

**CONTRACT**

Village of Homewood

2022 Sidewalk Survey and Saw Cutting/Grinding of Trip Hazards

Purchaser: Village of Homewood  
an Illinois Municipal Corporation.

Seller/Contractor: Universal Concrete Grinding, LLC

**THIS AGREEMENT**, made and concluded this 13th day of September, 2022 between the **Village of Homewood** acting by and through its President and Board of Trustees known as the party of the first part, and **Universal Concrete Grinding LLC**, his/her executors, administrators, successors or assigns, known as the party of the second part.

**WITNESSETH:** That for and in consideration of a sum not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), the Contractor agrees to provide all labor, materials and otherwise fully perform all requirements of the Scope of Work for **Bid Proposal #22-06PW**, hereto attached, to be made and performed by the party of the first part, and according to the terms expressed in the Proposal referring to these presents, the party of the second part agrees with said party of the first part at his/their own proper cost and expense to do all the **WORK**, furnish all materials and all labor necessary to complete the **WORK** in accordance with the Plans and Specifications hereinafter described.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Village and Contractor have executed this contract on the above date.

**For the Contractor**

Universal Concrete Grinding, LLC

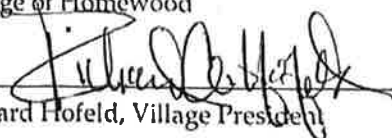
By:   
Joseph Spain, Owner

ATTEST:

  
Secretary

**For the Village**

Village of Homewood

By:   
Richard Hofeld, Village President

ATTEST:

  
Village Clerk

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**2022 SIDEWALK SURVEY AND  
SAW-CUTTING/GRINDING OF TRIP  
HAZARDS**

**2022 Various Locations, Homewood, IL**

**BID NUMBER 22-08 PW**



## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

### DESCRIPTION OF WORK

The work under this contract includes saw-cutting and/or grinding, removal and satisfactory disposal of sidewalk concrete for the purpose of removing trip hazards as specified herein at various locations in the Village of Homewood. **Grinding of sidewalks will only be allowed if operation is dustless.** Submittal of proposal, insurance and work to be performed to conform to pertinent requirements of the General Requirements and Instructions to Bidders as described herein. The contractor will be directed to work in a pre-identified area of the Village until the contract budget amount has been reached (not-to-exceed \$50,000.00).

	<i>Approximated Quantity</i>
<b><u>SIDEWALK SAW-CUTTING</u></b>	
Saw-Cutting/Grinding Full Width (0.5) inches to (1.5) inches vertical displacement	1,400 EACH

All quantities are estimates and are solely for comparison of bids; final installed quantities for each item may be higher or lower.

This contract shall also include all necessary restoration of disturbed areas resulting from the sidewalk saw-cutting and/or grinding, including but not limited to concrete dust, parkway restoration, leveling of existing landscaping, and equipment's rutting.

### GENERAL CONDITIONS/INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION SHOULD BE REVIEWED PRIOR TO PREPARATION  
AND SUBMISSION OF BIDS.

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#### 1.0 BID OPENING/CLOSING TIME

- 1.1 All bids shall be mailed or hand-delivered to the office of the Director of Public Works, 17755 S. Ashland Avenue, Homewood, IL., 60430, no later than **September 2, 2022** at 10:00 a.m., at which time and place they will be opened and publicly read. No late, phone or fax bids will be accepted.
- 1.2 All bids whether hand delivered, sent through the mail, or other delivery system shall be submitted in an opaque sealed envelope, marked with the project title, bid

number, name and address of the bidder and marked with the note "Bid Enclosed" on the face thereof. All certificates, proposals, etc. must be properly executed and must accompany the bid.

- 1.3 Bids to Remain Open: All bids shall remain open for sixty (60) days after the day of the bid opening, but the Village may, at its discretion, release any bid and return the bid security prior to that date.

## 2.0 PREQUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- 2.1 The Village shall approve subcontractors to be used on the subject project and reserves the right to reject the use of any subcontractor by the Contractor due to past performance or apparent inability to properly perform the item of work required of him.
- 2.2 Bidder Qualification: All bidders must present with their bid, a list of projects completed within the last five (5) years similar in size and type. References and contact persons must be provided with this list.

## 2.3 QUALIFICATION OF BIDDER

In order to be considered a responsible bidder, the bidder must demonstrate satisfactory performance on at least five (5) contracts of similar nature and scope within the last five (5) years. These reference must include the location of the work, the dollar value of the work, the owner or agency responsible for the work, and name and phone number of the contact person.

Following is a list of five contracts of a similar nature and scope, which have been performed in the past three years:

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name/Address                      Phone
- \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_  
Location of Work                      Dollar Value                      Contract Date
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name/Address                      Phone
- \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_  
Location of Work                      Dollar Value                      Contract Date
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name/Address                      Phone

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	<u>Location of Work</u>	<u>Dollar Value</u>	<u>Contract Date</u>
4.	<u>Company Name/Address</u>	<u>Phone</u>	
	<u>Location of Work</u>	<u>Dollar Value</u>	<u>Contract Date</u>
5.	<u>Company Name/Address</u>	<u>Phone</u>	
	<u>Location of Work</u>	<u>Dollar Value</u>	<u>Contract Date</u>

**TO BE RETURNED WITH BID PROPOSAL**

**3.0 INSTRUCTIONS/REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO BID PREPARATION:**

- 3.1 Each Bid Proposal shall be submitted on the exact form furnished. All blank spaces for bid prices, unit costs, and alternatives must be filled in, in ink.
- 3.2 Proposals may not be modified after submittal. Bidders may withdraw their Proposal by written request at any time before the hour set for the bid opening, but may not resubmit them. No Proposal may be withdrawn or modified after the bid opening except where the award of contract has been delayed for a period of more than thirty (30) days.
- 3.3 In submitting this Proposal, the bidder declares that the only person or party interested in the Proposal as principals are those named herein; and that the Proposal is made without collusion with any other person, firm or corporation.
- 3.4 The Bidder is to carefully examine the Notice to Contractors, Proposal, Plans, Specifications, Form of Contract, Contract Bond, the Special Provisions, and inspect in detail the site of the proposed work, and familiarize himself with all the local conditions affecting the contract and the detailed requirements of construction and understands that in making the proposal he waives all rights to plead any misunderstandings regarding the same.
- 3.5 The Bidder agrees to furnish all necessary machinery, tools, apparatus and other means required for construction, and to do all of the work and to furnish all of the

materials specified in the contract, except such materials as are to be furnished by the Village, in the manner and at the time there in prescribed, and in accordance with the requirements therein set forth.

- 3.6 The quantities listed in the plans and proposal are approximate only and that they are subject to increase or decrease based on the quantities submitted by the contractor for the amount of work not-to-exceed the budget amount of \$50,000.00.

If the Village decides to increase or decrease the work, or otherwise alter it by extras or deductions, including elimination of any one or more of the items, as provided in the Specifications, the Contractor will perform the work as altered, increased or decreased, at the Contract unit prices found by the total budget divided by the number of locations the contractor submitted.

