



REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

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COVER SHEET

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| NOTIFICATION DATE: 2/28/2020 | TITLE South Golf Drive Design Engineering Services - FDOT (Financial Project 440437-1-38-01) - RFP | SOLICITATION NUMBER: 20-035 | OPENING DATE & TIME: 3/30/2020 2:00 PM | | | | | | | | |
| <p style="text-align: center;">PRE - PROPOSAL CONFERENCE DATE, TIME AND LOCATION: A non-mandatory Pre-Proposal conference will be held Tuesday, March 17, 2020 at 10:00 A.M. local time in the Streets and Stormwater Department, 295 Riverside Circle, Naples FL, 34102</p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LEGAL NAME OF PARTNERSHIP, CORPORATION OR INDIVIDUAL: | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <p>I certify that this bid is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, or person submitting a bid for the same materials, supplies, or equipment and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. I agree to abide by all conditions of this bid and certify that I am authorized to sign this bid for the bidder. In submitting a bid to the City of Naples the bidder offers and agrees that if the bid is accepted, the bidder will convey, sell, assign or transfer to the City of Naples all rights, title, and interest in and to all causes of action it may now or hereafter acquire under the Anti-trust laws of the United States and the State of FL for price fixing relating to the particular commodities or services purchased or acquired by the City of Naples. At the City's discretion, such assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the City tenders final payment to the bidder.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> FEI/EIN Number _____ DUNS Number _____ </p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Please initial by all that apply I acknowledge receipt/ review of the following addendum</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 25%;">____ Addendum #1</td> <td style="width: 25%;">____ Addendum #2</td> <td style="width: 25%;">____ Addendum #3</td> <td style="width: 25%;">____ Addendum #4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>____ Addendum #5</td> <td>____ Addendum #6</td> <td>____ Addendum #7</td> <td>____ Addendum #8</td> </tr> </table> | | | | ____ Addendum #1 | ____ Addendum #2 | ____ Addendum #3 | ____ Addendum #4 | ____ Addendum #5 | ____ Addendum #6 | ____ Addendum #7 | ____ Addendum #8 |
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PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING

- > This page **must be completed and returned** with your bid.
- > Bids must be **submitted in a sealed envelope, marked with solicitation number & opening date.**
- > All submissions must be received, and date stamped by Purchasing staff prior to the above **"OPENING DATE & TIME"**.
- > Submission received after the above opening date and time will **not be accepted.**
- > Bid tabulations will be available on the City of Naples web site <https://www.naplesgov.com/rfps>

GENERAL CONDITIONS

TO ENSURE ACCEPTANCE OF THE PROPOSAL, PLEASE FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS. ANY AND ALL SPECIAL CONDITIONS, ATTACHED HERETO, HAVE PRECEDENCE.

1. **SEALED PROPOSAL:** All proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope. The face of the envelope shall contain the proposal name and proposal number. Proposals not submitted on attached proposal form shall be rejected. All proposals are subject to the conditions specified herein. Those which do not comply with these conditions are subject to rejection.
2. **DEFINITIONS:** Uses of the following terms are interchangeable as referenced: "vendor, contractor, supplier, proposer, company, parties, persons", "purchase order, PO, contract, agreement", "city, City of Naples, Naples, agency, owner, requestor, parties", "bid, proposal, response, quote".
3. **BID EXPENSES:** Bidders shall bear all costs and expenses incurred in developing, preparing, and submitting bids.
4. **EXECUTION OF PROPOSAL:** Proposal must contain a manual signature of authorized representative in the proposal section. Proposal must be typed or printed in ink. Use of erasable ink is not permitted. All corrections made by proposer to his proposal must be initialed.
5. **BID FORMATTING:** Vendor should type or electronically enter the information onto its bid submittal to prevent errors in the evaluation. Failure to type or electronically enter the information may result in bid disqualification.
6. **NO PROPOSAL:** If not submitting a proposal, respond by returning the Statement of No Proposal and explain the reason in the spaces provided. Failure to respond 3 times in succession without justification shall be cause for removal of the supplier's name from the proposal mailing list. NOTE: To qualify as a respondent, proposer must submit a "NO PROPOSAL," and it must be received no later than the stated proposal opening date and hour.
7. **PROPOSAL OPENING:** Shall be public, on the date and at the time specified on the proposal form. It is the proposer's responsibility to assure that his proposal is delivered at the proper time and place of the proposal opening. Proposals which for any reason are not so delivered will not be considered. Offers by telegram; telephone; or fax are not acceptable. Proposal files may be examined during normal working hours.
8. **WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSALS:** Withdrawal of a proposal within sixty (60) days after the opening of proposals is subject to suspension or debarment in accordance with Section 2-668(2) of the City Code.
9. **PRICES, TERMS and PAYMENT:** Prices shall be proposed if required by this request for proposal and include all packing, handling, shipping charges and delivery to the destination shown herein. Proposer is encouraged to offer cash discount for prompt invoice payment. Terms of less than 20 days will not be considered.
 - A. **TAXES:** The City of Naples does not pay Federal Excise and Sales taxes on direct purchases of tangible personal property. See exemption number on face of purchase order. This exemption does not apply to purchases of tangible personal property made by contractors who use the tangible personal property in the performance of contracts for the improvement of City-owned real property.
 - B. **MISTAKES:** Proposers are expected to examine the specifications, delivery schedule, proposal prices, extensions, and all instructions pertaining to supplies and services. Failure to do so will be at proposer's risk. In case of mistake in extension, the unit price will govern.

- C. CONDITION AND PACKAGING:** It is understood and agreed that any item offered or shipped as a result of this proposal shall be a new, current standard production model available at the time of this proposal. All containers shall be suitable for storage or shipment, and all prices shall include standard commercial packaging.
- D. SAFETY STANDARDS:** Unless otherwise stipulated in the proposal, all manufactured items and fabricated assemblies shall comply with applicable requirements of Occupational Safety and Health Act and any standards there under.
- E. UNDERWRITERS' LABORATORIES:** Unless otherwise stipulated in the proposal, all manufactured items and fabricated assemblies shall carry U.L. approval and re-examination listing where such has been established.
- F. PAYMENT:** Payment will be made by the buyer after the items awarded to a vendor have been received, inspected, and found to comply with award specifications, free of damage or defect and properly invoiced. All invoices shall bear the purchase order number. Payment for partial shipments shall not be made unless specified in the proposal. Failure to follow these instructions may result in delay in processing invoices for payment. In addition, the purchase order number must appear on bills of lading, packages, cases, delivery lists and correspondence.
- G. CREDIT CARD PAYMENT:** The City of Naples may, at its discretion, use VISA/MASTER card credit network as a payment vehicle for goods and services purchased as a part of this contract. The City of Naples will not accept any additional surcharges (credit card transaction fees) as a result of using the City's credit card for transactions relating to this solicitation.
- 10. DELIVERY:** Unless actual date of delivery is specified (or if specified delivery cannot be met), show number of days required to make delivery after receipt of purchase order in space provided. Delivery time may become a basis for making an award (see Special Conditions). Delivery shall be within the normal working hours of the user, Monday through Friday, unless otherwise specified. Unless otherwise specified, all prices are to be FOB-Destination.
- 11. MANUFACTURERS' NAMES AND APPROVED EQUIVALENTS:** Any manufacturers' names, trade names, brand names, information and/or catalog numbers listed in a specification are for information and not intended to limit competition. The proposer may offer any brand for which he is an authorized representative, which meets or exceeds the specification for any item(s). If proposals are based on equivalent products, indicate on the proposal form the manufacturer's name and number. Proposer shall submit with his proposal, cuts, sketches, and descriptive literature, and/or complete specifications. Reference to literature submitted with a previous proposal will not satisfy this provision. The proposer shall also explain in detail the reason(s) why the proposed equivalent will meet the specifications and not be considered an exception thereto. Proposals which do not comply with these requirements are subject to rejection. Proposals lacking any written indication of intent to quote an alternate brand will be received and considered in complete compliance with the specifications as listed on the proposal form.
- 12. ADDENDA AND INTERPRETATIONS:** No interpretations of the meaning of the plans, specifications or other contract documents will be made orally to any bidder. Prospective bidders must request from the Purchasing and Contracts Manager such interpretation in writing. To be considered, such request must be received 10 calendar days prior to the bid opening. Request must reference the date of bid opening, bid title, and bid number. Failure to comply with this condition will result in bidders waiving their rights to dispute the proposal. Any and all interpretations and any supplemental instructions will be in the form of a written addenda which, if issued, will be posted on the City website and DemandStar.com not later than (3) days prior for the opening of bids. Failure of any bidder to receive any such addenda or interpretation shall not relieve any bidder from any obligation under their bid as submitted. All addenda so issued shall become a part of the contract document.
- 13. CONFLICT OF INTEREST:** All proposal awards are subject to Section 2-72 Conflict of Interest, City of Naples Code of Ordinances, which states: *"No public officer or employee shall have or hold any*

employment or contractual relationship with any business entity or any agency which is subject to the regulation of or is doing business with the city; nor shall an officer or employee have or hold any employment or contractual relationship that will create a continuing or frequently recurring conflict between his private interests and the performance of his public duties or that would impede the full and faithful discharge of his public duties. Any member of the city council or any city officer or employee who willfully violates this section shall be guilty of malfeasance in office or position and shall forfeit his office or position. Violation of this section with the knowledge, express or implied, of the person or corporation contracting with or making a sale to the city shall render the contract or sale voidable by the city manager or the city council."

- 14. CONE OF SILENCE:** "Cone of Silence" means a prohibition on any communication regarding a particular Request for Proposals (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), Invitation to Bid (ITB), or other competitive solicitation between:

Any person who seeks an award therefrom, including a potential vendor or vendor's representative, and

The City Council, City Attorney, and all City employees, and any non-employee appointed to evaluate or recommend selection in such procurement process.

The Cone of Silence shall not apply to communications with the Procurement Official to obtain clarification or information concerning the subject solicitation. Any such contact other than the Procurement Official may be considered grounds for disqualification. The City shall not be responsible for oral interpretations given by any City employee or its representative. For purposes of this section, "vendor's representative" means an employee, partner, director, or officer of a potential vendor, or consultant, lobbyist, or actual or potential subcontractor or sub-consultant of a vendor, or any other individual acting through or on behalf of any person seeking an award.

- 15. AWARDS:** As the best interest of the City may require, the right is reserved to make award(s) by individual item, group of items, all or none, divide the award or a combination thereof; to reject any and all proposals or waive any minor irregularity or technicality in proposals received.
- 16. ADDITIONAL QUANTITIES:** For a period not exceeding ninety (90) days from the date of acceptance of this offer by the buyer, the right is reserved to acquire additional quantities up to but not exceeding those shown on proposal at the prices proposal in this invitation. If additional quantities are not acceptable, the proposal sheets must be noted "PROPOSAL IS FOR SPECIFIED QUANTITY ONLY." (THIS PARAGRAPH DOES NOT APPLY FOR A TERM CONTRACT.)
- 17. SERVICE AND WARRANTY:** Unless otherwise specified, the proposer shall define any warranty service and replacements that will be provided during and subsequent to this contract. Proposers must explain on an attached sheet to what extent warranty and service facilities are provided.
- 18. SAMPLES:** Samples of items, when called for, must be furnished free of expense, and if not destroyed, may upon request, be returned at the proposer's expense. Each individual sample must be labeled with proposer's name, manufacturer's brand name and number, proposal number and item reference. Request for return of samples shall be accompanied by instructions which include shipping authorization and name of carrier and must be received with your proposal. If instructions are not received within this time, the commodities shall be disposed of by the City of Naples.
- 19. PROPOSAL PROTESTS:** The City of Naples has formal protest procedures that are available upon request.
- 20. INSPECTION, ACCEPTANCE AND TITLE:** Inspection and acceptance will be at destination unless otherwise provided. Title and risk of loss or damage to all items shall be the responsibility of the contract supplier until accepted by the ordering agency, unless loss or damage results from negligence by the ordering.

