

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS Mayor's Apprenticeship Program (MAP) RFP-06012024

Response Due Date: Monday, July 1, 2024 at 4 PM

Department of Public Safety and Community Resources 4703 Lone Tree Way Antioch, CA 94531 (925) 779-7079

INTRODUCTION

The City of Antioch is seeking a provider to deliver wrap-around services and support for its comprehensive workforce development program, which targets young adults affected by various social determinants that negatively impact their quality of life. Under the leadership of Mayor Lamar A. Hernandez-Thorpe and the Antioch City Council, the Public Safety and Community Resources Department aims to expand the Mayor's Apprenticeship Program (MAP). This initiative emphasizes innovation, best practices, workforce and life skills, economic prosperity, and individual success.

MAP is a paid program for adults aged 18-26. The selected participants, who may face multiple barriers, such as being justice-involved, unhoused, or former foster youth, will receive 60 hours of paid workforce development training before placement. During their part-time employment, the provider will offer weekly professional development through traditional workshops and experiential learning. Upon completing the onboarding training, participants will be placed in the City of Antioch's Public Works department and other public agencies to practice and hone skills essential for future employment. Support staff will assist participants in navigating various challenges throughout their employment.

The City of Antioch seeks proposals from qualified organizations that prepare young adults for employment, helping workers advance in their careers and ensure a skilled workforce. A successful organization must also provide reliable data collection and consistent reporting, which are necessary to use public funds. Tasks under the contract may cover a range of service deliverables. The contracted organization will fully engage with the program's principles and collaborate closely with participants and the City.

The deadline for submission of qualifications for this work is 4 PM, Monday, July 1, 2024.

This contract is intended to be awarded pursuant to this RFP may be funded, in whole or in part, with American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding. In submitting a proposal, respondents shall comply with all federal requirements outlined in this RFP, including but not limited to the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (2 CFR Part 200).

The successful contractor must comply with all federal funding requirements outlined in Exhibit C to the City's sample agreement, attached to this RFP as Attachment B. This includes compliance with all applicable ARPA guidelines, federal statutes, regulations, executive orders, and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) guidance. Contractors are also required to adhere to all reporting, audit, and compliance requirements as stipulated by the ARPA funding provisions.

REQUIRED SERVICES

The selected contractor shall be required to:

- Assist with comprehensive attraction, selection, and retention selection of qualified MAP applicants, including application review and interview participation.
- Provide sixty hours of intensive work workforce development training that includes topics addressing hard, soft, and life skills. Must offer multiple training sessions, if necessary, to maintain a minimum number of 20 participants throughout the program with the capacity to backfill open slots.
- Develop and support a training plan that ensures all MAP participants receive sufficient baseline and ongoing training in key skill areas related to their staff function.
- Provide regular trauma-informed supervision, debriefing, and support for all MAP participants of up

- to four hours a month.
- Propose an approach for tracking and measuring medical, behavioral health, and other basic life needs such as shelter, food, and clothing.
- Provide a wellness and impact coach who will meet with MAP participants bi-monthly at least.
- Identify and provide information and referrals for community resources as needed for the MAP participant.
- Develop collaborative and mentoring relationships, including the training of the City of Antioch Public Works designated site supervisors.
- Coordinate and facilitate the distribution of initial 60 hours of training stipends for the MAP participants.
- Provide monthly attendance and work performance reports to the City of Antioch and other stakeholders, tracking progress and allowing for continuous improvement in areas of the participant experience and mentorship.
- Participate in regularly scheduled MAP coordination meetings to ensure communication across stakeholder groups, review data, and address unforeseen issues promptly.
- Participate in community and stakeholder meetings as the City of Antioch requested.
- Design MAP evaluation measuring desired outcomes.

The successful respondent will negotiate additional work items to be included under the contract anticipated to be awarded pursuant to this RFP. The work shall comply with all current local ordinances and federal and State laws.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- 1. Experience working with networks of youth service providers, specializing in record expungement, trauma-informed care, and case management at the local County and/or state level.
- 2. Direct program service experience with individuals or groups needing employment preparation and placement, industry-specific training, subsidized work experience, returning citizens or exoffenders, low-skilled/low-income communities, English language learners, and community re-entry centers.
- 3. Evidence of service benefitting organizational commitment to populations impacted by crime, homelessness, or criminal records, limited English proficiency.
- 4. Successful experience conducting community outreach and engagement activities for new program startup.
- 5. Demonstrated effectiveness using data collection and evaluation tools to benefit youth.
- 6. Working knowledge assessment tools and methods.

SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

Please include the following information in the proposal submittal:

- Introduction and Description Provide a program description conveying an understanding of the
 issues and how the organization meets the minimum qualifications. Include a summary of the
 proposed approach, including how this program aligns with your organization's values and capacity.
- Staffing Model for Program Management and Other Support Personnel—Provide an organizational chart with identified positions. Detail key individuals to be assigned to the program, their qualifications, and respective roles. If subcontractors are used in addition to a lead organization, the subcontracted positions and duties shall be clearly identified, and the resumes of proposed staff shall be provided.

- Related Experience and References—Provide scope of work performed and contact information.
 Emphasize projects and services delivered to cities and communities.
- Availability—Identify the time window indicating availability to start the program. The selected
 organization will be required to enter a written contract with the City of Antioch in a form approved
 by the City Attorney. Work is expected to commence upon award of the contract.
- City's Services Contract Identify any sections of the City's sample agreement (Attachment B) that pose significant concerns and would require negotiation/modification to be acceptable.
- **Estimated Budget**—Provide an estimated budget for proposed services. The budget will be reviewed to determine whether the proposed fees and costs are fair and reasonable.
- Non-Debarment Certification (Attachment C)- Provide the executed non-debarment certification in the form attached to this RFP.