- 3.7 The Engineer may at any time during the progress of the work covered by this Contract order other work or materials incidental thereto and that all such work and materials as do not appear in the Proposal or Contract as a specific item accompanied by a unit price, and which are not included under the Bid price for other items in the Contract, shall be performed and compensation shall be paid as extra work, per Section 109.04, Payment for Extra Work, of the "IDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction," adopted January 1, 2022.

- 3.8 It will be necessary for the successful bidder to execute a Contract with the Village, and prepare a Progress Schedule. This documentation must be submitted to the Village within ten (10) days of receipt of the Notice of Award of the Contract.

- 3.9 It will be necessary for the successful bidder and his surety to execute and present within fifteen (15) days after the receipt of the Notice of Award of the Contract, a Contract Bond satisfactory to and in the form prescribed by the Village, in the penal sum of the full amount of the Contract, guaranteeing the faithful performance of the work in accordance with the terms of the Contract.

- 3.10 The Bidder shall begin work immediately after receipt of the Notice to Proceed, unless otherwise provided. The work shall be prosecuted in such manner and with sufficient materials, equipment, and labor as will insure its **total completion by January 27, 2023** it being understood and agreed that the completion within the time limit is an essential part of the Contract.

Completion Date. When a completion date is specified, it is understood that time is of the essence and completion of the work by that date is an essential part of the contract. The Contractor's plea that insufficient time was specified is not a valid reason for extension of time. [ref: section 108 of the IDOT Standard

Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, adopted January 1, 2022 will apply when assessing penalties for not meeting completion date.]

- 3.11 By submitting a bid, the Bidder understands and agrees that, if his proposal is accepted, and he fails to enter into a Contract forthwith, he shall be liable to the Village for any damages the Village may thereby suffer.

#### 4.0 CONTACT PERSON FOR QUESTIONS CONCERNING BID

All questions about the meaning or intent of the contract documents shall be submitted to the municipal contact: **Brian Hankey, Engineering Project Coordinator, Department of Public Works, 708-206-3470, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.** Only questions answered by formal written addenda will be binding. Oral and other interpretations or clarification will be without legal effect.

#### 5.0 WITHDRAWING OF BIDS

No bid may be withdrawn for at least thirty (30) days after the closing time for receipt of bids.

#### 6.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

- 6.1 The Village reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any and all informalities, and to negotiate contract terms with the successful bidder, and the right to disregard all non-conforming, non-responsive or conditional bids. Discrepancies between the indicated sum of any column of figures and the correct sum thereof will be resolved in favor of the correct sum. In case of error in extending the total amount of the bid, the unit prices will govern.
- 6.2 A bid will be declared unacceptable if the quantity of locations is failed to be shown.
- 6.3 In evaluating bids, the Village shall consider the qualifications of the bidders, whether or not the bids comply with the prescribed requirements and quantities as requested in the bid forms.
- 6.4 The Village may conduct such investigation as the Village deems necessary to assist in the evaluation of any bid.
- 6.5 If the contract is to be awarded, it will be awarded to the lowest bidder whose evaluation by the Village indicates to the Village that the award will be in the best interest of the project.

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS MUST BE PROPERLY EXECUTED AND INCLUDED WITH BID PROPOSAL WHERE REQUIRED

**7.0 BID SECURITY**

- 7.1 All bidders shall submit a certified check, cashier check or approved bid bond in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total bid, payable to the Village of Homewood as a guarantee that the successful bidder will supply material and/or services as provided.
- 7.2 Bid check/bid bond will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders within ten (10) days of awarding of the bid. The successful bidder's check will be returned within ten (10) days of the satisfactory execution of the contract as determined by the Village.
- 7.3 Should the successful bidder be declared in default by the Village during the contract term, said funds shall be forfeited and the Village may use said funds to obtain performance under the contract from a third party of the Village's selection.

**8.0 PROJECT SECURITY**

- 8.1 **Bond.** The Contractor shall provide at his expense, separate bond written in favor of the Village which provides for:
  - A. **Performance Bond** shall be in a penal sum of 100% of the contract amount, and shall a) service as security for faithful performance of the work; and b) guarantee the work against defective workmanship and materials for a period of not less than one year following acceptance of the work.
- 8.2 **Surety** must be licensed to do business in the State of Illinois and must be acceptable to the Village.
- 8.3 **Power of Authority:** The Contractor shall file with the Village certification that the insurance/bonding agencies have current power to bond. The power of Authority shall be in the form of a copy of the local agencies' current contract with the insurance/bonding company indicating the local agency is under current contract to issue bonds, etc.

**9.0 BASIS OF PAYMENT**

- 9.1 Partial payment shall be made monthly for completed work that is certified as acceptable by the Engineer. It is the Contractor's responsibility to furnish Waivers of Lien and Contractor's Affidavits with partial payment estimates. The following will be required:



- A. Contractor's "Waiver of Lien to Date" and subcontractor's waivers to be furnished for each payment applied for.
- B. Contractor's "Affidavit" for subcontractors and/or suppliers to be filed with the second request, covering previous payments and then with all subsequent payment requests.
- C. Final Waivers of Lien and Affidavits prior to contract close out and final payment.
- D. Certified Payrolls (See Attached from Page 12).

## **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND CONVENANTS**

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### **LAWS TO BE OBSERVED**

The Contractor shall at all times observe and comply with all Federal and State laws, local laws, ordinances and regulations which in any manner affect the conduct of the work, and all such orders or enactments as exist at the present and which may be enacted later, of legislative bodies or tribunals having legal jurisdiction of which may have affect over the work, and no plea of misunderstanding or ignorance thereof will be considered. The Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless the Village and all of its officers, agents, employees and servants against any claim or liability arising from or based on the violation of such law, ordinance, regulation, order of enactment whether by the Contractor of anyone subject to the control of the Contractor.

### **CONTRACTOR SAFETY RESPONSIBILITY**

Nothing in this contract is intended or shall be construed, unless otherwise expressly stated, to reduce the responsibility of the Contractor, a subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them or anyone for who acts they may be liable, from full and complete supervision and achievement of work place safety.

In order to insure this and other duties of the Contractor certain indemnification and insurance is required by the contract. Additionally, the Contractor guarantees the Village a safe work place shall be provided for all employees of the Contractor, and each of its subcontractors. There shall be no violation by the Contractor, a subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them, or anyone for whose acts they may be liable of the applicable standards of the Occupational Safety and Health Act, any other work place safety act of the State of Illinois and Village of Homewood Safety Policy.

## GENERAL CONDITIONS

### DESCRIPTION OF WORK:

The work included in this contract shall consist of furnishing all labor, equipment and materials required for Sidewalk Saw-Cutting/Grinding of trip hazards for various locations throughout The Village of Homewood, and all other incidental work necessary to complete the improvement according to the Plans, Standard Specifications and Special provisions.

The Contractor's attention is directed to the following:

1. **Driveway Closing:** It will be the Contractor's responsibility to notify residents in advance when access to their driveways will be temporarily closed due sidewalk saw-cutting across the resident's driveway. Every effort shall be made to accommodate access to these properties (i.e. knock on doors when driveway is about to be closed).
  
