

CONTRACT FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES

for
**ANTHONY MUNICIPAL AIRPORT
RECONSTRUCT TAXIWAY 2024
AIP #3-20-0002-016-2025**

This Contract, made and executed in duplicate this 5TH day of November, 2024, by and between the **CITY OF ANTHONY, KANSAS**, hereinafter called **OWNER**, party of the first part, and **EVANS, BIERLY, HUTCHISON & ASSOCIATES, P. A.**, Consulting Engineers, Marion, Kansas, hereinafter called **ENGINEER**, party of the second part.

The Project includes the Design Engineering, Construction Engineering and Project Closeout services to complete the Reconstruction of the Taxiway connecting the Apron to Taxiway A at the Anthony Municipal Airport, Anthony, Kansas.

WITNESSETH; THAT in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, the **OWNER** hereby agrees to employ the **ENGINEER** to perform Engineering Services herein outlined and to make payment for these services as set forth below.

SECTION 1 - ENGINEERING SERVICES:

1.1 DESIGN ENGINEERING SERVICES

- 1.1.1 Consult with Utility Companies and provide information to them regarding the proposed construction.
- 1.1.2 Conduct Field Design surveys for the Project. Surveys shall locate existing utilities, facilities, and structures on the airport property within 200' of the Project. (to be completed within 30 days of notice to proceed)
- 1.1.3 Conduct Geotechnical Testing to assist in the determination for base and pavement design recommendations.
- 1.1.4 Prepare Design Report in accordance with Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) criteria.
- 1.1.5 Assist the **OWNER** in the preparation and submission of all AIP forms, documents, and reports to comply with all conditions of the FAA grant.
- 1.1.6 Design and prepare working drawings and specifications for the project in accordance with the **OWNER's** FAA grant. (to be completed within 60 days of notice to proceed)
- 1.1.7 Review Preliminary plans with the **OWNER**. Submit two sets of preliminary (90%) plans and specifications for FAA coordination and review of eligibility and allowability. Include Engineer's Design Report to include pavement design, Safety Plan/Requirements for Contractor Safety Plan, Detailed Cost Opinion and description of all modifications to FAA Standard Specifications. (to be completed within 45 days of notice to proceed)
- 1.1.8 Review final plans and specifications with **OWNER**. Submit two sets for FAA review and approval. Include Safety Plan/Requirements for Contractor Safety Plan, and Updated Cost Opinion (if changes occur). (to be completed within 30 days of receipt of 90% review comments from FAA)
- 1.1.9 Assist in advertising the project to contractors. Provide bid documents to those Contractors interested at cost. Attend the bid letting, prepare Engineer's Estimate, assist and advise the **OWNER** in opening bids, awarding construction contract and contract preparation. Furnish Tabulation of Bids to **OWNER** and FAA. (bid opening will be within 45 days for receipt of final review comments from FAA)

1.2 CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING SERVICES

- 1.2.1 Conduct a preconstruction conference with the **OWNER** and contractor.

- 1.2.2 Review submittals by the construction contractors.
- 1.2.3 Define in the field all Project areas.
- 1.2.4 Prepare change orders for approval by the **OWNER** and the FAA.
- 1.2.5 Review the contractor's monthly and final payment requests and forward payment requests to the **OWNER**.
- 1.2.6 Design Engineer will make periodic and final site inspections and will provide contract document interpretations.
- 1.2.7 The **ENGINEER** will provide a competent Resident Project Representative (RPR) and such assistant RPR's as may be required on the work. The RPR and assistants will observe the work while construction is in progress. Construction services are based on part time 35 working days. The RPR shall not have responsibility for the superintendence of construction site conditions, operation, equipment, or personnel other than employees of the **ENGINEER**. The RPR will maintain a daily log of construction activities. Written construction progress reports will be furnished to the **OWNER** and FAA. Such construction observation does not guarantee the work of the contractor nor provide any control over the contractor's work method. The presence or absence of a construction observer does not relieve the contractor of his responsibility to properly prosecute the work nor does it relieve the contractor of his responsibility to properly prosecute the work nor does it relieve the contractor of his responsibility for safety at the work site.
- 1.2.8 Provide two sets of as-constructed drawings of the completed project to the **OWNER** and one additional set for the FAA.

1.3 PROJECT CLOSEOUT

- 1.3.1 To comply with Federal Regulation 49 CFR Part 18, the **OWNER** must submit required close-out documentation within 90 days from the project completion.
- 1.3.2 The **ENGINEER** will complete the closeout documentation for the **OWNER** within the required timeframe. This timeframe will commence on the date the project is accepted from the contractor.
- 1.3.3 The documentation will include the items listed in AIP Sponsor Guide – 1600:
 - 1.3.3.1 Sponsor Certification for Final Acceptance
 - 1.3.3.2 Final Outlay Report SF-271
 - 1.3.3.3 Final Federal Financial Report SF-425
 - 1.3.3.4 Final Project Cost Summary
 - 1.3.3.5 Summary of DBE Utilization
 - 1.3.3.6 Final Construction Report
 - 1.3.3.7 As-built Record Drawings
 - 1.3.3.8 As-built ALP

1.4 CHANGES IN SERVICES

- 1.4.1 The **OWNER** may request changes in the scope of the services of the **ENGINEER**. Such changes, including any increase or decrease in the amount of the **ENGINEER'S** compensation, which are mutually agreed upon by and between the **OWNER** and the **ENGINEER**, shall be incorporated in written amendments to this contract.