CONTRACTING WITH SMALL AND MINORITY FIRMS, WOMEN'S BUSINESS ENTERPRISE AND LABOR SURPLUS AREA FIRMS (2 C.F.R. § 200.321)

Respondents will take affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religious creed, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

Affirmative steps shall include:

- 1. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's enterprises on solicitation lists.
- 2. Assuring that small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources.
- 3. Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority business and women's business enterprises.
- 4. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority business and women's business enterprises; and
- 5. Using the services/assistance of the Small Business Administration (SBA), and the Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) of the Department of Commerce.

Evidence of compliance with the affirmative steps shall be provided when the City requests.

PROPOSAL DUE DATE AND SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

All correspondence shall be transmitted electronically to Monserrat Cabral, Youth Servies Network Manager, at mcabral@antiochca.gov. The letter of interest and proposal shall be submitted as an Adobe Acrobat PDF file. The maximum number of attached pages shall not exceed **8 pages**. When emailing, please identify "Mayor's Apprenticeship Program (MAP) RFP" in the subject line.

Respondents are solely responsible for any costs and expenses arising from or related to their participation in this RFP process.

QUESTIONS

Questions can be submitted in writing to Monserrat Cabral, Youth Servies Network Manager, at mcabral@antiochca.gov no later than June 15, 2024. Responses will be posted on the city website by June

22, 2024.

EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

Written proposals will be reviewed and ranked based on the evaluation criteria referenced in Attachment A. The City reserves the right to interview all organizations or only those that are top-ranked and shortlisted. Scores associated with written proposals and interviews will be equally weighted and evaluated on identical bases.

In its sole discretion, the City may negotiate with respondents and request the best and final offers.

BASIS OF AWARD

The City intends to award a contract to the responsive and responsible respondent whose proposal is the best overall value to the City based on the evaluation criteria outlined herein. After a respondent is selected, the award of a contract (agreement) is contingent upon the successful negotiation of terms, acceptability of fees, and formal approval by the City Council.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Bidders' Questions Response to Bidders' Questions Proposal, Rate Schedule & Budget Deadline *Interviews June 15, 2024 at 4 PM
June 22, 2024 at 5 PM
July 1, 2024 at 4 PM in electronic form
July 25, 2024
**September 1, 2024

Contract Award

CITY RIGHTS

The City may investigate the qualifications of any respondent under consideration, require confirmation of information furnished by a respondent, and require additional evidence of qualifications to perform the Scope of Work described in this RFP. The City reserves the right to:

- 1) Accept or reject any and all proposals, or any item or part thereof, or waive any informalities or irregularities in proposals or this RFP process;
- 2) For any reason, withdraw, amend, or cancel this RFP, or any part hereof at any time without prior notice, and the City makes no representations that any contract will be awarded pursuant to this RFP;
- 3) Postpone opening of proposals for its own convenience;
- 4) Release the proposals received as public information upon request after award (submitted proposals are not to be copyrighted);
- 5) Appoint an evaluation committee to review proposals;
- 6) Approve or disapprove the use of particular subcontractors;
- 7) Establish a short list of respondents eligible for interview after review of written proposals;
- 8) Negotiate with any, all, or none of the respondents.

^{*} The City may, at its discretion, request interviews from one or more respondents. No respondent shall be entitled to or otherwise guaranteed an interview with the City.

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ATTACHMENTS

- A: Evaluation Criteria
- B: City of Antioch Sample Agreement
- C: Non-Debarment and Suspension Certificate



Evaluation Worksheet

	WRITTEN MATERIALS Max. Points
Knowledge of target population/program cohort	/ 10
Identification of effective training/coaching methods and life/work problem-solving skills	/ 10
Results achieved in prior work with the target population	/ 10
Quality of hard and soft skills curriculum	/ 20
Readiness and availability	/ 10
TOTAL	/ 60

Comments / Remarks:				