3. **Water Supply:** Construction water must be applied from a tank truck and not from hydrants, and municipal water can be obtained in bulk at no charge as long as there is not a "watering ban" in effect. The Contractor shall provide the water truck and driver required to obtain and transport this water. The indiscriminate use of fire hydrants is strictly prohibited. If no tank truck is used, construction water shall be metered or otherwise accounted and a meter can be obtained at the Municipal Service Center, 17755 S. Ashland Avenue.
  
4. **Inspection and Stakeout:** The Contractor shall designate an employee as Project Supervisor. The Project Supervisor shall be required to assume the responsibility for general supervision of the Contractor's and subcontractors' operation. The Project Supervisor and the Engineer shall work together to properly control and complete the work as provided in the plans and specifications for the proposed improvement. The Engineer shall be provided 48-hour notice of all work items requiring layout or inspection. In addition to the provisions of Article 105.09 of the Standard Specifications, the Contractor shall furnish at his/her expense, the size, quality, and quantity of stakes, lath, flagging tape, and spray paint required by the Engineer to properly stake all aspects of the work.
  
5. **Overtime Resident Engineering:** In the event that the Contractor works at any time on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays, and the Village agrees that resident engineering services are necessary for that work, the portion of the cost of resident engineering services. During that time in excess of the regular hourly billing rate (overtime costs) will be charged to the Contractor. The Village will be responsible for payment of the entire cost of resident engineering services for work on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays and the Contractor's obligation to pay for the overtime portion will be transacted as a deduction or debit on the Contractor's Payment Estimate.

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6. **Video Tape:** Prior to the start of any construction the Contractor shall provide the Village a video-tape covering from right-of-way to right-of-way, all areas in which work is to be done.
7. **Protection of Existing Facilities:** The provisions of Article 107.20 of the Standard Specifications shall apply except that the Contractor shall be required to respond to a request by the Village with 2 hours of the request. If the Contractor does not respond within the allotted times, the Village will arrange to have the repair made and back charge the contractor for any expenses incurred.
8. **Temporary Toilet:** The Contractor shall provide suitable temporary toilet facilities for the use of all of the Contractor's personnel employed on the work, and shall maintain same in proper sanitary condition. At completion, the facilities shall be removed and the premises left clean. The location of the temporary toilets shall be approved by the Engineer.
9. **Working Hours:** Working hours for the project will be from 7:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday through Saturday. No work may occur on Sunday without the approval of the Village Engineer.

#### **GENERAL SPECIAL PROVISIONS**

The following Special Provisions supplement the "Standard Specifications for the Design and Construction of Public Improvements" (Village of Homewood), "IDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction", adopted January 1, 2022 (hereinafter referred to as the Standard Specifications), the latest edition of the "Illinois Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways" and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

#### **PLACEMENT AND REMOVAL OF SIGNS AND BARRICADES**

Placement of all signs, barricades and/or cones shall proceed in the direction of flow of traffic. Removal of all signs, barricades, and/or cones shall start at the end of the construction areas and proceed toward oncoming traffic unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.

#### **PEDESTRIAN SIDEWALK CONTROL**

The Contractor shall install, maintain and remove necessary signs barricades and/or cones needed to direct pedestrians to usable sidewalks and walkways during the construction in accordance with IDOT Traffic Control Standard Case 701801.

At each point of closure, sufficient numbers of cones or barricades shall be used to completely close the sidewalk to pedestrian movement. Where construction activities involve sidewalks on both sides of the street, the work shall be staged so that both sidewalks are not out of service at the same time.

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### **DAMAGED FACILITIES**

Should the Contractor, at any time during execution of the work, damage an existing facility, the Contractor shall be required to make all such repairs to return the Facility to its condition prior to the project, at no expense to the Village. Should the Contractor damage Sidewalk or Pavement that was not designated to be saw-cut, the Contractor will make necessary corrections such that public safety will not be negatively impacted and that the damaged work area be restored to its prior condition.

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### PROPOSAL

All proposals are conditioned upon General Conditions, Specifications and Special Provisions attached to this proposal form. All proposals must be either hand delivered or mailed to the office of the Director of Public Works, Village of Homewood, 17755 S. Ashland Avenue, Homewood, Illinois, 60430 by 10:00 a.m. on **September 2, 2022** in an opaque, sealed envelope. No late or phone bids will be accepted.

<u>NO.</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>NUMBER OF</u> <u>SAW-CUT/GRIND LOCATIONS</u>
1.	Saw-Cutting/Grinding Full Width (0.5) inches to (1.5) inches vertical displacement	\$50,000	_____ EACH
		BID TOTAL:	_____ EACH

The cost of the saw-cutting/grinding, removal of sidewalk debris and restoration shall be included in the cost of saw-cut/grind locations.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## PAY ITEM SPECIAL PROVISIONS

The following Special Provisions supplement the **"IDOT Standard Specifications for the Road and Bridge Construction," adopted January 1, 2022, Standard Specifications for the Design and Construction of Public Improvements, January 1997, Americans with Disabilities Act and "Supplemental Specifications", all applicable local, state and national codes and ordinances which** apply to and govern the proposed improvement. In case of conflict with any part or parts of said specifications, the said Special Provisions shall take precedence and shall govern.

### SIDEWALK SURVEY & SAW-CUTTING/GRINDING

#### Description/Scope of Work:

This work shall consist of a detailed work report, sidewalk saw-cutting and/or grinding, removal and satisfactory cleanup disposal and restoration of sidewalks. Based on the criteria established by the Village, the contractor shall visually inspect, pre-identify, and measure and record sidewalk trip hazards suitable for saw-cut and/or grind repairs throughout the project area. The contractor shall also identify and record sections of sidewalk that meet the Villages of Homewood criteria from sidewalk slab removal and replacement. After the inspection is complete, the contractor shall cut and/or grind deviations between 0.5" and 1.5" noted to achieve a contiguous level surface between sidewalk slabs.

#### Detailed Work Report Specifications:

The contractor shall provide a detailed sidewalk report of the project area indicating addresses and locations for future removal and replacement of slabs that either exceed the sawing criteria or exhibit other defects as follows:

- a) Cracking: A random crack greater than 3/8 inch wide exists
- b) Spalling: Spalling exceeding 35% of the sidewalk slab surface
- c) Holes: Holes in the sidewalk surface with size in excess of 3" x 3" x 1" deep.
- d) Utility structures: Any utility structures, such as manhole frames or b-boxes that are protruding beyond the surface of the sidewalk by more than 1/2 inch.
- e) Sidewalk Slabs with a vertical displacement of greater than 1.5"

The contractor shall provide a detailed sidewalk report of the project area indicating addresses and locations for locations that fall under the saw-cutting or grinding criteria:

- a) Saw-Cutting/Grinding: Sidewalk slabs with a vertical displacement of 0.5" to 1.5"

The detailed report can be made concurrently to the saw-cutting/grinding process if desired:

- Provide a report to the Village that are categorized by **Village Street and Address and GPS Coordinates** that identifies displacement information for saw-cutting/grinding locations as well as sidewalk slabs that meet the criteria to be removed and replaced and have the deficiencies noted.

