INVITATION FOR BID
Construction
B20-064AM

ISSUED: APRIL 24, 2020

BODDINGTON FIELD AT NORTH MONUMENT VALLEY PARK WATER UTILITY CONSTRUCTION PROJECT
The City of Colorado Springs hereby solicits Fixed Unit Price Bids, as detailed in this Invitation for Bids (IFB), for the Boddington Field at North Monument Valley Irrigation Project.

This IFB is posted to Rocky Mountain E –Purchasing as well as the City’s Contract Management Program – Bonfire.

SUBMITTALS FOR THIS PROJECT WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED ON THE BONFIRE PROCUREMENT PLATFORM.

Please login to the following website to register to submit a bid for this project. All required documents will be uploaded to the website: https://coloradospringsgov.bonfirehub.com/login


Bid opening will be held Friday, May 15, 2020 at 2:00PM and a public opening will be held at this time at: https://csgov.webex.com/csgov/j.php?MTID=m5de559d91d3b47eb0dfdeae8b89c9c41
Meeting number: 288 696 670
Password: HyKgmJNq825
SECTION I – BID INFORMATION

BID INFORMATION

Section I provides general information to potential Bidders, such as bid submission instructions and other similar administrative elements. This Invitation for Bid (IFB) is available on:

A. Rocky Mountain E–Purchasing System: https://www.rockymountainbidsystem.com
B. Bonfire https://coloradospringsgov.bonfirehub.com

All addenda or amendments shall be issued through Bonfire.

1.1 SPECIAL TERMS

Please note the following definitions of terms as used herein:

The term “City” means the City of Colorado Springs.

The term “Contractor” or “Consultant” means the Bidder whose offer is accepted and is awarded the contract to provide the products or services specified in the IFB.

The term “Offer” or “Bid” means a bid submitted in response to this IFB.

The term “Offeror” or “Bidder” means the person, firm, or corporation that submits a formal bid or offer and that may or may not be successful in being awarded the contract.

The term “Project” refers to the Boddington Field Irrigation Project.

The terms “Invitation for Bid” or “IFB” mean this solicitation of formal, competitive, sealed bids from prospective bidders in which the intent is to award a contract to the resultant lowest responsible and responsive bidder.

1.2 BID ISSUE DATE

Invitation for Bid (IFB) Number B20-064AM is being issued and posted on https://coloradospringsgov.bonfirehub.com on April 24, 2020.

1.3 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

Bids are to be submitted electronically on the Bonfire Procurement Platform: https://coloradospringsgov.bonfirehub.com.

Bids shall be received on or before: Friday, May 15, 2020 at 2:00PM and a public opening will be held at this time at: https://csgov.webex.com/csgov/j.php?MTID=m5de559d91d3b47eb0dfdeae8b89c9c41
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A. A bid bond is required if the total bid exceeds $50,000.00 (also see 1.22).

B. The cost of Bid preparation is not a reimbursable cost. Bid preparation shall be at the Bidder's
sole expense and is the Bidder’s total and sole responsibility.

1.4 PRE–BID CONFERENCE

A pre–bid conference will be held on Wednesday, April 29, 2020 at 9:00 AM onsite at: 1630 Culebra Ave, Colorado Springs, CO 80907. This meeting is not mandatory.

1.5 LATE BIDS/LATE MODIFICATIONS OF BIDS

Bids, withdrawals or modifications of Bids received after the time set for opening, as designated in 1.3 above, are considered “late bids”, and will not be accepted by the City, except as provided for in the City of Colorado Springs Procurement Rules and Regulations and approved by the Procurement Services Manager. Bidders are solely responsible for ensuring their bids arrive on time and to the place specified in this Invitation for Bid.

1.6 MISTAKES IN BIDS – CONFIRMATION OF BID

If it appears from a review of a Bid that a mistake has been made, the Bidder may be requested to confirm its Bid in writing. Situations in which the confirmation may be requested include obvious, apparent errors on the face of a Bid or a Bid unreasonably lower than the other Bids submitted. All mistakes in Bids will be handled in accordance with the City of Colorado Springs Procurement Rules and Regulations.

1.7 PROCUREMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

All formal IFBs advertised by the City of Colorado Springs are solicited in accordance with the City's Procurement Rules and Regulations. The City's Procurement Rules and Regulations can be reviewed and/or downloaded from the City’s Procurement Services Division website: https://coloradosprings.gov/procurement-services.

Any discrepancies or conflicting statements, decisions regarding bidding irregularities, or clarifications regarding clauses or specifications will be rectified utilizing the City's Procurement Rules and Regulations, when applicable. It is the Bidder’s responsibility to advise the Contracts Specialist listed in this IFB of any perceived discrepancies, conflicting statements, or problems with clauses or specifications prior to the Bid opening date and time.

1.8 MINOR INFORMALITIES/IRREGULARITIES IN BIDS

A. A minor informality or irregularity is one that is merely a matter of form and not of substance. It also pertains to some immaterial defect in a Bid or variation of a Bid from the exact requirements of the invitation that can be corrected or waived without being prejudicial to other Bidders. The defect or variation is considered immaterial when the effect on price, quantity, quality, or delivery is negligible when contrasted with the total cost or scope of the goods and/or services being acquired.

B. If the City Procurement Services Division determines that a Bid submitted contains a minor informality or irregularity, then the Procurement Services Manager shall either give the Bidder an opportunity to cure any deficiency resulting from the minor informality or irregularity or waive the deficiency, whichever is to the advantage of the City. In no event will the Bidder be allowed to change the Bid amount. Examples of minor informalities or irregularities include, but are not limited to, the following:
(1) Bidder fails to sign the Bid, but only if the unsigned Bid is accompanied by other material evidence, which indicates the Bidder’s intention to be bound by the unsigned Bid (such as Bid security, or signed cover letter which references the Bid Number and amount of Bid).

(2) Bidder fails to acknowledge an Amendment, although this may be considered a minor informality only if the Amendment, which was not acknowledged, involves only a matter of form or has either no effect or merely a negligible effect on price, quantity, quality, or delivery of the item or services bid upon.

1.9 REJECTION OF BIDS

The Procurement Services Manager has the authority to reject any Bid based on, but not limited to, the following:

A. Any Bid that fails to conform to the essential requirements of the Invitation for Bids shall be rejected.

B. Any Bid that does not conform to the applicable specifications shall be rejected unless the IFB authorizes the submission of alternate bids and the items or services offered as alternates meet the requirements specified in the IFB.

C. A Bid that fails to conform to the specified delivery schedule.

D. A Bid shall be rejected when the Bidder imposes conditions that would modify requirements of the IFB or limit the Bidder’s liability to the City, since to allow the Bidder to impose such conditions would be prejudicial to other Bidders. For example, Bids shall be rejected in which the Bidder:

   (1) Protects against future changes in conditions, such as increased costs, if total possible costs to the City cannot be determined. This includes failure to completely fill out required bid schedule.

   (2) Fails to state a price and indicates that price shall be “price in effect at time delivery”.

   (3) States a price but qualifies it as being subject to “price in effect at time of delivery”.

   (4) Takes exceptions to the IFB terms and conditions.

   (5) Inserts the Bidder’s terms and conditions.

   (6) Limits the rights of the City under any Contract/Invitation for Bid clause.

E. Any Bid in which the price is considered to be unreasonable or is over budget.

F. Any Bid if the prices are determined to be unbalanced.

G. Bids received from any person or contractor that is suspended, debarred, proposed for debarment, or under investigation for fraud, including failure to pay federal, state, local or city taxes.
H. When a bid guarantee is required and the bidder fails to furnish the guarantee in accordance with the requirements of the IFB.

I. Low Bids received from bidders who are determined to be non–responsible in accordance with the City’s Procurement Rules and Regulations.

J. Any Bid that was prepared and submitted by a vendor who has been determined by the Procurement Services Manager to have an unfair advantage over other Bidders. Examples of an unfair advantage include, but are not limited to, the following:

(1) A previous or prior employee who in the last six (6) months was directly involved in the design or specification preparation of the competed procurement.

(2) A vendor who was directly involved in design or specification preparation of the competed project either for pay or voluntarily.

1.10 ESTIMATED QUANTITIES

If the Bid Form (Schedule A) herein contains estimated quantities, this provision is applicable. The quantities listed for each of the items in the Bid Form are only estimated quantities. Contractors are required to bid a firm unit price for each item specified. The actual quantities ordered may fluctuate up or down. The unit prices proposed by each Bidder will remain firm and will not be renegotiated if the estimated quantities are not met or are exceeded. This clause will take precedence over any/all other estimated quantity clauses that conflict with this clause.

For bidding purposes, if there is a conflict between the extended total of an item and the unit price, the unit price shall prevail and be considered as the amount of the Bid. All unit prices shall include all necessary overhead and profit. Items not listed in the Bid Form such as overhead, profit, mobilization, de–mobilization, bonding, etc. shall be distributed throughout the Bidder’s Unit Prices for the items listed on the Bid Form.

1.11 NUMBER OF COPIES

Bidders shall submit one electronic copy on the Bonfire Procurement Platform (https://coloradospringsgov.bonfirehub.com). Upon submission, all Bid documents shall become and remain the property of the City.

1.12 IDENTIFICATION OF BID


Bid No.: B20-064AM BODDINGTON FIELD WATER UTILITY CONSTRUCTION PROJECT
Due Date & Time: May 15, 2020, 2:00 P.M.

1.13 SALES TAX

The successful Offeror, if awarded a contract, shall apply to the Colorado Department of Revenue for a tax–exempt certificate for this project. The certificate does not apply to City of Colorado Springs Sales and Use Tax which shall be applicable and should be included in all bids and proposals. The tax exempt project number and the exemption certificate only apply to County,
PPRTA (Pikes Peak Rural Transportation Authority), and State taxes when purchasing construction and building materials to be incorporated into this project. Furthermore, the exemption does not include or apply to the purchase or rental of equipment, supplies or materials that do not become a part of the completed project or structure. In these instances, the purchase or rental is subject to full taxation at the current taxation rate.