ATTACHMENT B SAMPLE AGREEMENT

CONSULTING SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF ANTIOCH AND FOR **CONSULTING SERVICES** THIS AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into this ____ day of _____, 2022 ("Effective Date") by and between the City of Antioch, a municipal Corporation with its principle place of business at 200 H Street, Antioch, CA 94509 ("City") and _ with its principle place of business at ("Consultant"). City and Consultant individually are sometimes referred to herein as "Party" and collectively as "Parties." SERVICES. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. Consultant shall furnish all technical and professional services including labor, material, equipment, transportation, supervision and expertise to provide to City the services described in the Scope of Work attached as Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at the time and place and in the manner specified therein ("Services"). In the event of a conflict in or inconsistency between the terms of this Agreement and Exhibit A, the Agreement shall prevail. 1.1 Term of Services. The term of this Agreement shall begin on the Effective Date and shall end , the date of completion specified in Exhibit A, and Consultant shall complete the Services on described in Exhibit A prior to that date, unless the term of the Agreement is otherwise terminated or extended, as provided for in Section 8. The time provided to Consultant to complete the Services required by this Agreement shall not affect the City's right to terminate the Agreement, under Section 8. 1.2 **Standard of Performance.** Consultant represents that it is experienced in providing these services to public clients and is familiar with the plans and needs of City. Consultant shall perform all Services required pursuant to this Agreement in the manner and according to the standards observed by a competent practitioner of the profession in which Consultant is engaged in the geographical area in which Consultant practices its profession. 1.3 Assignment of Personnel. Consultant shall assign only competent personnel to perform Services pursuant to this Agreement. In the event that City, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of this Agreement, desires the reassignment of any such persons, Consultant shall, immediately upon receiving notice from City of such desire of City, reassign such person or persons. **Time.** Consultant shall devote such time to the performance of Services pursuant to this Agreement as may be reasonably necessary to meet the standard of performance provided in Section 1.1 above and to satisfy Consultant's obligations hereunder. **SECTION 2.** COMPENSATION. City hereby agrees to pay Consultant a sum not to exceed , notwithstanding any contrary indications that may be contained in Consultant's proposal, for Services to be performed and reimbursable costs incurred under this Agreement. In the event of a conflict between this Agreement and Consultant's proposal, attached as Exhibit A, regarding the amount of compensation, the Agreement shall prevail. City shall pay Consultant for Services rendered pursuant to this Agreement at the time and in the manner set forth below. The payments specified below shall be the only payments from City to

Consultant and City acknowledge and agree that compensation paid by City to Consultant under this Agreement is based upon Consultant's estimated costs of providing the Services required hereunder, including salaries and benefits of

Consultant for Services rendered pursuant to this Agreement. Except as specifically authorized by City,

Consultant shall not bill City for duplicate services performed by more than one person.

employees and subcontractors of Consultant. Consequently, the Parties further agree that compensation hereunder is intended to include the costs of contributions to any pensions and/or annuities to which Consultant and its employees, agents, and subcontractors may be eligible. City therefore has no responsibility for such contributions beyond compensation required under this Agreement.

- **2.1** <u>Invoices.</u> Consultant shall submit invoices, not more often than once a month during the term of this Agreement, based on the cost for Services performed and reimbursable costs incurred prior to the invoice date. Invoices shall contain the following information:
 - Serial identifications of progress bills; i.e., Progress Bill No. 1 for the first invoice, etc.;
 - The beginning and ending dates of the billing period;
 - A Task Summary containing the original contract amount, the amount of prior billings, the total due this period, the balance available under the Agreement, and the percentage of completion;
 - At City's option, for each work item in each task, a copy of the applicable time entries or time sheets shall be submitted showing the name of the person doing the work, the hours spent by each person, a brief description of the work, and each reimbursable expense;
 - The total number of hours of work performed under the Agreement by Consultant and each employee, agent, and subcontractor of Consultant performing services; and,
 - The Consultant's signature.

2.2 Payment Schedule.

- **2.2.1** City shall make incremental payments, based on invoices received, [according to the payment schedule attached as Exhibit B and incorporated herein], for Services satisfactorily performed, in accordance with the requirements of this Agreement, and for authorized reimbursable costs incurred. City shall have thirty (30) days from the receipt of an invoice that complies with all of the requirements of Section 2.1 to pay Consultant.
- **2.3** Total Payment. City shall pay for the Services to be rendered by Consultant pursuant to this Agreement. City shall not pay any additional sum for any expense or cost whatsoever incurred by Consultant in rendering Services pursuant to this Agreement, unless expressly provided for in Section 2.5.

In no event shall Consultant submit any invoice for an amount in excess of the maximum amount of compensation provided above either for a task or for the entire Agreement, unless the Agreement is modified prior to the submission of such an invoice by a properly executed change order or amendment.

- **2.4** Hourly Fees. Fees for work performed by Consultant on an hourly basis shall not exceed the amounts shown on the fee schedule in Exhibit B.
- 2.5 Reimbursable Expenses. Reimbursable expenses are specified below, and shall not exceed (\$). Expenses not listed below are not chargeable to City. Reimbursable expenses are included in the total amount of compensation provided under this Agreement that shall not be exceeded.

Reimbursable Expenses are:

- **2.6** Payment of Taxes. Consultant is solely responsible for the payment of employment taxes incurred under this Agreement and any similar federal or state taxes.
- **2.7** Authorization to Perform Services. The Consultant is not authorized to perform any Services or incur any costs whatsoever under the terms of this Agreement until Consultant receives authorization to proceed from the Contract Administrator.
- **SECTION 3. FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT.** Except as set forth herein, Consultant shall, at its sole cost and expense, provide all facilities and equipment that may be necessary to perform the Services required by this Agreement. City shall make available to Consultant only the facilities and equipment listed in this section, and only under the terms and conditions set forth herein.

City shall furnish physical facilities such as desks, filing cabinets, and conference space, as may be reasonably necessary for Consultant's use while consulting with City employees and reviewing records and the information in possession of the City. The location, quantity, and time of furnishing those facilities shall be in the sole discretion of City. In no event shall City be obligated to furnish any facility that may involve incurring any direct expense, including but not limited to computer, long-distance telephone or other communication charges, vehicles, and reproduction facilities.