21. **DISPUTES:** In case of any doubt or difference of opinion as to the items to be furnished hereunder, the decision of the buyer shall be final and binding on both parties.
22. **GOVERNMENTAL RESTRICTIONS:** In the event any governmental restrictions may be imposed which would necessitate alteration of the material, quality, workmanship or performance of the items offered on this proposal prior to their delivery, it shall be the responsibility of the successful proposer to notify the buyer at once, indicating in his letter the specific regulation which required an alteration. The City reserves the right to accept any such alteration, including any price adjustments occasioned thereby, or to cancel the contract at no expense to the City.
23. **LEGAL REQUIREMENTS:** Applicable provision of all Federal, State, county and local laws, and of all ordinances, rules, and regulations shall govern development submittal and evaluation of all proposals received in response hereto and shall govern any and all claims and disputes which may arise between person(s) submitting a proposal response hereto and the City of Naples by and through its officers, employees and authorized representatives, or any other person, natural or otherwise; and lack of knowledge by any proposer shall not constitute a cognizable defense against the legal effect thereof.
24. **PATENTS AND ROYALTIES:** The proposer, without exception, shall indemnify and save harmless the City of Naples and its employees from liability of any nature or kind, including cost and expenses for or on account of any copyrighted, patented, or unpatented invention, process, or article manufactured or used in the performance of the contract, including its use by the City of Naples. If the proposer uses any design, device, or materials covered by letters, patent or copyright, it is mutually agreed and understood without exception that the proposal prices shall include all royalties or cost arising from the use of such design, device, or materials in any way involved in the work.
25. **ADVERTISING:** In submitting a proposal, proposer agrees not to use the results there from as a part of any commercial advertising.
26. **ASSIGNMENT:** Any Purchase Order issued pursuant to this proposal invitation and the monies which may become due hereunder are not assignable except with the prior written approval of the buyer.
27. **LIABILITY:** The supplier shall hold and save the City of Naples, its officers, agents, and employees harmless from liability of any kind in the performance of this contract.
28. **PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES:** A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a proposal on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a proposal on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit proposals on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.
29. **DISCRIMINATION:** An entity or affiliate who has been placed on the discriminatory vendor list may not submit a proposal on a contract to provide goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a proposal on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit proposals on leases of real property to a public entity, may not award or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity.
30. **COUNTY TAXES:** No proposal shall be accepted from and no contract will be awarded to any person, firm or corporation that is in arrears to the government of Collier County, Florida.
31. **OFFER EXTENDED TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES:** The City of Naples encourages and agrees to the successful proposer/proposer extending the pricing, terms and conditions of this solicitation or resultant contract to other governmental entities at the discretion of the successful proposer/proposer.

IF THIS PROPOSAL IS FOR A TERM CONTRACT, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS SHALL ALSO APPLY

- 32. ELIGIBLE USERS:** All departments of the City of Naples are eligible to use this term contract. Such purchases shall be exempt from the competitive proposal requirements otherwise applying to their purchases.
- 33. PRICE ADJUSTMENTS:** Any price decrease effectuated during the contract period by reason of market change shall be passed on to City of Naples. Price increases are not acceptable.
- 34. CANCELLATION:** All contract obligations shall prevail for at least one hundred eighty (180) days after effective date of contract. After that period, for the protection of both parties, this contract may be cancelled in whole or in part by either party by giving thirty (30) days prior written notice to the other party.
- 35. RENEWAL:** Contract will be in-place for a three (3) year term with an optional two (2) one (1) year renewals, if mutually agreed upon by the CITY and CONTRACTOR. Pursuant to the City of Naples Code of Ordinances, Sec.2-667(7)(e), the term of this contract may be extended by the parties for no more than two years. Each renewal or extension shall be automatically extended for automatic and successive additional terms, unless either party gives written notice to the other not fewer than ninety (90) days prior to the expiration of the then current term. It is recognized that the terms "renewal" and "extension" once had a distinct meaning in the law; however, the intent of this section is that no contract whether continued by a renewal, extension, or a combination of the two, will result in a term of more than three years plus two years, for a total of five years maximum without City Council approval.
- 36. ABNORMAL QUANTITIES:** While it is not anticipated, should any unusual or abnormal requirements arise, the City reserves the right to solicit separate proposals thereon.
- 37. FISCAL NON-FUNDING CLAUSE:** In the event sufficient funds are not budgeted for a new fiscal period, the City shall notify the contractor of such occurrence and the contract shall terminate on the last day of the current fiscal year without penalty or expense to the City.

IF THIS PROPOSAL IS FOR PERFORMING A SERVICE, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS SHALL ALSO APPLY

- 38. ALTERNATIVE PROPOSALS:** Proposers offering service delivery methods other than those permitted by the scope of work may submit a separate envelope clearly marked "ALTERNATIVE PROPOSAL". Alternative proposals will be deemed non-responsive and will not be considered for award. All such responses will, however, be examined prior to award. Such examination may result in cancellation of all proposals received to permit rewriting the scope of work to include the alternative method, or the alternative method may be considered for future requirements of the City of Naples.
- 39. ANTITRUST:** By entering into a contract, the contractor conveys, sells, assigns and transfers to the City of Naples all rights, titles and interest it may now have or hereafter acquire under the antitrust laws of the United States and the State of Florida that relate to the particular goods or services purchased or acquired by the City of Naples under said contract.
- 40. PROPOSER INVESTIGATIONS:** Before submitting a proposal, each proposer shall make all investigations and examinations necessary to ascertain all site conditions and requirements affecting the full performance of the contract and to verify any representations made by the City of Naples upon which the proposer will rely. If the proposer receives an award as a result of its proposal submission, failure to have made such investigations and examinations will in no way relieve the proposer from its obligation to comply in every detail with all provisions and requirements of the contract documents, nor will a plea of ignorance of such conditions and requirements be accepted as a basis for any claim whatsoever by the contractor for additional compensation.

- 41. CERTIFICATES AND LICENSES:** The Contractor, at time of proposal, shall possess the correct occupational licenses, all professional licenses or other authorizations necessary to carry out and perform the work required by the City of Naples and Collier County for this project pursuant to all applicable Federal, State and Local Laws, Statutes, Ordinances, and rules and regulations of any kind.
- 42. CHANGE IN SCOPE OF WORK:** The City of Naples may order changes in the work consisting of additions, deletions or other revisions within the general scope of the contract. No claims may be made by the contractor that the scope of the project or of the contractor's services has been changed, requiring changes to the amount of compensation to the contractor or other adjustments to the contract unless such changes or adjustments have been made by written amendment to the contract signed by the City of Naples and the contractor. If the contractor believes that any particular work is not within the scope of the project, is a material change, or will otherwise require more compensation to the contractor, the contractor must immediately notify the City in writing of this belief. If the City believes that the particular work is within the scope of the contract as written, the contractor will be ordered to and shall continue with the work as changed and at the cost stated for the work within the scope.
- 43. CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL:** The City of Naples shall, throughout the life of the contract, have the right of reasonable rejection and approval of staff or subcontractors assigned to the work by the contractor. If the City reasonably rejects staff or subcontractors, the contractor must provide replacement staff or subcontractors satisfactory to the City in a timely manner and at no additional cost to the City. The day-to-day supervision and control of the contractor's employees and sub-contractors is the responsibility solely of the contractor.
- 44. COST REIMBURSEMENT:** The contractor agrees that all incidental costs, including allowances for profit and tools of the trade, must be included in the proposal rates. If an arrangement is made between the contractor and the City to reimburse the contractor for the cost of materials provided in the performance of the work, the contractor shall be reimbursed in the following manner: The City shall reimburse the contractor on completion and acceptance of each assigned job, only for those materials actually used in the performance of the work that is supported by invoices issued by the suppliers of the contractor describing the quantity and cost of the materials purchased. No surcharge shall be added to the supplier's invoices or included in the contractor's invoice submitted to the City that would increase the dollar amount indicated on the supplier's invoice for the materials purchased for the assigned job.
- 45. EXCEPTIONS:** Proposers taking exception to any part or section of the solicitation shall indicate such exceptions on the proposal form. Failure to indicate any exception will be interpreted as the proposer's intent to comply fully with the requirements as written. Conditional or qualified proposals, unless specifically allowed, shall be subject to rejection in whole or in part.
- 46. FAILURE TO DELIVER:** In the event of the contractor to fail to deliver services in accordance with the contract terms and conditions, the City, after due oral or written notice, may procure the services from other sources and hold the contractor responsible for any resulting purchase and administrative costs. This remedy shall be in addition to any other remedies that the City may have.
- 47. FAILURE TO ENFORCE:** Failure by the City at any time to enforce the provisions of the contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any such provisions. Such failure to enforce shall not affect the validity of the contract or any part thereof or the right of the City to enforce any provision at any time in accordance with its terms.
- 48. FORCE MAJEURE:** The contractor shall not be held responsible for failure to perform the duties and responsibilities imposed by the contract due to legal strikes, fires, riots, rebellions and acts of God beyond the control of the contractor, unless otherwise specified in the contract.
- 49. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR:** The contractor shall be legally considered an independent contractor and neither the contractor nor its employees shall, under any circumstances, be considered servants or agents of the City of Naples and the City of Naples shall be at no time legally responsible for any negligence or any wrongdoing by the contractor, its servants or agents. The City of Naples shall not

withhold from the contract payments to the contractor any federal income taxes, Social Security tax, or any other amounts for benefits to the contractor. Further, the City shall not provide to the contractor any insurance coverage or other benefits, including Workers' Compensation normally provided by the City for its employees.

50. ORAL STATEMENTS: No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated in this contract. All modifications to the contract must be made in writing by the City of Naples.

51. QUALIFICATIONS OF PROPOSERS: The proposer may be required, before the award of any contract, to show to the complete satisfaction of the City of Naples that it has the necessary facilities, ability, and financial resources to provide the service specified therein in a satisfactory manner. The proposer may also be required to give a past history and references in order to satisfy the City in regard to the proposer's qualifications. The City may make reasonable investigations deemed necessary and proper to determine the ability of the proposer to perform the work, and the proposer shall furnish to the City all information for this purpose that may be requested. The City reserves the right to reject any proposal if the evidence submitted by, or investigation of, the proposer fails to satisfy the City that the proposer is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the contract and to complete the work described therein. Evaluation of the proposer's qualifications shall include:

- > The ability, capacity, skill and financial resources to perform the work or service.
- > The ability to perform the work service promptly or within the time specified, without delay.
- > The character, integrity, reputation, judgment, experience, and efficiency of the proposer.
- > The quality of performance of previous contracts or services.

52. QUALITY CONTROL: The contractor shall institute and maintain throughout the contract period a properly documented quality control program designed to ensure that the services are provided at all times and in all respects in accordance with the contract. The program shall include providing daily supervision and conducting frequent inspections of the contractor's staff and ensuring that accurate records are maintained describing the disposition of all complaints. The records so created shall be open to inspection by the City.

53. RECOVERY OF MONEY: Whenever, under the contract, any sum of money shall be recoverable from or payable by the contractor to the City, the same amount may be deducted from any sum due to the contractor under the contract or under any other contract between the contractor and the City. The rights of the City are in addition and without prejudice to any other right the City may have to claim the amount of any loss or damage suffered by the City on account of the acts or omissions of the contractor.