The Offeror and all subcontractors shall include in their Offer City of Colorado Springs Sales and Use Tax on the work covered by the offer, and all other applicable taxes. Any increase in applicable sales or use tax occurring after the contract has been let shall be borne by the contractor and not passed through to the City.

Forms and instructions can be downloaded at the City of Colorado Springs Website: https://coloradosprings.gov/sales-tax/page/construction-contractors?mlid=47576.

Questions can be directed to the City Sales Tax Division at (719) 385 –5903.

Our Registration Numbers are as follows:
City of Colorado Springs
Federal I.D.: 84 –6000573
Federal Excise: A –138557
State Sales Tax: 98 –03479

1.14 PREPARATION OF BID OFFER

A. Bidders are expected to examine the drawings, specifications, bid documents, proposed contract forms, terms and conditions, and all other instructions and solicitation documents. Bidders are expected to visit the job–site to determine all requirements and conditions that will affect the work. Failure to do so will not relieve a Bidder from their responsibility to know what is contained in this Invitation for Bid, or site conditions affecting the work.

B. The Bidder certifies that it has checked all of its figures and understands that the City will not be responsible for any errors or omissions on the part of the Bidders in preparing its Bid.

C. All items, (unless the invitation specifically states otherwise) including any additive or deductive alternates on the Bid Form, must be completely filled out or the Bid will be determined non–responsive and ineligible for consideration for award.

D. The Bidder declares that the person or persons signing this Bid is/are authorized to sign on behalf of the firm listed and to fully bind the Bidder to all the requirements of the IFB.

E. The Bidder certifies that no person or firm other than the Bidder or as otherwise indicated has any interest whatsoever in the Bid or the contract that may be entered into as a result of the Bid and that in all respects the Bid is legal and firm, submitted in good faith without collusion or fraud.

F. By submitting a Bid, the Bidder certifies that it has complied and will comply with all requirements of local, state, and federal laws, and that no legal requirements have been or will be violated in making or accepting this Bid. Bidders are expected to review the City's Procurement Rules and Regulations, which will be used when determining whether a Bidder is responsive and responsible and awarding contracts in the best interest of the City.
G. If there is a discrepancy between the unit price and the total price, the unit price shall be used to determine the applicable total price. Bidders are responsible for including profit and overhead associated with the project when determining their unit prices.

1.15 BASIS OF AWARD

A. The City of Colorado Springs intends to award a contract to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder whose Bid meets the requirements and the criteria set forth in the Invitation for Bids and is determined to be in the best interest of the City.

B. The City reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive informalities and/or irregularities in a Bid. Whether or not a contract is awarded as a result of this Invitation for Bid, as stated above, Bid preparation costs are not reimbursable.

C. Total Bid will be evaluated and awarded as follows: It is the City’s intent to award this bid based on the TOTAL BASE BID, not on a line item by line item basis.

1.16 PERIOD OF ACCEPTANCE

The Bidder agrees that its Bid shall remain open for acceptance by the City for a period of sixty (60) calendar days from the date specified in the IFB for receipt of Bids.

1.17 CONTRACT AWARD

The signature of the Bidder indicates that within ten (10) calendar days from acceptance of its Bid, it will execute a contract with the City and, if indicated in this IFB, furnish a project specific Certificate of Insurance naming the City of Colorado Springs and Pikes Peak Rural Transportation Authority as Additional Insured, furnish Performance, Labor and Materials, Payment and Maintenance Bonds and any other documents required by the Specifications or Contract Documents.

1.18 NOTICE TO PROCEED

Work may not start under any awarded contract until a written notice to proceed is issued by the City. The City may issue the Notice to Proceed any time after the contract is signed and, if required, insurance and bonds have been provided in accordance with 1.22 below.

1.19 AMENDMENTS TO THE SOLICITATION

Amendments are also referred to as addendum or addenda, and these terms shall be considered synonymous. It is the Bidder’s responsibility to contact the Contracts Specialist listed in 1.21 below to confirm the number of Amendments which have been issued.

A. If this solicitation is amended, then all specifications, terms and conditions, which are not specifically amended, remain unchanged.

B. Bidders shall acknowledge receipt of any amendment to this solicitation by signing and returning the amendment and by identifying the amendment number and date in the space provided on the form for submitting a Bid.

C. Acknowledged amendments must be received prior to Bid opening. Bidders are encouraged
to include signed addenda or initialed acknowledgment with returned Bids.

1.20 EXPLANATIONS TO PROSPECTIVE OFFERORS

Any prospective Bidder desiring an explanation or interpretation of the IFB documents, drawings, specifications, etc., must request it in writing within ten days of the Bid due date to allow enough time for a reply to reach all prospective Offerors before the time for submission of offers. Oral explanations or instructions given before the opening of Bids will not be binding. Any information provided to a prospective Bidder during the Bid preparation stage will be promptly furnished to all other prospective Bidders as an amendment to the solicitation, if that information is necessary in submitting Bids or if the lack of it would be prejudicial to other prospective Bidders.

1.21 QUESTIONS AND OTHER REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

All questions shall be submitted in writing to the following Contracts Specialist. All questions must be submitted by email and must be received no later than 2:00 PM WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 2020.

All questions shall be directed to:
Alyssa Mendelsohn
(Contract Specialist)
Alyssa.Mendelsohn@ColoradoSprings.gov

DO NOT CONTACT ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL AT THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS REGARDING THIS SOLICITATION

1.22 SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

A. Bid Security

(1) If the total amount of the accumulative Bid is more than $50,000, or a bond is required elsewhere in this IFB, the Bidder is required to furnish with their Bid a bid security in the form of a bank certified check, bank cashier’s check or a one–time bid bond underwritten by a company licensed to issue bonds in the State of Colorado and acceptable to the City in an amount equal to at least 5% of the total amount of the Bid payable without condition to the City.

(2) The Bid security shall guarantee that the Bid will not be withdrawn or modified for a period of sixty (60) calendar days after the time set for the receipt of Bids, and, if the Bid is accepted within those sixty (60) calendar days, that the person, firm or corporation submitting same shall within ten (10) calendar days after being notified of the acceptance of its Bid, enter into a Contract and furnish the required bonds and all insurance certificates called for under this Invitation for Bid.

(3) The Bid bonds of unsuccessful Bidders will not be returned to the respective Bidders unless a self –addressed, stamped envelope is provided along with a written request for bid bond return. However, if a certified check or a cashier’s check is submitted as Bid security, it will be returned as soon as possible after the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder is determined and a contract is executed.

(4) In the event the Bidder whose Bid is accepted fails to enter into the contract and/or furnish the required contract bonds, its certified check, cashier’s check or bid bond will be forfeited


B. Performance, Labor and Materials Payment, and Maintenance Bonds

(1) For contracts in excess of $50,000, the Contractor shall furnish to the City each of the following: a Performance Bond, a Labor and Materials Payment Bond, and a Maintenance Bond. Each such bond shall be in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price. Bonds shall be submitted within ten (10) calendar days after notification of award of a Contract. The cost of all bonds shall be included in Contractor's Bid.

(2) Bonds shall:
   a) Be for the full amount of the Contract price.
   b) Guarantee the Contractor's faithful performance of the work under the Contract, and the prompt and full payment for all labor and materials involved therein.
   c) Guarantee protection to the City against liens of any kind.
   d) Be from a surety company operating lawfully in the state of Colorado and accompanied by an acceptable "Power –of –Attorney" form attached to each bond copy.
   e) Be issued from a surety company that is acceptable to the City.
   f) Be submitted using the forms in the Exhibit section of this IFB or such forms as are approved by the City Attorney’s Office.

1.23 SPECIFICATIONS AND DRAWINGS

No Fee solicitations: Specifications and Drawings are normally included in the IFB. If Specifications and Drawings are too large to be included in the IFB, all interested Bidders may obtain one copy of the Project Specifications and a set of the Project Drawings for use in preparing Bids from the City Procurement Services Division office. If the Bidder requires additional sets, it is the Bidder’s responsibility to duplicate any additional copies, at its own expense.

1.24 TYPE OF CONTRACT

As a result of this Invitation for Bids, it is the City's intention to award a fixed unit price Contract based on the prices offered by the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Contract prices shall remain firm and fixed throughout the Contract performance period.

1.25 F.O.B. DESTINATION

Unless otherwise specified in the Invitation for Bid, all goods, materials, supplies, equipment or services covered by this IFB shall be delivered F.O.B. The F.O.B. destination shall be the location indicated in the awarded Contract or Purchase Order.

1.26 BID RESULTS

The City does not mail Bid results or tabulations. However, Bid tabulations are posted on and can be downloaded from Bonfire (https://coloradospringsgov.bonfirehub.com). Bidders submitting Bids in response to this solicitation may also request the Bid tabulation for this solicitation via email to the Contracts Specialist indicated as the point of contact for this solicitation.

1.27 APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS
A. In the event funds are not appropriated in whole or in part sufficient for performance of the City’s obligations under this IFB, or appropriated funds may not be expended due the City Charter spending limitations, then the City, without compensation to Bidders, may terminate or cancel this IFB or not award any contracts under this IFB.

B. In accordance with the Colorado Constitution and City Charter, performance of the City’s obligations under any resultant Contract will be expressly subject to appropriations of funds by the City Council, and, in the event the budget or other means of appropriation for any year of the Contract fails to provide funds in sufficient amounts to discharge such obligations, such failure (i) shall act to terminate the Contract at such time as the then-existing and available appropriations are depleted, and (ii) neither such failure nor termination shall constitute a default or breach of the Contract, including any sub-agreement, attachment, schedule, or exhibit thereto, by the City.

1.28 PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

The Contractor shall complete all work within the period of performance of Notice to Proceed – June 15, 2020. The Contractor will start work promptly after receipt of the Notice to Proceed and Pre-Construction meeting and continue to work diligently until all work is completed and accepted by the City.

1.29 BID DOCUMENTS

The following comprise this Invitation for Bid.