- **SECTION 4. INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS.** Before beginning any work under this Agreement, Consultant, at its own cost and expense, shall procure insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property that may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work by the Consultant and its agents, representatives, employees, and subcontractors. Consultant shall provide proof satisfactory to City of such insurance that meets the requirements of this section and under forms of insurance satisfactory in all respects to the City. Consultant shall maintain the insurance policies required by this section throughout the term of this Agreement. The cost of such insurance shall be included in the Consultant's proposal. Consultant shall not allow any subcontractor to commence work on any subcontract until Consultant has obtained all insurance required herein for the subcontractor(s) and provided evidence thereof to City. Verification of the required insurance shall be submitted and made part of this Agreement prior to execution. Insurers shall have an AM Best rating of no less than A:VII unless otherwise accepted by the City in writing:
- 4.1 <u>Commercial General Liability (CGL)</u>: Insurance Services Office Form CG 00 01 covering CGL on an "occurrence" basis, including products and completed operations, property damage, bodily injury and personal & advertising injury with limits no less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence. If a general aggregate limit applies, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this project/location or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit. If Consultant's services include work within 50 feet of a railroad right of way, the Consultant shall have removed any exclusion on their liability policy limiting coverage for work near a railroad, or shall provide a Railroad Protective Liability policy in favor of the City. Limits for such coverage shall be no less than \$5,000,000.
- **4.2** Automobile Liability Insurance. ISO Form Number CA 00 01 covering any auto (Code 1), or if Consultant has no owned autos, hired, (Code 8) and non-owned autos (Code 9), with limit no less than \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury and property damage.
- **4.3 Workers' Compensation Insurance**. as required by the State of California, with Statutory Limits, and Employer's Liability Insurance with limit of no less than **\$1,000,000** per accident for bodily injury or disease.
- **4.4** Professional Liability (Errors and Omissions): Insurance appropriate to the Consultant's profession, with limit no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence or claim, \$2,000,000 aggregate.

- **4.5** Other Insurance Provisions. Unless otherwise specified below, all insurance policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:
- **4.5.1** Additional Insured Status. The City, its officers, officials, employees, and volunteers are to be covered as additional insureds on the CGL policy with respect to liability arising out of work or operations performed by or on behalf of the Consultant including materials, parts, or equipment furnished in connection with such work or operations. CGL coverage can be provided in the form of an endorsement to the Consultant's insurance (at least as broad as ISO Form CG 20 10 11 85 or if not available, through the addition of both CG 20 10 and CG 20 37 if a later edition is used). This requirement shall only apply to the CGL and Automobile Liability Insurance policies specified above.
- **4.5.2** *Primary Coverage.* For any claims related to this contract, the Consultant's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects the City, its officers, officials, employees, and volunteers. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the City, its officers, officials, employees, or volunteers shall be excess of the Consultant's insurance and shall not contribute with it. This requirement shall only apply to the CGL and Automobile Liability Insurance policies specified above.
- **4.5.3** *Notice of Cancellation.* Each insurance policy required above shall provide that coverage shall not be canceled, except with notice to the City.
- **4.5.4** Waiver of Subrogation. Consultant hereby grants to City a waiver of any right to subrogation which any insurer of said Consultant may acquire against the City by virtue of the payment of any loss under such insurance. Consultant agrees to obtain any endorsement that may be necessary to affect this waiver of subrogation, but this provision applies regardless of whether or not the City has received a waiver of subrogation endorsement from the insurer. This requirement shall only apply to the CGL, Automobile Liability and Workers' Compensation/Employer's Liability Insurance policies specified above.
- **4.5.5** Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the City. The City may require the Consultant to purchase coverage with a lower deductible or retention or provide proof of ability to pay losses and related investigations, claim administration, and defense expenses within the retention.
 - **4.5.6** Claims made policies. If any of the required policies provide claims-made coverage:
- **4.5.6.1** The Retroactive Date must be shown, and must be before the date of the contract or the beginning of contract work.
- 4.5.6.2 Insurance must be maintained and evidence of insurance must be provided for at least five (5) years after completion of the contract of work.
- **4.5.6.3** If coverage is canceled or non-renewed, and not replaced with another claims-made policy form with a Retroactive Date prior to the contract effective date, the Consultant must purchase "extended reporting" coverage for a minimum of five (5) years after completion of contract work.
- 4.6 <u>Certificate of Insurance and Endorsements</u>. Consultant shall furnish the City with original certificates and amendatory endorsements or copies of the applicable policy language effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received and approved by the City before work commences. However, failure to obtain the required documents prior to the work beginning shall not waive the

Consultant's obligation to provide them. The City reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements required by these specifications, at any time.

- **4.7 Subcontractors**. Consultant shall include all subcontractors as insured under its policies or shall furnish separate certificates and endorsements for each subcontractor. All coverages for subcontractors shall be subject to all of the requirements stated in this Agreement, including but not limited to naming additional insureds.
- **4.8** Higher Limits. If the Consultant maintains higher limits than the minimums shown above, the City requires and shall be entitled to coverage for the higher limits maintained by the Consultant. Any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to the City.
- **4.9 Special Risks or Circumstances**. City reserves the right to modify these requirements, including limits, based on the nature of the risk, prior experience, insurer, coverage or other special circumstances.
- **4.10** Remedies. In addition to any other remedies City may have if Consultant fails to provide or maintain any insurance policies or policy endorsements to the extent and within the time herein required, City may, at its sole option exercise, any of the following remedies, which are alternatives to other remedies City may have and are not the exclusive remedy for Consultant's breach:
 - Obtain such insurance and deduct and retain the amount of the premiums for such insurance from any sums due to Consultant under the Agreement;
 - Order Consultant to stop work under this Agreement or withhold any payment that becomes due to Consultant hereunder, or both stop work and withhold any payment, until Consultant demonstrates compliance with the requirements hereof; and/or,
 - Terminate this Agreement.

