

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING AND INSPECTION SERVICES FOR LEESBURG EXECUTIVE AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

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PROPOSAL DUE DATE: June 4, 2019; 4:00 p.m.

DELIVERY ADDRESS: Town of Leesburg, Virginia

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NOTICE OF ADDENDA: Any addenda to this RFP will be posted on the Town's Bid Board (http://www.leesburgva.gov/bidboard) and will only be emailed to those firms who have REGISTERED on this site. It is the firm's responsibility to provide a correct email address and to be aware of any addenda.

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I. PURPOSE

The Town of Leesburg (the Town) is seeking proposals from qualified engineering and inspection firms to provide Construction Engineering and Inspection Services for various capital improvement projects under a term contract at the Leesburg Executive Airport. The projects will typically include federal funding from the Federal Aviation Administration and/or state funding from the Virginia Department of Aviation.

II. BACKGROUND

The Town of Leesburg is located approximately 33 miles northwest of Washington, DC, adjacent to the Potomac River. The town has been the judicial and business hub of Loudoun County since the mid-1700s.

Over the last 75 years, Leesburg has been one of most rapidly growing jurisdictions in the Virginia. The population of Leesburg was 1,703 in 1950, and has grown to a current population estimated at approximately 55,000. The Town's population has doubled in the past 20 years, and has grown an estimated 30% since the 2010 census, making Leesburg the largest Town in the Commonwealth of Virginia. The population is expected to continue to grow but at a somewhat slower pace due to the limited growth areas within the corporate limits of the Town.

The Leesburg Executive Airport was originally constructed in the 1960s. Since that time, the facility has grown to be the second busiest general aviation airport in Virginia. The airport serves as a reliever airport to Dulles International Airport. Airport facilities include a 5,500' x 100' runway, parallel taxiway, high intensity runway and medium intensity taxiway lights, non-standard approach lights, approximately 68,000 square yards of aircraft apron, 110 hangars (various types), an instrument landing system, PAPI lights, a terminal building and automobile parking.

This solicitation is for construction engineering and inspection services on an as-needed basis for various construction projects at the Leesburg Executive Airport. The current Town of Leesburg Capital Improvement Program (CIP) includes the following airport improvement projects scheduled to begin construction in Fiscal Years 2020 to 2025:

- Airport Apron Paving
- Airport North Hangars
- Parallel Taxiway Relocation
- Runway 17 Approach Lighting (ODALS) Upgrade
- Taxiway and Runway Lighting Rehabilitation

The CIP is updated annually and additional projects may be added within the term of this contract. Also, services under this contract may be used for projects at the airport that are not included in the CIP.

The requirements identified herein are for informational purposes only and the Town reserves the right to add and/or delete services based on specific tasks.

The initial contract period shall be one (1) year. This contract may be renewed for up to four (4) additional one-year terms upon mutual agreement of both parties pursuant to the Virginia Public Procurement Act (VPPA) § 2.2-4303.1.

The maximum value of all tasks assigned under this contract shall be \$750,000 per contract year and maximum fee for any individual task shall be \$150,000 in accordance with § 2.2-4303.1 B. and D of the current edition of the VPPA.

The selection of a consultant and the engagement of services under this contract will be in accordance with US Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular 150/5100-14E: Architectural, Engineering, and Planning Consultant Services for Airport Grant Projects (with latest changes). Title IX of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 requires that qualifications based selection procedures be used for the selection of firms to perform architectural and engineering services.

III. SCOPE OF SERVICES AND DELIVERABLES

The successful offeror, also referred to herein as the Consultant, shall assist the Town of Leesburg by providing pre-construction, construction, and post construction phase services related to the construction of airport improvement projects. Consultant fees will use hourly rates with an upper not to exceed limit for each Task Order. Services shall be performed under a written Task Order in accordance with this RFP and resulting contract. Additionally, the Consultant shall provide administrative, management and ancillary support services as required. Services may include, but are not limited to: coordinating work between all activities, and acting as an agent for the Town in order to complete the project in accordance with the Town's objectives for cost, time, and quality.

The requirements identified herein are for informational purposes only and the Town reserves the right to add and/or delete services based on specific tasks and/or projects. No design firm shall submit an offer for any project where it is contracted by the Town for design services on the projects listed.

All personnel shall be knowledgeable of Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) standards and specifications, the Town of Leesburg Design and Construction Standards Manual (DCSM), Uniform Building Code, state and federal safety requirements for airfields, and other standards applicable to the improvement projects proposed at the Airport.

The Consultant will be expected to work in full cooperation with the Town of Leesburg, and its designees including the Capital Projects Manager, the Airport Director, and their designees. The Town of Leesburg reserves the right to expand or delete services as necessary. This change in services after contract award will be facilitated through a change order process.

This contract requires comprehensive and professional construction engineering and inspection services during pre-construction, construction, and post-construction of airport improvement projects. The following services may be included under this contract:

1. Perform a pre-bid review of construction documents and make recommendations on contract packaging, construction sequencing, construction cost, access to work, safety, construction methods, materials and minimization of construction

- interference as well as design detail improvements. These reviews may involve constructability analysis, value engineering review, schedule analysis, etc.
- 2. Provide consultation and advice to the Town of Leesburg during all phases of construction.
- 3. Organize, facilitate, document and represent the Town at pre-construction conferences.
- 4. Inspect construction work in progress on an interim basis to ensure that construction work is in accordance with the design documents, and provide appropriate reports to the Town.
- 5. On-site inspection on a full time basis during construction.
- 6. Stress importance of safety. All safety procedures should be in accordance with OSHA, FAA and all other mandated regulations.
- 7. Assist in resolution of conflicts with schedule, budget, construction and site considerations, including resolution of conflicts between the design and actual onsite conditions.
- 8. Review and approve shop and erection drawings submitted by contractors for compliance with design drawings.
- 9. Review, analyze, and accept laboratory and mill test reports of materials and equipment.
- 10. Review, evaluate and make recommendations on change orders.
- 11. Observe or review performance tests required by the specifications.
- 12. Ensure that the project is completed in accordance with the plans, specifications and requirements of the Town. The construction engineer and inspector will be responsible to the Airport Director or designee for all aspects of the project.
- 13. Review contractor payment requests and recommend payment.
- 14. Assist the Town in preparation of requests for reimbursement from federal and state grants.
- 15. Make final inspections, prepare punch-lists, and prepare a report of the completed projects.
- 16. Review operations and maintenance manuals.
- 17. Review record drawings.
- 18. Prepare summary of material testing report.
- 19. Prepare summary of project change orders.
- 20. Prepare grant amendment requests and associated justification.
- 21. Prepare final project reports, including financial summary.
- 22. Obtain release of liens from contractors.

23. Other special services not normally included in construction engineering and inspection services. This may include studies, evaluation, design, investigation, testing, inspection, surveying, expert witness services, or other similar services.

IV. PROPOSAL SUBMITTAL INSTRUCTIONS

A. Submittal Instructions

One (1) original, three (3) copies and one (1) electronic copy on flash drive in Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) format of the proposal must be received by Mr. Terry Yates, P.E., Capital Projects Manager, at the address specified below, no later than the advertised proposal due date. Telephone, fax, electronic, emailed and verbal offers will not be accepted.

Submit proposals in a sealed envelope with the following information:

TITLE: Construction Engineering and Inspection Services
For Leesburg Executive Airport Construction Projects

DUE DATE: June 4, 2019; 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Town of Leesburg, Virginia

25 W. Market Street Leesburg, VA 20176

ATTN: Terry Yates, P.E., Manager, Office of Capital Projects

Offerors assume full responsibility for the delivery of the completed proposal to the address noted above on or before the deadline for submission. The Town is not responsible for any loss or delay with respect to the delivery of the proposals. ANY PROPOSAL RECEIVED BY THE TOWN AFTER THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

B. Proposal Format

- 1. Proposals are to be submitted in a format which allows uniform review and easy access to information by the evaluation committee.
- 2. All proposal pages shall be printed in vertical format to the extent possible and on 8½" X 11" sheets.
- 3. Each copy of the proposal shall be bound or contained in binders.
- 4. No other information (supplemental qualifications, etc.) in addition to what has been requested should be provided in the proposal.
- 5. An electronic version of the proposal in Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) format on a flash drive must be included with the proposal submission.
- 6. Each section of the proposal must be limited to the number of pages specified in Section C. Proposal Organization below. Double-sided printed pages are encouraged.
- 7. All pages shall be numbered.
- 8. The proposal shall be organized using tabs in the sequence indicated below:

	Letter of Interest
Tab 1	Standard Form (SF) 330 Part I
Tab 2	Standard Form (SF) 330 Part II
Tab 3	Required Forms

C. Proposal Organization

The items to be addressed in the proposal are listed below. All proposals shall provide a delineation of capabilities to satisfy the requirements of this request. Emphasis should be on completeness and clarity of content.