Schedule A – Bid Form
Schedule B – General Construction Terms and Conditions
Schedule C – CSU Water Line Extension and Service Standards
Schedule D – Scope of Services
Schedule E – Plan Set
Schedule F – Exhibits
  Exhibit 1: Sample Contract
  Exhibit 2: Minimum Insurance Requirements
  Exhibit 3: Qualification Statement
  Exhibit 4: Representations and Certifications
  Exhibit 5: Bid Bond
  Exhibit 6: Notification of Utilities

The following listed documents must be included with your Bid in order for your Bid submittal to be considered responsive.

Schedule A – Bid Form
Exhibit 2 – Minimum Insurance Requirements Form
Exhibit 3 – Qualification Statement
Exhibit 4 – Representations and Certifications
Exhibit 5 – Bid Bond if applicable (see 1.23)
Acknowledged Addendums, if issued
SECTION II – SCHEDULES

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SCHEDULE B – TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

General Construction Terms and Conditions, Version 100316, are hereby incorporated by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the City will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at this address:

SCHEDULE C – CSU WATER LINE EXTENSION AND SERVICE STANDARDS

CSU Water Line Extension and Service Standards, published and effective July 1, 2019, are hereby incorporated by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the City will make their full text available. The standards may be accessed at: https://www.csu.org/Pages/standards-bulletins.aspx
SCHEDULE D – SCOPE OF WORK

The City of Colorado Springs Parks Department is requesting water utility construction services at Boddington Field in North Monument Valley Park. The contractor will be responsible for all work and prices offered shall include all labor, materials, equipment, supplies and services required to complete the work. The City Project Manager, along with other Parks personnel, will provide oversight during the duration of the project.

Project Location
Boddington Field at North Monument Valley Park – 2012 Wood Ave.

Project Tasks
The contractor shall use their knowledge, skills, equipment, tools, and techniques to meet or exceed the needs and expectations for the project. The project shall include, but is not limited to the tasks as outlined below:

1. Project Management
   Assign and supervise project staff, monitor work schedule and budgets, and prepare invoices. This task also includes quality assurance and quality control activities. Maintain weekly communication with City Project Manager giving updates as necessary.

2. Project Deliverables
   Contractor shall provide all labor, materials, equipment, supplies, and services necessary for the construction of the water utility service per specifications and drawings, including any miscellaneous incidental material required to result in a complete and operable system. The water meter vault and lid will be purchased by Park and Rec. and should not be included in the bid.

3. Times for Rendering Services
   The times for these services are a start date of Notice to Proceed, the date of substantial completion is June 1st, and the date of readiness for final payment June 15th.

Additional Comments.
This project consists of the installation of a new water service line, water meter vault and irrigation backflow device, per plans. Additionally, the contractor will be responsible for:

1. Applicable permits, inspection scheduling, coordination with CSU for water shut-downs
2. Traffic control associated with any applicable lane closures
3. Any street, curb and sidewalk repair that is required
4. Soil removal, compaction and grade restoration
5. Installation of anode rods where required

All construction methods and materials shall meet Colorado Springs Utilities Water Line Extension and Service Standards.
SCHEDULE E – PLAN SET
SCHEDULE F – LIST OF EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1: Sample Contract
Exhibit 2: Minimum Insurance Requirements
Exhibit 3: Qualification Statement
Exhibit 4: Representations and Certifications
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1. INTRODUCTION

THIS FIXED UNIT PRICE CONTRACT ("Contract") is made and entered into this ___ day of __________, 2020 by and between the City of Colorado Springs, a Colorado municipal corporation and home rule city, in the County of El Paso, State of Colorado, (the "City"), and ____________________________ (the "Contractor").

THE CITY AND THE CONTRACTOR HEREBY AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

The City has heretofore prepared the necessary Contract Documents for the following Activity: Boddington Field Water Utility Construction Project.

The Contractor did on the 15th day of May, 2020, submit to the City the Contractor's written offer and proposal to do the work therein described under the terms and conditions therein set forth and furnish all materials, supplies, labor, services, transportation, tools, equipment, and parts for said work in strict conformity with the accompanying Contract Documents, which are attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, including the following:

A. This Contract
B. Schedule A – Proposal Price Sheet
C. Schedule B – General Construction Terms and Conditions
D. Schedule C – CSU Water Line Extension and Service Standards
E. Schedule D – Scope of Services
F. Schedule E – Plan Set
G. Schedule F – Exhibit 1 – Minimum Insurance Requirements
2. COMPENSATION/CONSIDERATION

THIS FIXED UNIT PRICE CONTRACT is established at the Not to Exceed amount of $xxxxxxxx.

Subject to the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents, Contractor agrees to furnish all materials and to perform all work as set forth in its proposal and as required by the Contract Documents.

All pricing is in accordance with the fixed unit prices found in Schedule A, as proposed by the Contractor. Payment made for actual quantities as set forth in Schedule B, General Construction Terms and Conditions. At no time shall the total obligation of the City exceed the not to exceed amount of this Contract.

3. TERM OF CONTRACT

Contractor will start work promptly after the Notice to Proceed and continue to work diligently until completed. The Contractor shall complete all work on an as ordered basis throughout the Contract period which is Notice to Proceed – June 15, 2020 (“Period of Performance”) as per the specifications and drawings. The Contractor shall provide a two–year guarantee on all work performed under this Contract after the job has been completed and accepted.

4. INSURANCE

The Contractor shall provide and maintain acceptable Insurance Policy(s) consistent with the Minimum Insurance Requirements attached in Schedule F, which includes Property, Liability, and as otherwise listed in Schedule F. The City of Colorado Springs shall be reflected as an additional insured on the Property and Liability policy(s).

Further, Contractor understands and agrees that Contractor shall have no right of coverage under any existing or future City comprehensive, self, or personal injury policies. Contractor shall provide insurance coverage for and on behalf of Contract that will sufficiently protect Contractor, or Contractor’s agents, employees, servants or other personnel, in connection with the services which are to be provided by Contractor pursuant to this Contract, including protection from claims for bodily injury, death, property damage, and lost income. Contractor shall provide worker's compensation insurance coverage for Contractor and all Contractor personnel. Contractor shall file applicable insurance certificates with the City and shall also provide additional insurance as indicated in this Contract. A CURRENT CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF SERVICES LISTING THE CITY AS ADDITIONALLY INSURED.

5. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR

A. The Contractor shall be responsible for the professional quality, technical accuracy, and the coordination of all Scope of Work services furnished by the Contractor under this Contract. The Contractor shall, without additional compensation, correct or revise any errors or deficiencies in services provided under this Contract to the satisfaction of the City.

B. The City’s review, approval of, acceptance of, or payment for the services required under this Contract shall not be construed to operate as a waiver of any rights under this Contract or of any cause of action arising out of the performance of this Contract, and the Contractor shall be and remain liable to the City for any and all damages to the City caused by the Contractor's negligent performance of any of the services furnished under this Contract.
C. The rights and remedies of the City provided for under this Contract are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law.

D. If the Contractor is comprised of more than one legal entity, each such entity shall be jointly and severally liable hereunder.

6. WORK OVERSIGHT

A. The extent and character of the work to be done by the Contractor shall be subject to the general approval of the City’s delegated Project Manager.

B. If any of the work or services being performed does not conform to Contract requirements, the City may require the Contractor to perform the work or services again in conformity with Contract requirements, at no increase in Contract amount. When defects in work or services cannot be corrected by re-performance, the City may (1) require the Contractor to take necessary action to ensure that future performance conforms to Contract requirements and (2) reduce the Contract price to reflect the reduced value of the work or services performed.

C. If the Contractor fails to promptly perform the defective work or services again or to take the necessary action to ensure future performance is in conformity with Contract requirements, the City may (1) by Contract or otherwise, perform the services and charge to the Contractor any cost incurred by the City that is directly related to the performance of such work or service or (2) terminate the Contract for breach of contract.

7. SUBCONTRACTORS, ASSOCIATES, AND OTHER CONTRACTORS

A. Any subcontractor, outside associates, or other contractors used by the Contractor in connection with Contractor’s work under this Contract shall be limited to individuals or firms that are specifically identified by the Contractor in the Contractor’s proposal and agreed to by the City. The Contractor shall obtain the City’s Project Manager’s written consent before making any substitution of these subcontractors, associates, or other contractors.

B. The Contractor shall include a flow down clause in all of its subcontracts, agreements with outside associates, and agreements with other contractors. The flow down clause shall cause all of the terms and conditions of this Contract, including all of the applicable parts of the Contract Documents, to be incorporated into all subcontracts, agreements with outside associates, and agreements with other contractors. The flow down clause shall provide clearly that there is no privity of contract between the City and the Contractor’s subcontractors, outside associates, and other contractors.

8. KEY PERSONNEL

The key personnel listed in the proposal and/or below will be the individuals used in the performance of the work. If any of the listed key personnel leave employment or are otherwise not utilized in the performance of the work, approval to substitute must be obtained by the Contractor from the City’s Project Manager. Any substitute shall have the same or a higher standard of qualifications that the key personnel possessed at the time of Contract award.

9. START AND CONTINUANCE OF WORK
It is further agreed that the Contractor will start work promptly and continue to work diligently until this Contract is completed.

The following provisions shall apply to this Contract and shall take precedence and control in the event of conflict with any other provisions of the Contract:

10. APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS

This Contract is expressly made subject to the limitations of the Colorado Constitution and Section 7–60 of the Charter of the City of Colorado Springs. Nothing herein shall constitute, nor be deemed to constitute, the creation of a debt or multi–year fiscal obligation or an obligation of future appropriations by the City Council of Colorado Springs, contrary to Article X, § 20, Colo. Const., or any other constitutional, statutory, or charter debt limitation. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, with respect to any financial obligation of the City which may arise under this Agreement in any fiscal year after the year of execution, in the event the budget or other means of appropriation for any such year fails to provide funds in sufficient amounts to discharge such obligation, such failure (i) shall act to terminate this Contract at such time as the then – existing and available appropriations are depleted, and (ii) neither such failure nor termination shall constitute a default or breach of this Contract, including any sub–agreement, attachment, schedule, or exhibit thereto, by the City. As used herein, the term “appropriation” shall mean and include the due adoption of an appropriation ordinance and budget and the approval of a Budget Detail Report (Resource Allocations) which contains an allocation of sufficient funds for the performance of fiscal obligations arising under this Contract.

