parties amending the terms of the Agreement.

6. AGREEMENT OFFICER'S REPRESENTATIVE (AOR)

The AO may designate an AOR to assist in monitoring the work under this Agreement. The AOR will oversee the technical administration of this Agreement and act as technical liaison with the performing organization. The AOR is not authorized to change the scope of work or specifications as stated in the Agreement, to make any commitments or otherwise obligate the FHWA or authorize any changes which affect the Agreement funding, delivery schedule, period of performance or other terms or conditions.

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The AO is the only individual who can legally commit or obligate the FHWA for the expenditure of public funds. The technical administration of this Agreement will not be construed to authorize the revision of the terms and conditions of performance. The AO will authorize any such revision in writing.

7. PAYMENT

The Recipient may request advances or reimbursement of costs incurred in the performance hereof as are allowable under the applicable cost provisions not-to exceed the funds currently available as stated herein. Requests should be made no more frequently than monthly and must include the certification as required by 2 CFR 200.415.

Payments by Reimbursement

Requests for payments by reimbursement will be submitted to the payment office via DELPHI elnvoicing System. When requesting reimbursement of costs incurred and credit for cost share incurred, the Recipient will submit supporting cost detail electronically with the SF 270, Request for Advance or Reimbursement or, if construction, the SF 271, Outlay Report and Request for Reimbursement for Construction to clearly document all costs incurred. Cost detail includes a detailed breakout of all costs incurred including direct labor, indirect costs, other direct costs, travel, etc. Identify the Federal share and the Recipient's cost share portions as applicable. The cost detail should show all the project costs for the period covered by the reimbursement request, and also show all the cumulative-to-date costs.

The AO or Agreement Specialist reserve the right to withhold processing requests for reimbursement until sufficient detail is received. In addition, reimbursement will not be made without AOR review and approval to ensure that progress on the Agreement is sufficient to substantiate payment. After AOR approval, the AO will certify and forward the request for reimbursement to the payment office via DELPHI elivoicing System.

Advance Payments

Recipients may be paid in advance, provided they maintain or demonstrate the willingness to maintain the following in accordance with 2 CFR 200.305 as applicable: (1) written procedures that minimize the time elapsing between the transfer of funds and disbursement by the Recipient, and (2) financial management systems that meet the standards for fund control and accountability. When these items are not met, reimbursement will be the method for payment.

DELPHI elnvoicing System Registration and Information

The Recipient must have Internet access to register and use the DELPHI eInvoicing System. Prompt registration for DELPHI eInvoicing System is important in order to reduce the possibility of delayed payments.

All persons accessing the DELPHI eInvoicing System will be required to have their own unique user ID and password. It is not possible to have a generic ID and password for a Recipient.

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To register for DELPHI eInvoicing System, Recipients must eAuthenticate and activate an account by contacting their AO and providing the full name, title, phone number and e-mail address for the appropriate point(s) of contact (POC) who will submit payment requests. Within two weeks the POC should receive an invite to sign up for the system. The POC will also receive a form to verify their identity. The POC must complete the form, and present it to a Notary Public for verification. The POC will return the notarized form to:

DOT Enterprise Service Center FAA Accounts Payable, AMZ-100 PO Box 25710 Oklahoma City, OK 73125

When the form is received and validated, the Recipient POC will receive a unique user ID and password via e-mail. POCs should contact their AO with any changes to their system information.

Applicants registered with other DOT Agencies, such as Federal Aviation Administration or Federal Railroad Administration, must also apply for access with FHWA in order to request payment from FHWA.

To facilitate your use of the DELPHI elnvoicing system, comprehensive user's information is available at http://www.dot.gov/policy-initiatives/delphi-einvoicing-system-training-materials.

Account Management

The Applicant should contact their AO when POCs have left their organization or are no longer will be submitting invoices, with the full name, title, phone number, e-mail address, and user ID of the POC. The user ID will then be removed. If a user ID becomes inactive/times out due no activity, the Recipient should contact their AO with the full name, title, phone number, e-mail address, and user ID of the POC to be reactivated. To prevent being timed out due to no-activity, users should login once within 45 days of their last login.

Waivers

The Department of Transportation Financial Management officials may, on a case by case basis, waive the requirement to register and use the DELPHI elnvoicing System. Waiver request forms can be obtained on the DELPHI elnvoicing website (http://www.dot.gov/cfo/delphi-einvoicing-system.html) or by contacting the AO. Applicants must explain why they are unable to use or access the Internet to register and enter payment requests.