SECTION 2 - OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- 2.1 **OWNER** shall provide full information to **ENGINEER** concerning the PROJECT including all available plans, maps, plats, documents, grant conditions, other reports and correspondence, and the **OWNER'S** recommendations.

- 2.2 **OWNER** shall examine and review the plans and inform **ENGINEER** regarding any decision thereto.
- 2.3 **OWNER** shall pay **ENGINEER** at monthly intervals for Engineering Services under this contract based on the percentage of work completed according to the following schedule:

- 2.3.1 For services under paragraphs 1.1
(Design Engineering Services)

RECONSTRUCT TAXIWAY

The **OWNER** agrees to pay the **ENGINEER** a Fixed Lump Sum Payment of **\$ 37,800.00**. The actual costs were estimated in conformity with the cost principles established in the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular No. 150/5100-14e, Part 4-5. This will be the total compensation for the scope of work outlined in this contract except by supplementary contract by the parties hereto with prior approval by the FAA.

- 2.3.2 For services under paragraphs 1.2
(Construction Services)

RECONSTRUCT TAXIWAY

The **OWNER** agrees to pay the **ENGINEER** actual cost, plus a net fee for profit of **\$ 3,500.00**. The actual cost shall be incurred in conformity with the cost principles established in the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular No. 150/5100-14e, Part 4-4. The maximum total compensation for Section 1.2, Construction Services, shall not exceed **\$ 37,500.00** except by supplementary contract by the parties hereto with prior approval by the FAA.

- 2.3.3 For services under paragraphs 1.3
(Project Closeout Services)

RECONSTRUCT TAXIWAY

The **OWNER** agrees to pay the **ENGINEER** a Fixed Lump Sum Payment of **\$ 5,000.00**. The actual costs were estimated in conformity with the cost principles established in the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular No. 150/5100-14e, Part 4-5. This will be the total compensation for the scope of work outlined in this contract except by supplementary contract by the parties hereto with prior approval by the FAA.

- 2.3.4 For services under paragraph 1.4. As set forth in the Contract for additional services.

SECTION 3 - THE PARTIES HERETO MUTUALLY AGREE:

- 3.1 The **ENGINEER** agrees to commence work in accordance with the terms of this contract within thirty (10) calendar days from the date of notice to proceed.
- 3.2 The **ENGINEER** agrees to complete the preparation of construction drawings and specifications for the Project improvements as defined by this Contract within One Hundred-Twenty (150) calendar days from the date of notice to proceed.

SECTION 4 - MUTUAL CONSIDERATIONS:

- 4.1 This contract and all contracts entered into under the provisions of this contract shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their successors and cannot be assigned without written consent of the **OWNER**.
- 4.2 The right is reserved by the **OWNER** to terminate all or part of this Contract at any time upon written notice to the **ENGINEER**. Such notice shall be sent not less than ten (10) days written notice in advance of the effective date of such termination received by all parties to this Contract.

- 4.3 The **ENGINEER** may terminate this Contract, in the event of substantial failure of other parties to perform in accordance with the terms hereof, upon ten (10) days written notice in advance of the effective date of such termination received by all parties to this Contract.
- 4.4 In the event the Contract is terminated by the **OWNER** without fault on the part of the **ENGINEER**, the **ENGINEER** shall be paid for the work performed or services rendered under the payment section of this Contract.
- 4.5 In the event the services of the **ENGINEER** are terminated by the **OWNER** for fault including but not limited to: Unreasonable delays in performance; failure to respond to **OWNER** requests; and/or unsatisfactory performance on the part of the **ENGINEER**, the **ENGINEER** shall be paid the reasonable value of the services performed or rendered and delivered to the **OWNER** up to the time of termination. The value of the services performed, rendered and delivered will be determined by a Review Committee comprising of a maximum of two (2) representatives from each of the Contract parties. The **OWNER** and **ENGINEER** shall submit pertinent information to the Review Committee for resolution.
- 4.6 The **OWNER**, the Federal Aviation Administration, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of the duly authorized representatives shall have access to any books, documents, papers, and records of **ENGINEERS** directly pertinent to a specific grant program, for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The **ENGINEER** shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the **OWNER** makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed. These records must include construction diaries, official correspondence with the contractor, change orders, test data, weigh tickets, survey data, and all other basis for determining as constructed and pay quantities, notices-to-proceed, stop orders, and specifications compliance data.
- 4.7 In the event of the **ENGINEER'S** noncompliance, violation or breach of contract terms, the **OWNER** may impose such contract sanctions as the **OWNER** may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to,
- 4.7.1 Withholding of payments to the **ENGINEER** under the Contract until the **ENGINEER** complies, and/or
- 4.7.2 Cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.
- 4.8 During the performance of this contract, the **ENGINEER**, or the **ENGINEER's** assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "**ENGINEER**" or "contractor"), agrees as follows:
- 4.8.1 Compliance with Regulations: The **ENGINEER** will comply with the Regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation relative to nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the U.S. Department of Transportation (Title 49, Code of Federal regulations, Parts 21, 23 and 27, hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.
- 4.8.2 Nondiscrimination: The **ENGINEER**, with regard to the work performed by the **ENGINEER** after award and prior to the completion of the contract work, will not discriminate on the grounds of race, religion, color, gender, age, disability, or national origin in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The **ENGINEER** will 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.
- 4.8.3 The contractor, sub recipient, 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 requirement 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 recipient deems appropriate.
- 4.8.4 The prime contractor agrees to pay each subcontractor under this prime contract for satisfactory performance of its contract no later than thirty (30) days from the receipt of each payment the prime contractor receives from the City of Anthony, Kansas. If the contractor, without reasonable cause, fails to make payment to his or her subcontractors or material suppliers within this thirty (30) days, the contractor shall pay to his or her subcontractors or material suppliers, in addition to the payment then due them, interest in the amount of one and one-half per cent per month, calculated from the expiration of the thirty (30) day period until fully paid. This shall also apply to any payments made by the subcontractors and