54. REQUIREMENTS CONTRACT: During the period of the contract, the contractor shall provide all the services described in the contract. The contractor understands and agrees that this is a requirements contract and that the City shall have no obligation to the contractor if no services are required. Any quantities that are included in the scope of work reflect the current expectations of the City for the period of the contract. The amount is only an estimate and the contractor understands and agrees that the City is under no obligation to the contractor to buy any amount of services as a result of having provided this estimate or of having any typical or measurable requirement in the past. The contractor further understands and agrees that the City may require services in excess of the estimated annual contract amount and that the quantity actually used whether in excess of, or less than, the estimated annual contract amount and that the quantity actually used shall not give rise to any claim for compensation other than the total of the unit prices in the contract for the quantity actually used.

55. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE: The performance of work under the contract may be terminated by the City in whole or in part whenever the City determines that termination is in the City's best interest. Any such termination shall be effected by the delivery to the contractor of a written notice of termination of at least seven (7) days before the date of termination, specifying the extent to which performance of the work under the contract is terminated and the date upon which such termination becomes effective. After receipt of a notice of termination, except as otherwise directed, the contractor shall stop work on

the date of the receipt of the notice or other date specified in the notice; place no further orders or subcontracts for materials, services or facilities except as necessary for completion of such portion of the work not terminated; terminate all vendors and subcontracts; and settle all outstanding liabilities and claims.

- 56. TERMINATION FOR DEFAULT:** The City of Naples reserves the right to terminate the contract if the City determines that the contractor has failed to perform satisfactorily the work required, as determined by the City. In the event the City decides to terminate the contract for failure to perform satisfactorily, the City shall give to the contractor at least seven (7) days written notice before the termination takes effect. The fifteen-day period will begin upon the mailing of notice by the City. If the contractor fails to cure the default within the seven (7) days specified in the notice and the contract is terminated for failure to perform satisfactorily, the contractor shall be entitled to receive compensation for all reasonable, allocable and allowable contract services satisfactorily performed by the contractor up to the date of termination that were accepted by the City prior to the termination. In the event the City terminates the contract because of the default of the contractor, the contractor shall be liable for all excess costs that the City is required to expend to complete the work under contract.
- 57. STATE AND FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT LAWS:** Contractors providing service to the City are required to comply with all state and federal employment laws. This includes, but is not limited to, laws resulting from the Immigration and Reform and Control Act of 1986, wherein all employers are required to verify the identity and employment eligibility of all employees. The Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services require employees and employers to complete Form I-9 and the employer must examine evidence of identity and employment eligibility within three business days of the date employment begins. Non compliant contractors will be subject to contract sanctions, up to and including contract termination.
- 58. CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY, AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION:** [“Debarment and Suspension” and 2 CFR 180 “OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Government wide Debarment and Suspension.”](#) These rules require all contractors using federal funds not be debarred or suspended from doing business with the Federal Government. This includes sub-recipients and lower tier participant for covered transactions. [Signing and submitting this document certified the organization and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency, and further have not within the preceding three-year period 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.](#)
- 59. 119.0701 F.S. CONTACT INFORMATION FOR CITY OF NAPLES' CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS, CITY CLERK'S OFFICE:** If the CONTRACTOR has questions regarding the application of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, to the CONTRACTOR'S duty to provide public records relating to this contract, contact the City of Naples' Custodian of Public records, the City Clerk at Telephone: 239-213-1015; Email: PublicRecordsRequest@naplesgov.com; Address: 735 81h Street S., Naples, Florida 34102; Mailing address: same as street address.

THE CITY OF NAPLES IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

GENERAL INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

The Contractor shall not commence work until he has obtained all the insurance required under this heading, and until such insurance has been approved by the Owner, nor shall the Contractor allow any subcontractor to commence work until all similar insurance required of the subcontractor has also been obtained and approved by the Owner.

Certificates of insurance must be issued by an authorized representative of the insurance company at the request and direction of the policyholder and must include sufficient information so as to identify the coverage and the contract for Owner's improvements for which they are issued. Certificates of insurance must be issued by a nationally recognized insurance company with a Best's Rating of no less than B+VII, satisfactory to the Owner, and duly licensed to do business in the state of said Contract.

The Contractor shall procure and maintain, during the life of this Contract, Workmen's Compensation Insurance for all of his employees to be engaged in work under this Contract, and he shall require any subcontractor similarly to provide Workmen's Compensation Insurance for all of the latter's employees to be engaged in such work, unless such employees are covered by the protection afforded by the Contractor's insurance. In case any employees are to be engaged in hazardous work under this Contract, and are not protected under this Workmen's Compensation statute, the Contractor shall provide, and shall cause each subcontractor to provide, adequate coverage for the protection of such employees. It is acceptable to use a State-approved Workmen's Compensation Self-Insurance fund.

The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Contract, Public Liability and Property Damage and shall include Contractual Liability, Personal Injury, Libel, Slander, False Arrest, Malicious Prosecution, Wrongful Entry or Eviction, Broad Form Property Damage, Products, Completed Operations and XCU Coverage to be included on an occurrence basis, and to the full extent of the Contract to protect him, the Owner, and any subcontractor performing work covered by this Contract from damages for personal injury, including accidental death, as well as from claims for property damage, which may arise from operations under this contract, whether such operations be by himself or by a subcontractor, or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. The Contractor shall also maintain automobile liability insurance including "non-owned and hired" coverage. The entire cost of this insurance shall be borne by the Contractor.

The amount of such insurance shall be no less than \$1,000,000 annual aggregate for bodily injury and property damage combined per occurrence.

The City of Naples must be named as Additional Insured on the insurance certificate and the following must also be stated on the certificate. "These coverage's are primary to all other coverage's the City possesses for this contract only." The City of Naples shall be named as the Certificate Holder. The Certificate Holder shall read as follows:

The City of Naples
735 Eighth Street South
Naples, Florida 34102

No City Division, Department, or individual name should appear on the Certificate.
No other format will be acceptable.

The Certificate must state the bid number and title.

When using the ACORD 25 – Certificate of Insurance only the most current version will be accepted. The City of Naples requires a copy of a cancellation notice in the event the policy is cancelled. The City of Naples shall be expressly endorsed onto the policy as a cancellation notice recipient.

STATEMENT OF NO BID/PROPOSAL

If you do not intend to submit a bid or proposal on this requirement, please complete and return only this page.

Please return via email to purchasing@naplesgov.com or by mail to:

City of Naples, Purchasing Division
City Hall, 735 8th Street South
Naples, FL 34102
Fax 239-213-7105

Failure to respond 3 times in succession without justification shall be cause for removal of the supplier's name from the proposal mailing list. NOTE: To qualify as a respondent, proposer must submit a "STATEMENT OF NO BID/PROPOSAL" and it must be received no later than the stated bid/proposal opening date and hour.

Bid # _____

Bid Title: _____

We, the undersigned, decline to bid on the above project for the following reason(s):

- ___ We are not able to respond to the Invitation to Bid by the specified deadline.
- ___ Our Company does not offer this product or service.
- ___ Our current work schedule will not permit us to perform the required services.
- ___ Unable to meet bond requirements.
- ___ Unable to meet insurance requirements.
- ___ Unable to meet bond specifications.
- ___ Specifications are incomplete, or information is unclear (Please explain below).

Other (Please specify below)

Company Name _____

PH _____ Email _____

Name and Title of individual completing this form:

(Printed Name) (Title)

(Signature) (Date)



CITY OF NAPLES

Purchasing Division

REFERENCE QUESTIONNAIRE

PROVIDED SAME OR SIMILAR SERVICES WITHIN THE LAST 5 YEARS.

It is the bidder's responsibility to contact the Purchasing Department prior to submitting their bid to verify receipt of the required number of references.

Solicitation No. _____ RFP/ITB Title: _____

Bidder/Respondent Name: _____

This reference questionnaire must be filled out by the company that has done business with the Bidder/Respondent in the past. If the item is not applicable, please state "n/a".

Relationship with Bidder/Respondent: _____

Title of last project: _____

Year last project completed _____

Contract Start/End Dates: _____

Contract Amount: \$ _____

How many projects performed: _____

Overall Performance: _____

Management Ability: _____

Ability to meet time schedule: _____

Ability of control costs: _____

Problems encountered: _____

Quality of Personnel: _____

How well Contractor coordinated with Owner: _____

Cooperation or Lack Thereof: _____

Quality of Subcontractors: _____

Subcontractor Payment Issues: _____

Were there any conflicts, disputes, or other problems:

Yes No

If yes, were they reported early and were they managed well? How were they resolved? Were you satisfied the resolution was fair to both parties?

How satisfied are you with the Bidder/Respondent's ability to perform based on your expectations and according to the contractual arrangements?

Would you contract again with the Bidder/Respondent for the same or similar services? Do you have plans to contract with them again? Yes No

Any additional comments?

This REFERENCE QUESTIONNAIRE is provided by:

Name of Company

Address of Company

Telephone No.

Email address:

Date: _____

Name and title of person filling out this reference questionnaire:

Signature of person filling out this reference questionnaire:

This reference form must be emailed to Purchasing@naplesgov.com by the company who is providing the reference on or before BID OPENING DATE & TIME indicated on the Cover Sheet. Please add Solicitation Number to your E-mail subject line.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
SPECIAL CONDITIONS

Under Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act; Chapter 287.055, Florida Statutes

A. TERMS OF CONTRACT

The resulting contract will commence on award and be in effect until completion of the project. The Notice-To-Proceed will not be initiated until the Contractor has been selected and placed under contract. It is the intent of the City to issue a Notice to Proceed to the selected firm prior to June 1, 2020. Services to be rendered by the CONTRACTOR must be completed by the contract dates specified within the Notice of Proceed.

Final project invoice will be processed, upon completion of the City's final inspection and the vendor's submission of a completed CITY OF NAPLES RELEASE AND AFFIDAVIT FORM.

B. PROHIBITION OF CONTACT

Under no circumstances should any prospective organization or individual, or anyone acting for or on behalf of a prospective organization or individual, seek to influence or gain the support of any member of the City Council, public official or City staff favorable to the interest of any prospective organization or individual. Likewise, contact with City Council, any public official or city staff against the interests of other prospective organization (s) and or individual(s) is prohibited. Any such activities will result in the exclusion of the prospective organization or individual from consideration by the City.

C. REFERENCES

Proposers must submit a minimum of three references on the form provided. Additionally, a signed and dated IRS W-9 form with EIN is required from all vendors. Proof of insurance from the successful proposer is required at the time of issuance and award of a contract.

D. STATEMENT OF NO PROPOSAL

If you will not be bidding on this producer/service, please help us by completing and returning the Statement of No Bid/Proposal.

E. PROPOSAL FORMAT

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded on the RFP submittal requirements. To create a fair evaluation of proposals, all proposals must contain all elements in the RFP SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS. The evaluation criteria will be based upon six value categories totaling up to 100 points. Upon review of the RFP, the committee MAY schedule presentations.