- **A.** Introductory letter of interest (1 page maximum)
- **B.** Tab 1 Standard Form (SF) 330 Part I (one combined for the project team)
 - 1. <u>Section D Organizational Chart for Proposed Team:</u> Indicate key personnel who will be assigned to the project. On the chart, indicate if personnel are from the prime consultant or a subconsultant and which office the personnel are assigned to.
 - 2. Section E Resumes of Key Personnel Proposed for this Contract: Key personnel are defined as those to whom the contract will be assigned and who will be performing the actual management of the work and be responsible for inspection, administrative and engineering services. Each resume shall be limited to one page per person with a font no less than 10 point. A *maximum* of 10 resumes should be provided.

Furthermore, all individuals identified as Key Personnel in the Proposal shall remain on the Consultant's Team for the duration of the procurement process, and, if the consultant is awarded a contract, the duration of the contract. If extraordinary circumstances require a proposed change, it must be submitted in writing to the Town for approval, who, at its sole discretion, will determine whether to authorize a change. Unauthorized changes to the Consultant's Team at any time during the procurement process may result in elimination of the Consultant's Team from further consideration.

Consideration will be made to the personnel's professional qualifications and experience, professional integrity and competence, and their knowledge of FAA regulations, policies, and procedures. Indicate all current certifications of inspection personnel proposed on the project, including the date that the certification expires.

3. Section F - Example Projects Which Best Illustrate Proposed Team's Qualifications for This Contract: Limit example projects to no more than ten (10). Examples should include similar construction engineering and inspection services on airport improvement projects similar in size and scope to those proposed at the Leesburg Executive Airport and included in the Town of Leesburg Capital Improvement Program. Consideration will be given to the quality of the previous projects, completions without major cost escalations, overruns, or schedule delays.

- 4. <u>Section G Key Personnel Participation in Example Projects</u>: Limit example projects to no more than ten (10). The example projects listed in Section G should match the example project list provided in Section F.
- 5. <u>Section H Additional Information</u> The Consultant should detail the plan to assure the Town that the staff submitted for evaluation will be available for the services requested by the RFP. Section H is limited to a maximum of five (5) pages with a font no less than 10 point. This section should include:

Project Understanding

Provide your understanding of the project scope and the key construction challenges and issues involved.

Project Approach

Describe your approach to construction management/inspection services for this project. Include how you will resolve problems and how proposed solutions will be identified and implemented.

Describe project cost controls, scheduling methods and quality assurance procedures that may be used during the construction of the project.

Identify key submissions, quality control measures and project management and review methods your firm uses as construction manager. Explain how your firm will provide for client involvement and resource management.

List any specialized computer software packages that you will use on this project.

Project Organization

Describe the organization of the proposed project staff indicating the role of each by individual. If subconsultants are proposed, the role of each subconsultant should be discussed.

Availability / Accessibility

Describe the firm's capability to meet schedules or deadlines.

Other

Describe any potential special considerations.

- C. Tab 2 Standard Form (SF) 330 Part II one for each firm
- **D.** Tab 3 Required Forms
 - 1. **Offeror Submission Form** Each Offeror submitting a proposal must complete and include the Offeror Submission Form regarding company identification and ownership disclosures, conflict of interests, and collusion. The certification on this form must bear an original signature. Failure of the Offeror to include this Offeror Submission Form with its proposal may be cause for rejection of the proposal.
 - 2. SCC Registration (prime consultant and subconsultants) It is incumbent upon each firm conducting business in Virginia to be in compliance with state

law and regulations. To ensure firms are in compliance, Offerors shall furnish with proposal submission supporting evidence of their SCC registration. Copies of on-line confirmation are acceptable documentation.

3. **DPOR Registration** - Each business entity (prime and subconsultants) on the proposed team who is practicing or offering to practice professional services in Virginia, including, but not limited to, those practicing or offering to practice architecture, engineering, and surveying should provide copies of appropriate commercial professional registrations and licenses for all main and branch offices proposed for this Project, as well as providing copies of appropriate individual registrations/licenses for key personnel in responsible charge of portions of the work. Multiple registration certifications may be copied on a single sheet.

V. QUESTIONS AND INQUIRIES

Questions and inquiries concerning this RFP must be made in writing only by e-mail to <u>CapitalBidQuestions@leesburgva.gov</u>. Questions must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 24, 2019.

A formal addendum responding to all questions received by the deadline will be made available no later than five business days before the proposal due date. Additional clarifications to the specifications will also be in the form of a written addendum. All addenda will be posted on the Town's website. Such addenda will become part of the contract documents. Verbal instructions are not binding and will not form a part of the proposal documents. It is the Offeror's responsibility to obtain all addenda from the Town's website: http://www.leesburgva.gov/bidboard.

VI. EVALUATION CRITERIA AND AWARD

A. Evaluation Criteria

Proposals will be evaluated on the following criteria and weighted accordingly:

- 1. Understanding of the Project and Approach to the Services (10 points)
- 2. Firm/Team Capabilities (20 points)
- 3. Personnel Experience/Capabilities (30 points)
- 4. History of Services on Similar Projects (30 points)
- 5. Availability/Accessibility to Town (10 points)

B. Selection Process

The selection committee will be comprised of staff from various Town departments. The Town staff will evaluate and rank the proposals using the evaluation criteria stated above and negotiate a contract in accordance with the process for competitive negotiation for professional services as described in Section 2.2-4302.2 of the Virginia Public Procurement Act (VPPA) for professional services. Based on the Evaluation Criteria listed in Section VI, the evaluation committee will determine the highest-ranked Offeror. Offerors may be required to make an oral presentation of their proposal. The Evaluation Committee will schedule the time and location for this presentation, if it is

necessary. Negotiations will then be conducted with the Offeror ranked first. Scope of services, estimated man hours and prices will be discussed at this stage. If these negotiations are unsuccessful, they will be formally concluded and the second ranking firm will be contacted.

C. Contract Award

The Town intends to award a contract to a qualified Offeror authorized to transact business in the Commonwealth of Virginia with demonstrated experience similar in nature to that being requested herein. The award of a contract shall be at the sole discretion of the Town. Award will be made to the offeror whose proposal is determined to be most advantageous to the Town, taking into consideration the above criteria.

The contents of the proposal submitted by the successful Offeror will become a part of any contract awarded as a result of this RFP. The successful Offeror shall be expected to sign a contract with the Town. Additional terms and provisions may be included in the contract, a sample copy of which is enclosed.

VII.TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. Special Terms and Conditions

- 1. **Independent Fee Estimate.** In accordance with FAA requirements, the Town of Leesburg will perform a price or cost analysis for any task order assigned under this contract. The method used for preparation of an Independent Fee Estimate (IFE) will vary depending on the value and complexity of the task order.
- 2. **Provisions for Multiple Tasks.** Each individual task shall not exceed \$150,000 according to section 2.2-4301.03 of the Virginia Public Procurement Act and the aggregate sum of tasks shall not exceed \$750,000 each year.
 - In the event that these limits are modified in the VPPA during the initial or renewal terms of this contract, the Town reserves the right to amend the limits of this contract to coincide with the change(s).
- 3. **Procurement Regulations**. This Request for Proposal (RFP) plus the resulting proposal content and contract shall be consistent with and governed by the Federal Acquisition Regulations as provided in Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular No. 150/5100-14E, Town of Leesburg Procurement Policies, and the Virginia Public Procurement Act (VPPA). In the event of an inconsistency between the solicitation and selection requirements set forth in this RFP versus those set forth in the Procurement Policies, the inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence to the federal requirements, then the solicitation and selection requirements of the Procurement Policies.

4. Mandatory Federal-Aid Professional Services RFP Provisions

Federal laws and regulations require that a recipient of federal assistance include specific clauses in contracts and solicitations. The following list of mandatory clauses are provided Section IX of this Request for Proposals.

