

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

KEY WEST BIGHT FERRY TERMINAL REVITALIZATION AND SHORELINE STABILIZATION/ HARBORWALK EXTENSION

**funded by
AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) of 2021**

RFQ #23-002



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RE: CITY OF KEY WEST

**CAROLINE STREET and BAHAMA VILLAGE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT
AGENCY (CRA)**

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STABILIZATION/ HARBORWALK EXTENSION**

Dear Engineering Service Providers:

Attached is a copy of the CRA's Request for Qualifications for Engineering Services funded by Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 from the U.S. Department of Treasury to be administered by the State of Florida Department of Transportation and/or other state agency. These services are being solicited to assist the CRA in its project implementation of the ARPA allocated Funds to support Infrastructure Improvements for the City of Key West CRA.

Firms shall submit a proposal to include all disciplines related to the scope of services. A sole contract may be awarded as a result of this solicitation. The CRA will, in its sole discretion, determine the Firm to be awarded the contract, and may decide not to award any contract.

The submission requirements for this proposal are included in the attached Request for Qualifications (RFQ) form. Please submit a statement of qualifications to:

City Clerk
City of Key West
1300 White Street
Key West, Florida 33040

The deadline for submission of proposals is **February 22, 2023 at 3:30 PM**. It is the responsibility of the submitting entity to ensure that the proposal is received in a timely manner. Proposals received after the deadline will not be considered for award, regardless of whether or not the delay was outside the control of the submitting firm. The CRA reserves the right to negotiate with any and all persons or firms submitting timely proposals.

The City of Key West is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are encouraged to submit proposals.

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A. GENERAL

A.1 Purpose

This Request for Qualifications (RFQ) is designed to provide firms with the information necessary for the preparation of competitive responses. The RFQ process is for the benefit of the City of Key West Caroline Street and Bahama Village Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) and is intended to provide the CRA with comparative information to assist in the selection process. This RFQ is not intended to be a comprehensive list of all work and materials necessary to complete the project or supply goods and services. Each firm is responsible for determining all factors necessary for submission of a comprehensive response. The selected firm or team shall provide services that require expertise in Civil, Structural and Environmental Engineering, Landscape Architecture and Environmental Permitting.

A.2 Project Description

The project includes site upgrades, exterior building improvements, sitework, seawall and pier repairs, shoreline stabilization and harborwalk extension. The CRA is seeking qualified teams to provide complete services for the revitalization of the Key West Bight Ferry Terminal. These services are further described in Section B, Scope of Work/Services.

Key services include:

- 1) Civil Engineering
- 2) Structural Engineering
- 3) Environmental Engineering
- 4) Landscape Architecture
- 5) Environmental Permitting
- 6) Bidding Services
- 7) Construction Oversight

The CRA seeks a dedicated professional firm for the revitalization of the Key West Bight Ferry Terminal (Ferry Terminal). It is the goal of the CRA to retain a firm that can develop and implement a plan to best utilize this public space to the benefit of the community and visitors alike. The successful firm will have a proven track record in environmental design and permitting, civil and structural engineering and landscape architecture. The firm will have demonstrated experience in public participation efforts, working with public agencies and governmental entities.

A.3 Grant Requirements

This project is funded with Federal dollars from the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 from the U.S. Department of Treasury to be administered through the State of Florida Department of Transportation and/or other state agency. The CRA will comply with Appendix II 2 CFR 200 as listed herein. As a result of using these funds the following State and Federal requirements must be adhered to:

APPENDIX II TO PART 200—CONTRACT PROVISIONS FOR NON-FEDERAL ENTITY CONTRACTS UNDER FEDERAL AWARDS

In addition to other provisions required by the Federal agency or non-Federal entity, all contracts made by the non-Federal entity under the Federal award must contain provisions covering the following, as applicable.