SECTION 5. INDEMNIFICATION AND CONSULTANT'S RESPONSIBILITIES.

- **5.1** To the fullest extent permitted by law, Consultant shall defend (with counsel reasonably acceptable to City), indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, employees, volunteers, and agents free and harmless from any and all claims, demands, causes of action, costs, expenses, liability, loss, damage or injury of any kind, in law or equity, to property or persons, including wrongful death, in any manner arising out of, pertaining to, or incident to any acts, errors or omissions, or willful misconduct of Consultant, its officials, officers, employees, subcontractors, consultants or agents in connection with the performance of the Consultant's services or this Agreement, including without limitation the payment of all damages, expert witness fees and attorney's fees and other related costs and expenses. Consultant's obligation to indemnify shall not be restricted to insurance proceeds, if any, received by Consultant, the City, its officials, officers, employees, agents, or volunteers.
- **5.1.1** Acceptance by City of insurance certificates and endorsements required under this Agreement does not relieve Consultant from liability under this indemnification and hold harmless clause. This indemnification and hold harmless clause shall apply to any damages or claims for damages whether or not such insurance policies shall have been determined to apply.
- **5.2** By execution of this Agreement, Consultant acknowledges and agrees to the provisions of this Section and that it is a material element of consideration, and that these provisions survive the termination of this Agreement.

SECTION 6. STATUS OF CONSULTANT.

- Independent Contractor. At all times during the term of this Agreement, Consultant shall be an independent contractor and shall not be an employee of City. City shall have the right to control Consultant only insofar as the results of Consultant's services rendered pursuant to this Agreement and assignment of personnel pursuant to Section 1.3; however, otherwise City shall not have the right to control the manner or means by which Consultant accomplishes services rendered pursuant to this Agreement. Notwithstanding any other City, state, or federal policy, rule, regulation, law, or ordinance to the contrary, Consultant and any of its employees, agents, and subcontractors providing services under this Agreement shall not qualify for or become entitled to, and hereby agree to waive any and all claims to, any compensation, benefit, or any incident of employment by City, including, but not limited to, eligibility to enroll in the California Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) as an employee of City and entitlement to any contribution to be paid by City for employer contributions and/or employee contributions for PERS benefits.
- **6.2** Consultant Not Agent. Except as City may specify in writing, Consultant shall have no authority, express or implied, to act on behalf of City in any capacity whatsoever as an agent. Consultant shall have no authority, express or implied, pursuant to this Agreement to bind City to any obligation whatsoever.

SECTION 7. LEGAL REQUIREMENTS.

- **7.1 Governing Law.** The laws of the State of California shall govern this Agreement.
- **7.2** Compliance with Applicable Laws. Consultant and any subcontractors shall comply with all laws applicable to the performance of the Services.
- **7.3** Other Governmental Regulations. To the extent that this Agreement may be funded by fiscal assistance from another governmental entity, Consultant and any subcontractors shall comply with all applicable rules and regulations to which City is bound by the terms of such fiscal assistance program.
- 7.4 <u>Licenses and Permits.</u> Consultant represents and warrants to City that Consultant and its employees, agents, and any subcontractors have all licenses, permits, qualifications, and approvals of whatsoever nature that are legally required to practice their respective professions. Consultant represents and warrants to City that Consultant and its employees, agents, any subcontractors shall, at their sole cost and expense, keep in effect at all times during the term of this Agreement any licenses, permits, and approvals that are legally required to practice their respective professions. In addition to the foregoing, Consultant and any subcontractors shall obtain and maintain during the term of this Agreement valid business licenses from City.
- 7.5 <u>Nondiscrimination and Equal Opportunity.</u> Consultant shall not discriminate, on the basis of a person's race, religion, color, national origin, age, physical or mental handicap or disability, medical condition, marital status, sex, sexual orientation or any other legally protected status, against any employee, applicant for employment, subcontractor, bidder for a subcontract, or participant in, recipient of, or applicant for any services or programs provided by Consultant under this Agreement. Consultant shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, policies, rules, and requirements related to equal opportunity and nondiscrimination in employment, contracting, and the provision of any Services that are the subject of this Agreement, including but not limited to the satisfaction of any positive obligations required of Consultant thereby.

Consultant shall include the provisions of this Section in any subcontract approved by the Contract Administrator or this Agreement.

7.6 <u>California Labor Code Requirements.</u> Consultant is aware of the requirements of California Labor Code Sections 1720 et seg. and 1770 et seg., which require the payment of prevailing wage rates and the performance of other requirements on certain "public works" and "maintenance" projects ("Prevailing Wage Laws"). If the services are being performed as part of an applicable "public works" or "maintenance" project, as defined by the Prevailing Wage Laws, and if the total compensation is \$1,000 or more, Consultant agrees to fully comply with such Prevailing Wage Laws. Consultant shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, employees and agents free and harmless from any claims, liabilities, costs, penalties or interest arising out of any failure or alleged failure to comply with the Prevailing Wage Laws. It shall be mandatory upon the Consultant and all subconsultants to comply with all California Labor Code provisions, which include but are not limited to prevailing wages (Labor Code Sections 1771, 1774 and 1775), employment of apprentices (Labor Code Section 1777.5), certified payroll records (Labor Code Sections 1771.4 and 1776), hours of labor (Labor Code Sections 1813 and 1815) and debarment of contractors and subcontractors (Labor Code Section 1777.1). The requirement to submit certified payroll records directly to the Labor Commissioner under Labor Code section 1771.4 shall not apply to work performed on a public works project that is exempt pursuant to the small project exemption specified in Labor Code Section 1771.4.