material suppliers to their subcontractors and material suppliers and to all payments made to lower tier subcontractors and material suppliers throughout the contracting chain. The prime contractor agrees further to return retainage payment to each subcontractor within thirty (30) days after subcontractor's work is satisfactorily completed and approved by the recipient. Any delay or postponement of payment from the above referenced time frames may occur only for good cause following written approval by duly authorized officials of the City of Anthony, Kansas. This cause applies to both DBE and non-DBE subcontractors.


In the event a contractor fails to comply, the City of Anthony, Kansas, may withhold further payments to the contractor and/or determine there is a contract breach and terminate the contract.

If and when any conditions arise giving indication that subcontractors (DBE or non-DBE) are not on tract to fulfill their contractual work obligations, the prime contractor is required to notify the Airport Manager, the City's DBE Liaison Officer, and any engineering firms responsible for construction observation and oversight (the latter pertains to construction related projects). By doing so, the prime contractor will have given advance notification to the City of their prospective need for variance from the above prompt payment requirements. All prime contractors and subcontractors are encouraged to use appropriate alternative dispute resolution mechanisms to resolve payment disputes.

- 4.8.5 Engineer agrees to comply with the attached Required Federal Clauses for Professional Services Contracts, Attachment #2.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Contract to be executed on the date written above.

ENGINEER
EVANS, BIERLY, HUTCHISON
& ASSOCIATES, P. A.
Consulting Engineers
Marion, Kansas

By: 

Vice-President

OWNER
CITY OF ANTHONY, KANSAS

By: _____
Mayor

Attest: _____
City Clerk

STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS **EVANS, BIERLY, HUTCHISON & ASSOCIATES, P.A.**

SECTION 1: Scope of Work

Evans, Bierly, Hutchison & Associates, P.A. (hereinafter referred to as **EBH**) shall perform the services defined in the contract for the stated fee arrangement. **Client** may request incidental or additional services not specified in the contract which change the Scope of Work and **EBH** will provide these additional services at the contract fee schedule rate; provided, that if such additional services are beyond the scope of the contract, the fee arrangement will be negotiated at the time such services are requested.

SECTION 2: Access to Site

Unless otherwise stated, **EBH** will have access to the site for activities necessary for the performance of the services. **EBH** will take reasonable precautions to minimize damages due to these activities, but has not included in the fee the cost of restoration of any resulting damage.

SECTION 3: Dispute Resolution

Claims or disputes between **Client** and **EBH** arising during design, construction, or post-construction shall be submitted to non-binding mediation. **Client** and **EBH** agree to include a similar mediation agreement with all contractors, subcontractors, subconsultants, suppliers, and fabricators, thereby providing for mediation as the primary method for dispute resolution between all parties.

SECTION 4: Billings and Payments

Invoices for **EBH**'s services shall be submitted, at **EBH**'s option, either upon completion of such services or on a monthly basis. Invoices shall be payable within 30 days after the invoice date. Payment shall not be contingent upon actions or participation of any party other than **Client**. In the event of a disputed or contested invoice, only the portion so contested shall be withheld from payment.

Interest at a rate of 1.5% per month, or the maximum allowed by law, will be charged on past due amounts starting 60 days after the date of the invoice. Payments will first be credited to interest and then to principal. No interest will accrue on any reasonably contested portion of an invoice until mutually resolved. If **Client** fails to make payment in full within 60 days after the date of an undisputed invoice, **EBH** may, without waiving any claim or right against **Client** and without liability whatsoever to **Client**, terminate the performance of services. In the event any portion of an account remains unpaid 90 days after billing, **Client** shall pay all costs of collection, including reasonable attorney's fees.

SECTION 5: Ownership of Documents

All reports, plans, specifications, calculations, estimates, documents, and other work products, including all work products on electronic media, prepared by **EBH** as instruments of service shall remain the property of **EBH**. **Client** agrees to hold harmless, indemnify, and defend **EBH** against all damages, claims, and losses arising out of the reuse of or changes made to plans and specifications without the written authorization of **EBH**.

SECTION 6: Standard of Care

Services provided by **EBH** under the contract will be performed in a manner consistent with that degree of care and skill ordinarily exercised by members of the same profession currently practicing under similar circumstances. No other warranty, express or implied, is made or intended by the contract for services.

