

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT
SERVICES**

This Professional Services Agreement (“Agreement”) is made and entered into this ____ day of _____, 20__, by and between the **CITY OF STONECREST, GEORGIA** ("City"), and R.K. Shah & Associates, Inc. .. (“Contractor”).

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Contractor is engaged in the business of providing paving services.

WHEREAS, Contractor submitted a response to the City’s Request for Proposal 2022-023 for Sidewalk design, which was selected by the City as the most responsive bidder;

WHEREAS, the City desires to engage Contractor, and Contractor agrees to render certain technical advice and professional services to the City pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth below.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual terms, conditions and covenants set forth herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. **SERVICES**. Contractor agrees to provide professional services to the City as detailed in **Exhibit A** (“Services”). If any services to be performed are not specifically listed in Exhibit A or herein, but are reasonably necessary to accomplish the purpose of this Agreement, Contractor agrees to perform such services at the direction and approval of the City Manager or his/her designee. In the event of any conflict between the terms of Exhibit A and this Agreement, the terms of this Agreement shall control.
2. **COMPENSATION**. In consideration for Services, the City shall pay to Contractor a fee not to exceed the amounts indicated in **Exhibit B** (“Cost Proposal”). The City agrees to pay Contractor’s invoices within thirty (30) days of receiving same. As the City is a local government entity and thus exempt from sales taxation, notwithstanding the terms of the proposal, Contractor acknowledges that the City shall not be responsible for payment of any sales taxes on any invoices submitted for the services provided under this Agreement.
3. **TERM**. This Agreement shall commence on the date all parties have executed this Agreement (“Effective Date”) and shall terminate absolutely without further obligation on the part of the City on October 31, 2023 (“Term”).

4. RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.

- (a) Independent Contractors. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to create any relationship other than that of independent contractor between the City and Contractor. This Agreement shall not constitute, create, or otherwise imply an employment, joint venture, partnership, agency or similar arrangement between the City and Contractor. It is expressly agreed that Contractor is acting as an independent contractor and not as an employee in providing the Services under this Agreement.
- (b) Employee Benefits. Contractor shall not be eligible for any benefit available to employees of the City including, but not limited to, workers' compensation insurance, state disability insurance, unemployment insurance, group health and life insurance, vacation pay, sick pay, severance pay, bonus plans, pension plans, or savings plans.
- (c) Payroll Taxes. No income, social security, state disability or other federal or state payroll tax will be deducted from payments made to Contractor under this Agreement. Contractor shall be responsible for all FICA, federal and state withholding taxes and workers' compensation coverage for any individuals assigned to perform the Services for the City.

5. WARRANTY ON SERVICES RENDERED. The Contractor warrants its Services and workmanship shall be (i) free from defects; (ii) performed as stipulated in the bid/proposal documents and conform to all specifications; (iii) performed by skilled personnel experienced in and capable of doing the kind of work assigned to them; and (iv) performed in accordance to all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules and policies. Upon receipt of written notice of a defect, the Contractor shall repair the defect in a timely manner at no expense to the City.

6. TERMINATION FOR DEFAULT.

- (a) The City may, subject to the provisions of subparagraph (c) below, by written notice of default to the Contractor, terminate the whole or any part of this Agreement in any one of the following circumstances; (i) if the Contractor fails to perform this Agreement within the time specified herein or any extension thereof; or (ii) if the Contractor fails to perform any of the other provisions of this Agreement, or so fails to make progress as to endanger performance of this Agreement in accordance with its terms, and does not cure such failure within a period of ten (10) days after receipt of notice from the City specifying such failure.
- (b) In the event the City terminates this Agreement in whole or in part as provided in subparagraph (a) above, the City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the City may deem appropriate, services, similar to those so terminated, and the Contractor shall be liable to the City for any excess costs for the same, including without limitation all cost and expenses of the type specified in the "WARRANTY" paragraph of this Agreement; provided, that the Contractor shall continue the

performance of this Agreement to the extent not terminated hereunder.

- (c) Except with regard to defaults of subcontractors, the Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs if the failure to perform this Agreement arises out of causes beyond the control and without the fault of negligence of the Contractor; such causes may include, but are not limited to, acts of God, or of the public enemy, acts of the Government in either its sovereign or contractual capacity, fires, flood, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, and unusually severe weather, but in every case the failure to perform must be beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor. If the failure to perform is caused by the default of a subcontractor, and if such default arises out of causes beyond the control of both the Contractor and the subcontractor, and without the fault or negligence of either of them, the Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs for failure to perform, unless the services to be furnished by the subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit the Contractor to meet the required delivery schedule. The term “subcontractor” shall mean subcontractor at any tier.
 - (d) If, after notice of termination of this Agreement under the provisions of this paragraph, it is determined for any reason that the Contractor was not in default under the provisions above or that the default was excusable under the provisions of this paragraph, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination has been issued pursuant to the “Termination for Convenience” paragraph of this Agreement.
 - (e) The rights and remedies of the City provided in this paragraph shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Agreement.
7. **TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE.** The City may at any time by written notice terminate all or any part of this Agreement for the City’s convenience. If this Agreement is terminated, in whole or in part, for the City’s convenience, the Contractor shall be paid an amount, to be mutually agreed upon, which shall be adequate to cover the actual and reasonable cost paid by the Contractor for the actual goods and labor reasonably used by the Contractor to perform the work under this Agreement to the effective date of termination, plus a reasonable profit thereon; provided that no amount shall be paid to the Contractor for (i) any anticipatory profits related to work under this Agreement not yet performed, or (ii) costs incurred due to the Contractor’s failure to terminate work as ordered on the effective date of termination. In no event shall the total amount paid under the provisions of this paragraph exceed the prices set forth in this Agreement for the work terminated.
8. **DISPUTES.** Pending resolution of any dispute hereunder, the Contractor shall proceed diligently with the performance of work in accordance with the City’s direction.
9. **INDEMNIFICATION.** To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contractor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the City and its governing officials, agents, employees, and