If the services are being performed as part of an applicable "public works" or "maintenance" project, then pursuant to Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1, the Consultant and all subconsultants performing such services must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations. Consultant shall maintain registration for the full term of this Agreement and require the same of any subconsultants, as applicable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the contractor registration requirements mandated by Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1 shall not apply to work performed on a public works project that is exempt pursuant to the small project exemption specified in Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1.

This Agreement may also be subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. It shall be Consultant's sole responsibility to comply with all applicable registration and labor compliance requirements. Any stop orders issued by the Department of Industrial Relations against Consultant or any subcontractor that affect Consultant's performance of services, including any delay, shall be Consultant's sole responsibility. Any delay arising out of or resulting from such stop orders shall be considered Consultant caused delay and shall not be compensable by the City. Consultant shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, employees and agents free and harmless from any claim or liability arising out of stop orders issued by the Department of Industrial Relations against Consultant or any subcontractor.

SECTION 8. TERMINATION AND MODIFICATION.

8.1 <u>Termination.</u> City may cancel this Agreement at any time and without cause upon written notification to Consultant.

Consultant may cancel this Agreement only for cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to City and shall include in such notice the reasons for cancellation.

In the event of termination, Consultant shall be entitled to compensation for Services performed satisfactorily to the effective date of termination; City, however, may condition payment of such compensation upon Consultant delivering to City any or all documents, photographs, computer software, video and audio tapes, and other materials provided to Consultant or prepared by or for Consultant or the City in connection with this Agreement.

8.2 Extension. City may, in their sole and exclusive discretion, extend the end date of the term of this Agreement beyond that provided for in Section 1.1. Any such extension shall require a written amendment to this Agreement, as provided for herein. Consultant understands and agrees that, if City grants such an extension, City shall have no obligation to provide Consultant with compensation beyond the maximum amount provided for in this Agreement. Similarly, unless authorized by the Contract Administrator, City shall have no obligation to reimburse Consultant for any otherwise reimbursable expenses incurred during the extension period.

- **8.3 Amendments.** The parties may amend this Agreement only by a writing signed by all the Parties.
- 8.4 Assignment and Subcontracting. City and Consultant recognize and agree that this Agreement contemplates personal performance by Consultant and is based upon a determination of Consultant's unique personal competence, experience, and specialized personal knowledge. Moreover, a substantial inducement to City for entering into this Agreement was and is the professional reputation and competence of Consultant. Consultant may not assign this Agreement or any interest therein without the prior written approval of the Contract Administrator. Consultant shall not subcontract any portion of the performance contemplated and provided for herein, other than to the subcontractors noted in the proposal, without prior written approval of the Contract Administrator.
- **8.5 Survival.** All obligations arising prior to the termination of this Agreement and all provisions of this Agreement allocating liability between City and Consultant shall survive the termination of this Agreement.
- **8.6** Options upon Breach by Consultant. If Consultant materially breaches any of the terms of this Agreement, City's remedies shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - **8.6.1** Immediately terminate the Agreement;
- **8.6.2** Retain the plans, specifications, drawings, reports, design documents, and any other work product prepared by Consultant pursuant to this Agreement; and/or
- **8.6.3** Retain a different consultant to complete the work described in <u>Exhibit A</u> not finished by Consultant in which case the City may charge Consultant the difference between the cost to have a different consultant complete the work described in <u>Exhibit A</u> that is unfinished at the time of breach and the amount that City would have paid Consultant pursuant to Section 2 if Consultant had completed the work.

SECTION 9. KEEPING AND STATUS OF RECORDS.

- **9.1** Records Created as Part of Consultant's Performance. All reports, data, maps, models, charts, studies, surveys, photographs, memoranda, plans, studies, specifications, drawings, records, files, or any other documents or materials, in electronic or any other form, that Consultant prepares or obtains pursuant to this Agreement and that relate to the matters covered hereunder shall be the property of the City. Consultant hereby agrees to deliver those documents to the City upon termination of the Agreement. It is understood and agreed that the documents and other materials, including but not limited to those described above, prepared pursuant to this Agreement are prepared specifically for the City and are not necessarily suitable for any future or other use.
- **9.2** Confidentiality. All reports, data, maps, models, charts, studies, surveys, photographs, memoranda, plans, studies, specifications, records, files, or any other documents or materials, in electronic or any other form, that Consultant prepares or obtains pursuant to this Agreement and that relate to the matters covered hereunder shall be kept confidential by Consultant. Such materials shall not, without the prior written permission of City, be used by Consultant for any purpose other than the performance of this Agreement nor shall such materials be disclosed publicly. Nothing furnished to Consultant which is generally known, shall be deemed confidential. Consultant shall not use the City's name or logo or photographs pertaining to the Services under this Agreement in any publication without the prior written consent of the City.
- **9.3** Consultant's Books and Records. Consultant shall maintain any and all ledgers, books of account, invoices, vouchers, canceled checks, and other records or documents evidencing or relating to charges

for Services or expenditures and disbursements charged to the City under this Agreement for a minimum of three (3) years, or for any longer period required by law, from the date of final payment to the Consultant..