SECTION 7: Construction Methods and Job Site Safety

EBH will not have control over or charge of, and will not be responsible for, construction means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures, nor for safety precautions and programs in connection with the work.

SECTION 8: Certifications, Guarantees, and Warranties

EBH shall not be required to execute any document that would result in **EBH**'s having to certify, guarantee, or warrant the existence of conditions whose existence **EBH** cannot ascertain.

SECTION 9: Termination of Services

Either **Client** or **EBH** may terminate the contract at any time with or without cause upon giving the other party 7 days prior written notice. In the event of termination, **Client** shall pay **EBH** for all services rendered and all reimbursable expenses up to the date of termination, plus reasonable termination expenses.

SECTION 10: Limitation of Liability

In recognition of the relative risks, rewards, and benefits of the project to both **Client** and **EBH**, the risks have been allocated such that **Client** agrees, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to limit **EBH**'s liability to **Client** and to all construction contractors and subcontractors on the project for any and all claims, losses, expenses, or damages arising out of the contract from any cause or causes, so that the total aggregate liability of **EBH** to all those named shall not exceed \$50,000 or **EBH**'s total fee for services rendered on the project, whichever is greater. Such causes include, but are not limited to **EBH**'s professional negligence, acts, errors, omissions, strict liability, breach of contract or warranty.

FEDERAL CONTRACT PROVISIONS FOR A/E AGREEMENTS

ALL REFERENCES MADE HEREIN TO “CONTRACTOR”, “PRIME CONTRACTOR”, “BIDDER”, “OFFEROR”, AND “APPLICANT” SHALL PERTAIN TO THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER (A/E).

ALL REFERENCES MADE HEREIN TO “SUBCONTRACTOR”, “SUB-TIER CONTRACTOR” OR “LOWER TIER CONTRACTOR” SHALL PERTAIN TO ANY SUBCONSULTANT UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE A/E.

ALL REFERENCES MADE HEREIN TO “SPONSOR” AND “OWNER” SHALL PERTAIN TO THE STATE, CITY, AIRPORT AUTHORITY OR OTHER PUBLIC ENTITY EXECUTING CONTRACTS WITH THE A/E.

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ACCESS TO RECORDS AND REPORTS

Reference: 2 CFR § 200.334
2 CFR § 200.337
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The Contractor must maintain an acceptable cost accounting system. The Contractor agrees to provide the Owner, the Federal Aviation Administration and the Comptroller General of the United States or any of their duly authorized representatives access to any books, documents, papers and records of the Contractor which are directly pertinent to the specific contract for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts and transcriptions. The Contractor agrees to maintain all books, records and reports required under this contract for a period of not less than three years after final payment is made and all pending matters are closed.

CIVIL RIGHTS – GENERAL

Reference: 49 USC § 47123

In all its activities within the scope of its airport program, the Contractor agrees to comply with pertinent statutes, Executive Orders, and such rules as identified in Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities to ensure that no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin (including limited English proficiency), creed, sex (including sexual orientation and gender identity), age, or disability be excluded from participating in any activity conducted with or benefiting from Federal assistance.

This provision is in addition to that required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

CIVIL RIGHTS – TITLE VI ASSURANCES

Reference: 49 USC § 47123
FAA Order 1400.11

Title VI Solicitation Notice

The Sponsor, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 USC §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders or offerors that it will affirmatively ensure that for any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and no businesses will be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin (including limited English proficiency), creed, sex (including sexual orientation and gender identity), age, or disability in consideration for an award.

Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities

During the performance of this contract, the Contractor, for itself, its assignees, and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor") agrees to comply with the following non-discrimination statutes and authorities; including but not limited to:

- Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC § 2000d *et seq.*, 78 stat. 252) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin);

- 49 CFR part 21 (Non-discrimination in Federally-Assisted programs of the Department of Transportation—Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964);
- The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 USC § 4601) (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects);
- Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC § 794 *et seq.*), as amended (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR part 27 (Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Disability in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance);
- The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 USC § 6101 *et seq.*) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age);
- Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982 (49 USC § 47123), as amended (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex);
- The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (PL 100-259) (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 of 1990 (42 USC § 12101, *et seq.*) (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) as implemented by U.S. Department of Transportation regulations at 49 CFR parts 37 and 38;
- The Federal Aviation Administration’s Nondiscrimination statute (49 USC § 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 (ensures nondiscrimination 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. 74087 (2005)];
- Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 USC § 1681, *et seq.*).

Nondiscrimination Requirements / Title VI Clauses for Compliance

Compliance with Nondiscrimination Requirements:

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 (hereinafter includes consultants) will comply with the Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities, as they may be

amended from time to time, which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.