representatives (collectively, the “City Indemnitees”) from and against any and all liabilities, demands, losses, damages, fines, penalties, costs or expenses (including reasonable attorney’s fees and costs), incurred by any City Indemnatee as a result of or arising out of (i) the wrongful misconduct or negligence (including fraud) of Contractor or its employees, agents, and representatives in performing this Agreement; (ii) a material breach by Contractor of its covenants; or (iii) failure by Contractor or its employees, agents, and representatives to comply with all applicable federal, state, or local law, rule or regulation in connection with services provided under this Agreement. These obligations shall survive termination.

10. RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS. The Contractor shall abide by the City’s applicable Risk Management Requirements, attached to this Agreement as **Exhibit C** and incorporated herein by reference.

11. STANDARD OF PERFORMANCE AND COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS.

- (a) Contractor warrants and represents that it possesses the special skill and professional competence, expertise, and experience to undertake the obligations imposed by this Agreement.
- (b) Contractor agrees to perform in a diligent, efficient, competent, and skillful manner commensurate with the highest standards of the profession, and to otherwise perform as is necessary to undertake the Services required by this Agreement, including the requirements set forth in the Certification of Sponsor Drug Free Workplace, attached hereto as **Exhibit D** and the Purchasing Policy Addendum attached hereto as **Exhibit E**.
- (c) Contractor warrants and represents that it will, at all times, observe and comply with all federal, state, local and municipal laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations, relating to the provision of the Services to be provided by Contractor hereunder or which in any manner affect this Agreement.

12. GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT: Pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-91, for as long as this Agreement remains in effect, Contractor will be registered with and participate in the federal work authorization program to verify the immigration status of newly hired employees (“e-Verify”). Contractor will execute the O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-91 compliance affidavit on **Exhibit F**, attached hereto and incorporated herein.

13. THE CITY’S ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION. During the Contractor’s performance of this Agreement, the City may, but has no obligation to, provide assistance to, or cooperate with, the Contractor in activities that facilitate the proper performance and completion of this Agreement by the Contractor. Such assistance and cooperation may include without limitation: (i) providing engineering or other analysis or advice on correcting problems; (ii) refraining from strict enforcement of time schedule requirements under this Agreement; (iii) permitting use of test materials or documentation not performed or produced

under this Agreement. Such assistance or cooperation by the City shall not be construed, and the Contractor agrees that it will not claim that any such assistance or cooperation operates, to relieve the Contractor from complete, proper and punctual performance of all the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement.

14. WORK ON THE CITY'S DESIGNATED PREMISES. In the event that the Contractor, the Contractor's employees or agents or the Contractor's subcontractors enter the City's designated premises for any reason in connection with this Agreement, the Contractor and such other parties shall observe all security requirements and all safety regulations.

15. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. Contractor warrants and represents that:

- (a) The Services to be performed hereunder will not create an actual or apparent conflict of interest with any other work it is currently performing;
- (b) Contractor is not presently subject to any agreement with a competitor or with any other party that will prevent Contractor from performing in full accord with this Agreement; and
- (c) Contractor is not subject to any statute, regulation, ordinance or rule that will limit its ability to perform its obligations under this Agreement. The parties agree that Contractor shall be free to accept other work during the term hereof; provided, however, that such other work shall not interfere with the provision of Services hereunder.

16. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION. Contractor acknowledges that it may have access to and become acquainted with confidential information, including, but not limited to, any information the disclosure of which is limited by state or federal law. Unless approved in advance in writing or is required to be disclosed by court order, subpoena or by law, neither Contractor nor any of its employees, will disclose, transfer, distribute or allow access to any confidential information of the other party to third parties. These obligations shall survive termination.

17. ASSIGNMENT AND SUBCONTRACTING. The Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion of this Agreement, nor shall the Contractor subcontract for goods or completed or substantially completed services purchased hereunder without the prior express written consent of the City. No assignment or subcontract by the Contractor, including any assignment or subcontract to which the City consents, shall in any way relieve the Contractor from complete and punctual performance of this Agreement, including without limitation all of the Contractor's obligations under the warranty provisions of this Agreement.

18. ATTORNEYS' FEES. Both parties agree to pay reasonable attorneys' fees to the other party should either party be required to incur attorneys' fees in enforcing the provisions of this Agreement or in the collection of any monies herein required to be paid by the other party.

19. GOVERNING LAW AND CONSENT TO JURISDICTION. This Agreement is made and entered into in the State of Georgia, and this Agreement and the rights and obligations of the parties hereto shall be governed by and construed according to the laws of the State of Georgia without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of laws. The jurisdiction for resolution of any disputes arising from this Agreement shall be in the State Courts of DeKalb County, Georgia.

