Contractor:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Phone Number:	
Fax Number:	

## TO BE EXECUTED IN DUPLICATE

BOOK 2: PROJECT INFORMATION, INSTRUCTIONS, AND EXECUTION DOCUMENTS

## **CONTRACT NO. 1333R**

Miles Davis Academy 6730 S. Paulina Street New Construction CPS-18

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Any contract entered into as a result of this bid process is governed by the terms and conditions set forth in Book 1 "Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction Contracts (with Community Hiring requirement)" dated December 19, 2006 and incorporated as if fully set forth here by this reference; and by Book 2, Book 3, plans, drawings, exhibits, and attachments as appropriate.

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## DOCUMENT SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST

Two originals of the following documents are required at the time of bid opening. Please ensure that you have completed the forms and indicate such by placing an "X" next to each completed item:

- 1. \_\_\_\_ Contractor's Bid
- 2. \_\_\_\_ Bid Guarantee
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ Administrative Fee
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ Acceptance of the Bid
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ Basis of Award (Award Criteria)
- 6. \_\_\_\_ Unit Prices
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ Affidavit of Non-Collusion
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ Schedule B Affidavit of Joint Venture (if applicable)
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Schedule C Letter of Intent from MBE/WBE, including current certification letter
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_ Schedule D Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation
- 11. \_\_\_\_\_ Schedule E Request for Waiver from MBE/WBE Participation
- 12. \_\_\_\_\_ Affidavit of Uncompleted Work

Current versions of the following documents must be on file with the Commission at the time of bid opening:

- 1. \_\_\_\_ Financial Statement
- 2. \_\_\_\_ Disclosure Affidavit
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ Affidavit of Local Business, including business license
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_ Statement of Bidder's Qualifications

The Contractor is required to submit the following within five (5) days after bid opening.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ **Disclosure of Retained Parties** (The apparent low and the apparent 2<sup>nd</sup> low bidder must submit a fully executed Disclosure of Retained Parties within 5 days after bid opening)

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## I. **PROJECT INFORMATION**

## A. General Project Information

The following specifications supplement Part IV. "Additional Documents to be Executed" and Part V. "Instructions to Bidders."

1. Bids will be received by the Public Building Commission of Chicago for the following in accordance with the Contract Documents set forth below:

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- 2. General Description of Scope of Work:
  - a) As described in the specifications, the one block site is located in the west Englewood neighborhood, bounded by 67<sup>th</sup> Street on the north and south Hermitage Avenue and S. Paulina on the West and East.

The project consists of the construction of an approximately 100,000 square foot, three (3) story elementary school along with all associated site improvements.

The building will have a steel frame and an exterior of predominantly brick construction.

- b) This description of Work is intended to be general in nature and is neither a complete description nor a limitation of the Work to be performed. The Contractor must perform all Work described in the Contract Documents or reasonably inferable as necessary to produce the results specified therein, except to the extent specifically indicated in the Contract Documents to be the responsibility of others.
- 3. User Agency: Chicago Public Schools
- 4. Commission's Representative's Name, Address, and Phone Number: TBD
- 5. Architect's Name, Address, and Phone Number: Contact: Mike Gorski, (312) 419-0009; Ilekis Associates;205 West Wacker Drive, Suite 730, Chicago, IL 60606
- 6. Commission's Portfolio Manager: Ray Giderof
- 7. Ward: 15
- 8. City Funded?: No
- 9. Do Bidders need to be Pre-Qualified? (see Part V.D. "Pre-Qualification of Bidders" for details): Yes, the bid documentation is being made available only to those GCs who have indicated their interest in bidding Miles Davis by responding to the RFQ

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for Prequalification to Bid as General Contractor. However, bids will ultimately be invited only from those GCs included on the list of Pre-Qualified Bidders for Miles Davis Academy. The list of Pre-Qualified Bidders will be finalized by the PBC after the January 9, 2007 meeting of the PBC Board.

- 10. Request for Information: send to Public Building Commission of Chicago, Attn: Janice Meeks, Contract Administrator via (fax) 312-744-3572 or (email) janicemeeks@cityofchicago.org
- 11. Inspection of Site

In accordance with Section 3.03 "Site Conditions and Inspection," the Bidder is expected to inspect the Site of the Work. No allowance will be made for any difficulties that may be encountered in executing the Work due to any condition or situation that could have been discovered by inspection of the Site. Site inspection must be arranged through **the Public Building Commission.** 

- 12. Documents Available from: Cushing Color & Company 420 W. Huron St. 312-266-8228
- Pre-Bid Meeting Date, Time, and Location: Friday, January 5, 2007 at 10:00AM in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Board Room, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, IL 60602
- 14. Bid Opening Date and Time: Thursday, January 25, 2007 at 2:00PM
- 15. Amount of Bid Deposit: \$5% of bid deposit
- 16. **Administrative Fee:** \$5,000.00
- 17. Document Deposit: \$ First two sets at no cost
- 18. Cost for Additional Documents (per set): At contractor's expense
- 19. Award of Contract

Attention is called to Part V.Z. "Award of Contract; Rejection of Bids" for procedures regarding the award of the Contract.

#### 20. MBE/WBE Contract Goals: 24% MBE and 4% WBE

## **B.** Time of Completion

The Work must be completed within (462) calendar days upon issuance of the Notice to Proceed. The work must be performed in two phases.

Phase I: Mobilization & Permit: 33 calendar days Phase II: Construction: 429 calendar days

C. Contingency Fund

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Within the Contractor's Base Bid, a Contingency Fund must be included in the amount specified above in Part I.A. for the exclusive use of the Commission at its sole discretion. Use of such funds will require the written approval of the Executive Director. All unused portions of this Contingency Fund must be returned to the Commission in the form of a deductive Change Order prior to Final Completion.

## **D.** Time of Completion of Punch List Work

All final Punch List work must be prosecuted expeditiously and completed, in total, within thirty (30) Days of the date of transmittal to the Contractor.

## E. Copies of Drawings and Specifications Furnished

The Commission will furnish to the Contractor one (1) paper sepia and one (1) copy of Drawings and Specifications for the execution of the Work. The Contractor is responsible for obtaining additional copies at its own cost.

## F. Liquidated Damages

- 1. The Contractor and the Commission understand and mutually agree that the date to begin the Work, the time of completion of the Work, Contract Completion Date, and the time of completion of Punch List Work, all as specified in the Contract, hereunder are essential conditions of this Contract. It is further mutually understood and agreed that the Work embraced in this Contract must be commenced on a date to be specified in the Notice to Proceed.
- 2. The Contractor agrees that said Work must be executed regularly, diligently, and uninterruptedly at such rate of progress as will ensure full completion thereof within the time specified. The Contractor and the Commission understand and agree that the time for the completion of the Work described herein is reasonable time. If the Contractor neglect, fail or refuse to complete the Work within the time herein specified, or any proper extension thereof granted by the Commission, then the Contractor and its surety do hereby agree to pay to the Commission the amount of

Completion of the Work	\$2,500.00 per Day
Completion of Punch List Work	\$1,250.00 per Day

not as a penalty but as liquidated damages for such breach of contract as herein set forth for each and every Day that the Contractor shall be in default after time stipulated in the Contract for completing the Work and/or the Punch List Work.

3. The Commission may recover said liquidated damages by deducting the amount thereof out of any monies due or that may become due the Contractor. Liquidated damages, if any, will be calculated on completion of the Work and submission of the Contractor's final pay request. The amount of liquidated damages due to the Commission under this provision will bear compound interest at the rate of 5% per annum, compounded monthly from the date of the Notice to Proceed to the date of approval of a deductive change order for liquidated damages. Should the total amount of liquidated damages due under all provisions of this Contract exceed the amount of the Commission's retainage, compound interest on the amount

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over and above the retainage will continue to accrue until the entire amount of liquidated damages and compound interest is paid to the Commission.

4. Completion of the Work, for the purposes of this section only, shall occur upon Substantial Completion of all of the Work required by the Contract Documents. Completion of Punch List Work, for the purposes of this section only, shall occur upon the Architect's acceptance of Punch List Work.

## **G.** Insurance Requirements

The Contractor must provide and maintain at Contractor's own expense, until Contract completion and during the time period following final completion if Contractor is required to return and perform any additional work, the insurance coverages and requirements specified below, insuring all operations related to the Contract.

## 1. <u>Insurance To Be Provided By the Contractor</u>

## a) <u>Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability</u>

Workers' Compensation Insurance, as prescribed by applicable law covering all employees who are to provide a service under this Contract and Employers Liability coverage with limits of not less than \$500,000 each accident or illness.

## b) <u>Commercial General Liability</u> (Primary and Umbrella)

Commercial General Liability Insurance or equivalent with limits of not less than \$5,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury, and property damage liability. Coverage must include the following: All premises and operations, products/completed operations, (for minimum of two (2) years following project completion), explosion, collapse, underground, separation of insureds, defense, and contractual liability (with <u>no</u> limitation endorsement). The Public Building Commission and Board of Education of the City of Chicago are to be named as additional insureds on a primary, non-contributory basis for any liability arising directly or indirectly from the work.