2. **Nondiscrimination:** The Contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, will not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, national origin (including limited English proficiency), creed, sex (including sexual orientation and gender identity), age, or disability in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The Contractor will not participate directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by the Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities, including employment practices when the contract covers any activity, project, or program set forth in Appendix B of 49 CFR part 21.
3. **Solicitations for Subcontracts, including Procurements of Materials and Equipment:** In all solicitations, either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the Contractor for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials, or leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier will be notified by the Contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities on the grounds of race, color, or national origin.
4. **Information and Reports:** The Contractor will provide all information and reports required by the Acts, the Regulations, and directives issued pursuant thereto and will permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the Sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities and instructions. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish the information, the Contractor will so certify to the Sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration, as appropriate, and will set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
5. **Sanctions for Noncompliance:** In the event of a Contractor's noncompliance with the non-discrimination provisions of this contract, the Sponsor will impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Aviation Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - a. Withholding payments to the Contractor under the contract until the Contractor complies; and/or
 - b. Cancelling, terminating, or suspending a contract, in whole or in part.
6. **Incorporation of Provisions:** The Contractor will include the provisions of paragraphs one through six in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Acts, the Regulations, and directives issued pursuant thereto. The Contractor will take action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the Sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. Provided, that if the Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with litigation by a subcontractor, or supplier because of such direction, the Contractor may request the Sponsor to enter into any litigation to protect the interests of the Sponsor. In addition, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into the litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT

Reference: 2 CFR § 200, Appendix II(K)
2 CFR § 200.216

Contractor and Subcontractor agree to comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to use and procurement of certain telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment in compliance with the National Defense Authorization Act [Public Law 115-232 § 889(f)(1)].

FEDERAL FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT (FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE)

Reference: 29 USC § 201, et seq
2 CFR § 200.430

All contracts and subcontracts that result from this solicitation incorporate by reference the provisions of 29 CFR part 201, et seq, the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA), with the same force and effect as if given in full text. The FLSA sets minimum wage, overtime pay, recordkeeping, and child labor standards for full and part-time workers.

The Contractor has full responsibility to monitor compliance to the referenced statute or regulation. The Contractor must address any claims or disputes that arise from this requirement directly with the U.S. Department of Labor – Wage and Hour Division.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT OF 1970

Reference: 20 CFR Part 1910

All contracts and subcontracts that result from this solicitation incorporate by reference the requirements of 29 CFR Part 1910 with the same force and effect as if given in full text. The employer must provide a work environment that is free from recognized hazards that may cause death or serious physical harm to the employee. The employer retains full responsibility to monitor its compliance and their subcontractor's compliance with the applicable requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (29 CFR Part 1910). The employer must address any claims or disputes that pertain to a referenced requirement directly with the U.S. Department of Labor – Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

RIGHT TO INVENTIONS

Reference: 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(F)
37 CFR Part 401

Contracts or agreements that include the performance of experimental, developmental, or research work must provide for the rights of the Federal Government and the Owner in any resulting invention as established by 37 CFR part 401, Rights to Inventions Made by Non-profit Organizations and Small Business Firms under Government Grants, Contracts, and Cooperative Agreements. This contract incorporates by reference the patent and inventions rights as specified within 37 CFR § 401.14. Contractor must include this requirement in all sub-tier contracts involving experimental, developmental, or research work.

SEISMIC SAFETY

Reference: 49 CFR Part 41

In the performance of design services, the Consultant agrees to furnish a building design and associated construction specification that conform to a building code standard that provides a level of seismic safety substantially equivalent to standards as established by the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program (NEHRP). Local building codes that model their building code after the current version of the International Building Code (IBC) meet the NEHRP equivalency level for seismic safety. At the conclusion of the design services, the Consultant agrees to furnish the Owner a “certification of compliance” that attests conformance of the building design and the construction specifications with the seismic standards of NEHRP or an equivalent building code.

TAX DELINQUENCY AND FELONY CONVICTIONS

Reference: Section 8113 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2022 (Public Law 117-103) and similar provisions in subsequent appropriations acts
DOT Order 4200.6 – Appropriations Act Requirements for Procurement and Non-Procurement Regarding Tax Delinquency and Felony Convictions

The Contractor certifies:

- 1) It is not a corporation that has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability. A tax delinquency is any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted, or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability.
- 2) It is not a corporation that was convicted of a criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months. A felony conviction is a conviction within the preceding twenty four (24) months of a felony criminal violation under any Federal law and includes conviction of an offense defined in a section of the U.S. code that specifically classifies the offense as a felony and conviction of an offense that is classified as a felony under 18 USC § 3559.

The Contractor agrees to incorporate the above certification in all lower tier subcontracts.

TRADE RESTRICTION CERTIFICATION

Reference: 49 USC § 50104
49 CFR Part 30

By submission of an offer, the Offeror certifies that with respect to this solicitation and any resultant contract, the Offeror:

- 1) is not owned or controlled by one or more citizens of a foreign country included in the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms as published by the Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR);
- 2) has not knowingly entered into any contract or subcontract for this project with a person that is a citizen or national of a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms as published by the USTR; and

- 3) has not entered into any subcontract for any product to be used on the Federal project that is produced in a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms published by the USTR.

This certification concerns a matter within the jurisdiction of an agency of the United States of America and the making of a false, fictitious, or fraudulent certification may render the maker subject to prosecution under Title 18 USC § 1001.