F. QUESTIONS

Questions regarding this proposer packet must be received in writing in the Purchasing Division NO LATER THAN **TEN CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO THE BID OPENING DATE TO ENSURE AN ANSWER IS PROVIDED PRIOR TO CLOSING. Last day for questions is 3/20/2020**

Direct all questions to:
Gerald “Jed” Secory, MBA / CPPO / CPM
Purchasing and Contracts Manager
City of Naples, Purchasing Division
735 8th Street South
Naples, Florida 34102
PH: (239) 213-7102 FX: (239) 213-7105
Jsecory@naplesgov.com

SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

Bidder certifies by signature below that the following Documents are included in the Bid Submittal, fully completed in accordance with the bid requirements. It's the bidder's responsibility to contact the Purchasing Department prior to submitting a bid to ascertain if any addenda have been issued, to obtain any and all such addenda and return executed addenda with this bid. Bidder should check off each of the following items as completed and submit with bid response:

| CHECKLIST ELEMENTS | INCLUDED |
|--|----------|
| Bidder must submit one (1) original signature of the response and five (5) copies of the response and one (1) properly indexed Windows© compatible PDF of the original document on a CD or USB Flash Drive containing one PDF file of the full response that is clearly labeled with your company's name, Solicitation number and title. | |
| Include any required drawings; descriptive literature; qualifications; schedules; product compliance / exceptions; alternatives; questionnaire; references, forms, tabs, pricing/cost; and any information required of the proposer identified in the text of the bid including information for bid evaluation. | |
| Include any Professional Licenses that qualify the firm for this solicitation as well as applicable bond documents, if required. Note if you are not a single prime firm. List all subcontractors to be used for our project in your proposal and their professional licenses. | |
| Mandatory FORMS from this document to be included are: <u>Cover Sheet, References Sheet, Submission Checklist Sheet, signed IRS W-9 (OCT 2018) and Acknowledgement of Business Type.</u> | |
| Have an authorized individual sign the appropriate pages including the <u>Cover Sheet</u> with any bid addendums initialed. Include all Addendums with your Proposal. | |
| Ensure the following: 1. The Proposal has been signed 2. Proposal addressed the evaluation criteria. 3. Cover letter included. 4. Tab format was followed. | |
| Bid document needs to be received by the <u>OPENING DATE & TIME</u> indicated on the <u>Cover Sheet</u> . The mailing envelope must be addressed to: City of Naples Purchasing Division 735 8th Street South Naples, Florida 34102 | |
| The mailing envelope must be sealed and marked with: Bid Number: 20-035 Title: South Golf Drive Design Engineering Services - FDOT (Financial Project 440437-1-38-01) Opening Date: 3/30/2020 | |

ALL COURIER DELIVERED BIDS MUST HAVE THE BID NUMBER AND TITLE ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE COURIER PACKET.

Submitting Vendor Name: _____

Authorized Bidder's Signature: _____

At the discretion of the Purchasing Manager, bids or proposals with minor irregularities may be accepted and allowed to be corrected when in the best interest of the City.

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

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| Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3. | 1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank. | | |
| | 2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above | | |
| | 3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes. | | 4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <i>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</i> |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate | | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ▶ _____ Note: Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is not disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. | | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____ | | |
| | 5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions. | | Requester's name and address (optional) |
| 6 City, state, and ZIP code | | | |
| 7 List account number(s) here (optional) | | | |

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

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|---------------------------------------|--|
| Social security number | |
| [][][] - [][] - [][][][][] | |
| or | |
| Employer identification number | |
| [][][] - [][][][][][][] | |

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

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| Sign Here | Signature of U.S. person ▶ | Date ▶ |
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
4. Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting*, later, for further information.

Note: If you are a U.S. person and a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

Definition of a U.S. person. For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien;
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States;
- An estate (other than a foreign estate); or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

Special rules for partnerships. Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax under section 1446 on any foreign partners' share of effectively connected taxable income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, the rules under section 1446 require a partnership to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the section 1446 withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid section 1446 withholding on your share of partnership income.

In the cases below, the following person must give Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States.

- In the case of a disregarded entity with a U.S. owner, the U.S. owner of the disregarded entity and not the entity;
- In the case of a grantor trust with a U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner, generally, the U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner of the grantor trust and not the trust; and
- In the case of a U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust), the U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

Foreign person. If you are a foreign person or the U.S. branch of a foreign bank that has elected to be treated as a U.S. person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 or Form 8233 (see Pub. 515, *Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities*).

Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien. Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payee has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items.

1. The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.
2. The treaty article addressing the income.
3. The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.
4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.
5. Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

Example. Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinese student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an exemption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that exemption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8 or Form 8233.

Backup Withholding

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS 24% of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, tax-exempt interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,
2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the instructions for Part II for details),
3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,
4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or
5. You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See *Exempt payee code*, later, and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Also see *Special rules for partnerships*, earlier.

What is FATCA Reporting?

The Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) requires a participating foreign financial institution to report all United States account holders that are specified United States persons. Certain payees are exempt from FATCA reporting. See *Exemption from FATCA reporting code*, later, and the Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Updating Your Information

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an exempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the future from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information if you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or if you no longer are tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account; for example, if the grantor of a grantor trust dies.

Penalties

Failure to furnish TIN. If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

Criminal penalty for falsifying information. Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

Misuse of TINs. If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

Specific Instructions

Line 1

You must enter one of the following on this line; **do not** leave this line blank. The name should match the name on your tax return.

If this Form W-9 is for a joint account (other than an account maintained by a foreign financial institution (FFI)), list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of Form W-9. If you are providing Form W-9 to an FFI to document a joint account, each holder of the account that is a U.S. person must provide a Form W-9.

a. **Individual.** Generally, enter the name shown on your tax return. If you have changed your last name without informing the Social Security Administration (SSA) of the name change, enter your first name, the last name as shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

Note: ITIN applicant: Enter your individual name as it was entered on your Form W-7 application, line 1a. This should also be the same as the name you entered on the Form 1040/1040A/1040EZ you filed with your application.

b. **Sole proprietor or single-member LLC.** Enter your individual name as shown on your 1040/1040A/1040EZ on line 1. You may enter your business, trade, or “doing business as” (DBA) name on line 2.

c. **Partnership, LLC that is not a single-member LLC, C corporation, or S corporation.** Enter the entity’s name as shown on the entity’s tax return on line 1 and any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.

d. **Other entities.** Enter your name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on line 1. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.

e. **Disregarded entity.** For U.S. federal tax purposes, an entity that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner is treated as a “disregarded entity.” See Regulations section 301.7701-2(c)(2)(iii). Enter the owner’s name on line 1. The name of the entity entered on line 1 should never be a disregarded entity. The name on line 1 should be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner’s name is required to be provided on line 1. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity’s name on line 2, “Business name/disregarded entity name.” If the owner of the disregarded entity is a foreign person, the owner must complete an appropriate Form W-8 instead of a Form W-9. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TIN.

Line 2

If you have a business name, trade name, DBA name, or disregarded entity name, you may enter it on line 2.

Line 3

Check the appropriate box on line 3 for the U.S. federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one box on line 3.

| IF the entity/person on line 1 is a(n) . . . | THEN check the box for . . . |
|--|---|
| • Corporation | Corporation |
| • Individual • Sole proprietorship, or • Single-member limited liability company (LLC) owned by an individual and disregarded for U.S. federal tax purposes. | Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC |
| • LLC treated as a partnership for U.S. federal tax purposes, • LLC that has filed Form 8832 or 2553 to be taxed as a corporation, or • LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner but the owner is another LLC that is not disregarded for U.S. federal tax purposes. | Limited liability company and enter the appropriate tax classification. (P= Partnership; C= C corporation; or S= S corporation) |
| • Partnership | Partnership |
| • Trust/estate | Trust/estate |

Line 4, Exemptions

If you are exempt from backup withholding and/or FATCA reporting, enter in the appropriate space on line 4 any code(s) that may apply to you.

Exempt payee code.

- Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding.
- Except as provided below, corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, including interest and dividends.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding with respect to attorneys’ fees or gross proceeds paid to attorneys, and corporations that provide medical or health care services are not exempt with respect to payments reportable on Form 1099-MISC.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding. Enter the appropriate code in the space in line 4.

- 1—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)
- 2—The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
- 3—A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- 4—A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities
- 5—A corporation
- 6—A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a U.S. commonwealth or possession
- 7—A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission
- 8—A real estate investment trust
- 9—An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940
- 10—A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)
- 11—A financial institution
- 12—A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian
- 13—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 13.

| IF the payment is for . . . | THEN the payment is exempt for . . . |
|--|---|
| Interest and dividend payments | All exempt payees except for 7 |
| Broker transactions | Exempt payees 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 and all C corporations. S corporations must not enter an exempt payee code because they are exempt only for sales of noncovered securities acquired prior to 2012. |
| Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends | Exempt payees 1 through 4 |
| Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 ¹ | Generally, exempt payees 1 through 5 ² |
| Payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions | Exempt payees 1 through 4 |

¹ See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

² However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney reportable under section 6045(f), and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

Exemption from FATCA reporting code. The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank. Consult with the person requesting this form if you are uncertain if the financial institution is subject to these requirements. A requester may indicate that a code is not required by providing you with a Form W-9 with "Not Applicable" (or any similar indication) written or printed on the line for a FATCA exemption code.

A—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)

B—The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

C—A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

D—A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)

E—A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)

F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state

G—A real estate investment trust

H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940

I—A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)

J—A bank as defined in section 581

K—A broker

L—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1)

M—A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan

Note: You may wish to consult with the financial institution requesting this form to determine whether the FATCA code and/or exempt payee code should be completed.

Line 5

Enter your address (number, street, and apartment or suite number). This is where the requester of this Form W-9 will mail your information returns. If this address differs from the one the requester already has on file, write NEW at the top. If a new address is provided, there is still a chance the old address will be used until the payor changes your address in their records.

Line 6

Enter your city, state, and ZIP code.

Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see *How to get a TIN* below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner, enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). Do not enter the disregarded entity's EIN. If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

Note: See *What Name and Number To Give the Requester*, later, for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

How to get a TIN. If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local SSA office or get this form online at www.SSA.gov. You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at www.irs.gov/Businesses and clicking on Employer Identification Number (EIN) under Starting a Business. Go to www.irs.gov/Forms to view, download, or print Form W-7 and/or Form SS-4. Or, you can go to www.irs.gov/OrderForms to place an order and have Form W-7 and/or SS-4 mailed to you within 10 business days.

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, apply for a TIN and write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

Note: Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

Caution: A disregarded U.S. entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if item 1, 4, or 5 below indicates otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on line 1 must sign. Exempt payees, see *Exempt payee code*, earlier.

Signature requirements. Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 5 below.

1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983.

You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983.

You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

3. Real estate transactions. You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

4. Other payments. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).

5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), ABLE accounts (under section 529A), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

What Name and Number To Give the Requester

| For this type of account: | Give name and SSN of: |
|--|---|
| 1. Individual | The individual |
| 2. Two or more individuals (joint account) other than an account maintained by an FFI | The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account ¹ |
| 3. Two or more U.S. persons (joint account maintained by an FFI) | Each holder of the account |
| 4. Custodial account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act) | The minor ² |
| 5. a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee) | The grantor-trustee ¹ |
| b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law | The actual owner ¹ |
| 6. Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual | The owner ³ |
| 7. Grantor trust filing under Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (see Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(A)) | The grantor* |
| For this type of account: | Give name and EIN of: |
| 8. Disregarded entity not owned by an individual | The owner |
| 9. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust | Legal entity ⁴ |
| 10. Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553 | The corporation |
| 11. Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization | The organization |
| 12. Partnership or multi-member LLC | The partnership |
| 13. A broker or registered nominee | The broker or nominee |

| For this type of account: | Give name and EIN of: |
|---|-----------------------|
| 14. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments | The public entity |
| 15. Grantor trust filing under the Form 1041 Filing Method or the Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 2 (see Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(B)) | The trust |

¹ List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

² Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

³ You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or DBA name on the "Business name/disregarded entity" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

⁴ List first and circle the name of the trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see *Special rules for partnerships*, earlier.

*Note: The grantor also must provide a Form W-9 to trustee of trust.

Note: If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

Secure Your Tax Records From Identity Theft

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, SSN, or other identifying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other crimes. An identity thief may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a refund.