Concrete Cutting/Grinding Specifications:

Once approval is given by the Village, the Contractor shall cut/grind the sidewalk deviation to achieve a level surface. All equipment used in the process of cutting or grinding the sidewalk must fit on the sidewalk and not overhang the sidewalk which may adversely affect landscaped areas. Any sod or landscaped areas that are inadvertently impacted by cutting operation must be restored to their pre-improvement state within 36 hours of the disturbance.

Limitations of Operations:

1. **GRINDING OF SIDEWALKS WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED IF OPERATION IS DUSTLESS.**
2. No storing of equipment or materials on the sidewalk or private property shall be allowed without prior approval of the Village.
3. All sidewalk saw cuts and/or grindings started in residential areas shall be completed by the end of the same workday in which they started. Sidewalk saw cutting and/or grindings through driveways or adjoining business properties shall be completed within two (2) hours.
4. The Village may direct saw cuts and/or grinding at locations other than construction joints. Saw cuts and/or grindings directed by the Village will be paid for at the contract quantity per cut/grind location.
5. Saw cutting and/or grinding shall be done by a means that will eliminate any dust. Any debris from sawing and/or grinding shall be removed from the sidewalks and/or pavement to reduce possible tracking.
6. At no time shall the contractor cause excessive dust, in the sole opinion of the Village, to be airborne. Any dust created by the cutting and or grinding process must be damped with water or immediately consumed by a vacuum system. If dust is remediated with water, any and all debris or slurry created as a result of the process must be cleaned the same day. Slurry must be immediately contained and will not be permitted to stand on the sidewalk or run into the parkway or residential property.
7. Contractor shall be responsible for lawful disposal of all debris.

Saw cutting of Sidewalks, Driveways, and Curbs – Description:

1. The contractor shall take precautions during saw cutting and/or grinding operations to not disfigure, scar, impair or damage any surrounding surfaces including, but not limited to, sidewalk, driveway, roadway, curb, steps, walls, railings, light poles, turf, or any public or private installations such as trees, irrigation, sprinkler heads, electric fences, etc.

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2. All potential trip hazards marked for saw cutting/grinding must be removed in accordance with the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements with the resulting finish being ADA compliant. Each offset must be tapered at a 1:12 planar slope and must have smooth uniform appearance and texture.
3. The finished surface shall have a coefficient of friction of at least 0.6.
4. The finished result of each cut/grind shall be taken to a zero point of differential settlement along the entire length of the cut or grind and to both edges of the sidewalk to eliminate the potential for trip hazards across the full width of the sidewalk.
5. Existing concrete, asphalt mixes, or other types of material used to shim raised sidewalks shall be removed from adjacent sidewalk squares prior to saw cutting/grinding sidewalks.

After completion of saw cut/grind repairs, the contractor shall submit a listing of all saw cut and/or grind repairs made in the project area. A physical street address of adjacent property and GPS coordinates are to be provided for each location with the dimensions of the slabs impacted by the saw cut/grind repair.

Saw Cutting Criteria:

1. Sidewalk squares with a vertical displacement between 0.5" inch and 1.5" shall be removed/repared.
2. Cross-cuts/grinds shall be performed on any adjacent sidewalk that contains deficiencies outside the listed criteria.
3. If saw cutting and/or grinding is needed at curb ramps either the curb or sidewalk may be cut provided that after the cutting/grinding, the flow line of the curb is not changed in anyway. The lowest part of the cut/grind shall be above the flow line of the curb and there must be positive drainage across the curb to the flow line.

Method of Measurement:

Saw cutting and/or grinding of sidewalk will be measured for payment by each sidewalk cut/grind. The cost of cleaning and removal of sidewalk shall be included in the quantity for saw cutting and/or grind. The Contractor is required to record and submit, with each invoice, the exact dimensions of each vertical separation removed per location.

Basis of Payment:

This work shall be paid for at the contract quantity per EACH for **Saw-Cutting/Grinding Full Width (0.5) inches to (1.5) inches Vertical Displacement**, which shall include survey report, saw-cutting/grinding, sidewalk cleaning and disposal, restoration, and all labor, equipment, tools, materials, mobilizations, generation of lists for mitigated and non-mitigated vertical separations, and all other costs associated with such work as specified herein. The Village anticipates



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approximately 1,400 sidewalk saw-cuts/grinds to be made within the allowed budget of \$50,000 included in this contract. This is in no way a guaranteed minimum or maximum quantity. Actual quantities will be based on the contractors bid for the allowed budget.

### **RENEWAL OF CONTRACT**

Upon successful completion of the 2022 SIDEWALK SAW-CUTTING/GRINDING OF TRIP HAZARDS the Village of Homewood has the option of renewing for a second year and third year.

If the Village and the Contractor accepts the second year option, the prices, terms and conditions quoted by the contractor in this original 2022 contract, shall remain in effect for the entire upcoming fiscal year (Starting May 1, 2023 to April 30, 2024).

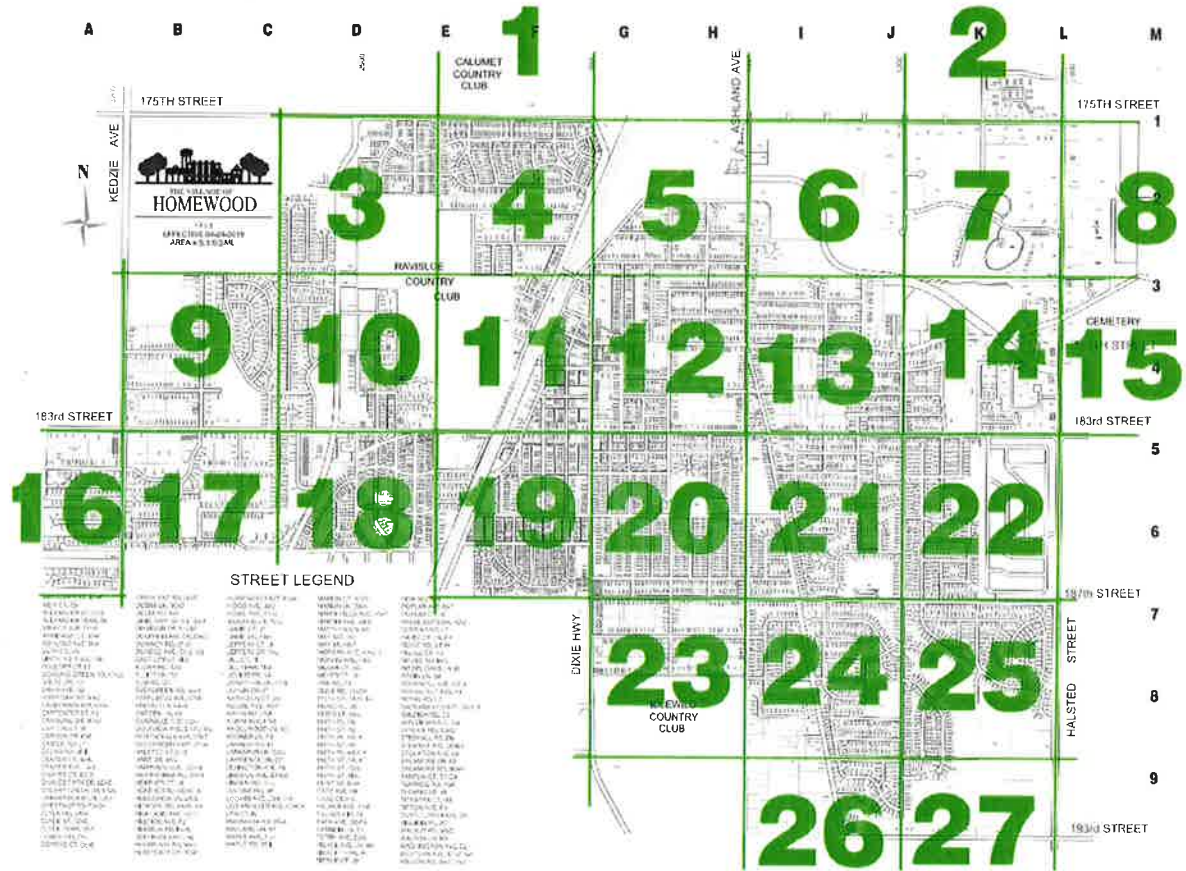
Upon successful completion of the second year the Village of Homewood has the option of renewing for a third year. If the Village and the Contractor accepts the third year option, the prices, terms and conditions quoted by the contractor in this original 2022 contract, shall remain in effect for the entire upcoming fiscal year (Starting May 1, 2024 to April 30, 2025).