20. NOTICES. All notices or other communications required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when delivered personally in hand, or when mailed by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested with proper postage prepaid, addressed to the appropriate party at the following address or such other address as may be given in writing to the parties:

If to the City:

Acting City Manager
City of Stonecrest
3120 Stonecrest Blvd.
Stonecrest, Georgia 30038
Email: gscruggs@stonecrestga.gov

With copies to:

City Attorney
Fincher Denmark, LLC
100 Hartsfield Centre Pkwy, Ste. 400
Atlanta, Georgia 30354
Email: wdenmark@fincherdenmark.com

If to the Contractor:

R.K. Shah & Associates
Attn : Raju K. Shah
970 Peachtree Industrial Blvd. Ste 200
Suwanee, GA 30024
Email : raju.shah@rkshah.com
Phone : 770-436-5070

21. NON-WAIVER. The failure by either party to enforce any provision of this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver or limitation of that party's right to subsequently enforce and compel strict performance with every provision of this Agreement.

22. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unenforceable for any reason, the unenforceability thereof shall not affect the remainder of the Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect, and enforceable in accordance with its terms.

23. INTERPRETATION. The Parties acknowledge that this Agreement and all the terms and conditions herein have been fully reviewed and negotiated by the Parties. Having acknowledged the foregoing, the Parties agree that any principle of construction or rule of law that provides that, in the event of any inconsistency or ambiguity, an agreement shall be construed against the drafter of the agreement shall have no application to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

24. **AMENDMENTS.** Any and all modifications or changes to this Agreement must be in writing and signed by the parties to this Agreement.

25. **COUNTERPARTS.** This Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall constitute the original, but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same Agreement. PDF signatures shall constitute original signatures.

26. **ENTIRE AGREEMENT.** This Agreement, which includes the exhibits attached hereto, contains the entire agreement and understanding of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes and replaces any and all prior discussions, representations and understandings, whether oral or written. In case of conflict between any term of the Contractor's Bid/Proposal and this Agreement, the terms of this Agreement shall control unless otherwise stated herein.

27. **CAPTIONS.** The captions appearing herein are for convenience of reference only and shall not affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement or any clause or provision hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said parties have hereunto set their seals the day and year written below.

Executed on behalf of:

CITY OF STONECREST, GEORGIA,

BY: _____

TITLE:

[Seal]

ATTEST (sign here): _____
Name (print): _____
DATE: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM: _____
City Attorney

[SIGNATURES CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE]

Executed on behalf of:

CONTRACTOR,

BY (sign here): _____
Name (print): _____
Title: _____

[Corporate Seal]

ATTEST (sign here): _____
Name (print): _____
Title: _____
DATE: _____

EXHIBIT A
SERVICES/ SCOPE OF WORK

Covington Highway

Covington Highway has 100 ft. GDOT rights-of-way. Sidewalk shall be placed behind the existing power poles, where possible.

Sidewalk Specifications:

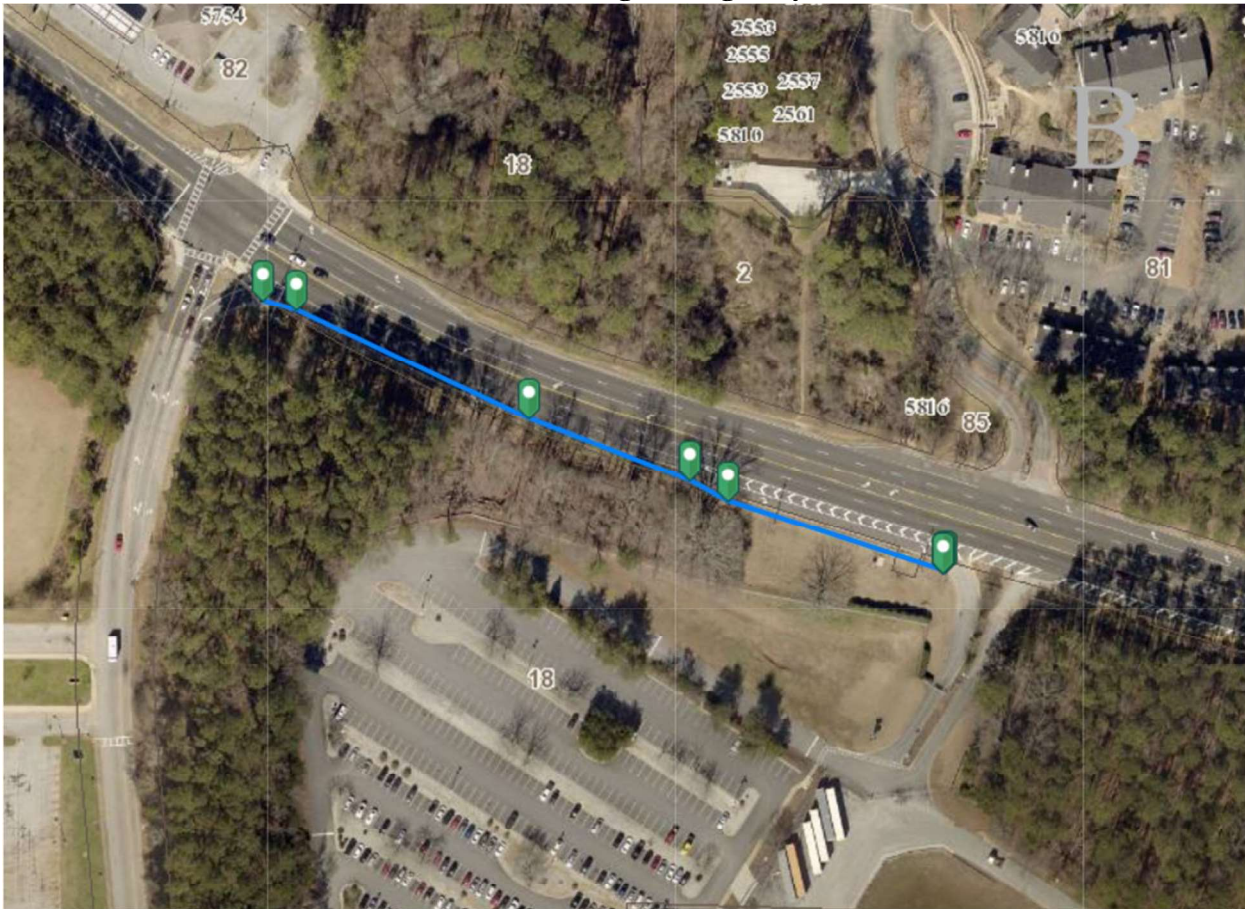
Sidewalk Length: 750 LF

Sidewalk Width: 5 feet - Wheelchair Accessible with ADA Ramps

Starts: Miller Road

Ends: Thicket Way

Covington Highway Sidewalk



Deliverables for Both Sections

- a. Construction plans for bid
- b. Scope of work for bid document
- c. Engineering Cost estimate
- d. GDOT Encroachment Permit
- e. Utility coordination before and during construction

EXHIBIT B
COST PROPOSAL
(ATTACHED)

4.0 Cost Proposal

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NO. 2022-23
SIDEWALK DESIGN**

COST PROPOSAL SCHEDULE

Please provide a Lum Sum cost for this scope

Submit electronically via Bidnet

Total Lump Sum for Sidewalk Designs Fee: \$70,744.50



January 09 2023

PROPOSER : R. K .SHAH & ASSOCIATES, INC.

REF: City of Stonecrest RFP No. 2022-023/Sidewalk Design

SUB: Detailed Design Fee Estimate

Personnel /Category	Estimated Manhour	Unit Cost \$/Hour	Estimated Total Fee - \$
Project Design/Management/ SHAH & ASSOCIATES, INC.	R. K.		
Project Manager	16	\$ 155.00	\$ 2,480.00
Enginner	32	\$ 118.00	\$ 3,776.00
Designer	280	\$ 99.00	\$ 27,720.00
Cadd	180	\$ 78.00	\$ 14,040.00
Sub Total Desgin/Management -(1)			\$ 48,016.00
Survey/Database Preparation/ Engineering LLC	SGC		
Survey/Project Manager	8	\$ 140.00	\$ 1,120.00
Professional Land Surveyor	24	\$ 120.00	\$ 2,880.00
Survey Crew- 2 Person	40	\$ 135.00	\$ 5,400.00
Survey/Cadd Technician	40	\$ 85.00	\$ 3,400.00
Sub Total Survey/Database Preparation - (2)			\$ 12,800.00
Environmetal Investigation Screening/ Report / Environmental Inc.	Edwards-Pitman		
Environmental Project Manager	20	\$ 164.25	\$ 3,285.00
Senior Ecologist	24	\$ 164.25	\$ 3,942.00
Ecologist (QA/QC)	2	\$ 127.00	\$ 254.00
Historic/Cultural Resource Socialist	22	\$ 111.25	\$ 2,447.50
Sub Total Environmetal Investigation Screening/ Report -(3)			\$ 9,928.50
Total Lump Sum Fee -Sidewalk Design (1)+(2)+(3)			\$ 70,744.50

EXHIBIT C

RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS

The Contractor shall provide minimum insurance coverage and limits as per the following: The Contractor shall file with the City Certificates of Insurance, certifying the required insurance coverage and stating that each policy has been endorsed to provide thirty (30) day notice to the City in the event that coverage is cancelled, non-renewed or the types of coverage or limits of liability are reduced below those required. All bonds and insurance coverage must be placed with an insurance company approved by City Management, admitted to do business in the State of Georgia, and rated Secure (“B+” or better) by A.M. Best Company in the latest edition of Property and Casualty Ratings, or rated by Standard & Poors Insurance Ratings, latest edition as Secure (“BBB” or better). Worker’s Compensation self-insurance for individual Contractors must be approved by the Worker’s Compensation Board, State of Georgia and/or Self-Insurance pools approved by the Insurance Commissioner, State of Georgia.

CONTRACTS FOR UP TO \$50,000

Worker’s Compensation – Worker’s Compensation coverage on a statutory basis for the State of Georgia with an Employer’s Liability limit of \$100,000 each Accident, Disease \$100,000 each employee, \$500,000 Disease policy limit.

Automobile Liability – Automobile liability coverage for owned, hired and non-owned vehicles in the amount of \$500,000 combined single limit.

Commercial General Liability – Coverage to be provided on “occurrence” not “claims made” basis. The coverage is to include Contractual liability, Per Project Limit of Liability, losses caused by Explosion, Collapse and Underground (“xcu”) perils, the “City of Stonecrest” is to be added as an Additional Insured and Products and Completed Operations coverage is to be maintained for three (3) years following completion of work.

CONTRACTS FOR MORE THAN \$50,000

Worker’s Compensation – Worker’s Compensation coverage on a statutory basis for the State of Georgia with an Employer’s Liability limit of \$1,000,000. The increased Employer’s Liability limit may be provided by an Umbrella or Excess Liability policy.

Automobile Liability - Automobile liability coverage for owned, hired and non-owned vehicles in the amount of \$1,000,000 combined single limit.

Commercial General Liability – Coverage to be provided on “occurrence” not “claims made” basis. The coverage is to include Contractual liability, Per Project Limit of Liability, losses caused by Explosion, Collapse and Underground (“xcu”) perils, the “City of Stonecrest” is to be added as an Additional Insured and Products and Completed Operations coverage is to be maintained for three (3) years following completion of work.