11. CHANGES

The Contractor and the City agree and acknowledge as a part of this Contract that no change order or other form or order or directive may be issued by the City which requires additional compensable work to be performed, which work causes the aggregate amount payable under the Contract to exceed the amount appropriated for this Contract as listed above, unless the Contractor has been given a written assurance by the City that lawful appropriations to cover the costs of the additional work have been made or unless such work is covered under a remedy–granting provision of this Contract. The Contractor and the City further agree and acknowledge as a part of this Contract that no change order or other form or order or directive which requires additional compensable work to be performed under this Contract shall be issued by the City unless funds are available to pay such additional costs, and, regardless of any remedy–granting provision included within this Contract, the Contractor shall not be entitled to any additional compensation for any change which increases or decreases the Contract completion date, or for any additional compensable work performed under this Contract, and expressly waives any rights to additional compensation, whether by law or equity, unless, prior to commencing the additional work, the Contractor is given a written change order describing the change in Contract completion date or the additional compensable work to be performed, and setting forth the amount of compensation to be paid, and such change order is signed by the authorized City representative, as defined below. The amount of compensation to be paid, if any, shall be deemed to cover any and all additional, direct, indirect or other cost or expense or profit of the Contractor whatsoever. It is the Contractor’s sole responsibility to know, determine, and ascertain the authority of the City representative signing any change order under this Contract.

No change, amendment, or modification to this Contract shall be valid unless duly approved and issued in writing by the City of Colorado Springs Procurement Services Division. The City shall
not be liable for any costs incurred by the Contractor resulting from work performed for changes not issued in writing by the City of Colorado Springs Procurement Services Division.

The following personnel are authorized to sign changes, amendments, or modifications to this Contract.

- The Project Manager: Changes up to $14,999.99
- The City of Colorado Springs Chief of Staff: Changes up to $499,999.99
- The Mayor of the City of Colorado Springs: Unlimited

12. ASSIGNMENT

No assignment or transfer by the Contractor of this Contract or any part thereof or of the funds to be received thereunder by the Contractor will be recognized unless such assignment has had the prior written approval of the City and the surety has been given due notice of such assignment. Such written approval by the City shall not relieve the Contractor of the obligations under the terms of this Contract. In addition to the usual recitals in assignment contracts, the following language must be included in the assignment:

It is agreed that the funds to be paid to the assignee under this assignment are subject to a prior lien for services rendered or materials supplied for the performance of the work called for in said contract in favor of all persons, firms, or corporations rendering such services or supplying such materials.

13. CHOICE OF LAW

This Contract is subject to and shall be interpreted under the law of the State of Colorado, and the Charter, City Code, Ordinances, Rules and Regulations of the City of Colorado Springs, Colorado, a Colorado home rule city. Court venue and jurisdiction shall be exclusively in the Colorado District Court for El Paso County, Colorado. The Parties agree that the place of performance for this Contract is deemed to be in the City of Colorado Springs, El Paso County, State of Colorado. The Contractor shall ensure that the Contractor and the Contractor's employees, agents, officers and subcontractors are familiar with, and comply with, applicable Federal, State, and Local laws and regulations as now written or hereafter amended.

14. WORKERS’ COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Contractor shall take out and maintain during the Period of Performance, Colorado Worker's Compensation Insurance for the Contractor and all employees of the Contractor. If any service is sublet by the Contractor, the Contractor shall require the subcontractor to provide the same coverage for the subcontractor and subcontractor’s employees. Workers’ Compensation Insurance shall include occupational disease provisions covering any obligations of the Contractor in accord with the provisions of the Workers’ Compensation Act of Colorado.

15. INDEMNIFICATION

Contractor agrees that the Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the City, its officers, employees and agents, from and against any and all loss, damage, injuries, claims, cause or causes of action, or any liability whatsoever resulting from, or arising out of, or in connection with the Contractor’s obligations or actions under this Contract caused by any willful or negligent error, omission or act or a failure to observe any applicable standard of care by the
Contractor or any person employed by it or anyone for whose acts the Contractor is legally liable. In consideration of the award of this Contract, to the extent damages are covered by insurance, the Contractor agrees to waive all rights of subrogation against the City, its subsidiary, parent, associated and/or affiliated entities, successors, or assigns, its elected officials, trustees, employees, agents, and volunteers for losses arising from the work performed by the Contractor for the City. The indemnification obligation shall survive the expiration or termination of this Contract.

16. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

In the performance of the Contractor’s obligations under this Contract, it is understood, acknowledged and agreed between the parties that the Contractor is at all times acting and performing as an independent contractor, and the City shall neither have nor exercise any control or direction over the manner and means by which the Contractor performs the Contractor’s obligations under this Contract, except as otherwise stated within the Contract terms. The City shall not provide any direction to the Contractor on the work necessary to complete the project. Contractor understands that it is an independent contractor responsible for knowing how to perform all work or tasks necessary to complete project. The Contractor understands and agrees that the Contractor and the Contractor’s employees, agents, servants, or other personnel are not City employees. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for payment of salaries, wages, payroll taxes, unemployment benefits or any other form of compensation or benefit to the Contractor or any of the Contractor's employees, agents, servants or other personnel performing services or work under this Contract, whether it is of a direct or indirect nature. Further in that regard, it is expressly understood and agreed that for such purposes neither the Contractor nor the Contractor’s employees, agents, servants or other personnel shall be entitled to any City payroll, insurance, unemployment, worker’s compensation, retirement or any other benefits whatsoever.

17. APPLICABLE LAW AND LICENSES

In the conduct of the services or work contemplated in this Contract, the Contractor shall ensure that the Contractor and all subcontractors comply with all applicable state, federal and City and local law, rules and regulations, technical standards or specifications. The Contractor shall qualify for and obtain any required licenses prior to commencement of work.

18. PRIOR AGREEMENTS

This is a completely integrated Contract and contains the entire agreement between the parties. Any prior written or oral agreements or representations regarding this Contract shall be of no effect and shall not be binding on the City. This Contract may only be amended in writing, and executed by duly authorized representatives of the parties hereto.

19. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

The Parties hereby agree, and acknowledge, that all products, items writings, designs, models, examples, or other work product of the Contractor produced pursuant to this Contract are works made for hire, and that the City owns, has, and possesses any and all ownership rights and interests to any work products of the Contractor made under this Contract, including any and all copyright, trademark, or patent rights, and that compensation to the Contractor for Agreement and acknowledgment of this intellectual property right section of this Contract is included in any compensation or price whatsoever paid to the Contractor under this Contract. It is the intent of the parties that the City shall have full ownership and control of the Contractor’s work products.
produced pursuant to this Contract, and the Contractor specifically waives and assigns to the City all rights which Contractor may have under the 1990 Visual Artists Rights Act, federal, and state law, as now written or later amended or provided. In the event any products, items writings, designs, models, examples, or other work product produced pursuant to this Contract is deemed by a court of competent jurisdiction not to be a work for hire under federal copyright laws, this intellectual property rights provision shall act as an irrevocable assignment to the City by the Contractor of any and all copyrights, trademark rights, or patent rights in the Contractor's products, items writings, designs, models, examples, or other work product produced pursuant to this Contract, including all rights in perpetuity. Under this irrevocable assignment, the Contractor hereby assigns to the City the sole and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to the Contractor's products, items writings, designs, models, examples, or other work product produced pursuant to this Contract, in any media and for any purpose, including all rights of renewal and extension, to the City. To that end, the Contractor agrees to execute and deliver all necessary documents requested by the City in connection therewith and appoints the City as Contractor's agent and attorney-in-fact to act for and in Contractor's behalf and to execute, register, and file any such applications, and to do all other lawfully permitted acts to further the registration, prosecution, issuance, renewals, and extensions of copyrights or other protections with the same legal force and effect as if executed by the Contractor; further, the parties expressly agree that the provisions of this intellectual property rights section shall be binding upon the parties and their heirs, legal representatives, successors, and assigns.

20. WAIVERS

No waiver of default by the City of any of the terms, covenants, and conditions hereof to be performed, kept, and observed by the Contractor shall be construed, or shall operate, as a waiver of any subsequent default of any of the terms, covenants, or conditions herein contained to be performed, kept, and observed by the Contractor.

21. THIRD PARTIES

It is expressly understood and agreed that enforcement of the terms and conditions of this Contract, and all rights of action relating to such enforcement, shall be strictly reserved to the Parties hereto, and nothing contained in this Contract shall give or allow any such claim or right of action by any other or third person or entity on such Contract. It is the express intention of the Parties hereto that any person or entity, other than the Parties to this Contract, receiving services or benefits under this Contract shall be deemed to be incidental beneficiaries only.

22. TERMINATION

A. Termination for Convenience: By signing this Contract, Contractor represents that it is a sophisticated business and enters into the Contract voluntarily, has calculated all business risks associated with this Contract, and understands and assumes all risks of being terminated for convenience, whether such risks are known or not known. Contractor agrees that the City may terminate this Contract at any time for convenience of the City, upon written notice to the Contractor. Contractor expressly agrees to and assumes the risk that the City shall not be
liable for any costs or fees of whatsoever kind and nature if termination for convenience occurs before Contractor begins any work or portion of the work. Contractor further expressly agrees and assumes the risks that the City shall not be liable for any unperformed work, anticipated profits, overhead, mobilizations costs, set–up, demobilization costs, relocation costs of employees, layoffs or severance costs, administrative costs, productivity costs, losses on disposal of equipment or materials, cost associated with the termination of subcontractors, costs associated with purchase orders or purchases, or any other costs or fees of any kind and nature, if Contractor has started or performed portions of the Contract prior to receiving notice from the City. The City shall be liable only for the portions of work Contractor actually satisfactorily completed up to the point of the issuance of the Notice of Termination for convenience. Upon receipt of this notice the Contractor shall immediately: discontinue all services affected (unless the notice directs otherwise), and deliver to the City all data, drawings, specifications, reports, estimates, summaries, and other information and materials accumulated in performing this Contract, whether completed or in process.