Each renewal year will be subject to Village Board approval. Upon board approval the Contractor will be required to provide performance bond and insurance certificates as required by the Village of Homewood each option year.

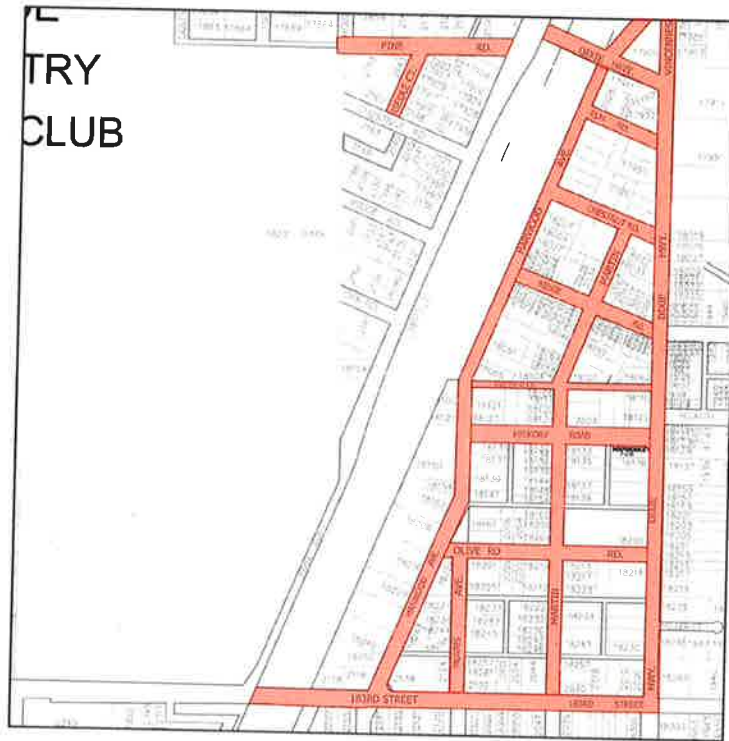
### **Location and Duration of Work:**

Work for this contract shall take place within sections 11, 14, 20, 21, 23 and 24 within the Village of Homewood limits. The maps provided herein shows the specific street sections within each section of town that will be the main focus areas. **Streets that are not highlighted on the section map are not to be surveyed.** If all sections are surveyed and the bid quantity has not been reached, the contractor shall notify the Village of Homewood Department of Public Works and another section will be provided to the contractor.

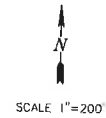
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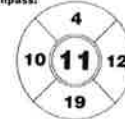


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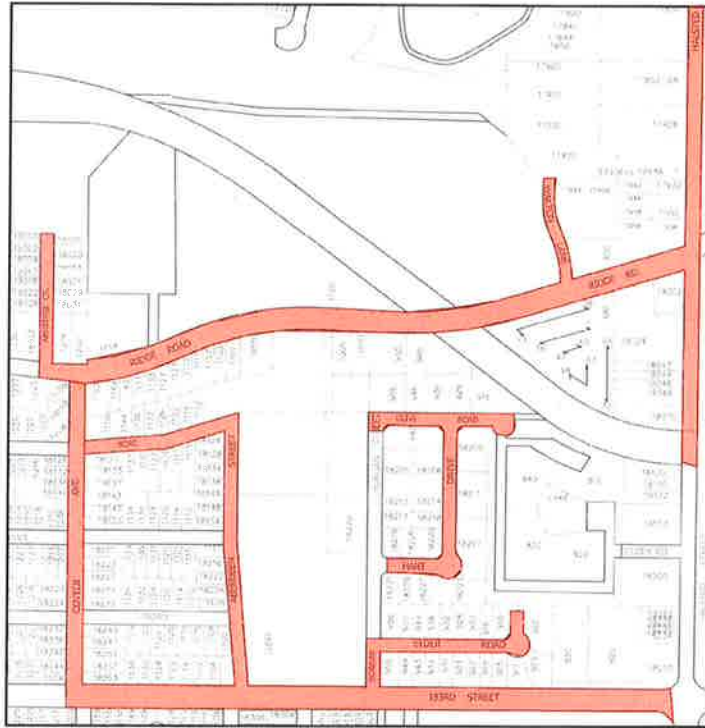


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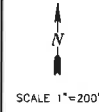
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 1750 S. ARDEN AVE.  
 HOMEWOOD, ALABAMA 36450-1518 (766) 346-1000

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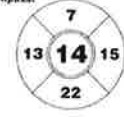


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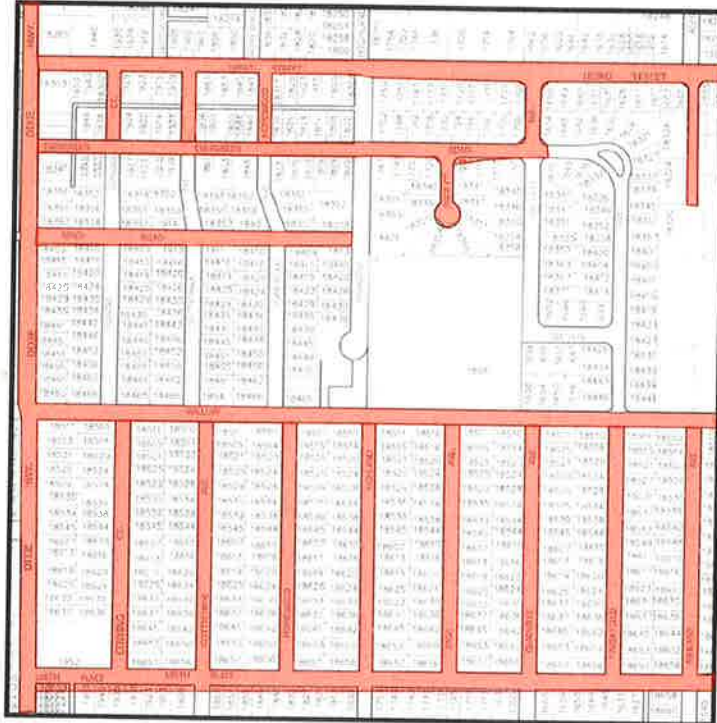