To reduce your risk:

- Protect your SSN,
- Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identity theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or wallet, questionable credit card activity or credit report, contact the IRS Identity Theft Hotline at 1-800-908-4490 or submit Form 14039.

For more information, see Pub. 5027, Identity Theft Information for Taxpayers.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a systemic problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes.

Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in an attempt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal detailed information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to phishing@irs.gov. You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration (TIGTA) at 1-800-366-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at spam@uce.gov or report them at www.ftc.gov/complaint. You can contact the FTC at www.ftc.gov/idtheft or 877-IDTHEFT (877-438-4338). If you have been the victim of identity theft, see www.IdentityTheft.gov and Pub. 5027.

Visit www.irs.gov/IdentityTheft to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secured property; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS, reporting the above information. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their laws. The information also may be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section 3406, payers must generally withhold a percentage of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties may also apply for providing false or fraudulent information.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF BUSINESS TYPE

The undersigned Bidder certifies that this bid package is submitted in accordance with the specifications in its entirety and with full understanding of the conditions governing this bid.

BUSINESS ADDRESS of BIDDER:

Company Name

Address

City State Zip

Telephone No. _____ Fax No. _____

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER

If an Individual: _____
Signature Print Name

Doing business as _____

If a Partnership: _____

By: _____
Partner Signature Print Name

If a Corporation: _____
Corporate Name

(a _____ Corporation) In what State is the Corporation Incorporated? _____

If not incorporated under the laws of Florida, are you licensed to do business in Florida? Yes ___ No ___

By: _____
Signature Print Name

Sign and Date Form: Certification:

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that the information shown on this form is correct to my knowledge.

| | |
|-----------|------------|
| Signature | Print Name |
| Title | Date |

CITY OF NAPLES RELEASE AND AFFIDAVIT FORM

COUNTY OF (COLLIER)
STATE OF (FLORIDA)

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared _____ who, after being duly sworn deposes and says of him/her personal knowledge the following:

- 1.) In accordance with the Contract Documents and in consideration of \$_____ to be received _____, ("Contractor") releases and waives for itself and its subcontractors, material-men, successors and assigns, all claims demands, damages, costs and expenses, whether in contract or in tort, against the City of Naples, Florida, ("the City") relating in any way to the performance of the Agreement between Contractor and the City, dated _____, 20__ for the period from _____ to _____. This partial waiver and release is conditioned upon payment of the consideration described above. It is not effective until said payment is received in paid funds.
- 2.) Contractor certifies for itself and its subcontractors, material-men, successors and assigns, that all charges for labor, materials, supplies, lands, licenses and other expenses for which the City might be sued or for which a lien or a demand against any payment bond might be filed, shall be fully satisfied and paid upon the City's payment to Contractor.
- 3.) Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend and save harmless the City from all demands or suits, actions, claims of liens or other charges filed or asserted against the City arising out of the performance by Contractor of the Work covered by this Release and Affidavit.
- 4.) This Release and Affidavit is given in connection with Contractor's [monthly/final] Application for Payment No._____.

CONTRACTOR

BY: _____

ITS: _____

DATE: _____

Witness
President

Witness

[Corporate Seal]

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____ day of _____ 20 ____, by _____, as _____ of _____, a _____ corporation, on behalf of the corporation. He/she is personally known to me or has produced _____ as identification and did (did not) take an oath.

My Commission Expires:

(Signature of Notary)

Name: _____
(Legibly Printed)

Notary Public, State of _____

(AFFIX OFFICIAL SEAL)

Commissioner No. _____

City of Naples, FL
South Golf Drive Design Engineering Services - FDOT (Financial Project 440437-1-38-01) Design, Engineering, Permitting, Construction Engineering Inspection & Associated Tasks
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PROJECT REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIFICATIONS

A. PURPOSE OF REQUEST

The purpose of this Request for Proposal (RFP) is to contract with a firm to provide design and engineering services related to complete streets initiative improvements in the City of Naples, Florida along South Golf Drive.

This RFP has been developed to solicit information from consulting engineering firms (or teams of firms) proven to be qualified and experienced in civil, roadway, transportation engineering, water and sewer utilities, stormwater management, landscape architecture, including street scape design and construction supervision. Firms submitting must have expertise in roadway, sidewalk and drainage design and permitting services and any other requirements that the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) may impose in the Local Agency Program (LAP) Agreement for this project. Individuals and firms properly registered in the State of Florida are encouraged to submit their qualifications for consideration.

B. BACKGROUND

- City of Naples Pedestrian and Bicycle Master Plan 2013 Update, approved by City Council Resolution 13-13305
- Blue Zone Resolution 14-13549
- Financial Project Number: 440437-1-38-01

C. PROJECT

The principal intent of this project is to apply a complete street initiative along the South Golf Drive corridor, approximately 2.54 miles, between Gulf Shore Blvd North and US 41. Work shall include survey, engineering, permitting, utility coordination, and public involvement. The complete street initiative would include the safe design of a multimodal transportation corridor including new sidewalk(s), parking spaces, buffered bike lanes, stormwater infrastructure, traffic calming, landscape, and irrigation improvements.

Items of concern or challenge along South Golf Drive includes:

- Pedestrian safety and connectivity
- Bicycle safety and connectivity
- Street image
- Lane requirements and alignment

- Varying width of right of way
- Driveway connections
- Parking
- Landscaping and opportunities to increase the availability of shade when appropriate
- Utilities
- Streetscape, including street lighting
- Drainage/Stormwater

D. SCOPE OF WORK

1. Financial Project Number: 440437-1-38-01
2. FDOT Pre-Qualifications Required

For each project the CONSULTANT and/or Sub-Consultant(s) must be FDOT qualified (Rule Chapter 14-75) to perform the assigned work and/or services required of the project. As a minimum, the CONSULTANT and/or Sub-Consultant(s) must be qualified to perform the following types:

Major Work

- 3.1 Minor Highway Design

Minor Work

- 4.1.1 Miscellaneous Structures
- 7.1 Signing, Pavement Marking, and Channelization
- 7.2 Lighting
- 8.1 Control Surveying
- 8.2 Design, Right of Way, and Construction Surveying
- 9.1 Soil Exploration
- 9.2 Geotechnical Classification Lab Testing

3. Specifications

The CONSULTANT shall use the current edition of the FDOT “Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction”, and Supplements thereto, and all technical memorandum and addenda henceforth for the standard specification on roadway and bridge construction.

The Consultant will provide a detailed Scope of Service, including project deliverables, and the time duration to complete the work. Due to the varied nature of the projects for which work is to be assigned, a description of the types of tasks generally associated with a design assignment follows below but may be modified as needed. The Scope of Work may be modified to include the applicable provisions of the latest version of FDOT’s Scope of Services for Consulting Engineering Services as appropriated.

The CONSULTANT is responsible to ensure that all plans and design specifications meet or exceed the minimum standards necessary to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) as amended.

The CONSULTANT is responsible to provide all Special Provisions necessary for the successful construction of the project. These Special Provisions are to be prepared in the same and complimentary format at the referenced standard specifications.

City and FDOT reserves the right to reject any special provision specification deemed inadequate for the project.

4. Oversight

The City designate Project Manager will be responsible for the issuance of the Notice to Proceed and for schedule coordination prior to work. City personnel will be responsible for ensuring that the successful proposer has adequate access to the installation sites.

5. Quality Control

The City shall oversee this contract to ensure all aspects within the scope of services are met and the highest level of service is provided to City residents.

6. Laws and Regulations

The Contractor agrees that, in the performance of work and services under this, the Contractor will qualify under and comply with any and all federal, state and local laws and regulations now in effect.

7. Permits and Licenses

The Contractor, at its sole cost and expense, shall obtain and maintain throughout the term of this agreement all permits, licenses, and approvals necessary or required for the Contractor to perform the work and services described herein. Any changes to the required licenses or permits shall be reported to the City within 10 days.

8. Contractor Assignment and Subcontracts

The successful proposer will be required to perform this work. No assignment of the contract will be allowed without written authorization from the City.

9. Contractor Personnel

Personnel must wear company uniforms and be neat in appearance. T-shirts are permitted providing they are company supplied with company Logo/Artwork applied to them. Contractor personnel shall be courteous to all City residents at all times. The City shall have the right to have the contractor remove any employee found to show discourteous behavior to customers or City employees.

10. Point of Contact

All contact, correspondence or other activity concerning this contract or similar activity, with the City shall be initiated through the Contract Administrator. The Contractor shall not be permitted to contact residential customers via mailings or other means unless it involves a compliance issue within the City without prior approval of the Contract Administrator.

11. Records

a. All persons are advised that under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes all responses are deemed a public record and opened to public scrutiny as provided for in said statute.

b. Sealed bids or proposals received by an agency pursuant to invitations to bid or requests for proposals are exempt until such time as the agency provides notice of a decision or intended decision to the award or within 30 days after the bids, proposals, or final replies, whichever is earlier.

c. If an agency rejects all bids, proposals or replies submitted in response to a competitive solicitation and the agency concurrently provides notice of its intent to reissue the competitive solicitation, the rejected bids, proposals or replies remain exempt from s.119.07(1) and s.24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution until such time as the agency provides notice of an intended decision concerning the reissued competitive solicitation or until the agency withdraws the reissued competitive solicitation. A bid, proposal, or reply is not exempt for longer than 12 months after the initial agency notice rejecting all bids, proposals, or replies. Florida State Statutes related to municipal bid exemptions shall always prevail.

d. Pursuant to Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes, Consultants acting on behalf of the City must comply with the public records laws, specifically: a) keep and maintain public records required by the City to perform the contracted services; b) upon request from the City's custodian of public records, provide the City with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119 of the Florida Statutes or as otherwise provided by law; c) ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the contract term and following completion of the contract if the Consultant does not transfer the records to the City; d) upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost, to the City all public records in possession of the Consultant or keep and maintain public records required by the City to perform the service. If the Consultant transfers all public records to the public agency upon completion of the contract, the Consultant shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from the public records disclosure requirements. If the Consultant keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the contract, the Consultant shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be

provided to the City, upon request from the City's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the Information Technology Systems of the City.

e. Keep and maintain adequate records and documents applicable to the project at the contracted firm's expense for a minimum of five (5) years from date of final payment, unless the firm is notified in writing by the City of the need to extend the retention period. Books and accounts shall be open to investigation upon request.

12. Inspector General

Consultant shall cooperate and comply with the inspector general in any investigation, audit, inspection, review, or hearing pursuant to FL § 20.55.

13. Vendor Performance Evaluation

The City reserves the right to take into consideration a vendor's past performance under a prior or current City contract when it is considering the granting of a new contract, the assignment of a work order, or any additional work. Past poor performance may result in the City deeming the vendor non-responsible refraining from awarding such work.

E. SCHEDULE

The City intends close coordination with FDOT and City Council at the 60%, 90%, and 100% design phases and will require the selected firm(s) to diligently prepare for meetings, clearly communicate at each meeting, and interactively work with City staff, FDOT and City Council on options and ideas throughout the design process. The City Council is comprised of extremely intelligent and experienced professionals who will ask highly educated questions. The City is seeking a design firm capable of enormous preparation for intense meetings. The design firm will be required to thoroughly address detailed questions with specific answers and referenced experiences.

The City expects substantial involvement by stakeholders, including but not limited to property owners along the corridor and interested neighborhood and businesses. Two public meetings and subsequent presentations to City Council are anticipated as part of the design process. These meetings and presentations will occur prior to the 60% and 100% design stages. The City is seeking a firm with experience in such communications, including providing notice and multiple opportunities for comment.

The City expects multiple reviews of plans, engineering cost estimates, vendor information, etc. This will occur at the 60%, 90% and 100% plan design stages. The project schedule must reflect time for City and FDOT staff to review and provide comment prior to submittal to City Council.