B. Termination for Cause: The occurrence of any one or more of the following events (“Event of Default”) will justify termination for cause:

(i) Contractor’s failure to perform the work in accordance with the Contract Documents (including, but not limited to, failure to supply sufficient skilled workers or suitable materials or equipment or failure to adhere to the progress schedule as adjusted from time to time);
(ii) Contractor’s disregard of the laws or regulations of any public body having jurisdiction;
(iii) Contractor’s disregard of the authority of Project Manager;
(iv) Contractor’s violation in any material provision of the Contract Documents;
(v) Contractor’s failure to make prompt payments to its subcontractors, and suppliers of any tier, or laborers or any person working on the work by, through, or under the Contractor or any of them, any all of their employees, officers, servants, members, and agents;
(vi) Contractor files a petition commencing a voluntary case under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, or for liquidation, reorganization, or an arrangement pursuant to any other U.S. or state bankruptcy Laws, or shall be adjudicated a debtor or be declared bankrupt or insolvent under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, or any other federal or state laws relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, winding –up, or adjustment of debts, or makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, or admits in writing its inability to pay its debts generally as they become due, or if a petition commencing an involuntary case under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or an answer proposing the adjudication of Contractor as a debtor or bankrupt or proposing its liquidation or reorganization pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code or any other U.S. federal or state bankruptcy laws is filed in any court and Contractor consents to or acquiesces in the filing of that pleading or the petition or answer is not discharged or denied within sixty (60) Calendar Days after it is filed;
(vii) A custodian, receiver, trustee or liquidator of Contractor, all or substantially all of the assets or business of Contractor, or of Contractor’s interest in the Work or the Contract, is appointed in any proceeding brought against Contractor and not discharged within sixty (60) Calendar Days after that appointment, or if Contractor shall consent to or acquiesces in that appointment;
(viii) Contractor fails to commence correction of defective work or fails to correct defective work within a reasonable period of time after written notice.

If one or more of the events identified in Paragraphs i –viii above occur, City may give Contractor written notice of the event and direct the event be cured. Any such Notice to Cure
will Contractor a minimum of ten (10) calendar days to prepare and submit to the Project Manager a plan to correct the Event of Default. If such plan to correct the Event of Default is not submitted to the Project Manager within ten (10) days after the date of the written notice or such plan is unacceptable to the City, the City may, give Contractor (and the Surety, if any) written notice that Contractor’s services are being terminated for cause. Upon delivery of the termination notice, City may terminate the services of Contractor in whole or in part, exclude Contractor from the site, and take possession of the work and of all Contractor’s tools, appliances, construction equipment, and machinery at the project site, and use the same to the full extent they could be used by Contractor (without liability to Contractor for trespass or conversion), incorporate in the work all materials and equipment stored at the site or for which City has paid Contractor but which are stored elsewhere, and finish the work as City may deem expedient. In such case, Contractor shall not be entitled to receive any further payment until Certificate of Completion of the work. In the event City terminates this Contract for Cause and the cost of completing the work exceeds the unpaid balance of the Contract price, Contractor shall pay City for any costs of completion which exceed the Contract price when combined with all amounts previously paid to Contractor. When exercising any rights or remedies under this paragraph City shall not be required to obtain the lowest price for the work performed. Should the cost of such completion, including all proper charges, be less than the original Contract price, the amount so saved shall accrue to the City. Neither the City nor any officer, agent or employee of the City shall be in any way liable or accountable to the Contractor or the Surety for the method by which the completion of the said work, or any portion thereof, may be accomplished or for the price paid.

Where Contractor’s services have been so terminated by City, the termination will not affect any rights or remedies of City against Contractor or Surety then existing or which may thereafter accrue. Any retention or payment of moneys due Contractor by City will not release Contractor from liability.

C. Termination Notice. Upon receipt of a termination notice, whether for convenience or cause, the Contractor shall immediately: discontinue all services affected (unless the notice directs otherwise), and deliver to the City all data, drawings, specifications, reports, estimates, summaries, and other information and materials accumulated in performing this Contract, whether completed or in process.

D. Removal of Equipment. Except as provided above, in the case of termination of this Contract before completion from any cause whatever, the Contractor, if notified to do so by the City, shall promptly remove any part or all of Contractor’s equipment and supplies from the property of the City, failing which the City shall have the right to remove such equipment and supplies at the expense of the Contractor.

23. BOOKS OF ACCOUNT AND AUDITING

The Contractor shall make available to the City if requested, true and complete records, which support billing statements, reports, performance indices, and all other related documentation. The City’s authorized representatives shall have access during reasonable hours to all records, which are deemed appropriate to auditing billing statements, reports, performance indices, and all other related documentation. The Contractor agrees that it will keep and preserve for at least seven years all documents related to the Contract which are routinely prepared, collected or compiled by the Contractor during the performance of this Contract.
The City’s Auditor and the Auditor’s authorized representatives shall have the right at any time to audit all of the related documentation. The Contractor shall make all documentation available for examination at the Auditor’s request at either the Auditor’s or Contractor’s offices, and without expense to the City.

24. ILLEGAL ALIENS

Illegal Aliens – Public Contracts for Services – Compliance with Title 8, Article 17.5, Colorado Revised Statutes: The Contractor acknowledges, understands, agrees, and certifies that: In the performance of any work or the provision of any services by the Contractor under this Contract, the Contractor shall not knowingly employ or contract with an illegal alien to perform work under this Contract; or enter into a contract with any subcontractor that fails to certify to the Contractor that the subcontractor shall not knowingly employ or contract with an illegal alien to perform work under this Contract or under the subcontract to this Contract. The Contractor certifies in accord with Section 8 – 17.5 – 102(1) C.R.S. that, on the date the Contractor signs this Contract, the Contractor does not knowingly employ or Contract with an illegal alien who will perform work under this Contract and that the Contractor shall participate in the e–verify program or Colorado Department of Labor and Employment program in order to confirm the employment eligibility of all employees who are newly hired for employment or to perform work under this Contract. The Contractor is expressly prohibited from using the e–verify program or Colorado Department of Labor and Employment program procedures to undertake pre–employment screening of job applicants while this Contract and any services under this Contract are being performed. If the Contractor obtains actual knowledge that a subcontractor performing work under this Contract for services knowingly employs or contracts with an illegal alien, the Contractor shall notify the subcontractor and the City within three days that the Contractor has actual knowledge that the subcontractor is employing or contracting with an illegal alien, and terminate the subcontract with the subcontractor if within three days of receiving the notice the subcontractor does not stop employing or contracting with the illegal alien; except that the Contractor shall not terminate the Contract with the subcontractor if during the three days the subcontractor provides information to establish that the subcontractor has not knowingly employed or contracted with an illegal alien. The Contractor shall comply with any request by the City, federal government, or the Colorado Department of Labor and Employment made in the course of an investigation. If the Contractor violates or fails to comply with any provision of C.R.S. 8 – 17.5 – 101, et seq., the City may terminate this Contract for breach of contract. If this Contract is so terminated, the Contractor shall be liable for any actual and consequential damages to the City.

25. COMPLIANCE WITH IMMIGRATION REFORM AND CONTROL ACT OF 1986

Contractor certifies that Contractor has complied with the United States Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. All persons employed by Contractor for performance of this Contract have completed and signed Form I–9 verifying their identities and authorization for employment.

26. LABOR

The Contractor shall employ only competent and skilled workmen and foremen in the conduct of work on this Contract. The Contractor shall at all times enforce strict discipline and good order among Contractor’s employees. The Project Manager shall have the authority to order the removal from the work of any person, including Contractor’s or any subcontractor’s employees, who refuses or neglects to observe any of the provisions of these Plans or Specifications, or who is incompetent, abusive, threatening, or disorderly in conduct and any such person shall not again be employed on the Project.
In accordance with the Keep Jobs in Colorado Act, codified at sections 8 – 17 – 101, et seq., C.R.S., Colorado labor shall be employed to perform the work to the extent of not less than eighty percent (80%) of each type or class of labor in the several classifications of skilled and common labor employed on this Project et seq.; provided however, that this paragraph shall not apply if the Project receives federal funding.

In no event shall the City be responsible for overtime pay.

27. GRATUITIES

A. This Contract may be terminated if the Mayor, the Mayor’s designee, and/or the Procurement Services Manager determine, in their sole discretion, that the Contractor or any officer, employee, agent, or other representative whatsoever, of the Contractor offered or gave a gift or hospitality to a City officer, employee, agent or Contractor for the purpose of influencing any decision to grant a City contract or to obtain favorable treatment under any City contract.

B. The terms "hospitality" and "gift" include, but are not limited to, any payment, subscription, advance, forbearance, acceptance, rendering or deposit of money, services, or anything of value given or offered, including but not limited to food, lodging, transportation, recreation or entertainment, token or award.

C. Contract termination under this provision shall constitute a breach of contract by the Contractor, and the Contractor shall be liable to the City for all costs of reletting the contract or completion of the project. Further, if the Contractor is terminated under this provision, or violates this provision but is not terminated, the Contractor shall be subject to debarment under the City's Procurement Regulations. The rights and remedies of the City provided in this clause shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.

28. NON–DISCRIMINATION

A. In accordance with section 24 – 34 – 402, C.R.S., the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of disability, race, creed, color, sexual orientation, religion, age, national origin, or ancestry. But, with regard to a disability, it is not a discriminatory or an unfair employment practice for an employer to take into consideration disability if there is no reasonable accommodation that the employer can make with regard to the disability, the disability actually disqualifies the person from the job, and the disability has a significant impact on the job. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their disability, race, creed, color, sexual orientation, religion, age, national origin, or ancestry. Such actions shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training; including apprenticeship.

B. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
C. The Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to disability, race, creed, color, sexual orientation, religion, age, national origin, or ancestry.

D. Contractor will cooperate with the City in using Contractor's best efforts to ensure that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises are afforded the maximum opportunity to compete for subcontracts or work under this Contract.

29. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

Any inconsistency in this Contract shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:

A. This Contract document with its terms and conditions
B. The Statement of Work
C. Technical Specifications
D. Other Appendices, Attachments, Exhibits, or Schedules

30. HEADINGS

The section headings contained in this Contract are for reference purposes only and shall not affect the meaning or interpretation of this Contract.

31. DISPUTES

A. All administrative and contractual disputes arising from or related to this Contract other than those arising under Unanticipated Circumstances provisions (in section 107.27 of Schedule B General Construction Terms and Conditions) shall be addressed in the following manner:

(i) If either Party disputes or disagrees with a Contract term or the other Party's interpretation of a Contract term or has any other administrative or contractual dispute not addressed in the Unanticipated Circumstances provisions, such Party shall promptly give the other Party written notice of said dispute.

(ii) The Parties shall hold a meeting as soon as reasonably possible, but in no event later than thirty (30) calendar days from the initial written notice of the dispute, attended by persons with decision–making authority regarding the dispute, to attempt in good faith to negotiate a resolution of the dispute; provided, however, that no such meeting shall be deemed to vitiate or reduce the obligations and liabilities of the Parties or be deemed a waiver by a Party of any remedies to which such Party would otherwise be entitled unless otherwise agreed to by the Parties in writing.

(iii) If, within thirty (30) calendar days after such meeting, the Parties have not succeeded in negotiating a resolution of the dispute, they agree to submit the dispute to non–binding mediation and to bear equally the costs of the mediation.

(iv) The Parties will jointly appoint a mutually acceptable mediator. If they fail to do so within twenty (20) calendar days from the conclusion of the negotiation period, they shall each select a mediator. The two mediators will then appoint a third mediator who shall conduct mediation for the Parties as the sole mediator.

(v) The Parties agree to participate in good faith in the mediation and negotiations for a period of thirty (30) calendar days. The substantive and procedural law of the State of Colorado shall apply to the proceedings. If the Parties are not successful in resolving the dispute through mediation, then the Parties shall be free to pursue any other remedy
afforded by the laws of the State of Colorado.

(vi) Until final resolution of any dispute hereunder, the Contractor shall diligently proceed with the performance of this Contract as directed by the City. For purposes of this Contract, termination for convenience shall not be deemed a dispute. The City of Colorado Springs and the Contractor agree to notify each other in a timely manner of any claim, dispute, or cause of action arising from or related to this Contract, and to negotiate in good faith to resolve any such claim, dispute, or cause of action. To the extent that such negotiations fail, the City of Colorado Springs and the Contractor agree that any lawsuit or cause of action that arises from or is related to this Contract shall be filed with and litigated only by the Colorado District Court for El Paso County, CO.

32. DELIVERY

The City may cancel this Contract or any portion thereof if delivery is not made when and as specified, time being of the essence in this Contract. Contractor shall pay the City for any loss or damage sustained by the City because of failure to perform in accordance with this Contract.

33. PAYMENTS

All invoices shall be sent to the Project Manager identified in this Contract.

The City will pay the Contractor, upon submission of proper invoices, the prices stipulated in the Contract for services rendered and accepted, less any deductions provided in this Contract within 30 days (Net 30). The City will not pay late fees or interest. Any discount payment terms offered on the invoice may be taken by the City.

Each invoice must contain at least the following information:

Contract number, issued purchase order number, invoice number, invoice date, timeframe covered by invoice, type and amount of labor and materials used for that time period, dollar amount in unit price, extended price, and total value of invoice.

34. INSPECTION OF SERVICES

The Contractor is responsible for performing or having performed all inspections and tests necessary to substantiate that the services furnished under this Contract conform to Contract requirements, including any applicable technical requirements for specified manufacturers’ parts. This clause takes precedence over any City inspection and testing required in the Contract’s specifications, except for specialized inspections or tests specified to be performed solely by the City.

A. Definition of “services”, as used in this clause, includes services performed, workmanship, and material furnished or utilized in the performance of services.

B. The Contractor shall provide and maintain an inspection system acceptable to the City covering the services under this Contract. Complete records of all inspection work performed by the Contractor shall be maintained and made available to the City during Contract performance and for as long afterwards as the Contract requires.
C. The City has the right to inspect and test all services called for by the Contract, to the extent practicable at all times and places during the term of the Contract. The City will perform inspections and tests in a manner that will not unduly delay the work.

D. If the City performs inspections or tests on the premises of the Contractor or a subcontractor, the Contractor shall furnish, and shall require subcontractors to furnish, at no increase in Contract price, all reasonable facilities and assistance for the safe and convenient performance of these duties.

35. SECURITY

The City maintains security requirements regarding access to City buildings and other City workplaces and worksites on City property. All Contractor personnel accessing City buildings, workplaces, or worksites, may be required to produce a valid, Government issued picture identification. Contractor personnel lacking such identification may not be allowed access to such sites. No costs incurred by the Contractor due to City security requirements shall be allowable or payable under this Contract.

36. TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE

In as much as the Contract concerns a needed or required service, the terms, conditions, and provisions of the Contract relating to the time of performance and completion of work are of the essence of this Contract. The Contractor shall begin work on the day specified and shall prosecute the work diligently so as to assure completion of the work within the number of calendar days or date specified, or the date to which the time for completion may have been extended.

37. EMPLOYMENT OF LABOR

The Contractor shall comply with, and defend and hold the City harmless from any violation of all laws and lawful rules and regulations, both of the State of Colorado and of the United States, relating to Workmen's Compensation, unemployment compensation, Social Security, payment for overtime, and all other expenses and conditions of employment under this Contract.

38. SALES TAX

The Contractor must have a tax–exemption certificate from the Colorado Department of Revenue for this project. The certificate does not apply to City of Colorado Springs Sales and Use Tax which shall be applicable. The tax exempt project number and the exemption certificate only applies to County, PPRTA (Pikes Peak Rural Transportation Authority), and State taxes when purchasing construction and building materials to be incorporated into this project.

Furthermore, the exemption does not include or apply to the purchase or rental of equipment, supplies or materials that do not become a part of the completed project or structure. Such purchases and rentals are subject to full applicable taxation.

All contracts with subcontractors must include the City of Colorado Springs Sales and Use Tax on the work covered by the Contract, and other taxes as applicable.

Note: For all equipment, materials and supplies incorporated into the work purchased from vendors or suppliers not licensed to collect City Sales Tax (i.e. out of state suppliers, etc.), City Use Tax is due and payable to the City. The Contractor shall execute and deliver, and shall cause
the Contractor’s subcontractors to execute and deliver to the City Sales Tax Office, ST 16 forms listing all said equipment, materials and supplies and the corresponding use tax due, along with payment for said taxes. Any outstanding taxes due may be withheld from the final payment due the Contractor and may result in suspension of Contractor from bidding on City projects.

Forms and instructions can be downloaded at: https://coloradosprings.gov/sales-tax/page/construction-contractors?mlid=47576.

Questions can be directed to the City Sales Tax Division at (719) 385–5903.

Our Registration Numbers are as follows:
City of Colorado Springs
Federal I.D.: 84–6000573
Federal Excise: A–138557
State Sales Tax: 98–03479

The Contractor’s payment or exemption of State of Colorado, El Paso County and City Sales and Use Taxes shall be as specified herein.

39. SEVERABILITY

If any terms, conditions, or provisions of this Contract shall be held unconstitutional, illegal, or void, such finding shall not affect any other terms, conditions, or provisions of this Contract.

40. LIABILITY OF CITY EMPLOYEES

All authorized representatives of the City are acting solely as agents and representatives of the City when carrying out and exercising the power or authority granted to them under the Contract. There shall not be any liability on them either personally or as employees of the City.

41. USE OF CITY NAME OR LOGO

Except as otherwise provided in this Contract, the Contractor shall not refer to this Contract or the City of Colorado Springs in any advertising or promotions in such a manner as to state or imply that the product or service provided is endorsed or preferred by the City of Colorado Springs, its employees, or its Departments, or is considered by these entities to be superior to other products or services. Any use of the name or logo of the City of Colorado Springs in advertising or promotions must be approved in writing by the City of Colorado Springs Contracts Specialist assigned to the Contract prior to such use.

42. TRAVEL

If travel expenses are included as a line item in this Contract, all travel expenses incurred and billable by the Contractor are subject to City approval. Air travel shall be limited to the round trip "economy coach" fare. Travel from the Colorado Springs Airport is encouraged. Unless there are extenuating circumstances, the Contract should take advantage of lower airfares by purchasing tickets more than 14 days in advance of travel. In–state travel by air must be more economical than travel by private vehicle. Use of a private vehicle may be reimbursed per mile at the current rate published by the IRS annually. Short–term parking, long–term parking or cab fare associated with airport departure and arrival may be allowable expenses. Valet parking will not be allowed unless it is the least expensive or only option. Car rental rates may be reimbursed for car rentals
no greater than the intermediate or standard classification. The City will not reimburse any other travel methods or expenses. The City will pay for lodging, meals, and miscellaneous expenses on a per diem basis only, in accordance with the current per diem rates published by the IRS annually. The City will not pay for Contractor expenses exceeding the per diem rates. Receipts for all reimbursable expenses must be provided with the Contractor’s invoice.

43. APPENDICES

The following Appendices are made a part of this Agreement:

1. Schedule A – Proposal Price Sheet
2. Schedule B – Technical Specifications
3. Schedule D – Statement of Work
4. Schedule E – Plan Set
5. Exhibit 1 – Minimum Insurance Requirements
CONTRACT SIGNATURE PAGE

The Contractor certifies in accord with Section 8–17.5–102(1) C.R.S. that, on the date the Contractor signs this Contract, the Contractor does not knowingly employ or Contract with an illegal alien who will perform work under this Contract and that the Contractor shall participate in the e–verify program or Colorado Department of Labor and Employment program in order to confirm the employment eligibility of all employees who are newly hired for employment or to perform work under this Contract. The Contractor is expressly prohibited from using the e–verify program or Colorado Department of Labor and Employment program procedures to undertake pre–employment screening of job applicants while this Contract and any services under this Contract are being performed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused these presents to be executed on the day and the year first above written.

This Contract is executed in one (1) original copy.

THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO:

SECOND PARTY:

Corporate Name

Signature Date

Title
**EXHIBIT 2 – MINIMUM INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

The following listed minimum insurance requirements shall be carried by all contractors and consultants unless otherwise specified in the City’s solicitation package, Special Provisions, or Standard Specifications.

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<td>X Workers’ Compensation and Employers Liability as required by statute. Employers Liability coverage is to be carried for a minimum limit of $100,000.</td>
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<td>X Commercial General Liability for limits not less than $1,000,000 combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence. Coverage shall include blanket contractual, broad form property damage, products and completed operations and contractors protective endorsements.</td>
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Except for workers’ compensation and employer’s liability insurance, the **City of Colorado Springs must be named as an additional insured**. Certificates of Insurance must be submitted before commencing the work and provide 30 days’ notice prior to any cancellation, non-renewal, or material changes to policies required under the contract.

All coverage furnished by contractor is primary, and any insurance held by the City of Colorado Springs is excess and non-contributory.

The undersigned certifies and agrees to carry and maintain the insurance requirements indicated above throughout the contract Period of Performance.

__________________________________________
(Name of Company)

__________________________________________
(Signature) (Date)
EXHIBIT 3 – QUALIFICATION STATEMENT

CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS QUALIFICATION STATEMENT

This statement will provide information which will enable the City to evaluate the qualifications of your firm and staff with regard to the requirements of this Invitation for Bid. Please complete this form in its entirety and submit it (in the number of copies requested) along with the other required proposal documents. If a request in the Qualification Statement is contained in the Bid, indicate the section in the Bid where that information can be found.

(PRINT)
FIRM NAME: 
ADDRESS: 
CITY STATE ZIP: 
AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE: 
TITLE: 
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: 
PHONE: FAX: 
E-MAIL ADDRESS: 

1. TYPE OF BUSINESS

CORPORATION □ INDIVIDUAL □
PARTNERSHIP □ JOINT VENTURE □
OTHER: ______________________

2. TYPE OF LICENSE & LOCATION


3. TYPE OF SERVICE TO BE PROVIDED IN IFB:


4. NUMBER OF YEARS IN BUSINESS:


5. ON A SEPARATE SHEET PROVIDE A BRIEF HISTORY OF YOUR FIRM, STAFF SIZE AND EXPERIENCE. SUBMIT A RESUME FOR THE PROJECT MANAGER AND EACH KEY PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO THIS PROJECT

6. WHAT OTHER NAME(S) HAS YOUR COMPANY OPERATED UNDER?


7. HAVE YOU OR YOUR FIRM EVER FAILED TO COMPLETE ANY WORK AWARDED TO YOU?
YES □ NO □ IF “YES”, EXPLAIN:


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8. HAS ANY OFFICER OR PARTNER OF YOUR ORGANIZATION EVER BEEN AN OFFICER OR PARTNER OF ANOTHER ORGANIZATION THAT FAILED TO COMPLETE A CONTRACT WITHIN THE LAST FIVE (5) YEARS?  

   YES ☐  NO ☐  ☐  IF “YES”, EXPLAIN:

9. HAS YOUR FIRM OR ANY PARTNERS OR OFFICERS EVER BEEN INVOLVED IN ANY BANKRUPTCY ACTION?  ☐  NO ☐  ☐  IF “YES”, EXPLAIN:

10. ARE YOU PRESENTLY INVOLVED IN ANY LITIGATION WITH ANY GOVERNMENT AGENCY?  ☐  NO ☐  ☐  IF “YES”, EXPLAIN TYPE, KIND, PLAINTIFF, DEFENDANT, ETC., AND STATE THE CURRENT STATUS:

11. BANK REFERENCE:

   ADDRESS:

   CONTACT:  PHONE:

12. LIST THREE (3) SIMILAR PROJECTS (LOCAL OR STATE – WIDE) FROM LAST FIVE (5) YEARS – INCLUDE LOCATION OF PROJECT, SIZE OF PROJECT (CONTRACT AMOUNT), CONTACT NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBERS

   NOTE: DETAILED INFORMATION ON THESE PROJECTS MAY ALSO BE REQUESTED IN THE IFB PACKAGE.

1. Location of Project:  

   Size of Project:  

   Contract Amount:  

   Contact Name and Title:  

   Contract Address:  

   Contact telephone and FAX Numbers:

2. Location of Project:  

   Size of Project:  

   Contract Amount:
Contact Name:
Contact Address:
Contact telephone and FAX Numbers:

3. Location of Project:
   Size of Project:
   Contract Amount:
   Contact Name:
   Contact Address:
   Contact telephone and FAX Numbers:

13. LIST CURRENT SIMILAR PROJECTS (LOCAL OR STATE –WIDE) UNDER CONTRACT –
    INCLUDE LOCATION OF PROJECT, SIZE OF PROJECT (CONTRACT AMOUNT)
    CONTACT NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBERS.
    NOTE: DETAILED INFORMATION ON THESE PROJECTS MAY ALSO BE REQUESTED IN THE RFP PACKAGE.
    1. Location of Project:
       Size of Project:
       Contract Amount:
       Contact Name and Title:
       Contact Address:
       Contact telephone and FAX Numbers:

    2. Location of Project:
       Size of Project:
       Contract Amount:
       Contact Name and Title:
       Contact Address:
       Contact telephone and FAX Numbers:

    3. Location of Project:
       Size of Project:
       Contract Amount:
       Contact Name and Title:
       Contact Address:
       Contact telephone and FAX Numbers:

14. LIST OF SUB–CONTRACTORS TO BE USED FOR THIS PROJECT:
    (INCLUDE NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER, TYPE OF WORK)
    1. Name:
       Address:
       Telephone Number:
       Type of Work:

    2. Name:
       Address:
       Telephone Number:
       Type of Work:

    3. Name:
Address: 
Telephone Number: 
Type of Work: 

IF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS PROVIDED ON A SEPARATE SHEET FOR ANY OF THE ITEMS, CLEARLY SPECIFY WHERE IT CAN BE LOCATED IN YOUR BID PACKAGE.
EXHIBIT 4 – REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

1. INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS
Offeror shall comply with all insurance requirements and will submit the Insurance Certificates prior to performance start date. If limits are different from the stated amounts, Offeror shall explain variance. Certain endorsements and “additionally insured” statements may require further clarification and specific statements on a project specific basis and should have been described in the Offeror’s Bid.

Initials for 1

2. ETHICS VIOLATIONS
A. The Offeror shall have in place and follow reasonable procedures designed to prevent and detect possible violations described in this clause in its own operations and direct business relationships.
B. Offeror certifies the Offeror has not violated or caused any person to violate, and shall not violate or cause any person to violate, the City’s Code of Ethics contained in Article 3, of Chapter 1 of the City Code and in the City’s Procurement Rules and Regulations
C. When the Offeror has reasonable grounds to believe that a violation described in this clause may have occurred, the Offeror shall promptly report the possible violation to the City Contracts Specialist in writing.
D. The Offeror must disclose with the signing of this Bid, the name of any officer, director, or agent who is also an employee of the City and any City employee who owns, directly or indirectly, an interest of ten percent (10%) or more in the Offeror’s firm or any of its branches.
E. In addition, the Offeror must report any conflict or apparent conflict, current or discovered during the performance of the Contract, to the City Contracts Specialist.
F. The Offeror shall not engage in providing gifts, meals or other amenities to City employees. The right of the Offeror to proceed may be terminated by written notice issued by City Contracts Specialist if Offeror offered or gave a gratuity to an officer, official, or employee of the City and intended by the gratuity to obtain a contract or favorable treatment under a contract.
G. The Offeror shall cooperate fully with the City or any agency investigating a possible violation on behalf of the City. If any violation is determined, the Offeror will properly compensate the City.
H. The Offeror agrees to incorporate the substance of this clause (after substituting “Contractor” for “Offeror”) in all subcontracts under this offer.

Initials for 2

3. ILLEGAL ALIENS
If Offeror has any employees or subcontractors, Offeror shall comply with § 8 – 17.5 – 101, et seq., C.R.S. regarding Illegal Aliens – Public Contracts for Services, and this section of this Agreement. 8 – 17.5 – 102 includes, in part, that:

A. Offeror shall not:
   (i) Knowingly employ or contract with an illegal alien to perform work under this Agreement; or
   (ii) Enter into a contract with a subcontractor that fails to certify to Offeror that the subcontractor shall not knowingly employ or contract with an illegal alien to perform work

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under this Agreement.

B. Offeror has verified or attempted to verify that Offeror does not employ any illegal aliens and, will participate in the E–Verify Program or State Department program in order to confirm eligibility of all employees who are newly hired to perform work under public contract for services.

C. Offeror will not use E–Verify Program or State Department program procedures to undertake pre–employment screening of job applicants while the public contract for services is being performed.

D. If Offeror obtains actual knowledge that a subcontractor performing work under this Agreement knowingly employs or contracts with an illegal alien, Provider shall:
   (i) Notify the subcontractor and the City within three days that Offeror has actual knowledge that the subcontractor is employing or contracting with an illegal alien; and
   (ii) Terminate the subcontract with the subcontractor if within three days of receiving such notice, the subcontractor does not stop employing or contracting with the illegal alien. However, the Offeror shall not terminate the contract with the subcontractor if during this three day period:
       a) The subcontractor provides information which establishes that the subcontractor has not knowingly employed or contracted with an illegal alien, and
       b) The Offeror will not employ the illegal aliens in the performance of any City contract.

E. Offeror shall comply with any reasonable request by the Department of Labor and Employment made in the course of an investigation that the Department is undertaking pursuant to the authority established in §8 – 17.5 – 102(5), C.R.S.

F. If Offeror violates this provision, the City may terminate the contract for a breach of contract. If the Agreement is terminated, the Offeror shall be liable for actual and consequential damages.

Initials for 3

4. COOPERATION WITH OTHER CONTRACTORS
Other City activities/contracts may be in progress or start during the performance of this contract. The Offeror shall coordinate the work harmoniously with the other contractors or City personnel, if applicable.