Subcontractors performing work for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than  $\frac{1,000,000}{1,000}$  per occurrence with the same terms herein.

## c) <u>Automobile Liability</u> (Primary and Umbrella)

When any motor vehicles (owned, non-owned and hired) are used in connection with work to be performed, the Contractor must provide Automobile Liability Insurance, with limits of not less than <u>\$2,000,000</u> per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. The Public Building Commission and Board of Education of the City of Chicago are to be named as additional insureds on a primary, non-contributory basis.

Subcontractors performing work for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than  $\frac{1,000,000}{1,000}$  per occurrence with the same terms herein.

## d) <u>Contractors Pollution Liability</u>

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When any work is performed which may cause a pollution exposure, Contractors Pollution Liability must be provided covering bodily injury, property damage and other losses caused by pollution conditions that arise from the Contract scope of services with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. When policies are renewed or replaced, the policy retroactive date must coincide with or precede, start of work on the Contract. A claims-made policy, which is not renewed or replaced, must have an extended reporting period of two (2) years. The Public Building Commission and Board of Education of the City of Chicago are to be named as additional insureds on a primary, non-contributory basis.

## e) <u>Professional Liability</u>

When any architects, engineers, construction managers or other professional consultants perform work in connection with this Contract, Professional Liability Insurance covering acts, errors, or omissions must be maintained with limits of not less than <u>\$1,000,000</u>. Coverage must include contractual liability. When policies are renewed or replaced, the policy retroactive date must coincide with, or precede, start of work on the Contract. A claims-made policy, which is not renewed or replaced, must have an extended reporting period of two (2) years.

## f) <u>Builders Risk</u>

When Contractor undertakes any construction, including improvements, betterments, and/or repairs, the Contractor must provide All Risk Builders Risk Insurance at replacement cost for materials, supplies, equipment, machinery and fixtures that are or will be part of the permanent facility. Coverage must include but are not limited to the following: right to partial occupancy, collapse, water including overflow, leakage, sewer backup, or seepage, damage to adjoining or existing property, debris removal, scaffolding, false work, fences, and temporary structures, faulty workmanship or materials, and equipment stored off site or in transit. The Public Building Commission and the Board of Education of the City of Chicago are to be named as additional insureds and loss payees

The Contractor is responsible for all loss or damage to Commission and/or Board property at full replacement cost. The Contractor is responsible for all loss or damage to personal property (including but not limited to materials, equipment, tools, and supplies) owned, rented, or used by Contractor.

## g) <u>Railroad Protective Liability</u>

When any work is to be done adjacent to or on railroad or transit property, Contractor must provide, with respect to the operations that Contractor or subcontractors perform, Railroad Protective Liability Insurance in the name of railroad or transit entity. The policy must have limits of not less than 2,000,000 per occurrence and 6,000,000 in the aggregate for losses arising out of injuries to or death of all persons, and for damage to or destruction of property, including the loss of use thereof.

## 2. <u>Additional Requirements</u>

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Contractor must furnish the Public Building Commission Procurement Department, Richard J. Daley Center, Room 200, Chicago, IL 60602, original Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, to be in force on the date of this Contract, and Renewal Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, if any insurance has an expiration or renewal date occurring during the term of this Contract. The Contractor must submit evidence of insurance to the Public Building Commission prior to Contract award. The receipt of any certificate does not constitute agreement by the Commission that the insurance requirements in the Contract have been fully met or that the insurance policies indicated on the certificate are in compliance with all Contract requirements. The failure of the Commission to obtain certificates or other insurance evidence from Contractor is not a waiver by the Commission of any requirements for the Contractor to obtain and maintain the specified insurance. The Contractor shall advise all insurers of the Contract provisions regarding insurance. Non-conforming insurance does not relieve Contractor of the obligation to provide insurance as specified herein. Nonfulfillment of the insurance conditions may constitute a breach of the Contract, and the Commission retains the right to stop work until proper evidence of insurance is provided, or the Contract may be terminated.

The Commission and/or Board reserve the right to obtain copies of insurance policies and records from the Contractor and/or its subcontractors at any time upon written request.

The insurance must provide for 60 days prior written notice to be given to the Commission in the event coverage is substantially changed, canceled, or non-renewed.

Any deductibles or self-insured retentions on referenced insurance must be borne by Contractor.

The Contractor agrees that insurers waive their rights of subrogation against the Public Building Commission and the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, their respective Board members, employees, elected officials, officers, agents, or representatives.

The insurance and limits furnished by Contractor in no way limit the Contractor's liabilities and responsibilities specified within the Contract or by law.

Any insurance or self-insurance programs maintained by the Commission and Board of Education do not contribute with insurance provided by the Contractor under the Contract.

The required insurance to be carried is not limited by any limitations expressed in the indemnification language in this Contract or any limitation placed on the indemnity in this Contract given as a matter of law.

The Contractor must require all subcontractors to provide the insurance required herein, or Contractor may provide the insurance for subcontractors. All subcontractors are subject to the same insurance requirements of Contractor unless otherwise specified in this Contract.

If Contractor or subcontractor desires additional coverage, the party desiring the additional coverage is responsible for the acquisition and cost

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The Public Building Commission maintains the rights to modify, delete, alter or change these requirements.

## H. Notices

In accordance with Section 22.05 "Notices," Notices must be addressed as follows:

- i. If to the Commission, notices must be addressed to the attention of the **Ray Giderof** with copies to: **Tishman Corporation**
- ii. If to the Contractor, notices must be sent to the address identified on the title page of this Book 2 with copies to: **Tishman Corporation** and the Contractor's Bonding Company

## I. Prevailing Wage Rates

Prevailing wage rates in effect at the time of issuance of these Contract Documents are attached. One resource for determining the current prevailing wage rate is the Internet site <u>www.state.il.us/agency/idol/CM/countym.htm</u> maintained by the State of Illinois Department of Labor.

## J. Community Hiring Requirements and Incentives

This Contract is subject to community hiring requirements and incentives. See Part III "Basis of Award (Award Criteria)" and in Book 1, Section 21.03 "Chicago Residents as Employees" for details.

## K. Contractor's Project Manager

Contractor's full-time Project Manager is required at the Site.

## L. Licensing

In addition to all other applicable licenses and certifications, the general contractor is required to submit copy of the <u>(Class A)</u>, General Contractor License issued by the Department of Buildings of the City of Chicago.

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## II. PROPOSAL AND EXECUTION DOCUMENTS

#### A. Contractor's Bid

The Contractor hereby acknowledges receipt of the Contract Documents for Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_\_ containing a full set of Contract Documents, including, but not limited to, a) Standard Terms and Conditions (Book 1), b) Addenda Nos. (none unless indicated here)

c) Project Information, Instructions, and Execution Documents (Book 2), d) Technical Specifications (Book

3), and e) Plans and Drawings.

Further, the Contractor, having inspected the Site and become familiar with the conditions affecting the cost of the Work and with the requirements of the Contract, hereby proposes to furnish all labor, necessary tools, materials and other work necessary to perform and complete in a workmanlike manner the TYPE OF WORK for PROJECT located at the Site designated as required by and in strict accordance with the Contract Documents for the Base Contract Price listed on the next page. It is stipulated that said Base Contract Price includes a Contingency Fund as specified in Part I. "Project Information."

The agreement between the parties includes not only this instrument, but also the remaining Contract Documents as described in the Standard Terms and Conditions, and all of which shall be binding on the parties hereto.

Time is of the essence of this Contract. The Contractor agrees that it will commence the performance of the Work on the date set forth in the Notice to Proceed issued by the Commission and that it will complete the Work within the time set forth in Part I "Project Information."

The Base Contract Price listed below, as adjusted from time to time pursuant to the Contract Documents, shall be full compensation to the Contractor for having well and faithfully completed the Work, free and clear of all claims, liens, and charges whatsoever, of any kind or nature, and in full compliance with the Contract.

Payment for the Work will be made in the manner set forth in the Standard Terms and Conditions.

The Contractor warrants that it has not employed any person to solicit or secure this Contract upon any agreement for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee. Breach of this warranty shall give the Commission the right to terminate the Contract, or, at its discretion, to deduct from the Contract Price or consideration the amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fees. This warranty shall not apply to any commission payable by the Contractor upon contracts or sales secured or made through bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by the Contractor for the purpose of securing business.

The Contractor, being duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that no disclosures of ownership interests have been withheld; the information provided therein to the best of its knowledge is current; and the undersigned proposes to furnish the insurance and the Performance and Payment Bond required by the Contract Documents.