EXHIBIT C
RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS (Cont'd)

CONTRACTS FOR UP TO \$50,000

CONTRACTS FOR MORE THAN \$50,000

LIMITS OF LIABILITY:

\$1,000,000	Per Occurrence
\$1,000,000	Personal and Advertising
\$50,000	Fire Damage*
\$5,000	Medical Payments*
\$1,000,000	General Aggregate
\$1,000,000	Products/Completed Operations per Occurrence and Aggregate

**These are automatic minimums*

Owner's Protective Liability – The City's Management may, in its discretion, require Owner's Protective Liability in some situations.

Umbrella and/or Excess Liability – The umbrella or Excess Liability Policy may be used to combine with underlying policies to obtain the limits required. The Management of the City may elect to require higher limits.

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EXHIBIT D

DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

I hereby certify that I am a principal and duly authorized representative of _____, (“Contractor”), whose address is

_____, and I further certify that:

- (1) The provisions of Section 50-24-1 through 50-24-6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the “Drug-Free Workplace Act” have been complied with in full; and
- (2) A drug-free workplace will be provided for Contractor’s employees during the performance of the Agreement; and
- (3) Each Subcontractor hired by Contractor shall be required to ensure that the subcontractor’s employees are provided a drug-free workplace. Contractor shall secure from that subcontractor the following written certification: “As part of the subcontracting agreement with Contractor, _____ certifies to Contractor that a drug-free workplace will be provided for the Subcontractor’s employees during the performance of this Agreement pursuant to paragraph (7) of subsection (b) of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, Section 50-24-3”; and
- (4) The undersigned will not engage in unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or marijuana during the performance of the Agreement.

CONTRACTOR: _____

BY: Authorized Officer or Agent
(Contractor Signature)

Date

Title of Authorized Officer or Agent of Contractor

Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent

EXHIBIT E
PURCHASING POLICY ADDENDUM

I, _____, hereby certify that I have received a copy of the City of Stonecrest, GA, Financial Management Policies Purchasing Policy and agree to comply with all requirements of the City of Stonecrest, GA Financial Management Policies Purchasing Policy to the extent the policy is applicable to the undersigned.

BY: Authorized Officer or Agent Date
(Contractor Signature)

Title of Authorized Officer or Agent of Contractor

Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent

Date

EXHIBIT F

GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT AFFIDAVIT

Name: _____

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned person or entity verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm, or corporation has registered with, is authorized to participate in, and is participating in the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify* in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines.

The undersigned person or entity further agrees that it will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period, and it will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the undersigned with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b).

The undersigned person or entity further agrees to maintain records of such compliance and provide a copy of each such verification to the City of Stonecrest within five (5) business days after any subcontractor(s) is/are retained to perform such service.

EEV/Basic Pilot Program* User Identification Number

BY: Authorized Officer or Agent
(Contractor Name)

Date

Title of Authorized Officer or Agent of Contractor

Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME ON
THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 20____

Notary Public
My Commission Expires: _____

* As of the effective date of O.C.G.A. 13-10-91, the applicable federal work authorization program is the "EEV/Basic Pilot Program" operated by the U. S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Bureau of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, in conjunction with the Social Security Administration (SSA).

APPENDIX IV
2023 Street Resurfacing Bid Schedule- Bid Package 1

Pay Item	Description	QTY	Unit	Unit Price	Total Price
150-1001	Traffic Control	1	LS	\$54,500.00	
215-0250	Undercut Excavation and Disposal of Materials (As directed by City Engineer)	25	SY	\$ 193.20	\$ 4,830.00
310-1101	Graded Aggregate Base-Including material (As directed by City Engineer)	25	TN	\$ 100.00	
432-0212	Mill Asphalt Concrete Pavement, 1.5 in depth.	63,000	SY	\$ 3.15	\$198,450.00
402-1802	Recycled /asphalt Concrete Patching using 19 MM Superpave including Bituminous Material & H Lime	1,100	TN	\$ 226.92	\$249,612.00
402-3103	Recycled /asphalt Concrete 9.5 MM Superpave Type II, GP 2 Only, including Bituminous Material & H Lime	5,300	TN	\$ 132.77	
413-1000	Bitum Tack Coat	2,750	GL	\$ 6.50	
611-8050	Adjust Manhole to Grade	20	EA	\$ 275.00	\$ 5,500.00
611-8140	Adjust Utility valves to Grade	5	EA		\$ 1,000.00
653-0110	Thermoplastic PVMT Marking, Arrow TYPE1		LF	\$ 1,100.00	
653-0120	Thermoplastic PVMT Marking, Arrow TYPE2		LF	\$ 350.00	
653-1501	Thermoplastic Solid Traffic Stripe, 5 IN White		LF	\$ 3.00	
653-1502	Thermoplastic Solid Traffic Stripe, 5 IN Yellow	820	LF	\$ 1.15	\$ 943.00
653-1704	Thermoplastic Solid Traffic Stripe, 24 IN White	105	LF	\$ 14.18	\$ 1,509.90
653-1804	Thermoplastic Solid Traffic Stripe, 8 IN White		LF	\$ 5.00	
653-3501	Thermoplastic Solid Traffic Stripe, 5 IN White		GLF	\$ 1.75	
653-3502	Thermoplastic Solid Traffic Stripe, 5 IN Yellow		GLF	\$ 1.75	
	2023 Street Resurfacing Bid	Total Bid Price			1,239,900.90

ITB 2022-025
CERTIFICATION OF SPONSOR
DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE

I hereby certify that I am a principle and duly authorized representative of SHEPCO PAVING, INC., ("Contractor"), whose address is 4080 **MGINNIS FERRY RD. STE 203; ALPHARETTA, GA 30005**

_____, and I further certify that:

- (1) The provisions of Section 50-24-1 through 50-24-6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the "Drug-Free Workplace Act" have been complied with in full; and
- (2) A drug-free workplace will be provided for Contractor's employees during the performance of the Agreement; and
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CONTRACTOR: SHEPCO PAVING, INC.