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 1100 S. WOODRIDGE  
 HOMERIDGE, ALABAMA 36628-1714 (205) 988-3475

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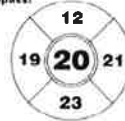
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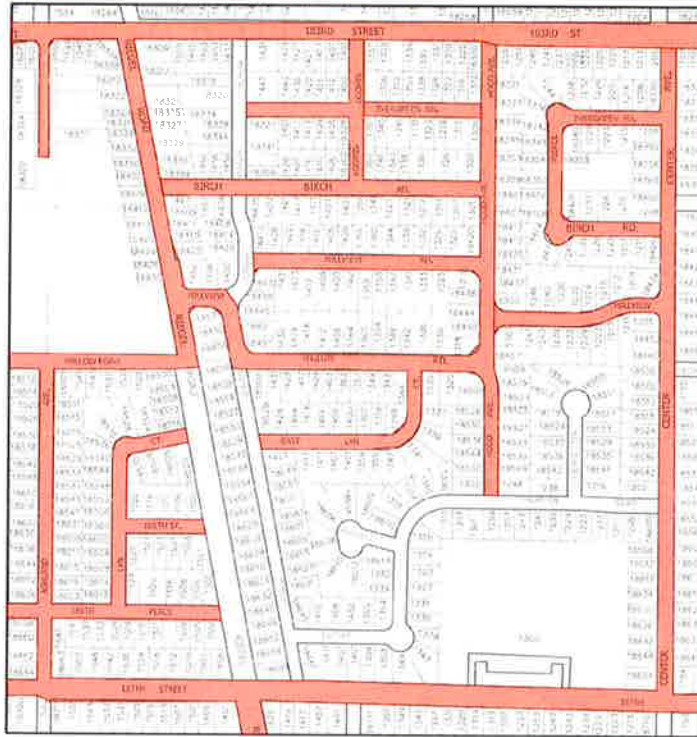


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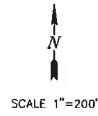
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 HOPEWELL, ALABAMA 35881-3178 TEL: 205-965-1810

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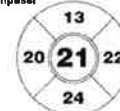


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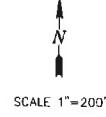
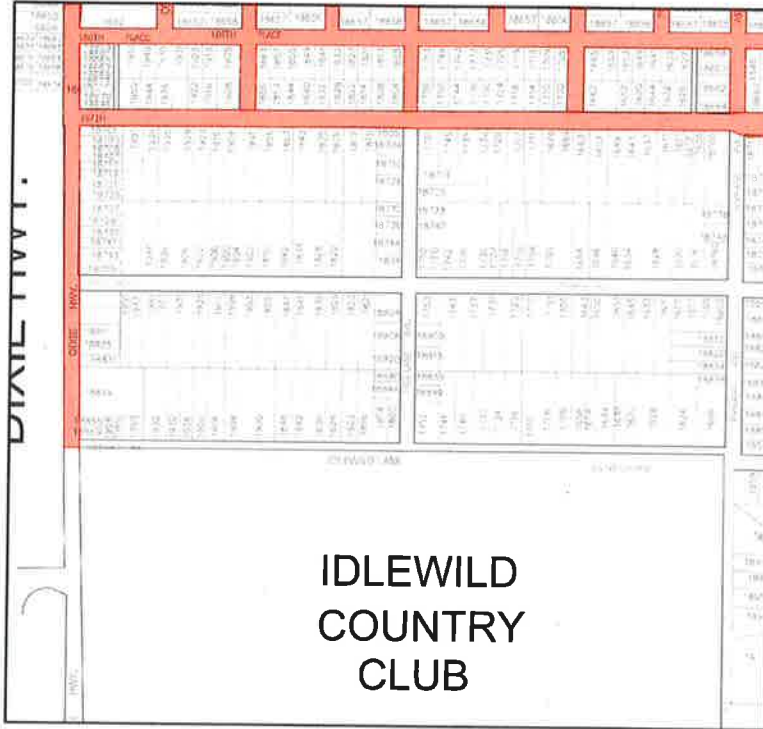


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**VILLAGE OF HOMEWOOD**  
 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
 JOHN S. ADAMS III  
 VILLAGE ENGINEER

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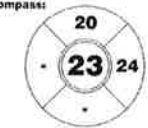


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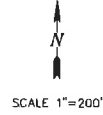
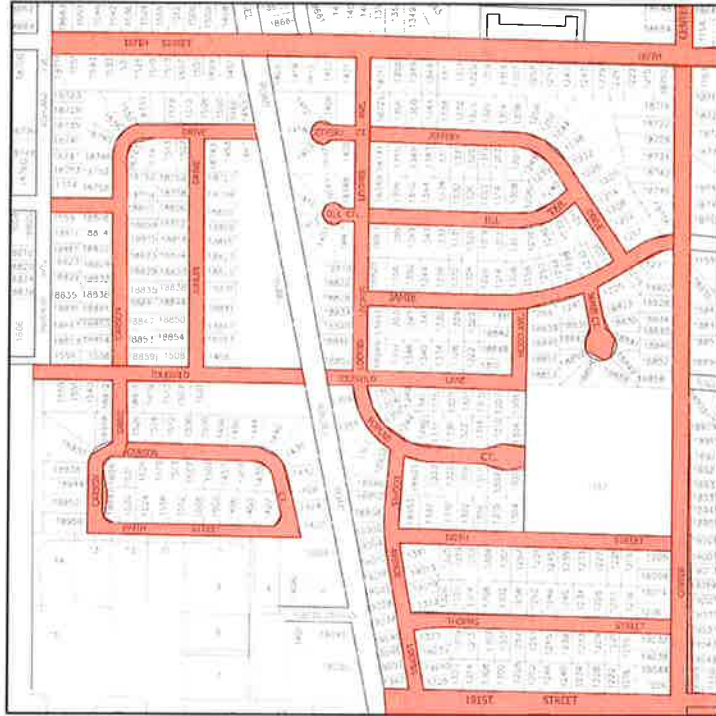
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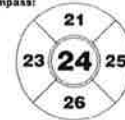