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	DIVISION	\$ AMOUNT
Sitework		
Allowance		\$677,000.00
Commission's Contingency Fund		\$500,000.00
TOTAL BASE BID		

 AWARD CRITERIA FIGURE (See Line 15 of Award Criteria Formula):

 (\$\_\_\_\_\_)

**SURETY**: Please specify full legal name and address of Surety:

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## **B.** Acceptance of the Bid

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this instrument to be executed in two (2) original counterparts the day and year first above written.

# PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO

Secretary	Chairman
<b>CONTRACTING PARTY</b> (Print or type names underneath all signatures)	
Contractor Name	Address
If a Corporation:	
By	President
ATTEST:	Title of Signatory
By	Secretary
CORPORATE SEAL	Title
If a Partnership:	
Partner	Address
Partner	Address
Partner	Address
If a Sole Proprietorship:	
Signature	
NOTARY PUBLIC	
County of State of	_
Subscribed and sworn to before me on this	day of, 20
	(SEAL)
Notary Public Signature Commission Expires:	

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## C. Corporate Resolution (if a Corporation)

I, the undersigned, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the following is a complete, true and correct copy of certain preambles and resolutions of the board of directors of

a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_\_ and authorized to do business in the State of Illinois, which resolutions were duly adopted at a duly called meeting of said board held on \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, a quorum being present, and are set forth in the minutes of said meeting; that I am the keeper of the corporate seal and of the minutes and records of said corporation; and that the said resolutions have not been rescinded or modified:

WHEREAS, this corporation submitted a bid, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ to the Public Building Commission of Chicago, for Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_ of said Commission;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the president or vice president and the secretary or assistant secretary of this corporation be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to execute contracts for and on behalf of and under the name and seal of this corporation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the aforesaid officers of this corporation be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the Commission, for and on behalf of this corporation, such other and all documents as may be necessary or pertinent to a contract, and to do and perform any and all other acts relative thereto.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the following-named persons are the officers of this corporation duly qualified and now acting as such:

President:

Vice President:

Secretary:

Treasurer:

Assistant Secretary:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of said corporation, this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Secretary

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## III. PROPOSAL SUPPORT DOCUMENTS

#### a. Basis of Award (Award Criteria)

To promote the intended goal of economic opportunity and maximize the use of minority personnel on this project, the Public Building Commission of Chicago has established the Award Criteria formula for the purpose of evaluating proposals and awarding the contract. A contract in the amount of the total Base Bid or Base Contract Price will be awarded to the responsible bidder with the lowest Award Criteria Figure. The Public Building Commission of Chicago reserves the right to check all calculations for accuracy. The fulfillment of the Award Criteria does not abrogate the responsibilities of the Contractor to comply with federal and state requirements under the *Equal Employment Act* and the *Illinois Human Rights Act*.

#### 1. Instructions

The Bidder shall complete the Award Criteria Formula and transfer the final Award Criteria Figure - Line 15 to the space provided on the itemized proposal sheet. Failure to complete the formula may be cause for rejection of the Bidder's proposal. The successful bidder will be held responsible for adhering to the figures submitted in Lines 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 during construction of the project.

Lines 2, 4 and 6 in the formula shall not be greater than fifty percent (50%) in each category for the sole purpose of determining award of the contract. Similarly, lines 8, 10 and 12 shall not be greater than ten (10%) percent in each category for the purpose of award criteria only. The fifty percent (50%) and ten percent (10%) goals are not intended to restrict the total number of minority and female employees to be used on the project, but only to establish limiting figures for use in the formula. Journeyworker includes journeyworkers from the major trades listed herein, and the teamsters. Watchmen and custodial workers are not creditable in the formula.

#### 2. <u>Award Criteria Formula</u>

Line 1.	Base Bid, in figures	
Line 2.	Percentage of the Journeyworkers hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by minority Journeyworkers during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.50)	
Line 3.	Multiply Line 2 by Line 1 by 0.04	
Line 4.	Percentage of total Apprentice hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by minority Apprentices during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.50)	
Line 5.	Multiply Line 4 by Line 1 by 0.03	
Line 6.	Percentage of the total Laborer hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by minority Laborers during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.50)	
Line 7.	Multiply Line 6 by Line 1 by 0.01	
Line 8.	Percentage of total Journeyworker hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by female Journeyworkers during the construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.10)	
Line 9.	Multiply Line 8 by Line 1 by 0.04	

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Line 10.	Percentage of total Apprentice hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by female Apprentices during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.10)	
Line 11.	Multiply Line 10 by Line 1 by 0.03	
Line 12.	Percentage of the total Laborer hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by female Laborers during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.10)	
Line 13.	Multiply Line 12 by Line 1 by 0.01	
Line 14.	Summation of Lines 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, and 13	
Line 15.	Subtract Line 14 from Line 1 (= "Award Criteria Figure")	

## Award Criteria Figure (Insert Line 15 of Award Criteria Formula): \$\_\_\_\_\_

3. Community Hiring Bonuses

In order to encourage maximum employment of interested and available residents of the project community on this project, the following bonus calculations shall apply:

- 1. In calculating the hours worked by minority and women journeyworkers, apprentices, and laborers under the Award Criteria set out in Part III.A. "Basis of Award (Award Criteria)," all hours worked by minority and women journeyworkers, existing apprentices, and laborers who are residents of the project community shall be multiplied by 1.5.
- 2. In calculating the hours worked by minority and women apprentices under the Award Criteria set out in Part III "Proposal Support Documents," all hours worked in new apprenticeships by minority and women apprentices who are residents of the project community shall be multiplied by 2.0.

#### Definitions

"Actual residents of the City of Chicago" shall mean persons domiciled within the City of Chicago. The domicile is an individual's one and only true, fixed, and permanent home and principal establishment.

"Residents of the project community" shall mean persons domiciled within the Ward in which the Site is located.

"New Apprenticeship" shall mean an apprenticeship begun for a person who has not held an apprenticeship card within ninety (90) days prior to beginning the project.

#### 4. Liquidated Damages

The Contractor hereby consents and agrees that, in the event that it fails to comply with each of the minimum commitments submitted with this Proposal on Lines 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 of the Award Criteria Formula, covering minority and female Journeyworkers, apprentices, and laborers respectively, the following shall apply.

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If the total hours in any category for which a percentage is assigned in Lines 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, or 12 of the Award Criteria equals zero at the completion of the work, then a net deficiency of the entire percentage assigned will be deemed to exist. For any net deficiency in each category, the following amounts shall be deducted as liquidated damages from monies due the Contractor and the Contract Sum modified accordingly:

a) For each full one (1%) percent deficiency of minority Journeyworkers not utilized – seventeen and ninety three hundredths cents per each hundred dollars of the base bid calculated as follows:

Each one (1%) percent deficiency toward the goal for female Journeyworkers (Line 8) shall be calculated in the same way.

b) For each full one (1%) percent deficiency of minority apprentices not utilized – sixteen and ninety three hundredths cents per hundred dollars of the base bid calculated as follows:

Each one (1%) percent deficiency toward the goal for female apprentices (Line 10) shall be calculated in the same way.

c) For each one (1%) percent deficiency of minority laborers not utilized – fourteen and ninety three hundredths cents per each hundred dollars of the base bid calculated as follows:

Each one (1%) percent deficiency toward the goal for female laborers (Line 12) shall be calculated in the same way.

- d) Liquidated damages, if any, will be calculated for the first pay requests reflecting fifty percent (50%) completion, seventy-five percent (75%) completion, and ninety percent (90%) completion, respectively, based upon the Contractor's pay request together with all attendant certified payrolls and other required documentation of minority and women employment. The accrued liquidated damages and interest will be added to the retention provided elsewhere in this contract. The amount of liquidated damages due to the Commission under this provision will bear compound interest at the rate of 5% per annum, compounded monthly from the date of the Notice to Proceed to the date of approval of a deductive change order for liquidated damages. Should the total amount of liquidated damages due under all provisions of this contract exceed the amount of the Commission's retainage, compound interest on the amount over and above the retainage will continue to accrue until the entire amount of liquidated damages and compound interest is paid to the Commission.
- e) The Commission is aware that certain subcontract agreements under this contract may require subcontractors to contribute to payment of liquidated damages assessed under this provision. Should enforcement of subcontract liquidated damages provisions result in an aggregate total of subcontractor liquidated damages greater than the liquidated damages assessed hereunder against Contractor, then Contractor must pay the excess pro rata as a bonus to each subcontractor exceeding its subcontract commitments for minority or women employment, or both.
- 5. Reporting

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In accordance with this commitment, the Contractor must submit both the Contractor's Payroll Record Form and the Contractor's Recapitulation of Minority and Female Worker Hours and Percentages Form on a monthly basis. All Subcontractors shall be listed on the Contractor's Recapitulation Form whether active or not. For the purpose of this report, the following group categories will be used:

- a) The classification "White" includes person of Indo-European descent.
- b) The classification "Black" or "African-American" includes persons having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
- c) The classification "Hispanic" includes persons whose origins are from Mexico, Puerto Rico, Cuba, Central or South America, the Caribbean Islands or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- d) The classification "Native American" includes persons who are Native Americans by virtue of tribal association.
- e) The classification "Asian-Pacific" includes persons whose origins are from East Asia, Southeast Asia, the Pacific Islands or the Indian sub-continent.
- f) The classification "Other" includes qualified individuals with disabilities who meet legitimate skill, experience, education or other requirements of employment positions held or sought and who perform the essential function with or without reasonable accommodation and other groups or other individuals found by the Public Building Commission of Chicago to be socially and economically disadvantaged and to have suffered actual racial or ethnic discrimination and decreased opportunities to compete in Chicago area markets.