Date: 01/17/2023

Signature: _____

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Title: ESTIMATOR



GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT AFFIDAVIT

Contractor(s) Name: SHEPCO PAVING, INC

Address: 4080 MGINNIS FERRY RD. STE 203
ALPHARETTA, GA 30005

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned person or entity verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm, or corporation which is contracting with the City of Stonecrest has registered with, is authorized to participate in, and is participating in the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify,* in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91.

The undersigned person or entity further agrees that it will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period, and it will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the undersigned with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b).

The undersigned person or entity further agrees to maintain records of such compliance and provide a copy of each such verification to the City of Stonecrest within five (5) business days after any sub contractor(s) is/are retained to perform such service.

183413
E Verify™ Company Identification Number

04/02/10
Date of Authorization

[Signature]

01/17/2023
Date

BY: Authorized Officer or Agent
(Name of Person or Entity)
CARTER NICELY

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE
ME ON THIS THE

17 DAY OF JANUARY, 2023

[Signature]
Notary Public

[NOTARY SEAL]

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EXPIRES

My Commission Expires: 02/20/2024

GEORGIA
FEB. 20, 2024
CJJ

* or any subsequent replacement operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security or any equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, pursuant to the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 (IRCA), P.L. 99-603

PURPOSE, INTENT AND PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The City of Stonecrest (City), requests that interested parties submit formal sealed bids/proposals for the resurfacing of streets within the city. Street locations can be found on the location map provided in this bid package. The list of roads also provided in the Appendix IV.

All streets are to be milled, patched, resurfaced, and/or re-stripped per the following specifications.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

The contractor shall execute the work according to and meet the requirements of the following:

- Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) Specifications, Standards, and Details;
- The Contract Documents including but not limited to the scope of work, and specifications;
- City of Stonecrest ordinances and regulations;
- OSHA standards and guidelines
- Any other applicable codes, laws and regulations including but not limited to Section 45-10-20 through 45-10-28 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, Drug-Free Workplace Act, and all applicable requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

The contractor will be responsible for providing all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to perform the work. This is a unit price bid. Payment will be made based on actual work completed.

The contractor is responsible for inspecting the jobsite prior to submitting a bid. No change orders will be issued for differing site conditions.

Materials must come from GDOT approved sources. The contractor will be required to submit in writing a list of proposed sources of materials. When required representative samples will be taken for examination and testing prior to approval. The materials used in the work shall meet all quality requirements of the contract. Materials will not be considered as finally accepted until all tests, including any to be taken from the finished work have been completed and evaluated. Standard Specification 106 – Control of Materials will be used as a guide. All materials will be tested according to the GDOT Sampling, Testing, and Inspection Manual by an approved consultant/lab hired by the City.

The successful bidder must have verifiable experience at construction of similar projects in accordance with these specifications. Bidder shall provide references demonstrating experience completing projects of similar scope.

10% retainage will be withheld from the total amount due the contractor until Final Acceptance of work is issued by the City. The City will inspect the work as it progresses.

PROSECUTION AND PROGRESS

The Contractor will mobilize with sufficient forces such that all construction identified as part of

this contract shall be substantially completed by March 31, 2023. The contractor will be considered substantially complete when all work required by this contract has been completed (excluding final striping and punch list work).

Upon Notice of Award, the Contractor will be required to submit a Progress Schedule.

Normal workday for this project shall be 8:00AM to 7:00PM and the normal workweek shall be Monday through Friday. The City will consider extended workdays or workweeks upon written request by the Contractor on a case by case basis. No work will be allowed on national holidays (i.e. July 4th, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving, etc.). No lane closures will be allowed on major streets except between the hours of 9:00AM to 4:00PM as noted in the Special Conditions section of this ITB.

The work will require bidder to provide all labor, administrative forces, equipment, materials and other incidental items to complete all required work. The City shall perform a Final Inspection upon substantial completion of the work. The contractor will be allowed to participate in the Final Inspection. All repairs shall be completed by the contractor at his expense prior to issuance of Final Acceptance.

The contractor shall be assessed liquidated damages in the amount of \$200.00 per calendar day for any contract work (excluding punch list and permanent striping) that is not completed by November 30, 2023. Liquidated damages shall be deducted from the 10% retainage held by the City. The contractor will also be assessed liquidated damages for not completing any required Punch List work within 45 calendar days.

The contractor shall provide all material, labor, and equipment necessary to perform the work without delay unto completion.

The standard order of operations for resurfacing shall be as follows:

- a) Milling
- b) Patching
- c) Leveling
- d) Resurfacing
- e) Thermoplastic Striping
- f) Raised Pavement Markers

The contractor shall provide a project progress schedule prior to or at the pre-construction meeting. This schedule should accurately represent the intended work and cannot be vague or broad such as listing every road in the contract.

The contractor shall submit a two-week advance schedule every **Friday by 2:00p.m.**, detailing scheduled activities for the following week.