- (A) Contracts for more than the simplified acquisition threshold, which is the inflation adjusted amount determined by the Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council (Councils) as authorized by 41 U.S.C. 1908, must address administrative, contractual, or legal remedies in instances where contractors violate or breach contract terms, and provide for such sanctions and penalties as appropriate.
- (B) All contracts in excess of \$10,000 must address termination for cause and for convenience by the non-Federal entity including the manner by which it will be affected and the basis for settlement.
- (C) Equal Employment Opportunity. Except as otherwise provided under 41 CFR Part 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 CFR Part 60–1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 CFR 60–1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 CFR Part, 1964–1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 CFR part 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.”
- (D) Davis-Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 3141–3148). When required by Federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-Federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141–3144, and 3146–3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-Federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency.
- (E) Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3701–3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-Federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5). Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction

work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.

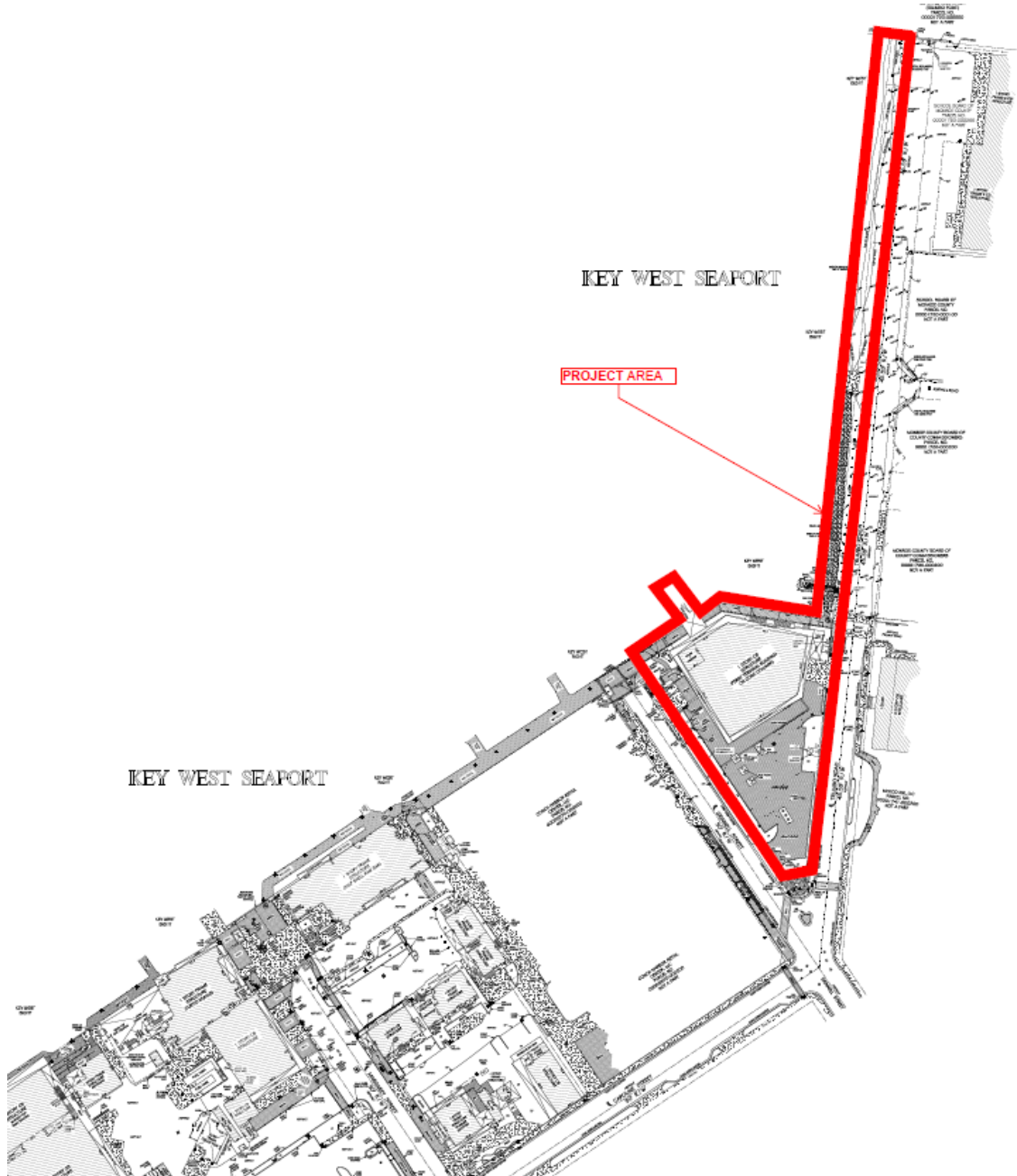
- (F) Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement. If the Federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 CFR § 401.2 (a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 CFR Part 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency.
- (G) Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401–7671q.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251–1387), as amended—Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 must contain a provision that requires the non-Federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401–7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251–1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).
- (H) Debarment and Suspension (Executive Orders 12549 and 12689)—A contract award (see 2 CFR 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the governmentwide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR part 1989 Comp., p. 235), “Debarment and Suspension.” SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.
- (I) Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)—Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.
- (J) See § 200.323.
- (K) See § 200.216.
- (L) See § 200.322.