Access to Records and Reports

- Notice of Requirement for Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity
- Breach of Contract Terms
- General Civil Rights Provisions
- Title VI Solicitation Notice
- Compliance with Nondiscrimination Requirements
- Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities
- Clean Air and Water Pollution Control
- Contract Workhours and Safety Standards Act Requirements
- Certification of Offerer/Bidder Regarding Debarment
- Certification of Lower Tier Contractors Regarding Debarment
- Disadvantaged Business Enterprises
- Texting When Driving
- Energy Conservation Requirements
- Equal Opportunity Clause
- Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications
- Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (Federal Minimum Wage)
- Lobbying and Influencing Federal Employees
- Prohibition of Segregated Facilities
- Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970
- Seismic Safety
- Certification of Offerer / Bidder Regarding Tax Delinquency and Felony Convictions
- Trade Restriction Certification
- Veteran's Preference

B. General Terms and Conditions

- 1. **Proposal Binding for One Hundred Twenty (120) Days**: Offeror agrees that this proposal shall be valid and may not be withdrawn for a period of one hundred and twenty (120) calendar days after the due date.
- 2. **Late Proposals**: Proposals received after the time specified on the cover page of this RFP will not be accepted and will be returned unopened, provided a return address is visible.
- 3. **Acceptance or Rejection of Proposals**: The Town reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals in whole or in part and to waive minor informalities in the process of awarding this contract.
- 4. **Competition Intended**: It is the Town's intent that this request for proposals permits competition. It shall be the Offeror's responsibility to advise the Procurement Officer in writing if any language, requirements, specifications, etc., or any combinations thereof, inadvertently restricts or limits the requirements stated in this RFP to a single source. The Procurement Officer must receive such notification at least ten (10) business days before the due date.
- 5. **Understanding of RFP**: Offerors shall thoroughly examine and be familiar with the RFP. The failure or omission of any Offeror to receive or examine this document shall in no way relieve any Offeror of obligations with respect to this proposal or the subsequent contract. The submission of a proposal shall be taken as <u>prima facie</u> evidence of compliance with this paragraph.
- 6. **Inquiries Concerning Specifications**: Questions concerning this RFP must be made **in writing only**, by e-mail at <u>CapitalBidQuestions@leesburgva.gov</u>. Questions will be entertained until close of business five (5) business days prior to the proposal due date. A copy of all written questions received and subsequent responses provided, will be posted on the Town's Bid Board and eVA in the form of an addendum.
- 7. **ADA Reasonable Accommodation Clause**: If you need any reasonable accommodation for any type of disability in order to participate in this procurement, please contact the Procurement Officer at least ten (10) business days before the proposal due date.
- 8. **Employment Discrimination Prohibited:** During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:
 - a. The contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, sex or national origin, age, disability, or any other basis prohibited by state law relating to discrimination in employment. The contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
 - b. The contractor, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, will state that such contractor is an equal opportunity employer.

c. Notices, advertisements and solicitations placed in accordance with federal law, rule or regulation shall be deemed sufficient for the purpose of meeting the requirements of this section.

The contractor will include the provisions of the foregoing paragraphs a, b and c in every subcontract or purchase order of over \$10,000 so that the provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor.

- 9. **Disposition of Proposals:** All materials submitted in response to this RFP will become the property of the Town. One (1) copy of each proposal shall be retained for official files and will become a public record. These records will be available for public inspection after award of the contract. It is understood that the proposal will become a part of the official file on this matter without obligation on the part of the Town except as to the disclosure restrictions contained in Section 10. "Trade Secrets and Proprietary Information Disclosure".
- 10. **Trade Secrets and Proprietary Information Disclosure:** In compliance with the Town's Procurement Policies, all proposals will be available for public inspection. Trade secrets and proprietary information submitted by an Offeror in connection with procurement shall not be subject to public disclosure under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act. However, the Offeror must invoke the protection of this section before or upon submission of the data or other materials, and must identify the specific area or scope of data or other materials to be protected and state the reasons why protection is necessary. An all-inclusive statement that the entire proposal is proprietary is unacceptable. A statement that the costs are to be protected is unacceptable.
- 11. **Laws and Regulations:** The Offeror's attention is directed to the fact that all applicable Commonwealth of Virginia laws, municipal ordinances and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over the contract shall apply to the contract throughout, and they will be considered to be included in the contract the same as though herein written out it full.
- 12. **License Requirement:** All firms doing business for the Town are required to be licensed in accordance with the Town's "Business, Professional, and Occupational Licensing (BPOL) Tax" Ordinance. Wholesale and retail merchants without a business location in Leesburg, VA are exempt from this requirement. Questions concerning the BPOL Tax should be directed to the Department of Finance, telephone **703-771-2717**. Indicate the BPOL license number on the Offeror Submission Form.
- 13. **Ethics in Public Contracting:** The Offeror agrees that it will adhere to Article 6 "Ethics in Public Contracting" requirements set forth in the Virginia Public Procurement Act.
- 14. **Safety:** All contractors and subcontractors performing services for the Town are required and shall comply with all Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), State and County Safety and Occupation Health Standards and any other applicable rules and regulations. Also, all contractors and subcontractors shall be held responsible for the safety of their employees and any unsafe acts or conditions

that may cause injury or damage to any persons or property within and around the work site area under this contract.

15. **Termination:** Subject to the provisions below, the contract may be terminated by the Town upon thirty (30) days advance written notice to the other party. If any work or service hereunder is in progress, but not completed as of the date of termination, then this contract may be extended upon written approval of the Town until said work or services are completed and accepted.

<u>Termination for Convenience</u> – In the event that this contract is terminated or cancelled upon request and for the convenience of the Town, without the required thirty (30) days advance written notice, then the Town shall negotiate reasonable termination costs, if applicable.

Termination for Cause: — Termination by the Town for cause, default or negligence on the part of the contractor shall be excluded from the foregoing provision; termination costs, if any, shall not apply. The thirty (30) days advance notice requirement is waived in the event of Termination for Cause. In the event of default by the Offeror, we reserve the right to procure the commodities and/or services from other sources, and hold the Offeror liable for any excess cost occasioned thereby. If, however, public necessity requires use of commodities and/or service not conforming to the specifications they may be accepted and payment therefore shall be made at a proper reduction in price.

<u>Termination Due to Unavailability of Funds in Succeeding Fiscal Years</u> – When funds are not appropriated or otherwise made available to support continuation of performance in a subsequent fiscal year, the contract shall be cancelled and the contractor shall be reimbursed for the reasonable value of any non-recurring costs incurred but not amortized in the price of the supplies or services delivered under the contract.

- 16. **Non-Assignment of Contract:** The contractor shall not assign the contract, or any portion thereof, without the advanced written permission of the Procurement Officer, such permission not to be unreasonably withheld.
- 17. **Modification of the Contract:** This contract may be modified by approved a contract modification or change order signed by both parties in accordance with the VPPA.
- 18. **Discrimination Prohibited; Participation of Small and Minority-Owned Business:** The Town shall not discriminate against an Offeror because of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, or any other basis prohibited by state law relating to discrimination in employment.
- 19. **Drug-free Workplace to be maintained by Contractor; Required Contract Provisions:** All public bodies shall include in every contract over \$10,000 the following provisions:

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees to (i) provide a drugfree workplace for the contractor's employees; (ii) post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or marijuana is prohibited in the contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition; (iii) state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor that the contractor maintains a drug-free workplace; and (iv) include the provisions of the foregoing clauses in every subcontract or purchase order of over \$10,000, so that the provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor.

For the purposes of this section, "drug-free workplace" means a site for the performance of work done in connection with a specific contract awarded to a contractor in accordance with this chapter, the employees of whom are prohibited from engaging in the unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of any controlled substance or marijuana during the performance of the contract.

- 20. Collusion Among Offerors: More than one proposal from an individual, firm, partnership, corporation or association under the same or different name will be rejected. Reasonable grounds for believing that an Offeror has an interest in more than one proposal for the work contemplated will cause rejection of all proposals in which the Offeror is interested. Any or all proposals will be rejected if there is any reason for believing that collusion exists among the Offerors. Participants in such collusion may not be considered in future proposals for the same work. The signer of the proposal must declare that all persons, companies and parties interested in the contract as principals are named therein; that the proposal is made without collusion with any other person, persons, company or parties submitting a proposal; that it is in all respects fair and in good faith without collusion or fraud; and that the signer of the proposal has authority to contractually bind the Offeror. See Offeror Submission Form.
- 21. **Town Employees:** No employee of the Town shall be admitted to any share or part of this contract or to any benefit that may arise therefrom.
- 22. **Qualification of Offerors:** Each Offeror may be required, before the award of any contract, to show to the complete satisfaction of the Evaluation Team that it has the necessary facilities, abilities, and financial resources to furnish the service or material specified herein in a satisfactory manner, and the Offeror may also be required to show past history and reference which will enable the Evaluation Team to be satisfied as to the Offeror's qualifications. Failure to qualify according to the foregoing requirements will justify proposal rejection.
- 23. **Liability:** The successful Offeror will not be held responsible for failure to perform the duties and responsibilities imposed by the contract due to legal strikes, fires, civil disobedience, riots, rebellions, acts of God and similar occurrences beyond the control of the successful Offeror that make performance impossible or illegal, unless otherwise specified in the agreement.
- 24. **Expenses Incurred In Preparing Proposal:** The Town accepts no responsibility for any expense incurred in the proposal preparation and presentation. Such expenses are to be borne exclusively by the Offeror.
- 25. **Protest of Award or Decision to Award:** An Offeror may protest an award or decision to award a contract under procedures as set forth in the VPPA.