All waiver requests should be sent to via mail to:

Director of the Office of Financial Management US Department of Transportation, B-30 Office of Financial Management, Room W93-431 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE Washington DC 20590-0001

or electronically to: <u>DOTElectronicInvoicing@dot.gov</u>

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The Director of the DOT Office of Financial Management will confirm or deny the request within approximately 30 days.

If a Recipient is granted a Waiver, Requests for advance or reimbursement and required supporting documents, should be sent via regular U.S. Postal Service to the following address:

Federal Highway Administration Markview Processing P.O. Box 268865 Oklahoma City, OK 73126-8865 Attention: Ryan Wisniewski

Requests for advance or reimbursement submitted via an overnight service must use the following physical address:

MMAC FHWA/AMZ-150 6500 MacArthur Blvd. Oklahoma City, OK 73169 Attention: Ryan Wisniewski

Express Delivery Point of Contact: Ryan Wisniewski, 405-954-8252

8. FUNDS NOTIFICATION

The Recipient shall notify the AO in writing whenever it has reason to believe that the costs it expects to incur under this Agreement in the next 60 days, when added to all costs previously incurred, will exceed 75 percent of the total amount so far allotted to the Agreement by the Government. The notice shall state the estimated amount of additional funds required to complete the work under the Agreement.

9. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF SUPPORT AND DISCLAIMER

An acknowledgment of FHWA support and a disclaimer must appear in any publication of any material, whether copyrighted or not, based on or developed under the Agreement, in the following terms:

"This material is based upon work supported by the Federal Highway Administration under Agreement No. - (fill in award number)."

All materials must also contain the following:

"Any opinions, findings, and conclusions or recommendations expressed in this publication are those of the Author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the view of the Federal Highway Administration."

10.SITE VISITS

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The FHWA, through its authorized representatives, has the right, at all reasonable times, to make site visits to review project accomplishments and management control systems and to provide such technical assistance as may be required. During a site visit, the Recipient and/or sub-recipient/subcontractor will provide all reasonable facilities and assistance for the safety and convenience of the FHWA representative. All site visits and evaluations will be performed in such a manner as to not unduly delay work.

11. BUDGET REVISION/REALLOCATION OF AMOUNTS (FOR AWARDS OVER THE SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION THRESHOLD)

The Recipient is required to report deviations from budget and program plans, and request prior approval for budget and program plan revisions in accordance with 2 CFR 200.308 The Recipient must obtain prior written approval from the AO to transfer amounts budgeted for direct cost categories when the cumulative value of such transfers will exceed 10% of the value of Federal share of this Agreement.

12. SYSTEM FOR AWARD MANAGEMENT (SAM)

The Recipient must be registered in the SAM in order to receive payments under this Agreement. Use of the SAM is to provide one location for Applicants and Recipients to change information about their organization and enter information on where government payments should be made Information for registering in the SAM and online documents can be found at www.sam.gov.

13. PRINTING

The Joint Committee on Printing Regulations Number 26, Section 36 states that Recipients shall not become prime or substantial sources of printing for the use of departments and agencies.

In the performance of this agreement, the Recipient may duplicate less than 5,000 units of only one page or less than 25,000 units in the aggregate of multiple pages. Duplication of quantities in excess of the amounts stated requires prior written approval of the AO. The Recipient must submit such requests in writing or by email to the AO, to include specifics on the deliverable, requested printing quantity, and estimated costs for printing.

14. DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

The Recipient will comply with Subpart B of 49 CFR Part 32, Government wide Requirements for a Drug-Free Workplace (Financial Assistance). See 49 CFR Part 32 for details of the requirement.

15. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION REQUIREMENTS

The non-Federal entity must comply with the provisions in 2 CFR Part 180 OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Government Debarment and Suspension (Non-procurement) and 2 CFR Part 1200 DOT Non-procurement Suspension and Debarment. These provisions restrict Federal awards, subaward and contracts with certain parties that are debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal programs or activities.

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16. TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

This Agreement may be terminated or suspended in whole or in part, at any time prior to its expiration date in accordance with 2 CFR 200.339.

The Recipient may appeal or object to a termination or suspension for non-compliance by submitting an appeal in writing to the next level above the AO within 30 days after receipt of the written notification of termination or suspension of this agreement. The Recipient will document the dispute by notifying the Agency in writing of the relevant facts, identify the grounds for objecting or appealing the termination or suspension and specify the remedy sought. The Agency will follow the procedures in the Disputes section when responding to this appeal.

17. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY TO BAN TEXT MESSAGING WHILE DRIVING

a. Definitions. As used in this clause-

"Driving" - Means operating a motor vehicle on an active roadway with the motor running, including while temporarily stationary because of traffic, a traffic light, stop sign, or otherwise. Does not include operating a motor vehicle with or without the motor running when one has pulled over to the side of, or off, an active roadway and has halted in a location where one can safely remain stationary.