[78 FR 78608, Dec. 26, 2013, as amended at 79 FR 75888, Dec. 19, 2014; 85 FR 49577, Aug. 13, 2020]

B. SCOPE OF WORK AND SERVICES

Overall Nature of Services

The project consists of upgrades to the ferry terminal site including new pavers, landscaping, lighting, a trash enclosure, and security fencing at the police boats and pier ramp entrance. The exterior improvements to the terminal building will include fresh paint, window and door replacements, and a complete roof replacement. Upgrades to the port infrastructure will include seawall and pier repairs as required by a recent assessment. Additional port infrastructure upgrades include Trumbo shoreline stabilization (rip rap) with a wood Harborwalk extension.



Required services for this project include:

- Civil Engineering
- Structural Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Landscape Architecture
- Environmental Permitting
- Construction Documents
- Bidding Services
- Construction Oversight

The competitive selection process provided for this RFQ will focus on the qualifications and prior history of performance on similar projects of each prime firm and the members of the prime firm's proposed team, in accordance with the selection criteria set forth below (and as included in Exhibit B, Submitter Ranking Form).

Experience

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Related Experience/Background with federally funded projects	20	_____
2. Related Experience/Background with specific project type (various engineering disciplines, permitting and landscape architecture)	15	_____
5. References from current/past clients	15	_____
Subtotal, Experience	50	_____

Work Performance

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Submits requests to client/Agency in a timely manner	5	_____
2. Responds to client/Agency requests in a timely manner	5	_____
3. Past client/Agency projects completed on schedule	5	_____
4. Manages projects within budgetary constraints	5	_____
5. Past client/Agency projects have low level of monitoring findings/concerns	5	_____
Subtotal, Performance	25	_____

Capacity to Perform

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Qualifications of Professional Administrators / Experience of Staff	5	_____
2. Present and Projected Workloads	5	_____
3. Quality of Proposal/Work Plan	5	_____
4. Demonstrated understanding of scope of the ARPA Projects	10	_____
Subtotal, Capacity to Perform	25	_____

TOTAL SCORE

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
☐ Experience	50	_____
☐ Work Performance	25	_____
☐ Capacity to Perform	25	_____
Total Score	100	_____

C. RESPONSE INFORMATION

C.1 Response Information

The evaluation of the RFQ will be based on a respondent's aptitude, experience and approach to tasks as identified herein by the CRA. Responses should be submitted to the submittal address by the date and time listed in the submission details. The CRA will not be responsible for submittals that are delinquent, lost, mismarked, or sent to an address other than that given above. The CRA reserves the right, after opening the submittal, to reject any or all responses, or to accept the response(s) that in its sole judgment is (are) in the best interest of the CRA. Also, the CRA will not be responsible for responses submitted after the specified date and time.