#### 6. <u>Major Trades</u>

Asbestos Workers	Operating Engineers
Boiler Makers	Painters
Bricklayers	Pile Driver Mechanics
Carpenters	Pipe Fitters/Steam Fitters
Cement Masons	Plasterers
Electricians	Plumbers
Elevator Construction	Roofers
Glaziers	Sheet Metal Workers
Mechanists	Sprinkler Fitters
Machinery Movers	Technical Engineers
Ornamental Iron Workers	Tuck Pointers
Lathers	

For approval of other trades for consideration in the Award Criteria Formula, written approval should be requested from the Commission.

#### 7. Trade Participation - For Information Only

The following information must be supplied by the Contractor for the purposes of evaluating figures supplied in the Award Criteria Formula. It is understood that these figures are estimates only and are not to be considered as limiting in any manner actual participation on the project.

Anticipated levels of minority participation, to be expressed as percentages, must be supplied for each trade, whether attributable to the Contractor's work force or any Subcontractor which will be active on this project.

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TRADE PARTICIPATION	PERCENT OF MINORITY		

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## IV. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS TO BE EXECUTED

#### Affidavit Of Noncollusion

STATE OF ILLINOIS

COUNTY OF COOK

\_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that:

(1) He/She is

(Owner, Partner, Officer, Representative or Agent) of

**} SS** 

the Bidder that has submitted the attached Bid;

(2) That Bidder is fully informed respecting the preparation and contents of the attached Bid and of all pertinent circumstances respecting such Bid;

(3) Such Bid is genuine and is not a collusive or sham bid;

(4) Neither Bidder nor any of its officers, partners, owners, agents, representatives, employees, or parties in interest, including this affiant, has in any way colluded, connived, conspired, or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any other Bidder, firm, or person to submit a collusive or sham bid in connection with the Contract for which the attached bid has been submitted or to refrain from bidding in connection with such Contract, or has in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion or communication or conference with any other Bidder, firm, or person to fix the price or prices in the attached bid or in that of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost element of the bid price of any other Bidder, or to secure through any collusion, conspiracy, connivance or unlawful agreement any advantage against the Public Building Commission of Chicago or any person interested in the proposed Contract; and

(5) The price or prices quoted in the attached Bid are fair and proper and are not tainted by any collusion, conspiracy, connivance, or unlawful agreement on the part of the Bidder or any of its agents, representatives, owners, employees, or parties in interest, including this affiant.

(6) The Bidder is not barred from bidding as a result of having violated *Illinois Criminal Code*, 720 ILCS 5/33E-3 (Bid-rigging), 720 ILCS 5/33E-4 (Bid rotating) or the *Prevailing Wage Act*, 30 ILCS 570/0.01 through 570/7.

(Signed)

(Title) Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_

(Title) My Commission expires:

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## SCHEDULE B - Joint Venture Affidavit (1 of 3)

This form need not be filled in if all joint venturers are MBE/WBE firms. In such case, however, a written joint venture agreement among the MBE/WBE firms should be submitted. Each MBE/WBE joint venturer must also attach a copy of their current certification letter.

1. Name of joint venture

2.	Ade	dress of joint venture
3. 4.		ntify the firms that comprise the joint venture
	A.	Describe the role(s) of the MBE/WBE firm(s) in the joint venture. (Note that a "clearly defined portion of work" must here be shown as under the responsibility of the MBE/WBE firm.)
	B.	Describe very briefly the experience and business qualifications of each non-MBE/WBE joint venturer.
5.	Nat	ure of joint venture's business
6.	Pro	vide a copy of the joint venture agreement.
7.	Ow	mership: What percentage of the joint venture is claimed to be owned by MBE/WBE?%
8.	Spe	cify as to:
	A.	Profit and loss sharing%
	B.	Capital contributions, including equipment%
	C.	Other applicable ownership interests, including ownership options or other agreements which restrict ownership or control.
	D.	Describe any loan agreements between joint venturers, and identify the terms thereof.

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## SCHEDULE B - Joint Venture Affidavit (2 of 3)

- 9. Control of and participation in this Contract: Identify by name, race, sex, and "firm" those individuals (and their titles) who are responsible for day-to-day management and policy decision making, including, but not limited to, those with prime responsibility for:
  - A. Financial decisions
  - B. Management decisions such as:
    - 1) Estimating
    - 2) Marketing and Sales
    - 3) Hiring and firing of management personnel
    - 4) Other
  - C. Purchasing of major items or supplies
  - D. Supervision of field operations
  - E. Supervision of office personnel
  - F. Describe the financial controls of the joint venture, e.g., will a separate cost center be established; which venturer will be responsible for keeping the books; how will the expense therefor be reimbursed; the authority of each joint venturer to commit or obligate the other. Describe the estimated contract cash flow for each joint venturer.
  - G. State approximate number of operational personnel, their craft and positions, and whether they will be employees of the majority firm or the joint venture.
- 10. Please state any material facts of additional information pertinent to the control and structure of this joint venture.

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#### **SCHEDULE B - Joint Venture Affidavit (3 of 3)**

THE UNDERSIGNED SWEAR THAT THE FOREGOING STATEMENTS ARE CORRECT AND INCLUDE ALL MATERIAL INFORMATION NECESSARY TO IDENTIFY AND EXPLAIN THE TERMS AND OPERATIONS OF OUR JOINT VENTURE AND THE INTENDED PARTICIPATION BY EACH JOINT VENTURER IN THE UNDERTAKING. FURTHER, THE UNDERSIGNED COVENANT AND AGREE TO PROVIDE TO THE PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO CURRENT, COMPLETE AND ACCURATE INFORMATION REGARDING ACTUAL JOINT VENTURE WORK AND THE PAYMENT THEREFOR AND ANY PROPOSED CHANGES IN ANY OF THE JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENTS AND TO PERMIT THE AUDIT AND EXAMINATION OF THE BOOKS, RECORDS, AND FILES OF THE JOINT VENTURE, OR THOSE OF EACH JOINT VENTURER RELEVANT TO THE JOINT VENTURE, BY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMISSION. ANY MATERIAL MISREPRESENTATION WILL BE GROUNDS FOR TERMINATING ANY CONTRACT WHICH MAY BE AWARDED AND FOR INITIATING ACTION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAWS CONCERNING FALSE STATEMENTS.

Note: If, after filing this Schedule B and before the completion of the joint venture's work on this Contract, there is any significant change in the information submitted, the joint venture must inform the Public Building Commission of Chicago, either directly or through the General contractor if the joint venture is a subcontractor.

Name of Joint Venturer	Name of Joint Venturer	
Signature	Signature	
Name	Name	
Title	Title	
Date	Date	
State of County of	State of County of	
On this day of, 20,	On this day of, 20,	
before me appeared (Name)	before me appeared (Name)	
to me personally known, who, being duly sworn,	to me personally known, who, being duly sworn,	
did execute the foregoing affidavit, and did state	did execute the foregoing affidavit, and did state	
that he or she was properly authorized by	that he or she was properly authorized by	
(Name of Joint Venture)	(Name of Joint Venture)	
to execute the affidavit and did so as his or her	to execute the affidavit and did so as his or her	
free act and deed.	free act and deed.	
Notary Public	Notary Public	
Commission expires:	Commission expires:	
(SEAL)	(SEAL)	

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## SCHEDULE C - Letter of Intent from MBE/WBE To Perform As Subcontractor, Subconsultant, and/or Material Supplier (1 of 2)

# SCHEDULE C AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH BID

Name of Project:		
Project Number:		
FROM:		
(Name of MBE or WBE)	MBE	WBE
TO:		
(Name of General Bidder)	_and Public Building	Commission of Chicago
The undersigned intends to perform work in connection with t	he above-referenced	project as (check one):
a Sole Proprietor	a C	Corporation
a Partnership	a J	oint Venture
The MBE/WBE status of the undersigned is confirmed by In addition, in the case wh non-MBE/WBE firm, a Schedule B, Joint Venture Affidavit, i	here the undersigned	
The undersigned is prepared to provide the following describ goods in connection with the above-named project.	ed services or supply	y the following described

The above-described services or goods are offered for the following price, with terms of payment as stipulated in the Contract Documents.