- 26. **Ethics In Public Contracting:** This specification incorporates by reference, but is not limited to, the provisions of law contained in the Virginia Conflict of Interest Act, the Virginia Governmental Frauds Act, Articles 2 and 3 of Chapter 10 of title 18.2 of the Code of Virginia, as amended, and the Town Procurement Policy.
- 27. **Faith-Based Organizations:** The Town of Leesburg does not discriminate against faith-based organizations.
- 28. **Insurance Requirements:** Offeror shall secure at its own expense general liability insurance in an amount not less than \$2,000,000 solely contained in a Commercial General Liability Policy or in combination with an Umbrella or Excess Policy. Included shall be coverage for Bodily Injury and Property Damage resulting from the operations, products, and completed operations of the contractor.

Offeror shall also carry automobile insurance in an amount not less than \$2,000,000 solely contained in a Commercial Auto Policy or in combination with an Umbrella or Excess Policy.

Offeror shall also carry Workers Compensation insurance, which meets the statutory requirements of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

In addition, Offerors shall also carry other insurance coverage deemed by the Town to be appropriate to his agreement.

The above-mentioned coverage shall be placed with an insurance carrier licensed to do business in the Commonwealth of Virginia. The carrier must have an AM Best Rating of A or better.

A Certificate of Insurance identifying coverage and naming the Town of Leesburg as additional insured shall be furnished to the Town. Liability coverage shall contain wording prohibiting cancellation of coverage, failure to renew, or reduction in limit without the insurer first giving 30 days prior written notice of such action to the Town.

- 29. **Payment Clauses:** Pursuant to Section 2.2-4354 of the VPPA, within seven days after receipt of amounts paid to the Offeror by the Town for work performed by the subcontractor under the resulting contract the Offeror will:
 - a. Pay the subcontractor for the proportionate share of the total payment received from the Town attributable to the work performed by the subcontractor under that contract; or
 - b. Notify the Town and subcontractor, in writing, of his intention to withhold all or a part of the subcontractor's payment with the reason for nonpayment.

Individual contractors must provide their social security numbers and proprietorships, partnerships, and corporations to provide their federal employer identification numbers.

The Offeror will pay interest to the subcontractor on all amounts owed by the Offeror that remain unpaid after seven days following receipt by the Offeror of payment from the Town for work performed by the subcontractor under that contract, except for amounts withheld as allowed in paragraph b. above.

Unless otherwise provided under the terms of this contract, interest shall accrue at the rate of one percent per month.

The Offeror will include in each of its subcontracts a provision requiring each subcontractor to include or otherwise be subject to the same payment and interest requirements with respect to each lower-tier subcontractor.

A contractor's obligation to pay an interest charge to a subcontractor pursuant to the payment clause in this section shall not be construed to be an obligation of the Town. A contract modification shall not be made for the purpose of providing reimbursement for the interest charge. A cost reimbursement claim shall not include any amount for reimbursement for the interest charge.

- 30. **Prime Vendor Responsibilities:** Offerors may propose services that are provided by others, but any services proposed must meet all of the requirements of this RFP. If the Offeror's proposal includes services provided by others, the Offeror will be required to act as the prime vendor for all such items and must assume full responsibility for the procurement delivery and quality of such services. The Offeror will be considered the sole point of contact with regard to all stipulations, including payment of all charges and the meeting of all requirements of this RFP.
- 31. **Purchase Orders:** A purchase order will be enclosed with the resulting contract or will be issued shortly thereafter, and will become an integral part of the resulting contract. The purchase order indicates that sufficient funds have been obligated as required by Title 15 of the Code of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and assures distribution of the necessary receiving reports. The purchase order does not supersede any provisions of the resulting contract. Performance time and dates are determined solely by the contract and any modification thereto. Services are not to begin until receipt of the purchase order and/or other notification by the Town's Procurement Officer or designee.

VIII. SAMPLE CONTRACT

SOLICITATION NUMBER

TITLE

This CO	NTR	ACT (the "Contr	ract") is made	this _	_day of		, 2019,	by and betwee	n the
TOWN	OF	LEESBURG,	VIRGINIA	(the	"Town"),	a	municipal	corporation,	and
, a			having a us	sual pl	ace of busir	iess	at		
								(the "Contract	tor"),
collectively referred to herein as "Parties"									

The Contractor and the Town, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises, and agreements herein contained, agree as follows:

1. **Provision of Services.** The Contractor hereby agrees to provide the following services to the Town:

Pre-construction, construction, and post construction phase engineering and inspection services on improvement projects at the Leesburg Executive Airport, including administrative, management and ancillary support services as required. Services may include, but are not limited to: coordinating work between all activities, and acting as an agent for the Town in order to complete the project in accordance with the Town's objectives for cost, time, and quality.

- 2. <u>Contract Documents.</u> The Contract Documents consist of this Contract, RFP No. _____ (incorporated herein by reference), the Contractor's proposal dated (attached hereto as "Exhibit A"), and the Contractor's Price Proposal dated (attached hereto as "Exhibit B"), and any subsequent purchase orders issued by the Town. Where the terms of this Contract and the Contractor's proposal are at variance, the provisions of this Contract shall prevail.
- **3.** <u>Contract Term.</u> The initial contract period shall be one (1) year. This Contract may be renewed for up to four (4) additional one-year terms upon mutual agreement of both Parties pursuant to Virginia Public Procurement Act (VPPA) § 2.2-4303.1.
- **4.** Contract Amount. In return for the services provided, the Town certifies that sufficient funds are budgeted and shall compensate the Contractor up to amount of the approved task budget. Each individual task shall not exceed \$500,000 and the aggregate sum of all tasks shall not exceed \$750,000 each year according to \$2.2-4303.1 B. and D of the Virginia Public Procurement Act.

In the event that these limits are modified in the VPPA during the initial or renewal terms of this contract, the Town reserves the right to amend the limits of this contract to coincide with the change(s).

Method of Payment. The Contractor shall submit invoices to the Town with all supporting documentation and shall be reimbursed within forty-five (45) <u>days</u> after receipt of invoice or completion of services, whichever occurs later.

Invoices must detail the hours worked and services performed, must reference the purchase order number, and be mailed to the address specified below:

Town of Leesburg Department of Public Works and Capital Projects, Office of Capital Projects 25 West Market Street Leesburg, VA 20176

- **6.** Applicable Law and Courts. This Contract shall be governed in all respects by the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia and any litigation with respect thereto shall be brought in a court within Loudoun County. The Contractor shall comply with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- **7.** <u>Assignment of Contract</u>. This Contract shall not be assignable by the Contractor in whole or in part without the prior written consent of the Town.
- **8.** <u>Audit.</u> The Contractor shall retain all books, records, and other documents relative to this Contract for five (5) years after final payment, or until audited by the Town, whichever is sooner. The Town, its authorized agents, and/or State auditors shall have full access to and the right to examine any of said materials during said period.
- **9.** <u>Indemnification</u>. Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Town, its officers, agents, and employees from any claims, damages and actions of any kind or nature, whether at law or in equity, arising from or caused by any services of any kind or nature furnished by the Contractor, provided that such liability is not attributable to the sole negligence of the Town.
- **10.** <u>Notice.</u> The following persons shall be contact persons for the Parties, and notice given them, by certified return receipt requested mail to the addresses shown, shall constitute valid notice under the requirements of this agreement:
 - 1. For the Town:

[Name, Title]
Department of Public Works & Capital Projects
25 West Market Street
Leesburg, VA 20176

2. For the Contractor:

[Name, Title] [Firm]

[Address]

The Parties may amend such addresses by written notice to the opposite party at the given address.