All questions from any Proposer regarding the RFQ or matters relating thereto must be submitted to Karen Olson, Port & Marine Services Deputy Director, kolson@cityofkeywest-fl.gov via email no later than **12:00 p.m. noon on February 13, 2023**. Each question must identify the section number in this RFQ for which clarification is being requested. City will respond to all properly submitted questions by addendum at least five (5) business days prior to the date that the Proposals are due. All questions will be posted as an addendum at www.cityofkeywest-fl.gov and www.DemandStar.com.

C.2 Submission Details

1. **Submit to:**

City Clerk, City of Key West
1300 White Street
Key West, Florida 33040
2. **Due Date: February 22, 2023 NO LATER THAN 3:30 PM**
3. **Identification of Responses:**

Responses shall be submitted in a sealed envelope, clearly marked on the outside "**Qualifications for Key West Bight Ferry Terminal Revitalization and Shoreline Stabilization/ Harborwalk Extension, RFQ #23-002.**" addressed and delivered to the City Clerk at the address and by the date and time noted above.

C.3 Number of Copies

Applicants shall submit (5) five printed copies and (2) two flash drives, each with a single PDF file of the complete qualification's submittal. PDF shall be named "*Firm Name* RFQ #23-002."

C.4 Response Preparation Costs

Response preparation costs are the applicant's total responsibility.

C.5 Authorized Signature

The initial response must contain the signature of a duly authorized officer or agent of the proposer's company empowered with the right to bind the respondent to the RFQ. The respondent must provide evidence of the authority of the officer or agent to bind the respondent.

C.6 Property of the City

All responses and related materials provided to the CRA related to this RFQ will become the property of the City of Key West.

C.7 License Requirements

The selected respondent will also be required to obtain and maintain a City of Key West Business Tax Receipt for the duration of the work.

C.8 Post Contractual Restriction

Paragraph Not Used

C.9 Insurance /Indemnification

Per Paragraph 7 in Appendix A (Sample Contract)

C.10 Cone of Silence

Pursuant to Section 2-773 of the City of Key West Code of Ordinances, as amended, a "Cone of Silence" shall be in effect during the course of a competitive solicitation. Cone of Silence Affidavit, attached hereto under Exhibit A.

C.11 Response Evaluation

Responses will be ranked in accordance with the Selection Criteria as noted above and attached hereto as Exhibit B, Submitter Ranking Form.

C.12 Response Selection:

All complete and responsive submittals will be evaluated by a City Manager appointed selection team at a publicly noticed meeting. The City of Key West reserves the right to ask questions, seek clarification of any or all Proposers as part of its evaluation. Evaluation and ranking will be accomplished using the Submitter Ranking Form (Exhibit B). Each short-listed respondent may be required to make a presentation of no more than 10 minutes to the CRA; the exact length of the presentation is up to the discretion of the Commission. Final award will be made by the CRA, based solely on that response which, in their opinion, is in the best interest of the City of Key West, all factors considered, irrespective of the City Manager appointed selection team ranking.

A final contract, including a detailed scope and fee, must be negotiated by the City Manager and then approved by the CRA. The City reserves the right, without qualification, to exercise discretion

and apply its judgment with respect to any responses submitted, as well as to reject all responses.

C.13 Response Content:

The City requires the Proposer to submit a concise response clearly addressing all the requirements outlined in this RFQ. Responses must include, at a minimum, the following sections in the order indicated.