"Text messaging" - means reading from or entering data into any handheld or other electronic device, including for the purpose of short message service texting, e-mailing, instant messaging, obtaining navigational information, or engaging in any other form of electronic data retrieval or electronic data communication. The term does not include glancing at or listening to a navigational device that is secured in a commercially designed holder affixed to the vehicle, provided that the destination and route are programmed into the device either before driving or while stopped in a location off the roadway where it is safe and legal to park.

- b. This clause implements Executive Order 13513, Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging while Driving, dated October 1, 2009.
- c. The Applicant should
 - i. Adopt and enforce policies that ban text messaging while driving- (i) Company-owned or -rented vehicles or Government-owned vehicles; or (ii) Privately-owned vehicles when on official Government business or when performing any work for or on behalf of the Government.
 - ii. Conduct initiatives in a manner commensurate with the size of the business, such as- (i Establishment of new rules and programs or re-evaluation of existing programs to prohibit text messaging while driving; and (ii) Education, awareness, and other outreach to employees about the safety risks associated with texting while driving.

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d. Sub-agreements/sub-contracts. The Applicant shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (d), in all sub-agreement/subcontracts that exceed the micropurchase threshold.

18. REPORTING EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION AND FIRST-TIER SUB-AWARDS (2 CFR Part 170, Appendix A)

- I. Reporting Sub-awards and Executive Compensation.
 - a. Reporting of first-tier sub-awards.
 - 1. Applicability. Unless you are exempt as provided in paragraph d. of this award term, you must report each action that obligates \$25,000 or more in Federal fund that does not include Recovery funds (as defined in section 1512(a)(2) of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. 111-5) for a subaward to an entity (see definitions in paragraph e. of this award term).
 - 2. Where and when to report.
 - i. i. You must report each obligating action described in paragraph a.1. of this award term to http://www.fsrs.gov.
 - ii. ii. For sub-award information, report no later than the end of the month following the month in which the obligation was made. (For example, if the obligation was made on November 7, 2010, the obligation must be reported by no later than December 31, 2010.)
 - 3. *What to report*. You must report the information about each obligating action tha the submission instructions posted at http://www.fsrs.gov specify.
 - b. Reporting Total Compensation of Applicant Executives.
 - 1. Applicability and what to report. You must report total compensation for each of your five most highly compensated executives for the preceding completed fiscal year, if
 - i. the total Federal funding authorized to date under this award is \$25,000 or more;
 - ii. in the preceding fiscal year, you received-
 - A. 80 percent or more of your annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined at 2 CFR 170.320 (and sub-awards); and
 - B. \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined at 2 CFR 170.320 (and sub-awards); and
 - iii. The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) o the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. (To determine if the public has

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access to the compensation information, see the U.S. Security and Exchange Commission total compensation filings at http://www.sec.gov/answers/execomp.htm)

- 2. *Where and when to report*. You must report executive total compensation described in paragraph b.1. of this award term:
 - i. As part of your registration profile at http://www.sam.gov.
 - ii. By the end of the month following the month in which this award is made, and annually thereafter.
- c. Reporting of Total Compensation of Sub-applicant Executives.
 - 1. Applicability and what to report. Unless you are exempt as provided in paragrapl d. of this award term, for each first-tier sub-applicant under this award, you will report the names and total compensation of each of the sub-applicant's five most highly compensated executives for the sub-applicant's preceding completed fisca year, if
 - i. in the sub-applicant's preceding fiscal year, the sub-applicant received-
 - A. 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined at 2 CFR 170.320 (and sub-awards); and
 - B. \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts), and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act (and sub-awards); and
 - ii. The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. (To determine if the public has access to the compensation information, see the U.S. Security and Exchange Commission total compensation filings at http://www.sec.gov/answers/execomp.htm)
 - 2. Where and when to report. You must report sub-applicant executive total compensation described in paragraph c.1. of this award term:
 - i. To the Applicant.
 - ii. By the end of the month following the month during which you make the sub-award. For example, if a sub-award is obligated on any date during the month of October of a given year (i.e., between October 1 and 31), you must report any required compensation information of the sub-applicant by November 30 of that year.
- d. *Exemptions* If, in the previous tax year, you had gross income, from all sources, under \$300,000, you are exempt from the requirements to report:
 - i. Sub-awards, and
 - ii. The total compensation of the five most highly compensated executives of any sub-applicant.