11. Termination

- A. Termination without Cause. The Town may terminate this Contract for any reason upon ten (10) days' notice and upon payment of any and all sums already earned under the terms of Paragraphs numbered 4 and 5 of this Contract and reasonable expenses incurred in reliance upon the Contract.
- B. By Town with Cause. The Town may terminate this contract if the Contractor is in material breach with this Contract and fails to adequately remedy such breach after written notice form the Town and a 14-day period to cure the breach. If this Contract is

- terminated by the Town for cause, the Town may withhold any further payments to the Contractor until it determines its damages and may sue the Contractor for any damages caused by the breach. If the Town terminates this Contract for cause and it is later determined that such termination was not justified, then the termination shall be converted into one without cause under Paragraph 11.A. and any liability of the Town shall be limited solely to the liability provided by that paragraph for a termination without cause.
- C. If this Contract is terminated by the Town, the Contractor shall within seven days thereafter deliver to the Town all Contract Deliverables regardless of the current state of completion. In such case, the Contractor grants an irrevocable right to the Town to use the Contract Deliverables without additional compensation to the Contractor, but the Contractor will not be liable for any change or alterations to the Contract Deliverables or for their use in an incomplete state.
 - D. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Contractor agrees that any resulting contract is subject to annual appropriations of the Leesburg Town Council and that non-appropriation of sufficient funding to continue the contract will result in its automatic termination once existing funding is exhausted.
- **12.** <u>Integration Clause.</u> This Contract shall constitute the whole agreement between the Parties. There are no promises, terms, conditions, or obligations other than those contained herein, and this Contract shall supersede all previous communications, representations or agreements, written or verbal, between the Parties hereto related to the subject of this Contract.
- 13. Notice of Required Disability Legislation Compliance. The Town is required to comply with state and federal disability legislation: The Rehabilitation Act of 1973 Section 504, The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) for 1990 Title II and The Virginians with Disabilities Act of 1990. Specifically, the Town may not, through its contractual and/or financial arrangements, directly or indirectly avoid compliance with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, Public Law 101-336, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability by public entities. Subtitle A protects qualified individuals with disability from discrimination on the basis of disability in the services, programs, or activities of all State and local governments. It extends the prohibition of discrimination in federally assisted programs established by the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 Section 504 to all activities of State and local governments, including those that do not receive Federal financial assistance, and incorporates specific prohibitions of discrimination on the basis of disability in Titles I, III, and V of the Americans with Disabilities Act. The Virginians with Disabilities Act of 1990 follows the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 Section 504.
- **14.** <u>Faith Based Organizations.</u> The Town does not discriminate against faith-based organizations.
- **15.** <u>Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986.</u> By entering this Agreement, the Contractor certifies that it does not and will not during the performance of this Agreement violate the provisions of the Federal Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, which prohibits employment of illegal aliens.
- **16.** Payment to Subcontractors. Within seven (7) days after receipt of amounts paid by the Town for work performed by a subcontractor under this Agreement, the Contractor shall

either: a) pay the subcontractor for the proportionate share of the total payment received from the Town attributable to the work performed by the subcontractor under this Agreement; or b) notify the Town and subcontractor, in writing, of his intention to withhold all or a part of the subcontractor's payment and the reason for non-payment. The Contractor shall pay interest to the subcontractor on all amounts owed that remain unpaid beyond the seven (7) day period except for amounts withheld as allowed in item b. Unless otherwise provided under the terms of this Agreement, interest shall accrue at the rate of one percent (1%) per month. The Contractor shall include in each of its subcontracts a provision requiring each subcontractor to include or otherwise be subject to the same payment and interest requirements as set forth above with respect to each lower-tier subcontractor. The Contractor's obligation to pay an interest charge to a subcontractor pursuant to this provision may not be construed to be an obligation of the Town.

- 17. Authority to Transact Business in Virginia. A Contractor organized as a stock or nonstock corporation, limited liability company, business trust, or limited partnership or registered as a registered limited liability partnership shall be authorized to transact business in the Commonwealth as a domestic or foreign business entity if so required by Title 13.1 or Title 50 of the Code of Virginia or as otherwise required by law. Any business entity described herein that enters into an Agreement with the Town pursuant to the Virginia Public Procurement Act 2.2-4300 et seq. shall not allow its existence to lapse or its certificate of authority or registration to transact business in the Commonwealth, if so required under Title 13.1 or Title 50 of the Code of Virginia, to be revoked or cancelled at any time during the term of the Agreement. The Town may void any Agreement with a business entity if the business entity fails to remain in compliance with the provisions of this section.
- **18.** Counterparts. This Contract and any amendments or renewals hereto may be executed in a number of counterparts, and each counterpart signature, when taken with the other counterpart signatures, is treated as if executed upon one original of this Contract or any amendment or renewal. A signature by any party to this Contract provided by facsimile or electronic mail is binding upon that party as if it were the original.
- **19.** Ethics in Public Contracting. The provisions contained in Sections 2.2 4367 through 2.2 4377 of the Virginia Public Procurement Act as set forth in the 1950 Code of Virginia, as amended, shall be applicable to all Contracts solicited or entered into by the Town. A copy of these provisions may be obtained from the Town upon request.
 - The above-stated provisions supplement, but do not supersede, other provisions of law including, but not limited to, the Virginia State and Local Government Conflict of Interests Act (§ 2.2-3100 et seq.), the Virginia Governmental Frauds Act (§ 18.2 498.1 et seq.) and Articles 2 and 3 of Chapter 10 of Title 18.2. The provisions apply notwithstanding the fact that the conduct described may not constitute a violation of the Virginia State and Local Government Conflict of Interests Act.
- **20.** Exemption from Taxes. Pursuant to Va. Code § 58.1-609.1, the Town is exempt from Virginia State Sales or Use Taxes and Federal Excise Tax, therefore the Contractor shall not charge the Town for Virginia State Sales or Use Taxes or Federal Excise Tax on the finished goods or products provided under the Contract. However, this exemption does not apply to the Contractor, and the Contractor shall be responsible for the payment of any sales, use, or excise tax it incurs in providing the goods required by the Contract, including, but not

limited to, taxes on materials purchased by a Contractor for incorporation in or use on a construction project. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the Contractor from including its own sales tax expense in connection with the Contract in its Contract price.

21. Employment Discrimination by Contractors Prohibited

- A. During the performance of this Contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:
 - 1. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, status as a service disabled veteran, or any other basis prohibited by state law relating to discrimination in employment, except where there is a bona fide occupational qualification reasonably necessary to the normal operation of the Contractor. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
 - 2. The Contractor, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, shall state that such Contractor is an equal opportunity employer.
 - 3. Notices, advertisements and solicitations placed in accordance with federal law, rule or regulation shall be deemed sufficient to meet this requirement.
- B. The Contractor will include the provisions of the foregoing paragraphs, 1, 2, and 3 in every subcontract or purchase order of over \$10,000, so that the provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor.
- **22. Drug-free Workplace.** During the performance of this Contract, the Contractor agrees to (i) provide a drug-free workplace for the contractor's employees; (ii) post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or marijuana is prohibited in the contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition; (iii) state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor that the contractor maintains a drug-free workplace; and (iv) include the provisions of the foregoing clauses in every subcontract or purchase order of over \$10,000, so that the provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor.

For the purpose of this section, "drug-free workplace" means a site for the performance of work done in connection with a specific contract awarded to a contractor in accordance with this chapter, the employees of whom are prohibited from engaging in the unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or marijuana during the performance of the Contract.

23. Delays and Delivery Failures. Time is of the essence. The Contractor must keep the Town advised at all times of status of Parties' agreement. If delay is foreseen, the Contractor shall give immediate written notice to Town. Should Contractor fail to deliver the proper item/service at the time and place contracted for, or within a reasonable period of time thereafter as agreed to in writing by the Town, or should the Contractor fail to make a timely replacement of rejected item/service when so required, the Town may purchase item/service of comparable quality and quantity in the open market to replace the undelivered or rejected item/service. The Contractor shall reimburse the Town for all costs in excess of the

Contract price when purchases are made in the open market; or, in the even that there is a balance the Town owes to the Contractor from prior transactions, an amount equal to the additional expense incurred by the Town as a result of the Contractor's nonperformance shall be deducted from the balance as payment.

- **24.** <u>Substitutions</u>. No substitutions, additions or cancellations, including those of key personnel, are permitted after Contract award without written approval by the Town. Where specific employees are proposed by the Contractor for work, those employees shall perform the work as long as those employees work for the Contractor, either as employees or subcontractors, unless the Town agrees to substitution. Requests for substitutions shall be reviewed and may be approved by Town at its sole discretion.
- **25.** Workmanship and Inspection. All work under this Contract shall be performed in a skillful and workmanlike manner. The Contractor and its employees shall be professional and courteous at all times. The Town reserves the right to require immediate removal of any Contractor employee from Town service it deems unfit for service for any reason, not contrary to law. This right is non-negotiable and the Contractor agrees to this condition by accepting this Contract. Further, the Town may, from time to time, make inspections of the work performed under the Contract. Any inspection by the Town does not relieve the Contractor of any responsibility in meeting the Contract requirements.
- **26.** Contractual Disputes. The Contractor shall give written notice to the Procurement Officer of intent to file a claim for money or other relief within ten (10) calendar days of the occurrence giving rise to the claim or at the beginning of the work upon which the claim is to be based, whichever is earlier.

The Contractor shall submit its invoice for final payment within thirty (30) days after completion or delivery.

The claim, with supporting documentation, shall be submitted to the Procurement Officer by US Mail, courier, or overnight delivery service, no later than sixty (60) days after final payment. If the claim is not disposed of by agreement, the Procurement Officer shall reduce his/her decision to writing and mail or otherwise forward a copy thereof to the Contractor within thirty (30) days of the Town's receipt of the claim.

The Procurement Officer's decision shall be final unless the Contractor appeals within thirty (30) days by submitting a written letter of appeal to the Town Manager, or his designee. The Town Manager shall render a decision within sixty (60) days of receipt of the appeal.