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#### SCHEDULE C - Letter of Intent from MBE/WBE To Perform As Subcontractor, Subconsultant, and/or Material Supplier (2 of 2)

#### PARTIAL PAY ITEMS

For any of the above items that are partial pay items, specifically describe the work and subcontract dollar amount:

If more space is needed to fully describe the MBE/WBE firm's proposed scope of work and/or payment schedule, attach additional sheet(s).

#### SUB-SUBCONTRACTING LEVELS

% of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE subcontract will be sublet to non-MBE/WBE contractors.

% of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE subcontract will be sublet to MBE/WBE contractors.

If MBE/WBE subcontractor will not be sub-subcontracting any of the work described in this Schedule, a zero (0) must be filled in each blank above. If more than 10% percent of the value of the MBE/WBE subcontractor's scope of work will be sublet, a brief explanation and description of the work to be sublet must be provided.

The undersigned will enter into a formal agreement for the above work with the General Bidder, conditioned upon its execution of a contract with the Public Building Commission of Chicago, and will do so within five (5) working days of receipt of a notice of Contract award from the Commission. By:

Name of MBE/WBE Firm (Print)

Signature

Name (Print)

Date

Phone

IF APPLICABLE: By:

Joint Venture Partner (Print)

Date

Phone

Signature

Name (Print) MBE \_\_\_\_\_ WBE \_\_\_\_\_ Non-MBE/WBE \_\_\_\_

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# SCHEDULE D - Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation (1 of 2)

COUNTY OF COOK

In connection with the above-captioned contract, I HEREBY DECLARE AND AFFIRM that I am the

Title

and duly authorized representative of

Name of General Contractor whose address is

in the City of \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_

and that I have personally reviewed the material and facts submitted with the attached Schedules of MBE/WBE participation in the above-referenced Contract, including Schedule C and Schedule B (if applicable), and the following is a statement of the extent to which MBE/WBE firms will participate in this Contract if awarded to this firm as the Contractor for the Project.

Name of MBE/WBE Contractor	Type of Work to be Done in Accordance with Schedule C	Dollar Credit Toy Go	
	Accordance with Schedule C	MBE	WBE
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
	Total Net MBE/WBE Credit	\$	\$
	Percent of Total Base Bid	%	%

The General Contractor may count toward its MBE/WBE goal a portion of the total dollar value of a contract with a joint venture equal to the percentage of the ownership and control of the MBE/WBE partner.

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# SCHEDULE D - Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation (2 of 2)

#### SUB-SUBCONTRACTING LEVELS

% of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE <u>subcontract</u> will be sublet to non-MBE/WBE contractors.

% of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE subcontract will be sublet to MBE/WBE contractors.

If MBE/WBE subcontractor will not be sub-subcontracting any of the work described in this Schedule, a zero (0) must be filled in each blank above.

If more than 10% of the value of the MBE/WBE subcontractor's scope of work will be sublet, a brief explanation and description of the work to be sublet must be provided.

The undersigned will enter into a formal agreement for the above work with the above-referenced MBE/WBE firms, conditioned upon performance as Contractor of a Contract with the Commission, and will do so within five (5) business days of receipt of a notice of Contract award from the Commission.

By:

Name of Contractor (Print)

Date

Phone

IF APPLICABLE:

By:

Joint	Venture	Partner	(Print)
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Date

Phone/FAX

Signature

Name (Print)

Signature

Name (Print)

MBE \_\_\_\_\_ WBE \_\_\_\_\_ Non-MBE/WBE \_\_\_\_

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## SCHEDULE E - Request for Waiver from MBE/WBE Participation

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Montel M. Gayles, Executive Director Public Building Commission of Chicago Richard J. Daley Center 50 W. Washington Street, Room 200 Chicago, IL 60602

Dear Mr. Gayles:

RE: Contract No.\_\_\_\_\_

Project Title:

In accordance with Section 23.01.10, the undersigned hereby requests a waiver/partial waiver from the MBE/WBE provisions of Section 23.01.10. The undersigned certifies that it/we has/have been diligent in our attempt to identify potential subcontractors certified as MBE/WBE to perform work in this project, that such efforts have not been successful, and that it/we cannot meet the Minority/Women Business Enterprise contract goal. These efforts are described below and are consistent with the "Request for Waiver" provisions of the MBE/WBE Program as detailed in Section 23.01.10 as follows:

Documentation attached: yes\_\_\_\_ no\_\_\_\_

Based on the information provided above, we request consideration of this waiver request.

Sincerely,

Signature

Print Name

Title

Name of Firm

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## Affidavit of Uncompleted Work

#### A. Work Under Contract

List below all work Bidder has under contract as either a general contractor or a subcontractor, including all pending low bids not yet awarded or rejected. In a joint venture, list only that portion of the work that is the responsibility of the Bidder. The uncompleted dollar value is to be based upon the most recent estimate of the owner or engineer, and must include work subcontracted to others. If no work is contracted, indicate NONE.

	1	2	3	4	Awards Pending	TOTALS
Project						
Contract With						
Estimated Completion Date						
Total Contract Price						
Uncompleted Dollar Value if Firm is the GC						
Uncompleted Dollar Value if Firm is a Subcontractor						
			TOTAL V	ALUE OF AI	LL WORK	

## **B.** Uncompleted Work to be Completed with the Bidder's own Forces

List below the uncompleted dollar value of work for each contract to be completed with the Bidder's own forces, including all work indicated as awards pending. All work subcontracted to others will be listed on C. of this form. In a joint venture, list only that portion of the work to be done by the Bidder. If no work is contracted, indicate NONE.

	1	2	3	4	Awards Pending	TOTALS
Earthwork						
Demolition						
Sewer and Drain						
Foundation						
Painting						
Struct. Steel (Bldg Const.)						
Ornamental Steel (Bldg Construction)						-
Miscellaneous Concrete						
Fireproofing						200000000000000000000000000000000000000

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	1	2	3	4	Awards Pending	TOTALS
Masonry						
H.V.A.C.						
Mechanical		<b>4</b>				
Electrical					-	
Plumbing						
Roofing & Sheet Metal						
Flooring & Tile Work		J				
Drywall & Plaster Work					-	
Ceiling Construction						
Hollow Metal & Hardware						
Glazing & Caulking		<b>.</b>				
Miscellaneous Arch. Work			20000000000000000000000000000000000000			
Landscaping			20000000000000000000000000000000000000		**************************************	
Fencing			2			
Others (List)						
TOTALS						

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#### C. Work Subcontracted to Others

List below all work, according to each contract on the preceding page, that the Bidder has subcontracted to others. Do NOT include work to be performed by another general contractor in a joint venture. No work may be indicated as subcontracted to others on awards pending. If no work is subcontracted, indicate NONE.

	1	2	3	4	Awards Pending
Subcontractor					
Type of Work					
Subcontract Price					
Amount Uncompleted					
Subcontractor					
Type of Work					
Subcontract Price					
Amount Uncompleted				<b>9</b>	
Subcontractor					
Type of Work					
Subcontract Price					
Amount Uncompleted				••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	
Subcontractor					
Type of Work					
Subcontract Price					
Amount Uncompleted					
Subcontractor					
Type of Work					
Subcontract Price					
Amount Uncompleted				••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	
Subcontractor					
Type of Work					
Subcontract Price					
Amount Uncompleted				•	
TOTAL Uncompleted					

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## Affidavit of Uncompleted Work (continued)

I, being duly sworn, do hereby declare that this affidavit is a true and correct statement relating to ALL uncompleted contracts of the undersigned for Federal, State, County, City, and private work including ALL subcontract work, ALL pending low bids not yet awarded or rejected, and ALL estimated completion dates.

Signature	Date
Name (Type or Print)	Title
Bidder Name	
Address	
City State Zi	p
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of	, 20
Notary Public	(SEAL)
Commission expires:	

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		wit Of Local Business	
ST	ATE OF ILLINOIS } } SS		
CO	UNTY OF COOK }		
	, being	g first duly sworn, deposes and says that:	
1.	He/She is		
(Or of	wner, Partner, Officer)		
(th	e name of the Bidder that has submitted the	e attached Bid);	
2.	Bidder, or partner with at least 50% inter a "Local Business" as defined by the Conditions (Book 1).	rest in joint venture Bidder, [] is e provisions of Section 21.18 of the St	[ ] is not andard Terms and
3.	Bidder, or partner with at least 50% inter have business locations outside the corpo		[] does not
	If other business locations exist, provide	business addresses and phone numbers:	
4.		nterest in joint venture Bidder, currently ble, (insert number) of whom the City of Chicago.	
5.	Bidder, or partner(s) with at least 50% in subject to City of Chicago taxes.	terest in joint venture Bidder, [] is	[] is not
(Si	gned)	(Title)	
Sul	bscribed and sworn to before me this	day of	, 20
(Si	gnature)	(SEAL)	
	tle) 7 Commission expires:		

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#### **Statement Of Bidder's Qualifications**

At the request of the Commission, the Bidder shall also submit additional information regarding the capability of the Bidder to perform the Contract.

Bidder	
Submitted By	
Title	
Permanent Main Office Address	
Local Address	
Local Telephone No. and FAX No.	