- 9.4 <u>Inspection and Audit of Records.</u> Any records or documents that Section 9.2 of this Agreement requires Consultant to maintain shall be made available for inspection, audit, and/or copying at any time during regular business hours, upon oral or written request of the City. Under California Government Code Section 8546.7, if the amount of public funds expended under this Agreement exceeds Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), the Agreement shall be subject to the examination and audit of the State Auditor, at the request of City or as part of any audit of City, for a period of three (3) years after final payment under the Agreement.
- 9.5 Intellectual Property. The City shall have and retain all right, title and interest, including copyright, patent, trade secret or other proprietary rights in all plans, specifications, studies, drawings, estimates, materials, data, computer programs or software and source code, enhancements, documents and any other works of authorship fixed in any tangible medium or expression, including but not limited to physical drawings or other data magnetically or otherwise recorded on computer media ("Intellectual Property") prepared or developed by or on behalf of Consultant under this Agreement. Consultant further grants to City a non-exclusive and perpetual license to copy, use, modify or sub-license any and all Intellectual Property otherwise owned by Consultant which is the basis or foundation for any derivative, collective, insurrectional or supplemental work created under this Agreement.

SECTION 10. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

- **10.1** Venue. In the event either party brings any action against the other under this Agreement, the Parties agree that trial of such action shall be vested exclusively in the state courts of California in the County of Contra Costa or in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.
- **10.2 Severability.** If a court of competent jurisdiction finds or rules that any provision of this Agreement is invalid, void, or unenforceable, the provisions of this Agreement not so adjudged shall remain in full force and effect. The invalidity in whole or in part of any provision of this Agreement shall not void or affect the validity of any other provision of this Agreement.
- **10.3 No Implied Waiver of Breach.** The waiver of any breach of a specific provision of this Agreement does not constitute a waiver of any other breach of that term or any other term of this Agreement.
- **10.4** <u>Successors and Assigns.</u> The provisions of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and shall apply to and bind the successors and assigns of the Parties.
- **10.5** <u>Use of Recycled Products.</u> Consultant shall prepare and submit all reports, written studies and other printed material on recycled paper to the extent it is available at equal or less cost than virgin paper.
- **10.6** Conflict of Interest. Consultant may serve other clients, but none whose activities within the corporate limits of City or whose business, regardless of location, would place Consultant in a "conflict of interest," as that term is defined in the Political Reform Act, codified at California Government Code Section 81000 *et seg.*

Consultant shall not employ any official of City in the work performed pursuant to this Agreement. No officer or employee of City shall have any financial interest in this Agreement that would violate California Government Code Section 1090 et seq.

Consultant hereby warrants that it is not now, nor has it been in the previous twelve (12) months, an employee, agent, appointee, or official of the City. If Consultant was an employee, agent, appointee, or official of City in the previous twelve months, Consultant warrants that it did not participate in any manner in the forming of this Agreement. Consultant

understands that, if this Agreement is made in violation of Government Code § 1090 et. seq., the entire Agreement is void and Consultant will not be entitled to any compensation for Services performed pursuant to this Agreement, including reimbursement of expenses, and Consultant will be required to reimburse the City for any sums paid to the Consultant. Consultant understands that, in addition to the foregoing, it may be subject to criminal prosecution for a violation of Government Code Section 1090 and, if applicable, will be disqualified from holding public office in the State of California.

- 10.7 **Inconsistent Terms.** If the terms or provisions of this Agreement conflict with or are inconsistent with any term or provision of any Exhibit attached hereto, then the terms and provisions of this Agreement shall
- 10.8 **Solicitation.** Consultant agrees not to solicit business at any meeting, focus group, or interview related to this Agreement, either orally or through any written materials
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10.11 Integration. This Agreement, including all exhibits and other attachments, represents the entire and integrated agreement between City and Consultant and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, or agreements, either written or oral.

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Elizabeth Householder, City Clerk		
	Name:	
Approved as to Form:	Title:	
Thomas Lloyd Smith, City Attorney		

[Two signatures are required for a corporation or one signature with the corporate bylaws indicating that one person can sign on behalf of the corporation]

ATTACHMENT C NON-DEBARMENT CERTIFICATE

The undersigned hereby certifies that it and its principals (as defined in 2 C.F.R. §180.995 and supplemented by 2 C.F.R. §1532.995):

- (a) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded by any federal department or agency;
- (b) Have not within a three (3) year period preceding the date of this procurement been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
- (c) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (b) of this certification; and
- (d) Have not within a three (3) year period preceding this procurement had one or more public transactions (federal, state or local) terminated for cause or default.

Name of Respondent: _	
Ву:	
Title:	
Date:	

EXHIBIT A SCOPE OF WORK

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EXHIBIT B PAYMENT SCHEDULE

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EXHIBIT C FEDERAL PROVISIONS