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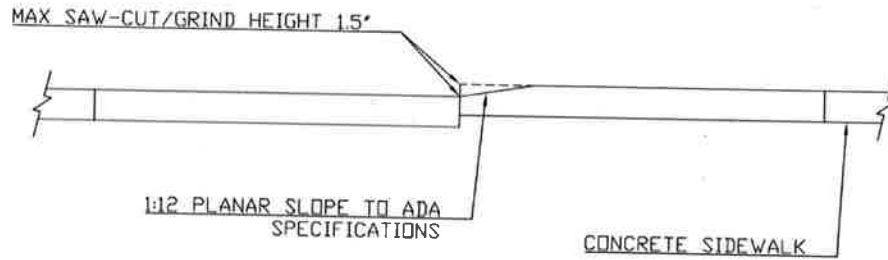
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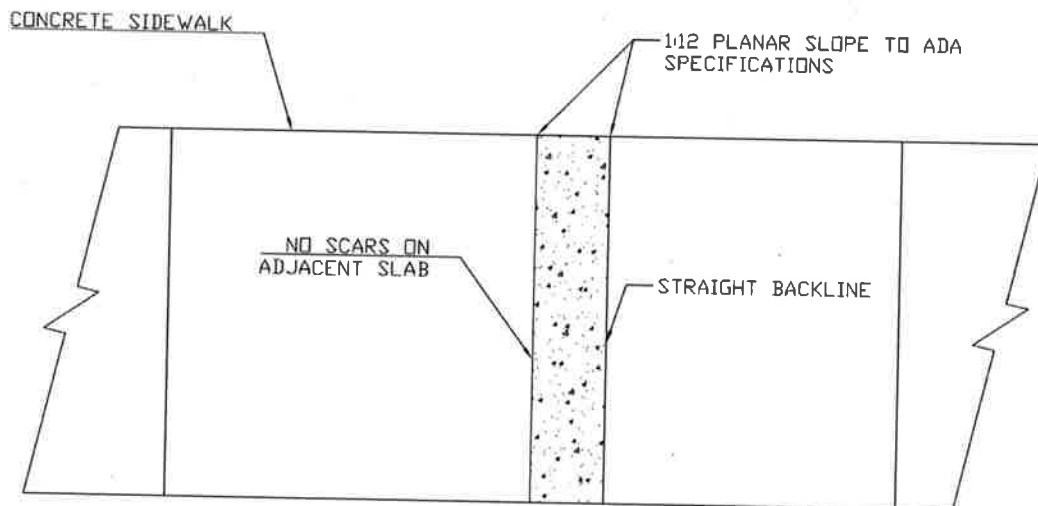


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# CONCRETE SIDEWALKS SAW-CUTTING/GRINDING OF TRIP HAZARDS



TYPICAL SECTION



PLAN VIEW

HOMWOOD STANDARD

SEPTEMBER, 2021

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<b>ATTACHMENT FOR SIGN OFF BY BIDDER</b>	<b>REQUIRED</b>	<b>NOT REQUIRED</b>
Drug Free Workplace Certification	X	
Equal Employment Opportunity	X	
Hold Harmless Agreement	X	
Insurance Requirements	X	
Prevailing Wage Certification	X	
Compliance With Safety Standards	X	
Sexual Harassment Policy Certification	X	
Blood Borne Pathogens Compliance Certification		X
Authorization To Perform Background Checks		X
Contact Information	X	
Certificate of Authorized Dealer		X
Performance/Payment Bond	X	

**Contract For: 2022 Sidewalk Saw-Cutting/Grinding of Trip Hazards**

**Contract Number: 22-08 PW**

**Date Due: September 2, 2022**

**Description: Furnish all labor, materials, equipment, etc. to complete the project requirements as specified and as reasonably required for the general administration and construction of the specified work as detailed herein.**

## DRUG FREE WORKPLACE CERTIFICATION

The bidder shall certify that it will comply with all requirements of the Illinois Drug Free Workplace Act (30 ILCS 580/1 et seq.) including but not limited to:

1. Publishing a Statement:
  - A. Notifying the employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the bidder's workplace,
  - B. Specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition,
  - C. Notifying the employee that as a condition of employment on such contract or grant, the employee will; 1) abide by the terms of the statement and 2) notify the employer of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than 5 days after such conviction.
2. Establishing a drug free awareness program to inform employees about:
  - A. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
  - B. The grantee's or bidder's policy of maintaining a drug free workplace;
  - C. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and
  - D. The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug violations.
3. Making it a requirement to give a copy of the statement required by subsection (1) to each employee engaged in the performance of the contract or grant and to post the statement in a prominent place in the workplace.
4. Notifying the Village of Homewood within 10 days after receiving notice under part (2) of paragraph (C) of subsection 14.1 from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction.
5. Imposing a sanction on, or requiring the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program by an employee who is convicted, as required by Section 5 of the Illinois Drug Free Workplace Act.
6. Training of personnel to effectively assist employees in selecting a proper course of action in the event drug counseling, treatment, and rehabilitation is required and indicating an effectively trained counseling and referral team is in place.
7. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug free workplace through implementation of requirements of Section 15.3.

## EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

In the event of the bidder's non-compliance with any provision of this equal employment opportunity clause, the Illinois Human Rights Act or the Illinois Department of Human Rights (IDHR) Rules and Regulations for Public Contracts, the bidder may be declared non-responsible, and therefore, ineligible for future contracts or sub-contracts with the State of Illinois or any of its political subdivisions or municipal corporations, and the contract may be canceled or voided in whole or in part, and other sanctions or penalties may be imposed or remedies provided by statute or regulations.

During the performance of this contract the bidder agrees as follows:

1. It will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry or other legally protected class; and further that it will examine all job classifications to determine if minority persons or women are underutilized and will take appropriate affirmative action to rectify any such under-utilization.
2. If it hires additional employees in order to perform this contract, or any portion hereof, it will determine the availability (in accordance with the IDHR's Rules and Regulations for Public Contracts) of minorities and women in the area(s) from which it may reasonable recruit, and it will hire from each job classification from which employees are hired in such a way that minorities and women are not underutilized.
3. In all solicitation or advertisements for employees placed by it or on its behalf, it will state that all applicants will be afforded equal opportunity without discrimination because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, or other legally protected class.
4. It will send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which it has or is bound by a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, a notice advising such labor organization or representative of the bidder's obligations under the Human Rights Act and IDHR's Rules and Regulations for Public Contracts. If any such labor organization or representative fails or refuses to cooperate with the bidder in its efforts to comply with such act and rules and regulations, the bidder will promptly so notify IDHR and the contracting agency and will recruit employees from other sources when necessary to fulfill its obligations there under.
5. It will submit reports as required by IDHR Rules and Regulations for Public Contracts, furnish all relevant information as may from time to time be requested by IDHR or the contracting agency and in all respects comply with the Illinois Human Rights Act and IDHR Rules and Regulations for Public Contracts.
6. It will permit access to all relevant books, records, accounts and work sites by personnel by the contracting agency and IDHR for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance.

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## HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

The successful bidder shall agree to the fullest extent permitted by law to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Village of Homewood, its elected and appointed officials, agents and employees, against all injuries, deaths, loss, damages, claims, patent claims, suits, liabilities, judgments, cost and expenses, including reasonable attorney fees, which in any way may accrue against the Village of Homewood, its elected and appointed officials, agents and employees, arising in whole, in part, or in consequence of the performance of this work by the Bidder or its employees or subcontractors, or which may in any way result there from, except for those injuries, deaths, loss, damages, claims, patent claims, suits, liabilities, judgments, cost and expenses caused solely by the acts of the Village of Homewood, its elected or appointed officials, agents or employees. The Bidder shall, at its own expense, appear, defend and pay all attorney fees, costs and other expenses arising therefore or incurred in connection with this hold harmless agreement. If any judgment is rendered against the Village of Homewood, its elected or appointed officials, agents or employees, the Bidder shall, at its own expense, satisfy and discharge the same.