The Offeror/Contractor must provide immediate written notice to the Owner if the Offeror/Contractor learns that its certification or that of a subcontractor was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances. The Contractor must require subcontractors provide immediate written notice to the Contractor if at any time it learns that its certification was erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

Unless the restrictions of this clause are waived by the Secretary of Transportation in accordance with 49 CFR § 30.17, no contract shall be awarded to an Offeror or subcontractor:

- 1) who is owned or controlled by one or more citizens or nationals of a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms published by the USTR; or
- 2) whose subcontractors are owned or controlled by one or more citizens or nationals of a foreign country on such USTR list; or
- 3) who incorporates in the public works project any product of a foreign country on such USTR list.

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 provision. The knowledge and information of a contractor is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

The Offeror agrees that, if awarded a contract resulting from this solicitation, it will incorporate this provision for certification without modification in all lower tier subcontracts. The Contractor may rely on the certification of a prospective subcontractor that it is not a firm from a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms as published by USTR, unless the Offeror has knowledge that the certification is erroneous.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when making an award. If it is later determined that the Contractor or subcontractor knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) may direct through the Owner cancellation of the contract or subcontract for default at no cost to the Owner or the FAA.

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE

Reference: 49 USC § 47112(c)

In the employment of labor (excluding executive, administrative, and supervisory positions), the Contractor and all sub-tier contractors must give preference to covered veterans as defined within Title 49 United States Code Section 47112. Covered veterans include Vietnam-era veterans, Persian Gulf veterans, Afghanistan-Iraq war veterans, disabled veterans, and small business concerns (as defined by 15 USC § 632) owned and controlled by disabled veterans. This preference only applies when there are covered veterans readily available and qualified to perform the work to which the employment relates.

PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS EXCEEDING \$10,000

DISTRACTED DRIVING

Reference: Executive Order 13513
DOT Order 3902.10

In accordance with Executive Order 13513, "Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving", (10/1/2009) and DOT Order 3902.10, "Text Messaging While Driving", (12/30/2009), the Federal Aviation Administration encourages recipients of Federal grant funds to adopt and enforce safety policies that decrease crashes by distracted drivers, including policies to ban text messaging while driving when performing work related to a grant or subgrant.

In support of this initiative, the Owner encourages the Contractor to promote policies and initiatives for its employees and other work personnel that decrease crashes by distracted drivers, including policies that ban text messaging while driving motor vehicles while performing work activities associated with the project. The Contractor must include the substance of this clause in all sub-tier contracts exceeding \$10,000 that involve driving a motor vehicle in performance of work activities associated with the project.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (EEO)

Reference: 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(C)
41 CFR § 60-1.4
41 CFR § 60-4.3
Executive Order 11246

Equal Opportunity Clause

During the performance of this contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

- (1) The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The Contractor 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 identify, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: 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 Contractor 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.
- (2) The Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin.
- (3) The contractor 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 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 contractor's legal duty to furnish information.

- (4) The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the agency contracting officer, advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this section 202 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- (5) The Contractor 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.
- (6) The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the contracting agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
- (7) In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government 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.
- (8) The Contractor will include 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 Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as may be directed by the Secretary of Labor as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance: *Provided*, however, that in the event the contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

PROHIBITION OF SEGREGATED FACILITIES

Reference: 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(C)
41 CFR Part 60-1

- (a) The Contractor agrees that it does not and will not maintain or provide for its employees any segregated facilities at any of its establishments, and that it does not and will not permit its employees to perform their services at any location under its control where segregated facilities are maintained. The Contractor agrees that a breach of this clause is a violation of the Equal Employment Opportunity clause in this contract.
- (b) "Segregated facilities," as used in this clause, means any waiting rooms, work areas, rest rooms and wash rooms, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, locker rooms and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation, and housing facilities provided for employees that are segregated by explicit directive or are in fact

segregated on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin because of written or oral policies or employee custom. The term does not include separate or single-user rest rooms or necessary dressing or sleeping areas provided to assure privacy between the sexes.

- (c) The Contractor shall include this clause in every subcontract and purchase order that is subject to the Equal Employment Opportunity clause of this contract.

TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

Reference: 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(B)
FAA Advisory Circular 150/5370-10, Section 80-09

Termination for Convenience (Professional Services)

The Owner may, by written notice to the Consultant, terminate this Agreement for its convenience and without cause or default on the part of Consultant. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, except as explicitly directed by the Owner, the Contractor must immediately discontinue all services affected.

Upon termination of the Agreement, the Consultant must deliver to the Owner all data, surveys, models, drawings, specifications, reports, maps, photographs, estimates, summaries, and other documents and materials prepared by the Engineer under this contract, whether complete or partially complete.

Owner agrees to make just and equitable compensation to the Consultant for satisfactory work completed up through the date the Consultant receives the termination notice. Compensation will not include anticipated profit on non-performed services.

Owner further agrees to hold Consultant harmless for errors or omissions in documents that are incomplete as a result of the termination action under this clause.

Termination for Cause (Professional Services)

Either party may terminate this Agreement for cause if the other party fails to fulfill its obligations that are essential to the completion of the work per the terms and conditions of the Agreement. The party initiating the termination action must allow the breaching party an opportunity to dispute or cure the breach.

The terminating party must provide the breaching party seven (7) days advance written notice of its intent to terminate the Agreement. The notice must specify the nature and extent of the breach, the conditions necessary to cure the breach, and the effective date of the termination action. The rights and remedies in this clause are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this agreement.