PERMITS AND LICENSES

The contractor shall procure all permits and licenses, pay all charges, taxes and fees, and give all

notices necessary and incidental to the due and lawful prosecution of the work.

MATERIALS

The City will provide a Construction Engineering & Inspections (CEI) staff to inspect the work and provide materials testing. All materials will meet appropriate GDOT specifications. Materials quality control test types will meet GDOT specifications at a frequency equal to or exceeding that set by those specifications. Contractor will be responsible for replacing any work performed with material from rejected sample lot at no cost to the City.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

The contractor shall be responsible for installing notification signs at all entrances to subdivisions that are to be resurfaced. The notifications are to be installed one week prior to commencement of work. Signs shall be installed on temporary metal stakes driven in the ground or on tripods. Signs are to remain in place until contracted work (except punchlist) has been completed and accepted. No separate payment will be made for this work. The City will be responsible for notification to individual property owners.

EXISTING CONDITIONS / DEVIATION OF QUANTITIES

All information given in this ITB concerning quantities, scope of work, existing conditions, etc. is for information purposes only. It is the Contractors responsibility to inspect the project site to verify existing conditions and quantities prior to submitting their bid. This is a Unit Price bid and no payment will be made for additional work without prior written approval from the City. At no time will Contractor proceed with work outside the prescribed scope of services for which additional payment will be requested without the written authorization of the City.

The City reserves the right to add, modify, or delete quantities. The City may also elect to add or eliminate certain work locations at its discretion. The Contractor will not be entitled to any adjustment of unit prices or any other form of additional compensation because of adjustments made to quantities and/or work locations. Contractor will be paid for actual in-place quantities completed and accepted for pay items listed in the Bid Schedule. All other work required by this ITB, plans, specs, standards, etc. but not specifically listed in the Bid Schedule shall be considered “incidental work” and included in the bid prices for items on the Bid Schedule.

TRAFFIC CONTROL

The contractor shall, at all times, conduct the work so as to assure the least possible obstruction of traffic. The safety and convenience of the general public and the residents along the roadway and the protection of persons and property shall be provided for by the contractor as specified in the State of Georgia, Department of Transportation Standard Specifications Sections 104.05, 107.09 and 150.

Traffic whose origin and destination is within the limits of the project shall be provided ingress and egress at all times unless otherwise specified by the City. The ingress and egress includes entrances and exits via driveways at various properties, and access to the intersecting roads and streets. The contractor shall maintain sufficient personnel and equipment (including flaggers and traffic control signing) on the project at all times, particularly during inclement weather, to insure that ingress and egress are safely provided when and where needed.

Two-way traffic shall be maintained at all times, utilizing pilot vehicles, unless otherwise specified or approved by the City. In the event of an emergency situation, the Contractor shall provide access to emergency vehicles and/or emergency personnel through or around the construction area. Any pavement damaged by such an occurrence will be repaired by the Contractor at no additional cost to the City.

The contractor shall furnish, install and maintain all necessary and required barricades, signs and other traffic control devices (including suitable lighting for night work) in accordance with the MUTCD and DOT specifications, and take all necessary precautions for the protection of the workers and safety of the public.

All existing signs, markers and other traffic control devices removed or damaged during construction operations will be reinstalled or replaced at the contractor's expense. At no time will contractor remove regulatory signing which may cause a hazard to the public. The Contractor shall, within 24 hours place temporary pavement markings (paint or removable tape) to match existing pavement markings. No additional payment will be made for this work.

Pricing for personnel and equipment required for maintaining temporary traffic control, public convenience and safety are to be included in the overall pricing for the project. There is no separate payment item for Traffic Control.

The contractor shall install temporary pavements markings, where applicable, including paint and/or traffic tape to ensure traffic safety until such time that the permanent thermoplastic markings and raised pavement markers can be installed. The cost for the temporary marking shall be included in the specific item for permanent markings.

The contractor shall be responsible for providing and installing signs at the subdivision entrance, as defined in the Special Conditions section of this ITB. The location and applicability of placing these signs shall be determined by the City. The signs shall remain in place until all contract work (excluding punch list) has been completed and accepted.

PROTECTION AND RESTORATION OF PROPERTY AND LANDSCAPE

The contractor shall be responsible for the preservation of all public and private property, crops, fish ponds, trees, monuments, highway signs and markers, fences, grassed and sodded areas, etc. along and adjacent to the highway, road or street, and shall use every precaution necessary to prevent damage or injury thereto, unless the removal, alteration, or destruction of such property is provided for under the contract.

When or where any direct or indirect damage or injury is done to public or private property by or on account of any act, omission, neglect or misconduct in the execution of the work, or in consequence of the non-execution thereof by the contractor, he shall restore, at his/her own expense, such property to a condition similar or equal to that existing before such damage or injury was done, by repairing, rebuilding or otherwise restoring as may be directed, or she/he shall make good such damage or injury in an acceptable manner. The contractor shall correct all disturbed areas before retainage will be released.

MILLING

Resurfacing shall be constructed so as to tie into existing streets and driveways with the best possible ride and aesthetic result. A milled paving notch, with a minimum 10 feet transition, shall be provided at each end of the overlay and at intersections, driveways, and side streets. Tie-ins shall be marked on the ground and approved by the City prior to paving.

All milled surfaces are to be resurfaced within one week of the milling operation.

All Streets shall be milled 1.5 inches prior to identifying the patching areas.

REPAIR OF EXISTING PAVEMENT

This work shall consist of repairing existing pavement areas that have failed or showing signs of distress. The contractor and CEI inspector shall jointly inspect the roadway and mark all areas to be patched.