No Contractor shall institute any legal action until all statutory requirements have been met. Each party shall bear its own costs and expenses resulting from any litigation, including attorney's fees.

- **27. Severability**. In the event that any provision shall be adjudged or decreed to be invalid, by a court of competent jurisdiction, such ruling shall not invalidate the entire Contract but shall pertain only to the provision in question and the remaining provisions shall continue to be valid, binding and in full force and effect.
- **28.** Force Majeure. A party will not be held responsible for failure to perform the duties and responsibilities imposed by the contract due to legal strikes, fires, civil disobedience, riots, rebellions, acts of God and similar occurrences beyond the control of the party that make performance impossible or illegal, unless otherwise specified in the Contract.

If a party asserts Force Majeure as an excuse for failure to perform the party's obligation, that party must immediately notify the other party giving full particulars of the event of force majeure and the reasons for the event of force majeure preventing that party from, or delaying that party in performing its obligations under this contract and that party must use its reasonable efforts to mitigate the effect of the event of force majeure upon its or their performance of the contract and to fulfill its or their obligations under the contract.

An event of force majeure does not relieve a party from liability for an obligation which arose before the occurrence of that event, nor does that event affect the obligation to pay money in a timely manner which matured prior to the occurrence of that event.

The Contractor has no entitlement and Town has no liability for: (1) any costs, losses, expenses, damages or the payment of any part of the contract price during an event of force majeure; and (2) any delay costs in any way incurred by the contractor due to an event of force majeure.

- **29.** <u>Survival of Terms</u>. Upon discharge of this Contract, Sections (Notice, Indemnification, Governing Law/Forum, and Contractual Disputes) continue and survive in full force and effect.
- **30.** <u>Insurance</u>. Contractor shall secure at its own expense general liability insurance in an amount not less than \$2,000,000 solely contained in a Commercial General Liability Policy or in combination with an Umbrella or Excess Policy. Included shall be coverage for Bodily Injury and Property Damage resulting from the operations, products, and completed operations of the contractor.

Contractor shall also carry automobile insurance contained in a Commercial Auto Policy or in combination with an Umbrella or Excess Policy. Contractor shall also carry Workers Compensation insurance, which meets the statutory requirements of the Commonwealth of Virginia. In addition, Contractor shall also carry other insurance coverage deemed by the Town to be appropriate to this agreement.

The above-mentioned coverage shall be placed with an insurance carrier licensed to do business in the Commonwealth of Virginia. The carrier must have an AM Best Rating of A or better. A Certificate of Insurance identifying coverage and naming the Town of Leesburg as additional insured shall be furnished to the Town. Liability coverage shall contain wording prohibiting cancellation of coverage, failure to renew, or reduction in limit without the insurer first giving 30 days' prior written notice of such action to the Town.

- **31.** Parties' Relationship. It is the intent of the Parties hereto that the Contractor shall be considered as an independent contractor and that neither it nor its employees shall, under any circumstances, be considered servants or agents of the Town and that these bodies shall be at no time legally responsible for any negligence on the part of said Contractor, its servants or agents, resulting in either bodily or personal injury or property damage to any individual, firm, or corporation.
- **32.** Ownership of Documents. Contractor agrees that all information, finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, surveys, specifications, records, reports and other material gathered and/or prepared by or for it under the terms of the Contract shall, at the Town's option, be delivered to, become, and remain the property of the Town. The Town shall also have the right to use and reproduce the data and reports submitted hereunder, without additional compensation to the Contractor.

In witness whereof, the Parties below execute this Contract as of the date first written above.

TOWN OF LEES	BURG	[FIRM NAME]	
AUTHORIZED		AUTHORIZED	,
SIGNATURE		SIGNATURE	
NAME		NAME	
TITLE		TITLE	
DATE		DATE	

-END OF SECTION-

IX. MANDATORY FEDERAL CONTRACT PROVISIONS FOR AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM PROJECTS

ACCESS TO RECORDS AND REPORTS

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

NOTICE OF REQUIREMENT FOR AFFIRMATIVE ACTION to ENSURE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

- 1. The Offeror's or Bidder's attention is called to the "Equal Opportunity Clause" and the "Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications" set forth herein.
- 2. The goals and timetables for minority and female participation, expressed in percentage terms for the Contractor's aggregate workforce in each trade on all construction work in the covered area, are as follows:

Timetables

Goals for minority participation for each trade: 5.9% Goals for female participation in each trade: 6.9%

These goals are applicable to all of the Contractor's construction work (whether or not it is Federal or federally assisted) performed in the covered area. If the Contractor

performs construction work in a geographical area located outside of the covered area, it shall apply the goals established for such geographical area where the work is actually performed. With regard to this second area, the Contractor also is subject to the goals for both its federally involved and non-federally involved construction.

The Contractor's compliance with the Executive Order and the regulations in 41 CFR Part 60-4 shall be based on its implementation of the Equal Opportunity Clause, specific affirmative action obligations required by the specifications set forth in 41 CFR 60-4.3(a) and its efforts to meet the goals. The hours of minority and female employment and training must be substantially uniform throughout the length of the contract, and in each trade, and the Contractor shall make a good faith effort to employ minorities and women evenly on each of its projects. The transfer of minority or female employees or trainees from Contractor to Contractor or from project to project for the sole purpose of meeting the Contractor's goals shall be a violation of the contract, the Executive Order and the regulations in 41 CFR Part 60-4. Compliance with the goals will be measured against the total work hours performed.

- 3. The Contractor shall provide written notification to the Director of the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) within 10 working days of award of any construction subcontract in excess of \$10,000 at any tier for construction work under the contract resulting from this solicitation. The notification shall list the name, address, and telephone number of the subcontractor; employer identification number of the subcontractor; estimated dollar amount of the subcontract; estimated starting and completion dates of the subcontract; and the geographical area in which the subcontract is to be performed.
- 4. As used in this notice and in the contract resulting from this solicitation, the "covered area" is State of Virginia, Loudoun County, and Town of Leesburg.

BREACH OF CONTRACT TERMS

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

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

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

GENERAL CIVIL RIGHTS PROVISIONS

The Contractor agrees to comply with pertinent statutes, Executive Orders and such rules as are promulgated to ensure that no person shall, on the grounds of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability be excluded from participating in any activity conducted with or benefiting from Federal assistance.

This provision binds the Contractor and subcontractors from the bid solicitation period through the completion of the contract. This provision is in addition to that required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

TITLE VI SOLICITATION NOTICE

The **Town of Leesburg**, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 USC §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders or offerors that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, [select disadvantaged business enterprises or airport concession disadvantaged business enterprises] will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

COMPLIANCE WITH NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS

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

- 1. **Compliance with Regulations:** The Contractor (hereinafter includes consultants) will comply with the Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities, as they may be amended from time to time, which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.
- 2. **Nondiscrimination:** The Contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, will not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The Contractor will not participate directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by the Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities, including employment practices when the contract covers any activity, project, or program set forth in Appendix B of 49 CFR part 21.
- 3. Solicitations for Subcontracts, including Procurements of Materials and Equipment: In all solicitations, either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the Contractor for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials, or leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier will be notified by the Contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities on the grounds of race, color, or national origin.
- 4. **Information and Reports:** The Contractor will provide all information and reports required by the Acts, the Regulations, and directives issued pursuant thereto and will permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its

facilities as may be determined by the sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities and instructions. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish the information, the Contractor will so certify to the sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration, as appropriate, and will set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.

- 5. **Sanctions for Noncompliance:** In the event of a Contractor's noncompliance with the non-discrimination provisions of this contract, the sponsor will impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Aviation Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - a. Withholding payments to the Contractor under the contract until the Contractor complies; and/or
 - b. Cancelling, terminating, or suspending a contract, in whole or in part.
- 6. **Incorporation of Provisions:** The Contractor will include the provisions of paragraphs one through six in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Acts, the Regulations, and directives issued pursuant thereto. The Contractor will take action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. Provided, that if the Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with litigation by a subcontractor, or supplier because of such direction, the Contractor may request the sponsor to enter into any litigation to protect the interests of the sponsor. In addition, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into the litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

TITLE VI LIST OF PERTINENT NONDISCRIMINATION ACTS AND AUTHORITIES

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

- Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC § 2000d *et seq.*, 78 stat. 252) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin);
- 49 CFR part 21 (Non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation—Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964);
- The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 USC § 4601) (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects);
- Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC § 794 *et seq.*), as amended (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR part 27;
- The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 USC § 6101 *et seq.*) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age);
- Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982 (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex);

- The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (PL 100-209) (broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms "programs or activities" to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal-aid recipients, sub-recipients and contractors, whether such programs or activities are Federally funded or not);
- Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing entities (42 USC §§ 12131 12189) as implemented by U.S. Department of Transportation regulations at 49 CFR parts 37 and 38;
- The Federal Aviation Administration's Nondiscrimination statute (49 USC § 47123) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex);
- Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, which ensures nondiscrimination against minority populations by discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations;
- Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination because of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, you must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to your programs (70 Fed. Reg. at 74087 to 74100);
- Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 USC 1681 et seq).