How many years operating as contractor for work of this nature?

List of recently completed contracts of similar dollar value and scope of work.

	Name/Address	Dollar Amount	Year of Contract	Nature of Project
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				
7.				
8.				

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## Statement Of Bidder's Qualifications (continued)

The undersigned hereby authorizes any person, firm, or corporation to furnish any information requested by the Public Building Commission of Chicago in verification of this Statement of Bidder's Qualifications.

If submitted by a corporation:

- (a) Corporation Name
- (b) State and City in which incorporated
- (c) If incorporated in another state, is firm authorized to do business in the State of Illinois? Yes\_ \_No
- (d) Name and address of registered agent in Illinois

(e) Names and titles of officers authorized to sign contracts

	Name	Title	
	Name	Title	
If submi	itted by a partnership:		
(b)	Firm Name Official Address Names of all Partners:		
If submi	itted by an individual:		
	Firm Name The Owner Official Address		
Signatur	re of Affiant		
Subscrit	bed and sworn to before me this	day of	20
Notary I	Public	(SEAL)	

N My Commission expires:

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#### **Disclosure of Retained Parties**

The apparent  $1^{st}$  low and the apparent  $2^{nd}$  low Bidder is required to submit a fully executed Disclosure of Retained Parties within five (5) days after bid opening.

#### A. Definitions and Disclosure Requirements

- ii. As used herein, "Contractor" means a person or entity that has any contract or lease with the Public Building Commission of Chicago ("Commission").
- iii. Commission contracts and/or qualification submittals must be accompanied by a disclosure statement providing certain information about attorneys, lobbyists, consultants, subcontractors, and other persons whom the Contractor has retained or expects to retain with respect to the contract or lease. In particular, the contractor must disclose the name of each such person, his or her business address, the name of the relationship, and the amount of fees paid or estimated to be paid. The Contractor is not required to disclose employees who are paid solely through the Contractor's regular payroll.
- iv. "Lobbyists" means any person a) who for compensation or on behalf of any person other than himself undertakes to influence any legislative or administrative action, or b) any part of whose duties as an employee of another includes undertaking to influence any legislative or administrative action.

#### B. Certification

Contractor hereby certifies as follows:

1. This Disclosure relates to the following transaction:

Description of goods or services to be provided under Contract:

- 2. Name of Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. EACH AND EVERY attorney, lobbyist, accountant, consultant, subcontractor, or other person retained or anticipated to be retained by the Contractor with respect to or in connection with the contract or lease is listed below. Attach additional pages if necessary. NOTE: You must include information about certified MBE/WBEs you have retained or anticipate retaining, even if you have already provided that information elsewhere in the Contract Documents.

Check here if no such persons have been retained or are anticipated to be retained:

Name	Business Address	Relationship (Attorney, Lobbyists,	Fees (indicate whether paid
		Subcontractor, etc.)	or estimated)

**Retained Parties:** 

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#### **Disclosure of Retained Parties (continued)**

- 4. The Contractor understands and agrees as follows:
  - a) The information provided herein is a material inducement to the Commission execution of the contract or other action with respect to which this Disclosure of Retained Parties form is being executed, and the Commission may rely on the information provided herein. Furthermore, if the Commission determines that any information provided herein is false, incomplete, or inaccurate, the Commission may terminate the contract or other transaction, terminate the Contractor's participation in the contract or other transactions with the Commission.
  - b) If the Contractor is uncertain whether a disclosure is required, the Contractor must either ask the Commission whether disclosure is required or make the disclosure.
  - c) This Disclosure of Retained Parties form, some or all of the information provided herein, and any attachments may be made available to the public on the Internet, in response to a Freedom of Information Act request, or otherwise. The Contractor waives and releases any possible rights or claims it may have against the Commission in connection with the public release of information contained in the completed Disclosure of Retained Parties form and any attachments.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that I am authorized to execute this Disclosure of Retained Parties on behalf of the Contractor and that the information disclosed herein is true and complete.

Signature		_	Date	
Name (Type or I	Print)	_	Title	
Subscribed and s	sworn to before me			
this	day of	, 20	(SEAL)	
		_		

Notary Public

Commission expires:

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PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BOND Bond No. SPECIMEN	Contract No. SPECIMEN
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we	*
with offices in the	
as <u>Corporate</u> Principal, and	
a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the S the State of Illinois as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto hereinafter called "Commission", in the penal sum of	
(\$) for the payment of which ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and succes presents. The condition of this obligation is such, that where the attached, with the Commission dond delivery and installed the payment of which ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and succes presents.	h sum well and truly to be made, we bind ssors, jointly and severally, Trmly by these

in the referenced project area and other miscellaneous work collateral thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal shall well and truly perform and fulfill all the undertakings, covenants, terms, conditions, and agreements of said Contract during the original term of said Contract and any extension thereof that may be granted by the Commission, with or without notice to the Surety, and during the life of any guarantee required under the Contract, and shall also well and truly perform and fulfill all the undertakings, covenants, terms, conditions and agreements of any and all authorized modifications of said Contract that may be made; and also if the Principal shall promptly pay all persons, firms, and corporations supplying labor, materials, facilities, or services in the prosecution of the work provided for in the Contract, and any and all duly authorized modifications of said Contract that may be made, notice of which modifications being hereby waived; and also, if the Principal shall fully secure and

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protect the said Commission, its legal successor and representative, from all liability in the premises and from all loss or expense of any kind, including all costs of court and attorney's fees, made necessary or arising from the failure, refusal, or neglect of the aforesaid Principal to comply with all the obligations assumed by said Principal or any subcontractors in connection with the performance of said Contract and all such modifications thereof; and also, if the Principal shall deliver all Work called for by said Contract of the Principal with the Commission, free and clear of any and all claims, liens and expenses of any kind or nature whatsoever, and in accordance with the terms and provisions of said Contract, and any and all modifications of said Contract; then, this said Bond shall become null and void; otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

The Surety does further hereby consent and yield to the jurisdiction of the State Civil Courts of the County of Cook, City of Chicago, and State of Illinois, and does hereby formally waive any plea of jurisdiction on account of the residence elsewhere of the Surety. The Principal and Surety severally and jointly agree that this Bond, and the undertakings contained herein, are also for the benefit of any and all subcontractors and other persons furnishing materials, labor, facilities, or services to the Principal or for the ferformance by med by the Principal of said Contract with the Commission as originally Pril cipal and the Commission or as thereafter modified, and that any sh sub∕∆ trac 5 pers ns fur shing labor, materials, facilities, or services may bring suit in t hд herein contained, in the Bd Inde name of the Commission again lither of them. the Principal and Sure or said and It nderstog agreed that this Bond, in the of is penal sum dollars (\$

shall secure the payment of all sums due of and by the Principal under the Contract, and guarantee the faithful performance of the Contract.

No modifications, omissions, or additions, in or to the terms of said Contract, the plans or specifications, or in the manner and mode of payment shall in any manner affect the obligations of the Surety in connection with aforesaid Contract. Notice to the Surety of any and all modifications in said Contract of the Principal with the Commission and of any additions or omissions to or from said Contract are hereby expressly waived by the Surety.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above bounden parties have executed this instrument under their several seals this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_ the name and corporate seal of each corporate party being hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative pursuant to authority of its governing body.

WITNESS:	DV (Cast)
Name	BY(Seal) Individual Principal
Business Address	(Seal) Individual Principal
City State	Partner
CORPORATE SEAL	50
ATTEST:	
BY	Corporate Pri fipal B H sient Title
	Corporate Surety
BY	Title
Business Address	CORPORATE SEAL
The rate of premium of this Bond is \$ Total amount of premium charged is \$	per thousand.** **

\* The current power of attorney for the persons who sign for any surety company shall be attached to this Bond. Such power of attorney shall be sealed and certified with a "first-hand signature" by an officer of the surety. A facsimile signature will not be accepted by the Commission.

\*\* Must be filled in by the Corporate Surety.

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### **BOND APPROVAL**

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Secretary, Public Building Commission of Chicago

CERTIFICATE AS TO CORPORATE SEAL
I,, certify that in the
corporation named as Principal in the with bond, that who signed on behalf of the incipal who resident of said corporation; that I know this
person's signat (re, and the signature hereto is some; and that said Bond was duly signed, sealed, and attested for and the side correspondence of the side
Dated this 20

CORPORATE SEAL

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# **IV. INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

#### A. Examination Of Documents By Bidder

- 1. The Bidder shall, before submitting its bid, carefully examine all Contract Documents, including but not limited to, the Standard Terms and Conditions (Book 1); Project Information, Instructions, and Execution Documents (Book 2); Technical Specifications (Book 3); plans; drawings; Addenda (if any); and bonds. The Bidder shall inspect in detail the site of the proposed Work and familiarize itself with all the local conditions affecting the Contract and the detailed requirements of construction. If its bid is accepted, the bidder will be responsible for all errors in its proposal resulting from failure or neglect to comply with these instructions. In no case will the Commission be responsible for any change in anticipated profits resulting from such failure or neglect.
- 2. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract, when the plans or specifications include information pertaining to subsurface exploration, borings, test pits, and other preliminary investigation, such information represents the opinion of the Commission as to the location, character, or quantity of the materials encountered and is only included for the convenience of the Bidder. The Commission assumes no responsibility with respect to the sufficiency or accuracy of the information, and there is no guaranty, either expressed or implied, that the conditions indicated are representative of those existing throughout the work, or that unanticipated developments may not occur.