Initials for 4

5. INTERNET USE
Should the Offeror require access to City Internet resources in the performance of this requirement, a “Contractor’s Internet Use Agreement” form must be separately signed by each individual having access to the City Network. The completed Contractor’s Internet Use Agreement will be maintained with this agreement. Inappropriate use of the City Network will be grounds for immediate termination of any awarded contact.

Initials for 5

6. LITIGATION
If awarded a contract, Offeror shall notify the City within five (5) calendar days after being served with a summons, complaint, or other pleading in any matter which has been filed in any federal
or state court or administrative agency. The Offeror shall deliver copies of such document(s) to the City's Procurement Services Manager. The term "litigation" includes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, and filings of bankruptcy, reorganization and/or foreclosure.

Initials for 6

7. CONTRACTOR’S REGISTRATION INFORMATION
Offeror’s firm verifies and states that they are (check all that apply):

☐ Large Business (i.e. do not qualify as a small business or non–profit)
☐ Nonprofit
☐ Small Business
☐ Minority Owned Business/Small Disadvantaged Business
☐ Woman Owned Business
☐ Veteran Owned Business
☐ Service–Disabled Veteran Owned Business
☐ HUBZone Business

Note: The City accepts self–certification for these categories in accordance with Small Business Administration (SBA) standards. The SBA size standards are found on the SBA website https://www.sba.gov/content/ami–small–business–concern.

Initials for 7

8. CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL
A. The Offeror shall appoint one of its key personnel as the “Authorized Representative” who shall have the power and authority to interface with the City and represent the Offeror in all administrative matters concerning this Bid and any awarded contract, including without limitation such administrative matters as correction of problems modifications, and reduction of costs.

B. The Authorized Representative shall be the person identified in the Offeror’s Bid, unless the Offeror provides written notice to the City naming another person to serve as its Authorized Representative. Communications received by the City Contracts Specialist from the Authorized Representative shall be deemed to have been received from the Offeror.

The individual, __________________________ (name)
With position __________________________ (title)
Can be reached at:
Work telephone number: __________________________
Home telephone number: __________________________
Cellular telephone number: __________________________
E-mail address: __________________________

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9. **OFFEROR’S CERTIFICATION**
The undersigned hereby affirms that:
A. He/She is a duly authorized agent of the Offeror;
B. He/She has read and agrees to the City’s standard terms and conditions attached.
C. The offer is presented in full compliance with the collusive prohibitions of the City of Colorado Springs. The Offeror certifies that no employee of its firm has discussed, or compared the offer with any other offeror or City employee and has not colluded with any other offeror or City employee.
D. The Offeror certifies that it has checked all of its figures, and understands that the City will not be responsible for any errors or omissions on the part of the Offeror in preparing its Bid.
E. By submitting an offer the Offeror certifies that it has complied and will comply with all requirements of local, state, and federal laws, and that no legal requirements have been or will be violated in making or accepting this solicitation.

I hereby certify that I am submitting the Bid based on my company’s capabilities to provide quality products and/or services on time.

Initials for 9

10. **OFFEROR CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, PROPOSED DEBARMENT, AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS:**
A. The Offeror certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that (i) the Offeror and/or any of its Principals
   (i) Are ☐, Are not ☐ presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency;
   (ii) Have ☐, Have not ☐, within a three year period preceding this offer, 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, local) contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statement, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and
   (iii) Are ☐, Are not ☐ presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity with, commission of any of the offenses enumerated in any paragraphs above.
B. The Offeror shall provide immediate written notice to the City Contracts Specialist if, at any time prior to contract award, the Offeror learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reasons of changed circumstances.
C. The certification in paragraph 1 above, is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when making award. If it is later determined that the Offeror knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the City, the City Contracts Specialist may terminate the contract resulting from this solicitation for default. Termination for default may result in additional charges being levied for the costs incurred by the City to initiate activities to replace the awarded Contractor.

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11. **ACCEPTANCE OF CITY CONTRACTS SPECIALIST’S SOLE AUTHORITY FOR**

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CHANGES
Unless otherwise specified in the Contract, the Offeror hereby agrees that any changes to the
scope of work, subsequent to the original contract signing, shall be generated in writing and an
approval signature shall be obtained from the City Contracts Specialist prior to additional work
performance.

Initials for 11

12. CITY CONTRACTOR SAFETY PROGRAM
The Offeror hereby agrees to adhere to a worker safety program for contractor employees on a
City job site or location. By initialing below, the Offeror has reviewed the information and will abide
by the City Policy which is available for review:
https://coloradosprings.gov/procurement-services/page/procurement-regulations-and-
documents?mlid=10046

Initials for 12

13. ACCEPTANCE OF CITY ENVIRONMENTALLY PREFERRED PURCHASING (EPP)
POLICY
The City of Colorado Springs is committed to buying more environmentally preferable goods and
services, as long as they meet performance needs, and are available within a reasonable time
and at a reasonable cost. The Offeror hereby acknowledges review of this policy by initialing
below:
https://coloradosprings.gov/procurement-services/page/procurement-regulations-and-
documents?mlid=10046

Initials for 13

14. FRAUD, WASTE, AND ABUSE
Everyone has a duty to report any suspected unlawful act impacting the City of Colorado Springs
operations and its enterprises. Anyone who becomes aware of the existence or apparent
existence of fraud, waste, and abuse in City of Colorado Springs is encouraged to report such
matters to the City Auditor’s Office in writing or on the telephone hotline 385–2387 (ADTR). Written
correspondence can be mailed to:

City Auditor
P.O. Box 2241
Colorado Springs CO 80901
Or via email CityAuditManagement@springsgov.com.

Any of these mechanisms allow for anonymous reporting. For more information, please go to the

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Name of Company: ____________________________________________
EXHIBIT 5 – CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS BID BOND

1. KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT:

(Name) As Principal, hereinafter called Principal, and

(Address)

(SURETY Name) a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of:

(SURETY Address) and AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF COLORADO, as Surety, hereinafter called Surety, are held firmly bound to the CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO, as Obligee, hereinafter called the Obligee, in the sum of: (Insert Bid Amount in Words) ($ DOLLARS), lawful money of the United States of America, for payment of which sum well and truly to be made, the Principal and the Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

2. WHEREAS, the Principal has submitted to the Obligee, a contract bid dated the day of For the following contract:

3. NOW THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH THAT, If Principals bid is accepted by Obligee and Principal is awarded the contract in whole or in part, and the Principal shall enter into the contract with the Obligee in accordance with the terms of such bid, and give such Payment, Performance, and Maintenance bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or contract documents with good and sufficient surety for the faithful performance of such Contract and for the prompt payment of labor and material furnished in the prosecution thereof, or in the event of the failure of the Principal to enter such contract and give such bond or bonds, if the Principal shall promptly pay to the Obligee the amount of this bond as set forth herein above, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise this obligation to remain in full force and effect.

Signed and sealed on the dates set forth below:

FOR:

(Witness) (Principals Name)

BY: ITS: 

(Seal) This day of 

FOR:

(Witness) (Surety’s Name)

BY: 

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ITS: ________________________________

This _Day of September, ____________

Bond # ____________________________

This Bond (is) (is not) a SBA Guaranteed Bond.
EXHIBIT 6 – NOTIFICATION OF UTILITIES

General Information
It is the responsibility of the Contractor to notify all applicable utilities (including, but not limited to Colorado Springs Utilities) for utility locations at least two business days or twenty-four hours prior to commencing any work. Should any street be closed off for any amount of time, the Contractor must notify the Traffic Department. See the City of Colorado Springs Standard Specifications General Provisions for more information regarding utilities.

The City of Colorado Springs Standard Specifications and General Provisions indicated on the IFB for this project are included by reference. The above document may be reviewed or purchased at the City Administration Building, Engineering Division, at 30 South Nevada, Suite 403, Colorado Springs, Colorado, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

Telephone References
1. Utility Notification Center of Colorado 1–800–922–1987
2. Colorado Springs Utilities Electric (719) 448–4811
3. Colorado Springs Utilities Water, Wastewater (719) 448–4200
4. Traffic Department (719) 385–5908
5. Colorado Springs Utilities Gas Emergencies (719) 520–0100
6. Cable Television (719) 633–6616
7. Telephone 1–800–954–0211

Standard Utility Color Code
1. Natural Gas Yellow
2. Electric Red
3. Water Blue
4. Wastewater Green

Contractor Responsibilities
1. Contact Colorado Springs Utilities, and/or other applicable utilities company or provider, at least twenty-four hours prior to starting the project so that our service inspector can make contact on the job site.

2. All replacement taps will have to be coordinated and notification must be given to Colorado Springs Utilities twenty-four hours prior to scheduling.

3. Any water interruption to properties involved must be notified at least twenty-four hours prior to shut down and coordinated with a service inspector.

4. If in the event a property or business is involved that cannot be without water the Contractor will be responsible for keeping them in water while the shutdown is in effect.

5. If for any reason when water is restored after the shutdown that a property has no water and Colorado Springs Utilities is contacted to determine the problem, the Contractor will be responsible for digging, regardless of the time of day to restore service. Contractor must provide Colorado Springs Utilities with a name and telephone number of an after-hours contact in case of emergency.
6. All services which would be replaced will have to meet our water specifications and be approved by the Water service inspector.

7. All materials pertaining to lowering or replacing water service lines, regardless of size, will be the responsibility of the Contractor unless otherwise specified in Engineering Specifications and Plans.

8. If for any reason it would not be feasible to shut down and notify affected properties, it would be the responsibility of the Contractor to provide temporary water for the houses or businesses involved.

Pre-excavation Checklist
1. Indicate all gas and other utility lines a set of construction plans.

2. Notify City of Colorado Springs Underground Utility Line Locators at least two business days in advance at the division numbers listed above.

3. Utilities locations should be marked on the ground by City Locators.

4. All employees should be briefed on the marking and the standard utility color codes.

5. Employees should be trained on excavation and safety procedures for natural gas lines.

6. When excavation approaches gas lines, employees should expose lines by careful hand digging and probing.

7. Contact the City Forester for any tree protection requirements that may be included on contract specifications.