- a) **Termination by Owner:** The Owner may terminate this Agreement for cause in whole or in part, for the failure of the Consultant to:
1. Perform the services within the time specified in this contract or by Owner approved extension;
 2. Make adequate progress so as to endanger satisfactory performance of the Project; or
 3. Fulfill the obligations of the Agreement that are essential to the completion of the Project.

Upon receipt of the notice of termination, the Consultant must immediately discontinue all services affected unless the notice directs otherwise. Upon termination of the Agreement, the Consultant

must deliver to the Owner all data, surveys, models, drawings, specifications, reports, maps, photographs, estimates, summaries, and other documents and materials prepared by the Engineer under this contract, whether complete or partially complete.

Owner agrees to make just and equitable compensation to the Consultant for satisfactory work completed up through the date the Consultant receives the termination notice. Compensation will not include anticipated profit on non-performed services.

Owner further agrees to hold Consultant harmless for errors or omissions in documents that are incomplete as a result of the termination action under this clause.

If, after finalization of the termination action, the Owner determines the Consultant was not in default of the Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the Owner issued the termination for the convenience of the Owner.

b) **Termination by Consultant:** The Consultant may terminate this Agreement for cause in whole or in part, if the Owner:

1. Defaults on its obligations under this Agreement;
2. Fails to make payment to the Consultant in accordance with the terms of this Agreement;
3. Suspends the project for more than one hundred eighty (180) days due to reasons beyond the control of the Consultant.

Upon receipt of a notice of termination from the Consultant, Owner agrees to cooperate with Consultant for the purpose of terminating the agreement or portion thereof, by mutual consent. If Owner and Consultant cannot reach mutual agreement on the termination settlement, the Consultant may, without prejudice to any rights and remedies it may have, proceed with terminating all or parts of this Agreement based upon the Owner's breach of the contract.

In the event of termination due to Owner breach, the Consultant is entitled to invoice Owner and to receive full payment for all services performed or furnished in accordance with this Agreement and all justified reimbursable expenses incurred by the Consultant through the effective date of termination action. Owner agrees to hold Consultant harmless for errors or omissions in documents that are incomplete as a result of the termination action under this clause.

PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS EXCEEDING \$25,000

DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION

Reference: 2 CFR Part 180 (Subpart B)
2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(H)
2 CFR Part 1200
DOT Order 4200.5
Executive Orders 12549 and 12689

Certification of Offeror/Bidder Regarding Debarment

By submitting a bid/proposal under this solicitation, the bidder or offeror certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred or suspended by any Federal department or agency from participation in this transaction.

Certification of Lower Tier Contractors Regarding Debarment

The successful bidder, by administering each lower tier subcontract that exceeds \$25,000 as a “covered transaction”, must confirm each lower tier participant of a “covered transaction” under the project is not presently debarred or otherwise disqualified from participation in this federally-assisted project. The successful bidder will accomplish this by:

1. Checking the System for Award Management at website: <http://www.sam.gov>.
2. Collecting a certification statement similar to the Certification of Offeror /Bidder Regarding Debarment, above.
3. Inserting a clause or condition in the covered transaction with the lower tier contract.

If the Federal Aviation Administration later determines that a lower tier participant failed to disclose to a higher tier participant that it was excluded or disqualified at the time it entered the covered transaction, the FAA may pursue any available remedies, including suspension and debarment of the non-compliant participant.

PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS EXCEEDING \$100,000

CONTRACT WORKHOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT REQUIREMENTS

Reference: 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(E)
2 CFR § 5.5(b)
40 USC § 3702
40 USC § 3704

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, including watchmen and guards, 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 clause, 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 clause, in the sum of \$29 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 clause.

3. Withholding for Unpaid Wages and Liquidated Damages.

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) or the Owner 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 clause.

4. Subcontractors.

The Contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) and also a clause requiring the subcontractor 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 clause.

LOBBYING AND INFLUENCING FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

Reference: 31 USC § 1352 – Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment
2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(I)
49 CFR Part 20, Appendix A

Certification Regarding Lobbying

The Bidder or Offeror certifies by signing and submitting this bid or proposal, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Bidder or Offeror, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an 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.
- (2) 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 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.
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

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 section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. 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.

PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS EXCEEDING \$150,000

CLEAN AIR AND WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

References: 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(G)
42 USC § 7401, et seq
33 USC § 1251, et seq

Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders, and regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 USC §§ 7401-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 USC §§ 1251-1387). The Contractor agrees to report any violation to the Owner immediately upon discovery. The Owner assumes responsibility for notifying the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Federal Aviation Administration.

The Contractor must include this requirement in all subcontracts that exceed \$150,000.

PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS EXCEEDING \$250,000

BREACH OF CONTRACT TERMS

Reference: 2 CFR § 200 Appendix II(A)

Any violation or breach of terms of this contract on the part of the Contractor or its subcontractors may result in the suspension or termination of this contract or such other action that may be necessary to enforce the rights of the parties of this agreement.

Owner will provide Contractor written notice that describes the nature of the breach and corrective actions the Contractor must undertake in order to avoid termination of the contract. Owner reserves the right to withhold payments to Contractor until such time the Contractor corrects the breach or the Owner elects to terminate the contract. The Owner's notice will identify a specific date by which the Contractor must correct the breach. Owner may proceed with termination of the contract if the Contractor fails to correct the breach by the deadline indicated in the Owner's notice.