- 1. REQUIRED CONTRACT PROVISIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPENDIX II TO PART 200 CONTRACT PROVISIONS FOR NON-FEDERAL ENTITY CONTRACTS UNDER FEDERAL AWARDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.327)
- (a) Appendix II to Part 200 (A); Appendix II to Part 200 (B): Remedies for Breach; Termination for Cause/Convenience. The Agreement include remedies for breach and termination for cause and convenience.
- (b) Appendix II to Part 200 (C) Equal Employment Opportunity: The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, 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.
- (c) <u>Appendix II to Part 200 (D) Davis-Bacon Act:</u> Not applicable to this Agreement since it is funded by the CLFRF.
- (d) <u>Appendix II to Part 200 (D) Copeland "Antti-Kickback" Act:</u> Not applicable to this Agreement since it is funded by the CLFRF.
 - (e) Appendix II to Part 200 (E) Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act: [Not applicable.]
 - (f) Appendix II to Part 200 (F) Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement:
- (i) If the Federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the non-Federal entity wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement," the non-Federal entity must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. Part 401 (Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements), and any implementing regulations issued by the Federal awarding agency.
- (ii) The regulation at 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) currently defines "funding agreement" as any contract, grant, or cooperative agreement entered into between any Federal agency, other than the Tennessee Valley Authority, and any contractor for the performance of experimental, developmental, or research work funded in whole or in part by the Federal government. This term also includes any assignment, substitution of parties, or subcontract of any type entered into for the performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under a funding agreement as defined in the first sentence of this paragraph.
- (g) Appendix II to Part 200 (G) Clean Air Act and Federal Water Pollution Control Act: If this Agreement is in excess of \$150,000, Contractor shall comply with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements

issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387).

- (i) Pursuant to the Clean Air Act, (1) Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq., (2) Contractor agrees to report each violation to the City and understands and agrees that the City will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the Federal awarding agency and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office, and (3) Contractor agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract exceeding \$150,000.
- (ii) Pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, (1) Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq., (2) Contractor agrees to report each violation to the City and understands and agrees that the City will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the Federal awarding agency and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office, and (3) Contractor agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract exceeding \$150,000.
- (h) Appendix II to Part 200 (H) Debarment and Suspension: A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. part 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.
- (i) This Agreement is a covered transaction for purposes of 2 C.F.R. pt. 180 and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000. As such Contractor is required to verify that none of the Contractor, its principals (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.995), or its affiliates (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.905) are excluded (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.940) or disqualified (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.935).
- (ii) Contractor must comply with 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C and must include a requirement to comply with these regulations in any lower tier covered transaction it enters into.
- (iii) This certification is a material representation of fact relied upon by City. If it is later determined that Contractor did not comply with 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C, in addition to remedies available to the City, the Federal Government may pursue available remedies, including but not limited to suspension and/or debarment.
- (iv) Contractor warrants that it is not debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in any federal programs. Contractor also agrees to verify that all subcontractors performing work under this Contract are not debarred, disqualified, or otherwise prohibited from participation in accordance with the requirements above. Contractor further agrees to notify the City in writing immediately if Contractor or its subcontractors are not in compliance during the term of this Agreement.
- (i) Appendix II to Part 200 (I) Byrd Anti-Lobbying Act: If this Agreement is in excess of \$100,000, Contractor shall have submitted and filed the required certification pursuant to the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1353). If at any time during the Agreement term funding exceeds \$100,000.00, Contractor shall file with the City the Federal Standard Form LLL titled "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying." Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award

covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the recipient who in turn will forward the certification(s) to the awarding agency.

(i) Appendix II to Part 200 (J) – §200.323 Procurement of Recovered Materials:

- (i) Contractor shall comply with section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. part 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement.
- (ii) In the performance of this Agreement, the Contractor shall make maximum use of products containing recovered materials that are EPA-designated items unless the product cannot be acquired: Competitively within a timeframe providing for compliance with the contract performance schedule; Meeting contract performance requirements; or At a reasonable price.
- (iii) Information about this requirement, along with the list of EPA-designate items, is available at EPA's Comprehensive Procurement Guidelines web site, https://www.epa.gov/smm/comprehensive-procurement-guideline-cpg-program.
- (iv) The Contractor also agrees to comply with all other applicable requirements of Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act."
- (k) <u>Appendix II to Part 200 (K) §200.216 Prohibition on Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment:</u>
- (i) Contractor shall not contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system funded under this Agreement. As described in Public Law 115–232, section 889, covered telecommunications equipment is telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).
- (1) For the purpose of public safety, security of government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).
- (2) Telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment.
- (3) Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a covered foreign country.
 - (ii) See Public Law 115-232, section 889 for additional information.

(I) Appendix II to Part 200 (L) – §200.322 Domestic Preferences for Procurement:

(i) Contractor shall, to the greatest extent practicable, purchase, acquire, or use goods, products, or materials produced in the United States (including but not limited to iron, aluminum, steel, cement, and other manufactured products). The requirements of this section must be included in all subcontracts

(ii) For purposes of this section:

- (1) "Produced in the United States" means, for iron and steel products, that all manufacturing processes, from the initial melting stage through the application of coatings, occurred in the United States.
- (2) "Manufactured products" means items and construction materials composed in whole or in part of nonferrous metals such as aluminum; plastics and polymer-based products such as polyvinyl chloride pipe; aggregates such as concrete; glass, including optical fiber; and lumber.

2. CONTRACTING WITH SMALL AND MINORITY FIRMS, WOMEN'S BUSINESS ENTERPRISE AND LABOR SURPLUS AREA FIRMS (2 C.F.R. § 200.321)

- (a) Contractor shall be subject to 2 C.F.R. § 200.321 and will take affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religious creed, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.
 - (b) Affirmative steps shall include:
- (i) Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- (ii) Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- (iii) Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- (iv) Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises; and
- (v) Using the services/assistance of the Small Business Administration (SBA), and the Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) of the Department of Commerce.

Contractor shall submit evidence of compliance with the foregoing affirmative steps when requested by the City.