The City expects the selected firm to assist from design throughout the publicly advertised construction bidding process, including responding to requests for information and making a recommendation for a construction contractor.

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PROJECT ADMINISTRATION

1. Notice to Proceed/Project Initiation
 - The Consultant will be issued a Notice to Proceed (NTP). Following the issuance of the NTP, the Consultant will prepare/schedule a kickoff meeting with respective stakeholders including FDOT.
2. Project Schedule
 - The Consultant will provide the City a comprehensive and clear project schedule identifying the timetable for execution and completion of the elements of the Scope of Work.
3. Project Status Meetings/Updates
 - The Consultant and the City will agree upon a set frequency determined at the kickoff meeting.

Project Deliverables and Submission Documents

1. 60% Design Documents Submission (2 weeks City review and 5 weeks FDOT review)
 - A. Five (5) sets of prints submitted to the City and one (1) electronic
 - B. FDOT submittals can be made electronically
 - C. Preliminary estimate of probable construction cost
 - D. 60% signed checklist
2. 90% Design Documents Submission (2 weeks City Review and 4 weeks FDOT review)
 - A. Five (5) sets of prints submitted to the City and one (1) electronic
 - B. FDOT submittals can be made electronically
 - C. Specifications package
 - D. 90% signed checklist
3. 100% Design Documents Submission (2 weeks City Review and 4 weeks FDOT review)
 - A. Five (5) sets of prints submitted to the City and one (1) electronic
 - B. Fifteen (15) for FDOT and FDOT Plan submittal may be electronically submitted
 - C. One (1) engineer's cost estimate

- D. One (1) set of bid forms
 - E. One (1) Design Documentation Reports
 - F. Contract Documents and Specifications
 - G. 100% signed checklist
4. Construction Engineering Inspection
- A. Provide inspection at a level of support to be determined as part of a supplemental amendment to the agreement.

F. INSURANCE

The City's General Insurance Requirements on page 10 apply. In addition to the City's General Insurance Requirements, the specialized insurance listed below require: PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY (commonly known as errors & omissions (E&O) with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 to cover legal obligations arising out of errors, negligent acts, or omissions while carrying out this contract.

G. SELECTION PROCESS

1. SOLICITATION SCHEDULE:

Listed below are the important dates and times related to this solicitation. The Procurement Division may find it necessary to change any of these dates or times. All dates are subject to change.

| <u>Action</u> | <u>Estimated Completion Date</u> |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Advertise and Float RFP | Week of February 24, 2020 |
| RFP Due Date | March 30, 2020 |
| Evaluation Committee Meeting | Week of April 13, 2020 |

2. PROPOSAL OPENING

The bid opening is public on the date and at the time specified on the proposal form. It is the proposer's responsibility to assure their proposal is delivered at the proper time and place of the proposal opening. Proposals which for any reason are not so delivered will not be considered.

3. EVALUATION COMMITTEE

The City Manager will appoint a selection committee to review and evaluate the proposals using the following criteria. The City, at its sole discretion, may contact the references and/or visit one or more of the projects listed in response to this solicitation as part of the evaluation process.

A shortlist of vendors may be interviewed for final ranking. If an interview is held, it will be less than one hour in length and be equally divided between the

presentation and questions and answers. The presentation (if necessary) time and date will be assigned by the City

4. SELECTION CRITERIA:

Any proposal that does not meet the minimum qualifications as stated above will be rejected. The criteria below are not necessarily listed in order of importance. Proposals will be evaluated on the following criteria:

| CRITERIA | MAXIMUM POINTS |
|--|---------------------------|
| Qualifications & Reputation of Firm & Sub-Firms | 30 |
| Qualifications and Experience of Person(s) Assigned to the Project | 20 |
| Project Understanding and Approach | 20 |
| Project Completion Schedule | 10 |
| Specified Supplemental Information | 10 |
| Minority Business Enterprise | 10 |

5. SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS:

Qualified firms interested in providing South Golf Drive Design & Engineering Services are invited to submit a proposal. Submittals shall address the evaluation criteria. **Please use the below TAB format for your proposal. Proposals should be concise and clear.**

TAB 1 - Cover Letter and Mandatory Form information

- Cover Letter - Maximum two pages outlining why the City should select your firm/team. Identify who will be the point of contact including their email address. Identify the Project Manager and in which office they are located.
- Items for Baseline Eligibility - Include Mandatory Form information from the Submission Check List page (including signed cover sheet, IRS W-9 form, any applicable licenses / certifications not included elsewhere in the proposal.

TAB 2 - Qualifications & Experience of Firm & Sub-Firms (Max. 30 pages)

- Demonstrate experience and qualifications of the firm on related projects, as well as any sub-firms on the project team. Experience should detail relevant experience in commercial road areas.
- Demonstrate specific knowledge of the firm’s past project experiences that would include relationships with regulatory agencies, particularly FDOT.

- Provide three (3) client references for similar public projects. Send the attached reference questionnaire to the client who will submit the completed form directly to the City.

TAB 3 - Qualifications & Experience of Person(s) Assigned to the Project (Max. 6 pages)

- Provide a staff organization chart. Identify key individuals involved on this project, their affiliation and office location. Please indicate which individuals will attend the proposed interview.
- Provide a Team organization chart and identify on the organization chart where the project will be managed from (office locations) and where the various work components will be done (office locations).
- For each staff member identified in the organization chart, provide a brief overview of their relevant experience. Detail resumes can be provided in the “All Other Items” section below. The brief overview should identify the individual experience on similar projects and their availability to support this project.
- Provide three (3) client references for similar projects led by the proposed Project Manager and each major task leader completed within the past 5-years. Send the attached reference questionnaire to the client who will submit the completed form directly to the City.

TAB 4 - Project Understanding and Approach (No page limit)

- Demonstrate understanding of the project’s opportunities and challenges.
- Identify the potential project challenges and how you would recommend that each be addressed, particularly with private property owners along the corridor.
- Provide your firm’s approach to managing and conducting the 60%, 90%, and 100% City Council and FDOT reviews and discussions.
- Identify the permits that will be required to be submitted and how would you propose to proceed to ensure that permits are obtained quickly.
- Provide your firm’s approach to public involvement.

TAB 5 - Schedule for Completion (Max. 5 pages)

- Provide a detailed proposed Milestone Schedule that illustrates the total project time to complete this project. **Milestone Schedule must be submitted in Microsoft Project format.** For these purposes assume the schedule to begin on June 1, 2020 and continue through the Notice to Proceed for construction.

TAB 6 - Specified Supplement Information (No page limit)

- Items included in this tab should be supplement information for items included in TABs 2 through 7.
- Location of firm(s) and team members in proximity to Naples.

- Provide detail (up to two pages) of resumes of key team members.
- Any other information deemed important to the proposer to demonstrate capabilities to meet this project opportunities.
- Any other item indented in RFP to be submitted or you believe should be submitted to demonstrate the firm's (or team's) qualifications

TAB 7 - Certified (MBE) Minority Business Enterprise Status

- Submit certification with the Florida Department of Management Service, Office of Supplier Diversity as a Certified Minority Business Enterprise.
- The Certified (MBE) Minority Business Enterprise Status needs to be for the firm submitting their qualifications.

H. INCURRING COSTS

The City of Naples is not liable for any costs incurred by the offeror submitting a proposal in response to this solicitation. The cost to prepare the proposal and travel to project interviews shall be the full responsibility of the proposer.

I. FIRM RANKING AND SELECTION

Based on the results of the evaluation process and selection criteria, the Evaluation Committee will prepare a prioritized ranking of firms. City staff will present an agreement to the top ranked firm for South Golf Drive Design & Engineering Services. Should contract negotiations fail with the top ranked firm, the City will enter into discussions with the second ranked firm, and so on, until an acceptable agreement has been reached between the City and the selected firm. The final contract will then be forwarded to the City Council for approval.

TERMS FOR FEDERAL AID CONTRACTS

The following terms apply to all contracts in which it is indicated that the services involve the expenditure of federal funds:

- A. It is understood and agreed that all rights of the Local Agency relating to inspection, review, approval, patents, copyrights, and audit of the work, tracings, plans, specifications, maps, data, and cost records relating to this Agreement shall also be reserved and held by authorized representatives of the United States of America.
- B. All tracings, plans, specifications, maps, computer files and/or reports prepared or obtained under this Agreement, as well as all data collected, together with summaries and charts derived therefrom, will be considered works made for hire and will become the property of the Agency upon completion or termination without restriction or limitation on their use and will be made available, upon request, to the Agency at any time during the performance of such services and/or completion or termination of this Agreement. Upon delivery to the Agency of said document(s), the Agency will become the custodian thereof in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. The Consultant will not copyright any material and products or patent any invention developed under this agreement. The Agency will have the right to visit the site for inspection of the work and the products of the Consultant at any time.
- C. It is understood and agreed that, in order to permit federal participation, no supplemental agreement of any nature may be entered into by the parties hereto with regard to the work to be performed hereunder without the approval of the U.S. Department of Transportation, anything to the contrary in this Agreement notwithstanding.
- D. The consultant shall provide access by the Florida Department of Transportation (recipient), the Agency (subrecipient), the Federal Highway Administration, the U.S. Department of Transportation's Inspector General, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers, and records of the consultant which are directly pertinent to that specific contract for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts, and transcriptions.
- E. Compliance with Regulations: The Consultant shall comply with the Regulations: relative to nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the U.S. Department of Transportation Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement.
- F. Nondiscrimination: The Consultant, with regard to the work performed during the contract, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of material and leases of equipment. The Consultant shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by Section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a

program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.

- G. Solicitations for Subcontracts, Including Procurements of Materials and Equipment: In all solicitations made by the Consultant, either by competitive bidding or negotiation for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the Consultant of the Consultant's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status.

- H. Information and Reports: The Consultant will provide all information and reports required by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the Local Agency, Florida Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of the Consultant is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information, the Consultant shall so certify to the Local Agency, Florida Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.

- I. Sanctions for Noncompliance: In the event of the Consultant's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the Local Agency shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Florida Department of Transportation, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to,
 - 1. withholding of payments to the Consultant under the contract until the Consultant complies and/or
 - 2. cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.

- J. Incorporation or Provisions: The Consultant will include the provisions of Paragraph C through K in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment unless exempt by the Regulations, order, or instructions issued pursuant thereto. The Consultant shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the Local Agency, Florida Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance. In the event a Consultant becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subconsultant or supplier as a result of such direction, the Consultant may request the Local Agency to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the Local Agency,

and, in addition, the Consultant may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

- K. Compliance with Nondiscrimination Statutes and Authorities: Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., 78 stat. 252), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin); and 49 CFR Part 21; The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 U.S.C. § 4601), (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects); Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973, (23 U.S.C. § 324 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex); Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, (29 U.S.C. § 794 et seq.), as amended, (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR Part 27; The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age); Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982, (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended, (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex); The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, (PL 100-209), (Broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, The Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms “programs or activities” to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal-aid recipients, sub-recipients and contractors, whether such programs or activities are Federally funded or not); Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing entities (42 U.S.C. §§ 12131 - 12189) as implemented by Department of Transportation regulations at 49 C.F.R. parts 37 and 38; The Federal Aviation Administration’s Non-discrimination statute (49 U.S.C. § 47123) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex); Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, which ensures non-discrimination against minority populations by discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations; Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination because of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, you must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to your programs (70 Fed. Reg. at 74087 to 74100); Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq).
- L. Interest of Members of Congress: No member of or delegate to the Congress of the United States will be admitted to any share or part of this contract or to any benefit arising therefrom.
- M. Interest of Public Officials: No member, officer, or employee of the public body or of a local public body during his tenure or for one year thereafter shall have any interest,

direct or indirect, in this contract or the proceeds thereof. For purposes of this provision, public body shall include municipalities and other political subdivisions of States; and public corporations, boards, and commissions established under the laws of any State.