CLEAN AIR AND WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders, and regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 USC § 740-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 USC § 1251-1387). The Contractor agrees to report any violation to the Owner immediately upon discovery. The Owner assumes responsibility for notifying the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Federal Aviation Administration.

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

CONTRACT WORKHOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT REQUIREMENTS

1. Overtime Requirements.

No contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, in any workweek in which he or she is employed on such work to work in excess of forty hours in such workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and

one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in such workweek.

2. Violation; Liability for Unpaid Wages; Liquidated Damages.

In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this clause, the Contractor and any subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable for the unpaid wages. In addition, such contractor and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory), for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, employed in violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this clause, in the sum of \$10 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard workweek of forty hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this clause.

3. Withholding for Unpaid Wages and Liquidated Damages.

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) or the Owner shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the contractor or subcontractor under any such contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federally assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, which is held by the same prime contractor, such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such contractor or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in paragraph (2) of this clause.

4. Subcontractors.

The Contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) and also a clause requiring the subcontractor to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) of this clause.

CERTIFICATION OF OFFERER/BIDDER REGARDING DEBARMENT

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

CERTIFICATION OF LOWER TIER CONTRACTORS REGARDING DEBARMENT

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

1. Checking the System for Award Management at website: http://www.sam.gov.

- 2. Collecting a certification statement similar to the Certification of Offerer /Bidder Regarding Debarment, above.
- 3. Inserting a clause or condition in the covered transaction with the lower tier contract.

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

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES

Contract Assurance (§ 26.13) – The Contractor or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The Contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR part 26 in the award and administration of Department of Transportation-assisted contracts. Failure by the Contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the Owner deems appropriate, which may include, but is not limited to:

- 1) Withholding monthly progress payments;
- 2) Assessing sanctions;
- 3) Liquidated damages; and/or
- 4) Disqualifying the Contractor from future bidding as non-responsible.

Prompt Payment (§26.29) – The prime contractor agrees to pay each subcontractor under this prime contract for satisfactory performance of its contract no later than seven days from the receipt of each payment the prime contractor receives from Town of Leesburg. The prime contractor agrees further to return retainage payments to each subcontractor within seven days after the subcontractor's work is satisfactorily completed. Any delay or postponement of payment from the above referenced time frame may occur only for good cause following written approval of the Town of Leesburg. This clause applies to both DBE and non-DBE subcontractors.

TEXTING WHEN DRIVING

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

In support of this initiative, the Owner encourages the Contractor to promote policies and initiatives for its employees and other work personnel that decrease crashes by distracted drivers, including policies that ban text messaging while driving motor vehicles while performing work activities associated with the project. The Contractor must include the substance of this clause in all sub-tier contracts exceeding \$3,500 that involve driving a motor vehicle in performance of work activities associated with the project.

ENERGY CONSERVATION REQUIREMENTS

Consultant and Subconsultant agree to comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency as contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 USC 6201et seq).

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CLAUSE

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

- (1) The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identify, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff, or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
- (2) The Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive considerations for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.
- (3) The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers' representatives of the Contractor's commitments under this section and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- (4) The Contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.
- (5) The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
- (6) In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts or federally assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.

(7) The Contractor will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance: *Provided, however*, that in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the administering agency the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

STANDARD FEDERAL EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS

- 1. As used in these specifications:
 - a. "Covered area" means the geographical area described in the solicitation from which this contract resulted;
 - b. "Director" means Director, Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP), U.S. Department of Labor, or any person to whom the Director delegates authority;
 - c. "Employer identification number" means the Federal social security number used on the Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return, U.S. Treasury Department Form 941;
 - d. "Minority" includes:
 - (1) Black (all persons having origins in any of the Black African racial groups not of Hispanic origin);
 - (2) Hispanic (all persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin regardless of race);
 - (3) Asian and Pacific Islander (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands); and
 - (4) American Indian or Alaskan native (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America and maintaining identifiable tribal affiliations through membership and participation or community identification).
- 2. Whenever the Contractor, or any subcontractor at any tier, subcontracts a portion of the work involving any construction trade, it shall physically include in each subcontract in excess of \$10,000 the provisions of these specifications and the Notice which contains the applicable goals for minority and female participation and which is set forth in the solicitations from which this contract resulted.
- 3. If the Contractor is participating (pursuant to 41 CFR part 60-4.5) in a Hometown Plan approved by the U.S. Department of Labor in the covered area either individually or

through an association, its affirmative action obligations on all work in the Plan area (including goals and timetables) shall be in accordance with that Plan for those trades which have unions participating in the Plan. Contractors shall be able to demonstrate their participation in and compliance with the provisions of any such Hometown Plan. Each contractor or subcontractor participating in an approved plan is individually required to comply with its obligations under the EEO clause and to make a good faith effort to achieve each goal under the Plan in each trade in which it has employees. The overall good faith performance by other contractors or subcontractors toward a goal in an approved Plan does not excuse any covered contractor's or subcontractor's failure to take good faith efforts to achieve the Plan goals and timetables.

- 4. The Contractor shall implement the specific affirmative action standards provided in paragraphs 7a through 7p of these specifications. The goals set forth in the solicitation from which this contract resulted are expressed as percentages of the total hours of employment and training of minority and female utilization the Contractor should reasonably be able to achieve in each construction trade in which it has employees in the covered area. Covered construction contractors performing construction work in a geographical area where they do not have a Federal or federally assisted construction contract shall apply the minority and female goals established for the geographical area where the work is being performed. Goals are published periodically in the Federal Register in notice form, and such notices may be obtained from any Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs office or from Federal procurement contracting officers. The Contractor is expected to make substantially uniform progress in meeting its goals in each craft during the period specified.
- 5. Neither the provisions of any collective bargaining agreement nor the failure by a union with whom the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement to refer either minorities or women shall excuse the Contractor's obligations under these specifications, Executive Order 11246, or the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.
- 6. In order for the non-working training hours of apprentices and trainees to be counted in meeting the goals, such apprentices and trainees shall be employed by the Contractor during the training period and the Contractor shall have made a commitment to employ the apprentices and trainees at the completion of their training, subject to the availability of employment opportunities. Trainees shall be trained pursuant to training programs approved by the U.S. Department of Labor.
- 7. The Contractor shall take specific affirmative actions to ensure equal employment opportunity. The evaluation of the Contractor's compliance with these specifications shall be based upon its effort to achieve maximum results from its actions. The Contractor shall document these efforts fully and shall implement affirmative action steps at least as extensive as the following:
 - a. Ensure and maintain a working environment free of harassment, intimidation, and coercion at all sites, and in all facilities at which the Contractor's employees are assigned to work. The Contractor, where possible, will assign two or more women to each construction project. The Contractor shall specifically ensure that all foremen, superintendents, and other onsite supervisory personnel are aware of and carry out the Contractor's obligation to maintain such a working environment, with

- specific attention to minority or female individuals working at such sites or in such facilities.
- b. Establish and maintain a current list of minority and female recruitment sources, provide written notification to minority and female recruitment sources and to community organizations when the Contractor or its unions have employment opportunities available, and maintain a record of the organizations' responses.
- c. Maintain a current file of the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of each minority and female off-the-street applicant and minority or female referral from a union, a recruitment source, or community organization and of what action was taken with respect to each such individual. If such individual was sent to the union hiring hall for referral and was not referred back to the Contractor by the union or, if referred, not employed by the Contractor, this shall be documented in the file with the reason therefore along with whatever additional actions the Contractor may have taken.
- d. Provide immediate written notification to the Director when the union or unions with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement has not referred to the Contractor a minority person or female sent by the Contractor, or when the Contractor has other information that the union referral process has impeded the Contractor's efforts to meet its obligations.
- e. Develop on-the-job training opportunities and/or participate in training programs for the area which expressly include minorities and women, including upgrading programs and apprenticeship and trainee programs relevant to the Contractor's employment needs, especially those programs funded or approved by the Department of Labor. The Contractor shall provide notice of these programs to the sources compiled under 7b above.
- f. Disseminate the Contractor's EEO policy by providing notice of the policy to unions and training programs and requesting their cooperation in assisting the Contractor in meeting its EEO obligations; by including it in any policy manual and collective bargaining agreement; by publicizing it in the company newspaper, annual report, etc.; by specific review of the policy with all management personnel and with all minority and female employees at least once a year; and by posting the company EEO policy on bulletin boards accessible to all employees at each location where construction work is performed.
- g. Review, at least annually, the company's EEO policy and affirmative action obligations under these specifications with all employees having any responsibility for hiring, assignment, layoff, termination, or other employment decisions, including specific review of these items, with onsite supervisory personnel such superintendents, general foremen, etc., prior to the initiation of construction work at any job site. A written record shall be made and maintained identifying the time and place of these meetings, persons attending, subject matter discussed, and disposition of the subject matter.
- h. Disseminate the Contractor's EEO policy externally by including it in any advertising in the news media, specifically including minority and female news media, and providing written notification to and discussing the Contractor's EEO