### **B.** Interpretations Or Addenda

- 1. The Commission will not furnish oral interpretations of Contract Documents. If an interpretation is desired by a prospective Bidder, the interpretation should be requested in a letter addressed to the Owner's Representative named in the Advertisement for Bids. Any inquiry received ten (10) or more days prior to the date fixed for opening of bids will be considered. Every interpretation or revision will be in the form of an addendum to the Contract Documents and, when issued, will be on file in the office of the Commission at least five (5) days before bids are opened. Although all addenda will be mailed to each person obtaining Contract Documents, it shall be the Bidder's responsibility to inquire as to the addenda issued. All such addenda shall become part of the Contract and attached thereto and all Bidders shall be bound by such addenda, whether or not received by the Bidders.
- 2. If any such differences or conflicts are not called to the Commission's Representative's attention ten (10) days or more prior to submission of bids, the Commission's Representative shall decide which of the conflicting requirements will govern, and the Contractor shall perform the work at no additional cost to the Commission in accordance with the decision of the Commission's Representative.

### C. Inspection Of Site

Bidder shall inspect the Site to become familiar with the conditions relating to the Work to be performed, the facilities involved, and the difficulties and restrictions attending the performance of this Contract. Failure of the Bidder to visit the Site shall not relieve or alter the Bidder's responsibility of completing the Work as set forth in the Contract Documents.

#### **D.** Pre-Qualification Of Bidders

1. Unless otherwise indicated in Part I "Project Information," the Commission has heretofore issued Request for Qualifications (RFQ) in order to approve the qualifications of firms to perform work on certain projects of the Commission. Responses to the RFQ were evaluated by the Commission on the basis of the firm's experience and past performance, technical qualifications, organization and equipment, financial resources, bonding and insurance capacity, and other factors deemed relevant by the Commission. Notice of pre-qualification has been provided by the Commission to all firms approved as "pre-qualified," and only firms that have received notification of pre-qualification are eligible to bid on this Contract. Moreover, a firm that has been pre-qualified as a separate entity (e.g.

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sole proprietor, partnership, or corporation) is not eligible to submit a bid for this Contract as a joint venture with another pre-qualified firm unless such joint venture has been notified of its prequalification.

2. The Commission reserves the right to take such steps as it deems necessary to determine the continuing qualifications of the Bidder to adequately perform the requirements of the Contract, and the Bidder shall furnish to the Commission all information and data requested for this purpose, including completed form "Statement of Bidder's Qualifications" provided with this Book 2. Failure of the Bidder to cooperate with the Commission in its investigation or submit any additional documents requested by the Commission shall be grounds for disqualification.

### E. Competency of Bidder

- 1. The Commission reserves the right to refuse to award a Contract to any person, firm, or corporation that is in arrears or is in default to the Commission upon any debt or contract, or that is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Commission, or had failed to perform faithfully any previous contract with the Commission.
- 2. The Bidder, if requested, must present within a reasonable time, as determined by the Commission, evidence satisfactory to the Commission of performance ability and possession of necessary facilities, pecuniary resources, and adequate insurance to comply with the terms of these specifications and Contract Documents.

### F. Substitutions Prior To Bid Date

- 1. The Architect will consider written requests for substitutions received at least ten (10) days prior to bid date. Requests received after that time will not be considered.
- 2. The Architect shall consider only those requests accompanied by a copy of the Request for Substitution form, Exhibit Q, filled out completely, signed, and including the required attachments.
- 3. Substitutions will not be considered if, in the opinion of the Architect, acceptance will require substantial revision of the Contract Documents.
- 4. Notification of approved substitutions will be made by addendum.

#### G. Preparation of Bid

- 1. Two (2) copies of Project Information, Instructions, and Execution Documents (Book 2) shall be prepared with original signatures and notarizations wherever required.
- 2. All bids must be prepared on forms supplied by the Commission and shall be subject to all requirements of the Contract Documents. Unless otherwise stated, all blank spaces on the bid page or pages, applicable to the subject specification, should be correctly filled in. All bids must be regular in every respect and no interlineations, excisions or special conditions shall be made by the Bidder.
- 3. The Bidder's name, address, telephone and fax number should be clearly written on the front cover of each of the copies of Book 2 submitted.
- 4. When required by the Contract Documents, the Bidder may attach supporting documentation or additional information to the back of the form to which it refers.
- 5. The Commission may consider as irregular, and at its option reject, any bid on which there is an alteration of or departure from the bid form hereto attached.

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- 6. The Bid Documents shall include the following:
  - a) Contractor's Bid
  - b) Bid Guarantee
  - c) Administrative Fee
  - d) Basis of Award (Award Criteria)
  - e) Unit Prices
  - f) Affidavit of Non-collusion
  - g) Schedule B Joint Venture Affidavit with supporting documentation (if applicable)
  - h) one (1) Schedule C for each MBE and WBE with its current letter(s) of certification
  - i) Schedule D Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation
  - j) Schedule E Request for Waiver from MBE/WBE Participation
  - k) Affidavit of Uncompleted Work
- 7. Current versions of the following documents shall be on file at the Commission at the time of bid opening:
  - a) Financial Statement
  - b) Disclosure Affidavit
  - c) Affidavit of Local Business, including applicable documentation
  - d) Statement of Bidder's Qualifications
- 8. If the contract is open to bidders that are not pre-qualified as stated in Part I "Project Information" and Bidder is not pre-qualified, packages containing the forms for the financial statement, Disclosure Affidavit, Affidavit of Local Business, and Statement of Bidder's Qualifications are available to pick up from the Commission's office or to download from the Commission's web site. See the title page for address information.
- 9. The apparent 1<sup>st</sup> low and 2<sup>nd</sup> low Bidder is required to submit a fully executed Disclosure of Retained Parties within five (5) days after bid opening.

#### H. Bid Guarantee: Deposit and Time Period

- 1. The Bid must be accompanied by a bid guarantee in the amount set forth in Part I.A. "General Project Information" to ensure:
  - a. Non-withdrawal of the bid after date and time of opening.
  - b. The furnishing of the Performance and Payment Bond and evidence of the required insurance coverage by the successful Bidder as required by the Contract Documents.
- 2. The guarantee shall be made by bid bond, certified check or cashier's check payable to the order of the Public Building Commission of Chicago. No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by the required guarantee. Cash deposits will not be accepted.
- 3. The Bidder agrees that this bid may be held by the Commission for a period not exceeding ninety (90) days from the date fixed for the opening of bids and that the bid may not be withdrawn within that period.
- 4. If written notice of the acceptance of this Bid is mailed, telegraphed or delivered to the undersigned within the time noted herein, or at any time thereafter before this Bid is withdrawn, the undersigned agrees to enter into a Contract with the Public Building Commission of Chicago with the Bid as accepted. The undersigned agrees to give a Performance and Payment Bond as specified in the Contract Documents, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, and to furnish the required insurance, all within five (5) days after given Notice of Award.

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5. The bid bonds, certified checks, or cashier's checks of unsuccessful Bidders will be returned as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids; however, the deposits of the three (3) lowest Bidders shall be retained until the Commission awards the Contract to one of them, or for any reason rejects all bids.

### I. Administrative Fee

Each Bidder must submit with its bid a certified or cashiers' check in the amount set forth in Part I.A. "Administrative Fee" as an administrative fee for processing and handling of non-responsive bids. Upon award of the contract, the successful Bidder's check, and the checks of all Bidders whose bids are determined by the Commission to have been responsive, shall be returned to the Bidders submitting them. Should one or more bids be rejected by the Commission as non-responsive, the checks from the non-responsive Bidder or Bidders shall be deposited in the general funds of the Commission as an administrative fee to compensate the Commission for the costs of processing and handling the non-responsive bid or bids.

#### J. Bidder's Execution of Bid

- 1. The Bidder must execute the Bid in two (2) original counterparts.
- 2. Bids must be submitted with original signatures in the space provided on the appropriate Part II.B. "Acceptance of the Bid." Bids not properly signed shall be rejected.
- 3. If Bidder is a corporation, the President and Secretary must execute the bid and the Corporate seal must be affixed. In the event that this bid is executed by other than the President, attach hereto a certified copy of that section of the Corporate By-Laws or other authorization by the Corporation that permits the person to execute the offer for said corporation.
- 4. If Bidder is a partnership, all partners must execute the bid, unless one partner has been authorized to sign for the partnership, in which case, evidence of such authority satisfactory to the Commission must be submitted.
- 5. If Bidder is a sole proprietorship, the sole proprietor must execute the bid.
- 6. A "Partnership," "Joint Venture," or "Sole Proprietorship" operating under an Assumed Name must be registered with the Illinois county in which it is located, as provided in 805 ILCS 405 (1992).