- N. Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises: The Consultant shall agree to abide by the following statement from 49 CFR 26.13(b). This statement shall be included in all subsequent agreements between the Consultant and any subconsultant or contractor.
1. The Consultant, sub recipient or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the Consultant to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in termination of this contract or other such remedy as the recipient deems appropriate.
- O. It is mutually understood and agreed that the willful falsification, distortion or misrepresentation with respect to any facts related to the project(s) described in this Agreement is a violation of the Federal Law. Accordingly, United States Code, Title 18, Section 1020, is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement.
- P. It is understood and agreed that if the Consultant at any time learns that the certification it provided the Local Agency in compliance with 49 CFR, Section 26.51, was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances, the Consultant shall provide immediate written notice to the Local Agency. It is further agreed that the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transaction" as set forth in 49 CFR, Section 29.510, shall be included by the Consultant in all lower tier covered transactions and in all aforementioned federal regulation.
- Q. The Local Agency hereby certifies that neither the consultant nor the consultant's representative has been required by the Local Agency, directly or indirectly as an express or implied condition in connection with obtaining or carrying out this contract, to
1. employ or retain, or agree to employ or retain, any firm or person, or
 2. pay, or agree to pay, to any firm, person, or organization, any fee, contribution, donation, or consideration of any kind;

The Local Agency further acknowledges that this agreement will be furnished to a federal agency, in connection with this contract involving participation of

Federal-Aid funds, and is subject to applicable State and Federal Laws, both criminal and civil.

R. The Consultant hereby certifies that it has not:

1. employed or retained for a commission, percentage, brokerage, contingent fee, or other consideration, any firm or person (other than a bona fide employee working solely for the above contractor) to solicit or secure this contract;
2. agreed, as an express or implied condition for obtaining this contract, to employ or retain the services of any firm or person in connection with carrying out this contract; or
3. paid, or agreed to pay, to any firm, organization or person (other than a bona fide employee working solely for the above contractor) any fee contribution, donation, or consideration of any kind for, or in connection with, procuring or carrying out the contract.

The consultant further acknowledges that this agreement will be furnished to the Local Agency, the State of Florida Department of Transportation and a federal agency in connection with this contract involving participation of Federal-Aid funds, and is subject to applicable State and Federal Laws, both criminal and civil.

- S. The Consultant shall utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the Contractor during the term of the Contract and shall expressly require any subcontractors performing work or providing services pursuant to the Contract to likewise utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the subcontractor during the Contract term.
- T. A determination of allowable costs in accordance with the Federal cost principles will be performed for services rendered under the contract.

TITLE VI (FDOT APPENDICES A & E)

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

(1.) Compliance with Regulations: The Contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the U.S. Department of Transportation (hereinafter, “USDOT”) Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement.

(2.) Nondiscrimination: The Contractor, with regard to the work performed during the contract, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The Contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.

(3.) Solicitations for Subcontractors, including Procurements of Materials and Equipment: In all solicitations made by the Contractor, either by competitive bidding or negotiation for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment; each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the Contractor of the Contractor’s obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status.

(4.) Information and Reports: The Contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the *Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration* to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a Contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the Contractor shall so certify to the *Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration,*

and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.

(5.) Sanctions for Noncompliance: In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the *Florida Department of Transportation* shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the *Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration* may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:

- a. withholding of payments to the Contractor under the contract until the Contractor complies, and/or
- b. cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.

(6.) Incorporation of Provisions: The Contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the *Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration* may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. In the event a Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a sub-contractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the Contractor may request the *Florida Department of Transportation* to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the *Florida Department of Transportation*, and, in addition, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

(7.) Compliance with Nondiscrimination Statutes and Authorities: Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., 78 stat. 252), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin); and 49 CFR Part 21; The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 U.S.C. § 4601), (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects); Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973, (23 U.S.C. § 324 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex); Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, (29 U.S.C. § 794 et seq.), as amended, (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR Part 27; The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age); Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982, (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended, (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex); The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, (PL 100-209), (Broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, The Age Discrimination Act of

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

GRANT CERTIFICATIONS AND ASSURANCES

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS NEED TO BE RETURNED WITH SOLICITATION DOCUMENTS BY DEADLINE TO BE CONSIDERED RESPONSIVE

| <u>Solicitation Page</u> | <u>Form</u> |
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| X, X | Form 275-030-11 DBE Bid Package Information |
| X, X | Collier County Anticipated DBE Participation Statement, Part I and II |
| 6 | Form 375-030-30 Truth in Negotiation Certification |
| 7 | Form 375- Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transactions for Federal Aid Contracts |
| 8 | Form 375-030-33 Certification for Disclosure of Lobbying Activities on Federal Aid Contracts |
| 9 | Form 375-030-34 Certification for Disclosure of Lobbying Activities |
| XX-XX | Form 375-030-50 Conflict of Interest/Confidentiality Certification |

DBE Utilization

The Department began its DBE race neutral program January 1, 2000. **Contract specific goals are not placed on Federal/State contracts;** however, the Department has an overall 10.65% DBE goal it must achieve. In order to assist contractors in determining their DBE commitment level, the Department has reviewed the estimates for this letting.

As you prepare your bid, please monitor potential or anticipated DBE utilization for contracts. When the low bidder executes the contract with the Department, information will be requested of the contractor's DBE participation for the project. While the utilization is not mandatory in order to be awarded the project, continuing utilization of DBE firms on contracts supports the success of Florida's DBE Program, and supports contractors' Equal Employment Opportunity and DBE Affirmative Action Programs.

Any project listed as 0% DBE availability does not mean that a DBE may not be used on that project. A 0% DBE availability may have been established due to any of the following reasons: limited identified subcontracting opportunities, minimal contract days, and/or small contract dollar amount. Contractors are encouraged to identify any opportunities to subcontract to DBE's.

Please contact the Equal Opportunity Office at (850) 414-4747 if you have any questions regarding this information.

DBE Reporting

If you are the prime contractor on a project, enter your DBE participation in the Equal Opportunity Compliance system prior to the pre-construction or pre-work conference for all federal and state funded projects. This **will not** become a mandatory part of the contract. It will assist the Department in tracking and reporting planned or estimated DBE utilization. During the contract, the prime contractor is required to report actual payments to DBE and MBE subcontractors through the web-based Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) system.

All DBE payments must be reported whether or not you initially planned to utilize the company. In order for our race neutral DBE Program to be successful, your cooperation is imperative. If you have any questions, please contact EOOHelp@dot.state.fl.us.

Bid Opportunity List

The Federal DBE Program requires States to maintain a database of all firms that are participating or attempting to participate on FDOT-assisted contracts. The list must include all firms that bid on prime contracts or bid or quote subcontracts on FDOT-assisted projects, including both **DBE's and non-DBEs**.

Please complete the Bidders Opportunity List through the Equal Opportunity Compliance system within 3 business days of submission of the bid or proposal for ALL subcontractors or sub-consultants who quoted to you for specific project for this letting. The web address to the Equal Opportunity Compliance system is: <https://www.fdot.gov/equalopportunity/eoc.shtm>.

DBE/AA Plans

Contractors bidding on FDOT contracts are to have an approved DBE Affirmative Action Plan (FDOT Form 275-030-11B) on file with the FDOT Equal Opportunity Office before execution of a contract. DBE/AA Plans must be received with the contractors bid or received by the Equal Opportunity Office prior to the award of the contract.

Plans are approved by the Equal Opportunity Office in accordance with Ch. 14-78, Florida Administrative Code. Plans that do not meet these mandatory requirements may not be approved. Approvals are for a (3) three year period and should be updated at anytime there is a change in the company's DBE Liaison Officer and/or President. Contractors may evidence adoption of the DBE/AA Policy and Plan and/or a change in the designated DBE Liaison officer as follows:

- Print the first page of the document on company stationery ("letterhead") that indicates the company's name, mailing address, phone number, etc.
- Print the company's name in the " _ " space; next to "Date" print the month/day/year the policy is being signed; record the signature of the company's Chief Executive Officer, President or Chairperson in the space next to "by" and print the full first and last name and position title of the official signing the policy.
- Print the DBE Liaison's full name, email address, business mailing address and phone number the bottom of email.

E-mail the completed and signed DBE AA Plan to: eeoforms@dot.state.fl.us.

The Department will review the policy, update department records and issue a notification of approval or disapproval; a copy of the submitted plan will not be returned to the contractor.

CITY OF NAPLES

ANTICIPATED DISADVANTAGED, MINORITY, WOMEN OR VETERAN PARTICIPATION STATEMENT

Status will be verified. Unverifiable statuses will require the Vendor/Prime Contractor to either provide a revised statement or provide source documentation that validates a status. Contractor means an entity that receives a contract.

A. VENDOR/PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

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| PRIME NAME | PRIME FEID NUMBER | CONTRACT DOLLAR AMOUNT |
| | | |
| IS THE PRIME A FLORIDA-CERTIFIED DISADVANTAGED, MINORITY OR WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE/MBE/WBE)? OR HAVE A SMALL DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS 8A CERTIFICATION FROM THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION? OR A SERVICE DISABLED VETERAN? | VETERAN? Y N DBE? Y N MBE? Y N WBE? Y N SDB 8A? Y N | IS THE ACTIVITY OF THIS CONTRACT, CONSTRUCTION? Y N CONSULTATION? Y N OTHER? Y N |
| IS THIS SUBMISSION A REVISION? Y N | IF YES, REVISION NUMBER _____ | |

B. IF PRIME HAS SUBCONTRACTOR OR SUPPLIER WHO IS A DISADVANTAGED MINORITY, WOMEN-OWNED, SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN OR SERVICE DISABLED VETERAN, PRIME IS TO COMPLETE THIS NEXT SECTION

| DBE, MBE, WBE VET, SMB8A | SUBCONTRACTOR OR SUPPLIER NAME | TYPE OF WORK OR SPECIALTY | ETHNICITY CODE (See Below) | SUB/SUPPLIER DOLLAR AMOUNT | PERCENT OF CONTRACT DOLLARS |
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C. SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY PRIME VENDOR/CONTRACTOR

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|------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| NAME OF SUBMITTER | DATE | TITLE OF SUBMITTER |
| | | |
| EMAIL ADDRESS OF PRIME (SUBMITTER) | TELEPHONE NUMBER | FAX NUMBER |
| | | |

NOTE: This information is used to track and report anticipated DBE or MBE participation in federally-funded contracts. The anticipated DBE or MBE amount is voluntary and will not become part of the contractual terms. This form must be submitted at time of response to a solicitation. If and when awarded a County contract, the prime will be asked to update the information for the grant compliance files.

| ETHNICITY | CODE |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| Black American | BA |
| Hispanic American | HA |
| Native American | NA |
| Subcont. Asian American | SAA |
| Asian-Pacific American | APA |
| Non-Minority Women | NMW |
| Other: not of any other group listed | O |

D. SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY COLLIER COUNTY

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| DEPARTMENT NAME | COLLIER CONTRACT # (IFB/RFP or PO/REQ) | GRANT PROGRAM/CONTRACT |
| | | |
| ACCEPTED BY: | DATE | |
| | | |

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
TRUTH IN NEGOTIATION CERTIFICATION

375-030-30
 PROCUREMENT
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CITY OF NAPLES
ANTICIPATED DISADVANTAGED, MINORITY, WOMEN OR VETERAN PARTICIPATION STATEMENT
Part 2

DBE AWARDS/COMMITMENTS

| Breakdown by Ethnicity and Gender | Prime A-C | | | Sub-Contractor D-F | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|------|-------|-----------------------|-----|-------|
| | A | B | C | D | E | F |
| | Total to DBE (Dollar Amount) | | | Total to DBE (Number) | | |
| | Women | Men | Total | Women | Men | Total |
| Black American: | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - | - |
| Hispanic American: | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - | - |
| Native American: | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - | - |
| Asian Pacific American: | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - | - |
| Subcontinent Asian American: | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - | - |
| Non-Minority: | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - | - |
| Total | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - | - |

C. SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY PRIME VENDOR/CONTRACTOR

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| NAME OF SUBMITTER | DATE |
| Printed Name | Signature |

D. SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY COLLIER COUNTY

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| ACCEPTED BY: | DATE |
| Printed Name | Signature |

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
TRUTH IN NEGOTIATION CERTIFICATION

375-030-30
PROCUREMENT
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Pursuant to Section 287.055(5)(a), Florida Statutes, for any lump-sum or cost-plus-a-fixed fee professional services contract over the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes for CATEGORY FOUR, the Department of Transportation (Department) requires the Consultant to execute this certificate and include it with the submittal of the Technical Proposal, or as prescribed in the contract advertisement.