Bidder expressly understands and agrees that any performance bond, payment bond or insurance policy required by this contract or state law shall not limit its responsibility to indemnify, keep and save harmless and defend the Village of Homewood, its elected and appointed officials, agents and employees as herein provided.

## INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Upon bid award, the bidder shall submit a Certificate of Insurance providing the following coverage:

1. Commercial General Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury, and property damage and \$1,000,000 per occurrence for personal injury. The general aggregate shall be twice the required occurrence limit. Minimum General Aggregate shall be no less than \$2,000,000 or a project/contract specific aggregate of \$1,000,000.
2. Business Automobile Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit per accident for bodily injury and property damage.
3. Workers' Compensation and Employers' Liability: Workers' Compensation coverage with statutory limits and Employers' Liability limits of \$500,000 per accident.
4. The bidder shall not commence work until it provides the certificate of insurance as described above. The bidder shall maintain all such insurance coverage for the term of the contract.
5. The certificate shall name the Village of Homewood and all its officials and employees, elected and appointed, as additional insured and shall include the policy's expiration date. In addition, as part of the contract, the Village of Homewood must receive a minimum of ten days' notice upon cancellation of the company's insurance policy.

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## COMPLIANCE WITH SAFETY STANDARDS

The bidder shall certify that it has a written safety policy and agrees to comply with all state and federal regulations pertaining to employee safety, including but not limited to the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act, EPA and OSHA safety standards, and the Village of Homewood's Safety Policy Manual.

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## SEXUAL HARASSMENT POLICY CERTIFICATION

The bidder hereby certifies that it has a written sexual harassment policy in place in full compliance with 775 ILCS 5/2-105(A)(4).



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## CONTACT INFORMATION

Bidder shall designate a point of contact responsible for day to day contract performance, including the following information:

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Name

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Title

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Organization Name/Address

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Office Phone

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Cell Phone

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Email Address

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## **PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION BOND ACT COMPLIANCE**

The bidder shall provide a performance/payment bond as required by the Public Construction Bond Act (30 ILCS 550/1 et seq.)

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### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF BID/CONTRACT TERMS

The undersigned, on behalf of the bidder, hereby agrees that all of the provisions marked "required" on page one of this addendum shall be incorporated into their bid as if fully restated therein.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Organization

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

WITNESS:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Printed Name  
\_\_\_\_\_



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Conforms with The American Institute of Architects AIA Document 310

## Bid Bond

### CONTRACTOR:

*(Name, legal status and address)*  
Universal Concrete Grinding LLC

PO Box 241  
Girard, OH 44420

### SURETY:

*(Name, legal status and principal place of business)*  
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company  
175 Berkeley Street  
Boston, MA 02116

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification.

### Mailing Address for Notices

Liberty Mutual Surety Claims  
P O Box 34526  
Seattle, WA 98124

Any singular reference to Contractor, Surety, Owner or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

### OWNER:

*(Name, legal status and address)*  
Village of Homewood

17755S Ashland Avenue  
Homewood, IL 60430

**BOND AMOUNT:** 10% Ten Percent of Bid Amount

### PROJECT:

*(Name, location or address, and Project number, if any)*  
2022 Sidewalk Survey & Trip Hazard Removal

The Contractor and Surety are bound to the Owner in the amount set forth above, for the payment of which the Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, as provided herein. The conditions of this Bond are such that if the Owner accepts the bid of the Contractor within the time specified in the bid documents, or within such time period as may be agreed to by the Owner and Contractor, and the Contractor either (1) enters into a contract with the Owner in accordance with the terms of such bid, and gives such bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or Contract Documents, with a surety admitted in the jurisdiction of the Project and otherwise acceptable to the Owner, for the faithful performance of such Contract and for the prompt payment of labor and material furnished in the prosecution thereof; or (2) pays to the Owner the difference, not to exceed the amount of this Bond, between the amount specified in said bid and such larger amount for which the Owner may in good faith contract with another party to perform the work covered by said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect. The Surety hereby waives any notice of an agreement between the Owner and Contractor to extend the time in which the Owner may accept the bid. Waiver of notice by the Surety shall not apply to any extension exceeding sixty (60) days in the aggregate beyond the time for acceptance of bids specified in the bid documents, and the Owner and Contractor shall obtain the Surety's consent for an extension beyond sixty (60) days.

If this Bond is issued in connection with a subcontractor's bid to a Contractor, the term Contractor in this Bond shall be deemed to be Subcontractor and the term Owner shall be deemed to be Contractor.

When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location of the Project, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.


Signed and sealed this 2nd day of September, 2022

Universal Concrete Grinding LLC

  
*(Witness)*


*(Principal)*

*(Seal)*

  
*(Title)* OWNER Joseph Spain

The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

*(Surety)*

  
*(Title)* Connie Eastland, Attorney In Fact

  
*(Witness)*





This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

Certificate No: 8206543-971389

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies") pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint, Connie S. Eastland, Heidi M. Nienow, Taylor Ryman

all of the city of Madison state of WI each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of those presents and shall be as binding upon the Companies as if they have been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Companies in their own proper persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed thereto this 13th day of October, 2021



Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company
By: David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

Not valid for mortgage, note, loan, letter of credit, currency rate, interest rate or residual value guarantees.

For bond and/or Power of Attorney (POA) verification inquiries, please call 610-832-8240 or email HOSUR@libertymutual.com.

State of PENNSYLVANIA ss
County of MONTGOMERY

On this 13th day of October, 2021 before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written



Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Notary Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Montgomery County
My commission expires March 28, 2025
Commission number 1128044
Member: Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By: Teresa Pastella
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-laws and Authorizations of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company which resolutions are now in full force and effect reading as follows:

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS: Section 12. Power of Attorney

Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitation as the Chairman or the President may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Corporation to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Corporation by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Corporation. When so executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the President and attested to by the Secretary. Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority

ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5 Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary

Certificate of Designation - The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations

Authorization - By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the Company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the Company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed

I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, is in full force and effect and has not been revoked

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this 2nd day of September, 2022



By: Renee C. Llewellyn
Renee C. Llewellyn, Assistant Secretary

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## PREVAILING WAGE CERTIFICATION

The bidder shall certify that it will comply with the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act. (830 ILCS 130/1 *et seq.*)

This contract calls for the construction of a "public-work, within the meaning of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, 820 ILCS 130/.01 *et seq.* (The "Act"). The Act requires contractors and subcontractors to pay laborers, workers and mechanics performing services on public works projects no less than the current "prevailing rate of wages" (hourly cash wages plus amount for fringe benefits in the county where the work is performed. The Department publishes the prevailing wage rates on its website at <http://labor.illinois.gov/>. The Department revises the prevailing wage rates and the contractor/subcontractor has an obligation to check the Department's website for revisions to prevailing wage rates. For information regarding current prevailing wage rates, please refer to the Illinois Department of Labor's website. All contractors and subcontractors rendering services under this contract must comply with all requirements of the Act, including but not limited to, all wage requirements and notice and record keeping duties.