The duties and obligations imposed by the Contract Documents and the rights and remedies available thereunder are in addition to, and not a limitation of, any duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Reference: 49 CFR Part 26

Solicitation Language (Solicitations that include a Contract Goal)

Bid Information Submitted as a matter of *responsiveness*:

The Owner's award of this contract is conditioned upon Bidder or Offeror satisfying the good faith effort requirements of 49 CFR § 26.53.

As a condition of responsiveness, the Bidder or Offeror must submit the following information with its proposal on the forms provided herein:

- 1) The names and addresses of Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) firms that will participate in the contract;

- 2) A description of the work that each DBE firm will perform;
- 3) The dollar amount of the participation of each DBE firm listed under (1);
- 4) Written statement from Bidder or Offeror that attests their commitment to use the DBE firm(s) listed under (1) to meet the Owner's project goal;
- 5) Written confirmation from each listed DBE firm that it is participating in the contract in the kind and amount of work provided in the prime contractor's commitment; and
- 6) If Bidder or Offeror cannot meet the advertised project DBE goal, evidence of good faith efforts undertaken by the Bidder or Offeror as described in appendix A to 49 CFR part 26. The documentation of good faith efforts must include copies of each DBE and non-DBE subcontractor quote submitted to the bidder when a non-DBE subcontractor was selected over a DBE for work on the contract.

Bid Information submitted as a matter of bidder responsibility:

The Owner's award of this contract is conditioned upon Bidder or Offeror satisfying the good faith effort requirements of 49 CFR § 26.53.

As a condition of responsibility, every Bidder or Offeror must submit the following information on the forms provided herein within five days after bid opening.

- 1) The names and addresses of Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) firms that will participate in the contract;
- 2) A description of the work that each DBE firm will perform;
- 3) The dollar amount of the participation of each DBE firm listed under (1);
- 4) Written statement from Bidder or Offeror that attests their commitment to use the DBE firm(s) listed under (1) to meet the Owner's project goal;
- 5) Written confirmation from each listed DBE firm that it is participating in the contract in the kind and amount of work provided in the prime contractor's commitment; and
- 6) If Bidder or Offeror cannot meet the advertised project DBE goal, evidence of good faith efforts undertaken by the Bidder or Offeror as described in appendix A to 49 CFR part 26. The documentation of good faith efforts must include copies of each DBE and non-DBE subcontractor quote submitted to the bidder when a non-DBE subcontractor was selected over a DBE for work on the contract.

Solicitation Language (Race/Gender Neutral Means)

The requirements of 49 CFR part 26 apply to this contract. It is the policy of the Owner to practice nondiscrimination based on race, color, sex, or national origin in the award or performance of this contract. The Owner encourages participation by all firms qualifying under this solicitation regardless of business size or ownership.

Prime Contracts (Contracts Covered by a DBE Program)

Contract Assurance (49 CFR § 26.13)

The Contractor, subrecipient 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 recipient 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.

Prompt Payment (49 CFR § 26.29)

The prime contractor agrees to pay each subcontractor under this prime contract for satisfactory performance of its contract no later than thirty (30) calendar days from the receipt of each payment the prime contractor receives from Owner. The prime contractor agrees further to return retainage payments to each subcontractor within thirty (30) calendar days after the subcontractor's work is satisfactorily completed. Any delay or postponement of payment from the above referenced time frame may occur only for good cause following written approval of the Owner. This clause applies to both DBE and non-DBE subcontractors.

Termination of DBE Subcontracts (49 CFR § 26.53(f))

The prime contractor must not terminate a DBE subcontractor listed in response to the above *Solicitation Language (Solicitations that include a Contract Goal)* section (or an approved substitute DBE firm) without prior written consent of Owner. This includes, but is not limited to, instances in which the prime contractor seeks to perform work originally designated for a DBE subcontractor with its own forces or those of an affiliate, a non-DBE firm, or with another DBE firm.

The prime contractor shall utilize the specific DBEs listed to perform the work and supply the materials for which each is listed unless the contractor obtains written consent from the Owner. Unless the Owner's consent is provided, the prime contractor shall not be entitled to any payment for work or material unless it is performed or supplied by the listed DBE.

The Owner may provide such written consent only if the Owner agrees, for reasons stated in the concurrence document, that the prime contractor has good cause to terminate the DBE firm. For purposes of this paragraph, good cause includes the circumstances listed in 49 CFR §26.53.

Before transmitting to the Owner its request to terminate and/or substitute a DBE subcontractor, the prime contractor must give notice in writing to the DBE subcontractor, with a copy to the Owner, of its intent to request to terminate and/or substitute, and the reason for the request.

The prime contractor must give the DBE five days to respond to the prime contractor's notice and advise the Owner and the contractor of the reasons, if any, why it objects to the proposed termination of its subcontract and why the Owner should not approve the prime contractor's action. If required in a particular case as a matter of public necessity (e.g., safety), the Owner may provide a response period shorter than five days.

In addition to post-award terminations, the provisions of this section apply to preaward deletions of or substitutions for DBE firms put forward by offerors in negotiated procurements.

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