#### K. Basis of Award (Award Criteria)

The Bidder shall complete the figures in the Award Criteria Formula to compute the Award Criteria Figure and complete the Trade Participation information. Such information shall be attached to the bid on the form provided. All calculations will be verified pursuant to instructions provided in the form.

#### L. Alternates

The Bidder shall indicate a price for each and every Alternate, if any, described in the Contract Documents.

#### M. Unit Prices

- 1. The Bidder is required to complete the Unit Prices form in its entirety.
- 2. Unit prices provided may be used as the basis for adjustments to the Contract Price in the event that the quantities of Work required by the Contract Documents are increased or decreased. However, the Commission reserves the right to negotiate the Unit Prices.

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3. Unit Prices shall be inclusive of the cost of materials, work, layout, drafting, balancing and testing, tools and sundries, overhead and profit, supervision, and any and all other costs of whatsoever nature in connection therewith for work in place and accepted or omitted as the case may be. The calculation for determining the number of units of work shall be actual surface, volume, length, hours, and number of individual items listed for the class of work complete in place and accepted or omitted. No allowance for waste, loss, breakage, damage, or difficulties shall be made.

### N. Affidavit of Non-Collusion

Each Bidder shall fully execute an affidavit, in the form provided, to the effect that the Bidder has not colluded with any other person, firm, or corporation in regard to any bid submitted. Such affidavit shall be attached to the bid.

### **O.** MBE and WBE Commitments

Pursuant to Article 23 "MBE/WBE Special Conditions, each Bidder shall submit with its Bid affidavits and supporting documents describing the extent to which Minority Business Enterprise ("MBE") and Women Business Enterprise ("WBE") firms will participate in the Contract.

#### P. Affidavit of Uncompleted Work

The Bidder is required to submit a fully executed Affidavit of Uncompleted Work, which declares, among other things, the value and estimated completion date of all uncompleted contracts to be completed with Bidder's own forces and to be subcontracted to others. Such affidavit shall be attached to the bid on the form provided.

#### **Q.** Bidder's Financial Statement

Each Bidder shall have on file in the office of the Commission at the time of bid opening a financial statement dated not earlier then the end of said Bidder's last fiscal year period. This will be kept on file by the Commission as a representative statement for a period of one year only. If a Bidder does not have such statement on file, it must submit a copy with its bid. Failure to have a current financial statement on file at the Commission at time of bid opening may be cause for the rejection of the Contractor's Bid.

#### **R.** Disclosure Affidavit

Each Bidder shall have on file in the office of the Commission at the time of bid opening a fully executed Disclosure Affidavit pursuant to Section 21.13 "Disclosure Affidavit."

#### S. Affidavit of Local Business

Each Bidder shall have on file in the office of the Commission at the time of bid opening a fully executed Affidavit of Local Business with current documentation as required in Section 21.18 "Local Business Preference."

#### T. Statement of Bidder's Qualifications

Each Bidder shall have on file in the office of the Commission at the time of bid opening a fully executed Statement of Bidder's Qualifications or a Qualification Submittal in response to a Request for Qualifications (RFQ). The Commission reserves the right to request additional information regarding the capability of the Bidder to perform the Contract.

#### **U. Disclosure of Retained Parties**

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The apparent low Bidder and the apparent 2<sup>nd</sup> low bidder shall submit a fully executed Disclosure of Retained Parties pursuant to the instructions on the document.

#### V. Submission of Bid

- 1. Two (2) copies of all bid documents with original signatures shall be enclosed in two (2) envelopes each (outer and inner), both of which shall be sealed and clearly labeled with "BID DOCUMENTS," the Contract number, name of Bidder, and date and time of opening.
- 2. Bids received prior to the advertised hour of opening will be securely kept.
- 3. Written modifications of bids will be considered only if received prior to the time stated for receipt of Proposals and provided "BID MODIFICATIONS TO SEALED PROPOSAL" is marked on the lower left-hand corner of the envelope in which the bid modification is enclosed so that the modification will be recognized to prevent its being opened prior to scheduled public opening of bids. Telephonic or oral modifications will not be considered. Bidders are cautioned that modifications which are not explicit and which are in any sense subject to misinterpretation shall make the bid so modified or amended subject to rejection.

## W. Withdrawal Of Bids Before Bid Opening

Any Bidder may withdraw its bid by letter, facsimile, telegraphic request, or by personally securing, with proper identification, the submitted bid proposal at any time prior to the time fixed for opening of bids. A telephonic request to withdraw a bid will not be considered.

### X. Opening Of Bids

At the time and place fixed for the opening of bids, the Commission will cause to be opened and publicly read aloud every bid received within the time set for receiving bids irrespective of any irregularities therein. Bidders and other persons properly interested may be present in person or by representative.

### Y. Evaluation of Bids

- 1. The Commission reserves the right to check all calculations and to correct all extensions in case of error in order to determine the correct amount of the Total Base Bid and/or the total amount of any other schedule required. Errors in the bid breakdown may result in a non-responsive bid.
- 2. If a discrepancy occurs in an amount written both in words and in figures, the amount written in words will prevail.
- 3. Along with reviewing the calculations of each bid, the Commission will evaluate each Bidder's responsiveness to all Bid requirements and responsibility.

### Z. Award Of Contract; Rejection Of Bids

- 1. The Contract will be awarded to the responsible Bidder submitting the lowest Award Criteria, as defined herein, complying with the conditions set forth in the Contract Documents. However, if the local business preference is applicable, the determination of the lowest responsible bidder will be made after a two percent (2%) local business preference is applied to the Award Criteria of all Bidders that do not meet the conditions defined in Section 21.18 "Local Business Preference."
- 2. The Bidder to whom the award is made will be notified at the earliest possible date.
- 3. Upon award of Contract, the Commission will process the Contract for final execution.

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4. The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received whenever it determines such rejection or waiver is in its interest.

#### AA. Performance and Payment Bond and Insurance

- 1. Upon approval by the Commission to award, and within five (5) days after being given notice, the successful Bidder shall execute and deliver to the Commission the Performance and Payment Bond in the form included in the Contract Documents and evidence of the required insurance coverage.
- 2. The Performance and Payment Bond shall be in the form herein and in the full amount of the Base Contract Price and shall be security for the faithful performance of the Contract and payment of all persons, firms, or corporations to whom the Contractor may become legally indebted for labor, material, facilities or services of any nature, employed or used by it in performing the Work. The current power of attorney for the persons who sign for any surety company shall be attached to such bond. Such power of attorney shall be sealed and certified with a "first hand signature" by an officer of the surety. A facsimile signature will not be accepted by the Commission. The Commission reserves the right to approve the surety company.
- 3. The failure of the successful Bidder to supply the required Performance and Payment Bond or evidence of the required insurance coverage within five (5) days of notice, or within such extended period as the Commission may grant based upon reasons determined sufficient by the Commission, shall constitute a default and the Commission may either award the Contract to the next lowest responsible bidder or re-advertise for bids. The difference between the amount of its bid and the amount for which a contract for the work is subsequently executed may be charged against the Bidder, irrespective of whether the amount thus due exceeds the amount of the bid security. If a more favorable bid is received by re-advertising, the defaulting Bidder shall have no claim against the Commission, such sum shall be considered liquidated damages and shall not constitute a penalty. The election by the Commission to grant an extension to the period allowed for the bidder to provide an acceptable performance and payment bond and/or evidence of insurance coverage shall not entitle the bidder to an extension of time required to complete the Work.

### **BB.Order of Precedence of Components of the Contract Documents**

- 1. The order of precedence of the components of the Contract Documents shall be as follows:
  - a) Standard Terms and Conditions (Book 1);
  - b) Addenda, if any;
  - c) Drawings and Technical Specifications
  - d) Project Information, Instructions, and Execution Documents (Book 2);
  - e) Advertisement for proposals (copy of advertisement to be attached to back of cover); and
  - f) Performance and Payment Bond, if required.
- 2. The foregoing order of precedence shall govern the interpretation of the Contract in all cases of conflict or inconsistency therein, except as may be otherwise expressly provided by the Commission.

### CC. Protests

1. The bidder shall submit any protests or claims regarding this solicitation to the office of the Commission's Executive Director. A pre-bid protest must be filed five (5) days before the bid opening date, a pre-award protest must be filed no later than ten (10) days after the bid opening date, and a post-award protest must be filed no later than ten (10) days after the award of the Contract.

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2. All protests or claims must set forth the name and address of the protester, the Contract number, the grounds for the protest or claim, and the course of action that the protesting party desires that the Executive Director take.