- policy with other contractors and subcontractors with whom the Contractor does or anticipates doing business.
- i. Direct its recruitment efforts, both oral and written, to minority, female, and community organizations, to schools with minority and female students; and to minority and female recruitment and training organizations serving the Contractor's recruitment area and employment needs. Not later than one month prior to the date for the acceptance of applications for apprenticeship or other training by any recruitment source, the Contractor shall send written notification to organizations, such as the above, describing the openings, screening procedures, and tests to be used in the selection process.
- j. Encourage present minority and female employees to recruit other minority persons and women and, where reasonable, provide after school, summer, and vacation employment to minority and female youth both on the site and in other areas of a contractor's workforce.
- k. Validate all tests and other selection requirements where there is an obligation to do so under 41 CFR part 60-3.
- 1. Conduct, at least annually, an inventory and evaluation at least of all minority and female personnel, for promotional opportunities and encourage these employees to seek or to prepare for, through appropriate training, etc., such opportunities.
- m. Ensure that seniority practices, job classifications, work assignments, and other personnel practices do not have a discriminatory effect by continually monitoring all personnel and employment related activities to ensure that the EEO policy and the Contractor's obligations under these specifications are being carried out.
- n. Ensure that all facilities and company activities are non-segregated except that separate or single user toilet and necessary changing facilities shall be provided to assure privacy between the sexes.
- Document and maintain a record of all solicitations of offers for subcontracts from minority and female construction contractors and suppliers, including circulation of solicitations to minority and female contractor associations and other business associations.
- p. Conduct a review, at least annually, of all supervisor's adherence to and performance under the Contractor's EEO policies and affirmative action obligations.
- 8. Contractors are encouraged to participate in voluntary associations, which assist in fulfilling one or more of their affirmative action obligations (7a through 7p). The efforts of a contractor association, joint contractor union, contractor community, or other similar groups of which the Contractor is a member and participant may be asserted as fulfilling any one or more of its obligations under 7a through 7p of these specifications provided that the Contractor actively participates in the group, makes every effort to assure that the group has a positive impact on the employment of minorities and women in the industry, ensures that the concrete benefits of the program are reflected in the Contractor's minority and female workforce participation, makes a good faith effort to meet its individual goals and timetables, and can provide access to documentation which demonstrates the effectiveness of actions taken on behalf of the

- Contractor. The obligation to comply, however, is the Contractor's and failure of such a group to fulfill an obligation shall not be a defense for the Contractor's noncompliance.
- 9. A single goal for minorities and a separate single goal for women have been established. The Contractor, however, is required to provide equal employment opportunity and to take affirmative action for all minority groups, both male and female, and all women, both minority and non-minority. Consequently, if the particular group is employed in a substantially disparate manner (for example, even though the Contractor has achieved its goals for women generally), the Contractor may be in violation of the Executive Order if a specific minority group of women is underutilized.
- 10. The Contractor shall not use the goals and timetables or affirmative action standards to discriminate against any person because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.
- 11. The Contractor shall not enter into any subcontract with any person or firm debarred from Government contracts pursuant to Executive Order 11246.
- 12. The Contractor shall carry out such sanctions and penalties for violation of these specifications and of the Equal Opportunity Clause, including suspension, termination, and cancellation of existing subcontracts as may be imposed or ordered pursuant to Executive Order 11246, as amended, and its implementing regulations, by the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs. Any contractor who fails to carry out such sanctions and penalties shall be in violation of these specifications and Executive Order 11246, as amended.
- 13. The Contractor, in fulfilling its obligations under these specifications, shall implement specific affirmative action steps, at least as extensive as those standards prescribed in paragraph 7 of these specifications, so as to achieve maximum results from its efforts to ensure equal employment opportunity. If the Contractor fails to comply with the requirements of the Executive Order, the implementing regulations, or these specifications, the Director shall proceed in accordance with 41 CFR part 60-4.8.
- 14. The Contractor shall designate a responsible official to monitor all employment related activity to ensure that the company EEO policy is being carried out, to submit reports relating to the provisions hereof as may be required by the Government, and to keep records. Records shall at least include for each employee, the name, address, telephone number, construction trade, union affiliation if any, employee identification number when assigned, social security number, race, sex, status (e.g., mechanic, apprentice, trainee, helper, or laborer), dates of changes in status, hours worked per week in the indicated trade, rate of pay, and locations at which the work was performed. Records shall be maintained in an easily understandable and retrievable form; however, to the degree that existing records satisfy this requirement, contractors shall not be required to maintain separate records.
- 15. Nothing herein provided shall be construed as a limitation upon the application of other laws which establish different standards of compliance or upon the application of requirements for the hiring of local or other area residents (e.g. those under the Public Works Employment Act of 1977 and the Community Development Block Grant Program).

FEDERAL FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT (FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE)

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

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

LOBBYING AND INFLUENCING FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

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

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Bidder or Offeror, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

PROHIBITION OF SEGREGATED FACILITIES

(a) The Contractor agrees that it does not and will not maintain or provide for its employees any segregated facilities at any of its establishments, and that it does not and will not permit its employees to perform their services at any location under its control where segregated facilities are maintained. The Contractor agrees that a breach of this clause is a violation of the Equal Employment Opportunity clause in this contract.

- (b) "Segregated facilities," as used in this clause, means any waiting rooms, work areas, rest rooms and wash rooms, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, locker rooms and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation, and housing facilities provided for employees that are segregated by explicit directive or are in fact segregated on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin because of written or oral policies or employee custom. The term does not include separate or single-user rest rooms or necessary dressing or sleeping areas provided to assure privacy between the sexes.
- (c) The Contractor shall include this clause in every subcontract and purchase order that is subject to the Equal Employment Opportunity clause of this contract.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT OF 1970

All contracts and subcontracts that result from this solicitation incorporate by reference the requirements of 29 CFR Part 1910 with the same force and effect as if given in full text. The employer must provide a work environment that is free from recognized hazards that may cause death or serious physical harm to the employee. The employer retains full responsibility to monitor its compliance and their subcontractor's compliance with the applicable requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (20 CFR Part 1910). The employer must address any claims or disputes that pertain to a referenced requirement directly with the U.S. Department of Labor – Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

SEISMIC SAFETY

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

CERTIFICATION OF OFFERER/BIDDER REGARDING TAX DELINQUENCY AND FELONY CONVICTIONS

The applicant must complete the following two certification statements. The applicant must indicate its current status as it relates to tax delinquency and felony conviction by inserting a checkmark (\checkmark) in the space following the applicable response. The applicant agrees that, if awarded a contract resulting from this solicitation, it will incorporate this provision for certification in all lower tier subcontracts.

Certifications

- 1) The applicant represents that it is () is not () a corporation that has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability.
- 2) The applicant represents that it is () is not () is not a corporation that was convicted of a criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months.

Note

If an applicant responds in the affirmative to either of the above representations, the applicant is ineligible to receive an award unless the sponsor has received notification from the agency suspension and debarment official (SDO) that the SDO has considered suspension or debarment and determined that further action is not required to protect the Government's interests. The applicant therefore must provide information to the owner about its tax liability or conviction to the Owner, who will then notify the FAA Airports District Office, which will then notify the agency's SDO to facilitate completion of the required considerations before award decisions are made.

Term Definitions

Felony conviction: Felony conviction means a conviction within the preceding twenty-four (24) months of a felony criminal violation under any Federal law and includes conviction of an offense defined in a section of the U.S. code that specifically classifies the offense as a felony and conviction of an offense that is classified as a felony under 18 U.S.C. § 3559.

Tax Delinquency: A tax delinquency is any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted, or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability.

TRADE RESTRICTION CERTIFICATION

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

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

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

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

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

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

Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render, in good faith, the certification required by this provision. The knowledge and information of a contractor is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

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

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

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE

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

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agreement, or connection with any services, materials, supplies, or eq fraud. I understand collusive bidd fines, prison sentences, and civil d	corporation, firm, uipment and is in a ing is a violation o amage awards. I h other statements a	er is made without prior understanding, or person submitting an offer for the same all respects fair and without collusion or f the State and federal law and can result in the sereby certify that the responses to the above re accurate and complete. I agree to abide thorized to sign for my company.
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