Areas marked for patching shall be cut out in a rectangular shape 4 inches below the surface of the existing asphalt pavement, trimmed to vertical sides, and all loose material removed. After the area has been cleaned, it shall be tack coated. The contractor will be allowed to use a milling machine to excavate for patches. The minimum width for the patches will be based on the size of the machine used to excavate but shall not exceed 7' in width.

Asphaltic concrete patching will be paid for at the Contract Unit Price per ton and shall include pavement removal, trimming, cleaning and all other incidental work. The contractor shall replace at his expense all patches, which are determined inadequate after inspection. The City reserves the right to change the depth of patching as needed.

BITUMINOUS TACK COAT

This work shall consist of the placement of bituminous tack. AC-20 or AC-30 shall be used. All surfaces shall be cleaned completely and thoroughly dry before any tack is applied. Tack shall not be applied when the pavement is wet. Bituminous tack coat shall be applied between .04 and .06 gallons per square yard. The cost for this item is to be included in the unit price for asphalt.

ASPHALT CONCRETE PAVING

Topping course shall be 165 LB/SY, 9.5mm Superpave, GP 2 only, including bitum material & H lime. (Corrected Optimum Asphalt Content) as indicated in the bid schedule.

The contract does not include paving of any recreational areas within the subdivisions (i.e. parking lots, asphalt trails, etc.).

The plant mix materials from which the asphaltic pavement is manufactured and the plant at which it is manufactured shall meet the requirements of the State of Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT), Standard specifications, Articles 820; 802; 883; 831; 828; and 882.

Load tickets that meet Georgia Department of Transportation Specifications must accompany all

delivered materials. The Contractor must supply copies of all asphalt tickets to the City.

The contractor is not required to use an MTV (Shuttle Buggy) when placing the 12.5mm asphalt material on the main roads in this contract.

ADJUSTING UTILITY STRUCTURES TO GRADE

Contractor(s) shall be responsible for adjusting sewer manholes and water valves within the paving limits. City Engineer, or designee will approve number of locations for each street. A pay item is included in the bid schedule.

THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKINGS

This work shall consist of placement of Thermoplastic Pavement Markings. Final (thermoplastic) pavement markings shall be placed at least 15 calendar days but no more than 60 calendar days after placement of final asphalt lift. These final pavement markings shall match the original pavement markings including center lines, lane lines, turn arrows, crosswalks, stop bars, etc. unless specifically directed otherwise by the City. Final pedestrian crosswalk markings shall adhere to the latest standards. Pavement marking materials shall meet GDOT standard specifications and be on the qualified products list. This will consist of a solid line to the beginning of tapers with mini skips through the length of the taper followed by a 5-inch solid line.

Until permanent pavement markings can be installed, temporary pavement markings are required. There is no pay item for temporary pavement markings. This cost shall be included in the pricing for permanent pavement markings.

The final pavement markings also include installation of type 1 and type 3 Raised Pavement Markers according to GDOT Specifications, where required. RPM's shall be spaced every 80' where required (every 40' along sharp curves) and as directed by the CEI. RPM materials shall meet GDOT standard specifications and shall be on the GDOT Qualified Products List.

24 in. white permanent solid stripe is to be installed as a stop bar at each stop sign where previously existed, or as directed.

5 in. permanent double yellow traffic stripe is to be installed at each stop sign of each subdivision entrance approaching main roads for a total centerline length of 50 LF, as directed by the Engineer.

SIGNAL SYSTEM REPAIR

This work shall consist of repair and installation of loop detectors damaged as a result of the pulverizing, milling, and paving operations. When operations damage existing traffic signal loops, the Contractor shall replace the loops not more than 7 calendar days after final asphalt lift is placed.

Contractor shall immediately notify the City Engineer at (770) 865-5645 when loops are damaged. When loop replacements at an intersection are complete the contractor shall again notify the City Engineer.

Location of replacement loop detectors and lead-in wire, where practical, shall coincide with original location. If, at the splice location a pull box does not exist, a traffic signal pull box (PB-1) conduit and loop lead-in shall be installed per GDOT specifications and as directed by the Traffic Services Manager. Pull boxes installed shall be on the GDOT qualified products list. Testing of the replacement loop detectors shall be performed at the point where the loop wire is spliced to the existing shielded lead-in wire. There shall be no work or testing required beyond this splice point.

CLEANUP

All restoration and clean-up work shall be performed daily. Operations shall be suspended if the contractor fails to accomplish restoration and clean-up within an acceptable period of time. Asphalt and other debris shall be removed from gutters, sidewalks, yards, driveways, etc. Failure to perform clean-up activities may result in suspension of the work. Milling operation shall be followed immediately by clean-up at which the contractor is to provide power brooms, vacuum sweepers, power blowers, or other means to remove loose debris or dust. Do not allow dust control to restrict visibility of passing traffic or to disrupt adjacent property owners. All pavement areas shall be clean and dry prior to placing tack coat, asphaltic concrete or other materials.

SAFETY

Beginning with mobilization and ending with acceptance of work, the contractor shall be responsible for providing a clean and safe work environment at the project site. The contractor shall comply with all OSHA regulations as they pertain to this project.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. All streets on this project are required for traffic control. Subdivision Entrance shall have signs placed three (3) days prior to milling. These signs will be 18" X 24" size with the board material, waterproof. No Electronic signs are required. Text will indicate 2023 SPLOST Paving, City of Stonecrest, and e-mail. Specific Graphics will be provided by the City of Stonecrest to the selected Contractors. Number of signs requires are included in the Bid Table.