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- e. *Definitions*. For purposes of this award term:
 - 1. Entity means all of the following, as defined in 2 CFR Part 25:
 - i. A Governmental organization, which is a State, local Government, or Indian tribe;
 - ii. A foreign public entity;
 - iii. A domestic or foreign nonprofit organization;
 - iv. A domestic or foreign for-profit organization;
 - v. A Federal agency, but only as a sub-applicant under an award or sub-award to a non-Federal entity.
 - 2. *Executive* means officers, managing partners, or any other employees in management positions.
 - 3. Sub-award:
 - i. This term means a legal instrument to provide support for the performance of any portion of the substantive project or program for which you received this award and that you as the Applicant award to an eligible sub-applicant
 - ii. The term does not include your procurement of property and services needed to carry out the project or program (for further explanation, see Sec _____.210 of the attachment to OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Loca Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations").
 - iii. A sub-award may be provided through any legal agreement, including an agreement that you or a sub-applicant considers a contract.
 - 4. Sub-applicant means an entity that:
 - i. Receives a sub-award from you (the Applicant) under this award; and
 - ii. Is accountable to you for the use of the Federal funds provided by the sub-award.
 - 5. *Total compensation* means the cash and noncash dollar value earned by the executive during the Applicant's or sub-applicant's preceding fiscal year and includes the following (for more information see 17 CFR 229.402(c)(2)):
 - i. Salary and bonus.
 - ii. Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect to the fiscal year in accordance with the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123 (Revised 2004) (FAS 123R), Shared Based Payments.
 - iii. *Earnings for services under non-equity incentive plans*. This does not include group life, health, hospitalization or medical reimbursement plans that do not discriminate in favor of executives, and are available generally to all salaried employees.
 - iv. *Change in pension value*. This is the change in present value of defined benefit and actuarial pension plans.
 - v. Above-market earnings on deferred compensation which is not taxqualified.
 - vi. Other compensation, if the aggregate value of all such other compensation (e.g. severance, termination payments, value of life insurance paid on

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behalf of the employee, perquisites or property) for the executive exceeds \$10,000.

19. OMB PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA): Any activities involving information collection (i.e. paper or web-based surveys, questionnaires, etc.) from 10 or more non-Federal entities, OMB Information Collection Clearance, a process that generally takes eight months. The Recipient will coordinate with the AOR on this process.

20. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

If at any time during performance, the Recipient identifies an actual or potential personal or organizational conflict of interest relating to performance of this Agreement, the Recipient must immediately notify the AO in writing. Actual or potential conflicts of interest may include but are not limited to any past, present or planned contractual, financial, or other relationships, obligations commitments or responsibilities, which may bias the Recipient or affect the Recipient's ability to perform the agreement in an impartial and objective manner.

The AO will review the statement and may require additional relevant information from the Recipient. All such information, and any other relevant information known to DOT, will be used to determine whether agreement performance by the Recipient creates an actual or potential conflict of interest. If any such conflict of interest is found to exist, the AO may (a) terminate the Agreement pursuant to the termination term of the Agreement, or (b) determine that it is otherwise in the best interest of the United States to continue the agreement and include appropriate provisions to mitigate or avoid such conflict in the Agreement pursuant to 2 CFR 200.112.

21. ANNUAL PROPERTY REPORT

The Recipient must submit an electronic copy and one hard copy of the SF-428 Tangible Personal Property Report to the AOR and one electronic copy and one hard copy to the Agreement Specialist 60 days prior to the anniversary date of this Agreement.

If no property was furnished or acquired during the Agreement up to the end date of the reporting period, indicate that information in block 8 of the SF-428. If property was furnished or acquired during the Agreement up to the end date of the reporting period, list the property on the SF-428-A and SF-428S forms. Use additional sheets as necessary. Use separate sets of sheets to show Federally-owned property and Recipient-owned property.

22. RESTRICTIONS ON INTERNAL CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENTS

The Recipient shall not require employees or subrecipients to sign internal confidentiality agreements or statements prohibiting or otherwise restricting such employees or subrecipients from lawfully reporting waste, fraud, or abuse to a designated investigative or law enforcement representative of a Federal department or agency authorized to receive such information.

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- Provide any missing materials not provided by the City of Ocala
- Set up water protection measures to stop metal roof fasteners from falling in water way.
- Clean up and hual away all left over materials and dispose of at an approved disposal facility

Qty Unit 3.00 EA

Complete the roof install for 200 sf doc roof structures with no decking

\$12,595.42

Bird Netting

Qty Unit Bird Netting 2600.00 SF

Install of Bird Barrier "Stealth Net" product in pavilion area. Cost per square foot. Product and labor included.

\$12,455.09

TOTAL \$25,050.51

Starting at \$248/month with \$\infty Acorn \cdot \text{APPLY}

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