The Consultant hereby certifies, covenants, and warrants that wage rates and other factual unit costs supporting the compensation for this project's agreement are accurate, complete, and current at the time of contracting.

The Consultant further agrees that the original agreement price and any additions thereto shall be adjusted to exclude any significant sums by which the Department determines the agreement price was increased due to inaccurate, incomplete, or noncurrent wage rates and other factual unit costs. All such agreement adjustments shall be made within (1) year following the end of the contract. For purposes of this certificate, the end of the agreement shall be deemed to be the date of final billing or acceptance of the work by the Department, whichever is later.

Name of Consultant

By: _____

Date

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION,
INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION-
LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS FOR FEDERAL AID CONTRACTS**
(Compliance with 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200)

It is certified that neither the below identified firm nor its principals are presently suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

Name of Consultant/Contractor: _____

By: _____

Date: _____

Title: _____

Instructions for Certification

Instructions for Certification - Lower Tier Participants:

(Applicable to all subcontracts, purchase orders and other lower tier transactions requiring prior FHWA approval or estimated to cost \$25,000 or more - 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200)

- a. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier is providing the certification set out below.
- b. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department, or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- c. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- d. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "participant," "person," "principal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, are defined in 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200. You may contact the person to which this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations. "First Tier Covered Transactions" refers to any covered transaction between a grantee or subgrantee of Federal funds and a participant (such as the prime or general contract). "Lower Tier Covered Transactions" refers to any covered transaction under a First Tier Covered Transaction (such as subcontracts). "First Tier Participant" refers to the participant who has entered into a covered transaction with a grantee or subgrantee of Federal funds (such as the prime or general contractor). "Lower Tier Participant" refers any participant who has entered into a covered transaction with a First Tier Participant or other Lower Tier Participants (such as subcontractors and suppliers).
- e. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- f. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include this clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transaction," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions exceeding the \$25,000 threshold.
- g. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant is responsible for ensuring that its principals are not suspended, debarred, or otherwise ineligible to participate in covered transactions. To verify the eligibility of its principals, as well as the eligibility of any lower tier prospective participants, each participant may, but is not required to, check the Excluded Parties List System website (<https://www.epls.gov/>), which is compiled by the General Services Administration.
- h. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- i. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph e of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
**CERTIFICATION FOR DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES
ON FEDERAL-AID CONTRACTS
(Compliance with 49CFR, Section 20.100 (b))**

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PROCUREMENT
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The prospective participant certifies, by signing this certification, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief:

(1) No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

(2) If any funds other than federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities", in accordance with its instructions. (Standard Form-LLL can be obtained from the Florida Department of Transportation's Professional Services Administrator or Procurement Office.)

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

The prospective participant also agrees by submitting his or her proposal that he or she shall require that the language of this certification be included in all lower tier subcontracts, which exceed \$100,000 and that all such subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

Name of Consultant: _____

By: _____ Date: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Title: _____

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

375-030-34
 PROCUREMENT
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Is this form applicable to your firm?

YES NO

If *no*, then please complete section 4 below for "Prime"

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| 1. Type of Federal Action: a. contract b. grant c. cooperative agreement d. loan e. loan guarantee f. loan insurance | 2. Status of Federal Action: a. bid/offer/application b. initial award c. post-award | 3. Report Type: a. initial filing b. material change For Material Change Only: Year: _____ Quarter: _____ Date of last report: _____ (mm/dd/yyyy) |
| 4. Name and Address of Reporting Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> Prime <input type="checkbox"/> Subawardee Tier _____, <i>if known</i> : _____ _____ _____ Congressional District, <i>if known</i> : 4c _____ | 5. If Reporting Entity in No. 4 is a Subawardee, Enter Name and Address of Prime: _____ _____ _____ Congressional District, <i>if known</i> : _____ | |
| 6. Federal Department/Agency: _____ _____ | 7. Federal Program Name/Description: _____ _____ CFDA Number, <i>if applicable</i> : _____ | |
| 8. Federal Action Number, if known: _____ | 9. Award Amount, if known: \$ _____ | |
| 10. a. Name and Address of Lobbying Registrant <i>(if individual, last name, first name, MI):</i> _____ _____ _____ | b. Individuals Performing Services <i>(including address if different from No. 10a)</i> <i>(last name, first name, MI):</i> _____ _____ _____ | |
| 11. Information requested through this form is authorized by title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. This disclosure of lobbying activities is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed by the tier above when this transaction was made or entered into. This disclosure is required pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1352. This information will be available for public inspection. Any person who fails to file the required disclosure shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure. | Signature _____ Print Name: _____ Title: _____ Telephone No.: _____ Date (mm/dd/yyyy): _____ | |
| Federal Use Only: | | Authorized for Local Reproduction Standard Form LLL (Rev. 7-97) |

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF SF-LLL, DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

This disclosure form shall be completed by the reporting entity, whether subawardee or prime Federal recipient, at the initiation or receipt of a covered Federal action, or a material change to a previous filing, pursuant to title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. The filing of a form is required for each payment or agreement to make payment to any lobbying entity for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with a covered Federal action. Complete all items that apply for both the initial filing and material change report. Refer to the implementing guidance published by the Office of Management and Budget for additional information.

1. Identify the type of covered Federal action for which lobbying activity is and/or has been secured to influence the outcome of a covered Federal action.
2. Identify the status of the covered Federal action.
3. Identify the appropriate classification of this report. If this is a follow-up report caused by a material change to the information previously reported, enter the year and quarter in which the change occurred. Enter the date of the last previously submitted report by this reporting entity for this covered Federal action.
4. Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the reporting entity. Include Congressional District, if known. Check the appropriate classification of the reporting entity that designates if it is, or expects to be, a prime or subaward recipient. Identify the tier of the subawardee, e.g., the first subawardee of the prime is the 1st tier. Subawards include but are not limited to subcontracts, subgrants and contract awards under grants.
5. If the organization filing the report in item 4 checks "Subawardee," then enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the prime Federal recipient. Include Congressional District, if known.
6. Enter the name of the Federal agency making the award or loan commitment. Include at least one organizational level below agency name, if known. For example, Department of Transportation, United States Coast Guard.
7. Enter the Federal program name or description for the covered Federal action (item 1). If known, enter the full Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number for grants, cooperative agreements, loans, and loan commitments.
8. Enter the most appropriate Federal identifying number available for the Federal action identified in item 1 (e.g., Request for Proposal (RFP) number; Invitation for Bid (IFB) number; grant announcement number; the contract, grant, or loan award number; the application/proposal control number assigned by the Federal agency). Include prefixes, e.g., "RFP-DE-90-001."
9. For a covered Federal action where there has been an award or loan commitment by the Federal agency, enter the Federal amount of the award/loan commitment for the prime entity identified in item 4 or 5.
10. (a) Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the lobbying registrant under the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 engaged by the reporting entity identified in item 4 to influence the covered Federal
(b) Enter the full names of the individual(s) performing services and include full address if different from 10 (a). Enter Last Name, First Name, and Middle Initial (MI).
11. The certifying official shall sign and date the form, print his/her name, title, and telephone number.

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act, as amended, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB Control Number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is OMB No. 0348-0046. Public reporting burden for this







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CONFLICT OF INTEREST/CONFIDENTIALITY CERTIFICATION

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**CONFLICT OF INTEREST/CONFIDENTIALITY CERTIFICATION
 TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE/DOT TECHNICAL ADVISORS**

I certify that I have no present conflict of interest on the projects identified below, and that I will recuse myself from any capacity of decision making, approval, disapproval, or recommendation of any consultant/contractor/vendor for selection on any contract if I have a conflict of interest or a potential conflict of interest. As set forth in Sections 112.313 and 334.193, Florida Statutes, employees of the Department may not have any interest, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect; engage in any business transaction or professional activity; or accept any obligation of any kind which is in conflict with the proper conduct of their duties in the public interest.

I recognize that employees are expected to honor the ethical obligations inherent in public service. These obligations go beyond mere legal obligations and demand from the employee a greater sensitivity to his or her conduct, as well as the public's perception of such conduct.

Employees are expected to safeguard their ability to make objective, fair, and impartial decisions, and therefore may not accept benefits of any sort under circumstances in which it could be inferred by a reasonable observer that the benefit was intended to influence a pending or future decision of theirs, or to reward a past decision. Employees should avoid any conduct (whether in the context of business, financial, or social relationships) which might undermine the public trust, whether or not that conduct is unethical or lends itself to the appearance of ethical impropriety.

I will maintain the confidentiality of all information not made public by the Florida Department of Transportation ("Department") related to the procurement of the above-referenced ("Project") that I gain access to as a result of my involvement with the Project ("Procurement Information"). I understand that Procurement Information includes, but is not limited to, documents prepared by or for the Department related to procurement of the Project. I also understand that Procurement Information includes, but is not limited to, documents submitted to the Department by entities seeking an award of the Project ("Proposers"). I understand that Procurement Information may include documents submitted by Proposers related to letters of response/letters of interest, technical proposals, price proposals, financial proposals, and information shared during exempt meetings. I also understand that Procurement Information may also include documents that evaluate or review documents submitted by Proposers, and information regarding Project cost estimates. I also agree not to discuss the Project with anyone who is a member of or acting on behalf of a Proposer.

Unless so ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction or an opinion of the Office of the Florida Attorney General, I will not divulge any Procurement Information except to individuals who have executed a Conflict of Interest/Confidentiality Certification which has been approved by the Department ("Project Personnel"). I understand that a list of Project Personnel will be maintained by Department. If I am contacted by any member of the public or the media with a request for Procurement Information, I will promptly forward such request to the Department's Procurement Office. I will also maintain security and control over all documents containing Procurement Information which are in my custody.

I agree not to solicit or accept gratuities, unwarranted privileges or exemptions, favors, or anything of value from any firm under consideration for an agreement associated with the Project, and I recognize that doing so may be contrary to statutes, ordinances, and rules governing or applicable to the Department or may otherwise be a violation of the law.

I agree not to engage in bid tampering, pursuant to Section 838.22, Florida Statutes.

I realize that violation of the above mentioned statutes would be punishable in accordance with Section 112.317, Section 334.193, or Section 838.22, Florida Statutes, and could result in disciplinary action by the Department.

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Each undersigned individual agrees to the terms of this Conflict of Interest/Confidentiality Certification.

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**CONFLICT OF INTEREST/CONFIDENTIALITY CERTIFICATION
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