1. *Cover Letter* – No more than one page
2. *Information Page* – Include project name, name of vendor (prime) submitting the response, contact information for the person who will act as project manager and contact information for the person who has authority to make representations for the firm, including name, title, address, telephone and fax numbers and email addresses.
3. *Organization Chart* – Show prime consultant, sub-consultants, key personnel, areas of responsibility and location of personnel.
4. *Company Information* – Background information about the vendor and each subcontractor and the services each provides.
5. *Methodology and Approach* – Descriptions which enable the City to assess the proposer's capability to perform requested services in a structured and efficient manner.
6. *Personnel* – Resumes of the principals(s) assigned to the project and staff personnel, and/or subcontractors available to support the proposed efforts.
7. *Qualifications* – Description of relevant experience for the firm and each subcontractor connected with providing similar project work. Experience of team members working successfully together on other similar projects should be included.
8. *Representative Experience and Client References* – Submit descriptions of similar assignments which were conducted by the consultant, including other agency/client's contact name and telephone number.
9. *Sworn Statements and Affidavits* – The Consultant shall have signed and returned all forms attached herein as Exhibit A (Anti-Kickback, Public Entity Crimes, Equal Benefits for Domestic Partners, Etc.).

Total proposal length (not including required forms, Sworn Statements, or Affidavits) will not exceed 20 double (40 single) side pages.

Exhibit A: Affidavits

ANTI-KICKBACK AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA

SS:

COUNTY OF MONROE

I the undersigned hereby duly sworn, depose and say that no portion of the sum herein response will be paid to any employee of the City of Key West as a commission, kickback, reward or gift, directly or indirectly by me or any member of my firm or by an officer of the corporation.

BY: _____

sworn and prescribed before me this _____ day of _____, 2023.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida

My commission expires:

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA)

: SS

COUNTY OF MONROE)

I, the undersigned hereby declares that the only persons or parties interested in this Proposal are those named herein, that this Proposal is, in all respects, fair and without fraud, that it is made without collusion with any official of the Owner, and that the Proposal is made without any connection or collusion with any person submitting another Proposal on this Contract.

By: _____

Sworn and subscribed before me this

_____ day of _____, 2023.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires: _____

SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 287.133(3)(A)
FLORIDA STATUTES, ON PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS,

1. This sworn statement is submitted for _____
(print individual's name and title)

by _____
(print name of entity submitting sworn statement)

whose business address is _____

and (if applicable) its Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is

(if the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number of the individual signing this sworn statement): _____

2. I understand that a "public entity crime" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(g), Florida Statutes, means a violation of any state or federal law by a person with respect to and directly related to the transaction of business with any public entity or with an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States, including, but not limited to, any bid or contract for goods or services to be provided to any public entity or an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States and involving antitrust, fraud, theft, bribery, collusion, racketeering, conspiracy, or material misrepresentation.
3. I understand that "conviction" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(g), Florida Statutes, means a finding of guilt or a conviction of a public entity crime, with or without an adjudication of guilt, in any federal or state trial court of record relating to charges brought by indictment or information after July 01, 1989, as a result of a jury verdict, nonjury trial, or entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere.
4. I understand that an "affiliate" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(a), Florida Statutes, means:
- a. A predecessor or successor of a person convicted of a public entity crime: or
 - b. An entity under the control of any natural person who is active in the management of the entity and who has been convicted of a public entity crime. The term "affiliate" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members and agent who are active in the management of an

affiliate. The ownership by one person of shares constituting a controlling interest in another person, or a pooling of equipment of income among persons when not for fair market value under an arm's length agreement, shall be a prima facie case that one person controls another person. A person who knowingly enters into a joint venture with a person who has been convicted of a public entity crime in Florida during the preceding 36 months shall be considered an affiliate.

5. I understand that a "person" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(e), Florida Statute means any natural person or entity organized under the laws of any state or of the United States with the legal power to enter into a binding contract and which bids or applies to bid on contracts for the provision of goods or services let by a public entity, or which otherwise transacts or applies to transact business with a public entity. The term "person" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in management of an entity.
6. Based on information and belief, the statement which I have marked below is true in relation to the entity submitting this sworn statement (indicate which statement applies).

_____ Neither the entity submitting this sworn statement, or any of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, nor any affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July, 1989.

_____ The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 01, 1989.

_____ The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 01, 1989. However, there has been a subsequent proceeding before a Hearing Officer of the State of Florida, Division of Administrative Hearings and the Final Order entered by the Hearing Officer determined that it was not in the public interest to place the entity submitting this sworn statement on the convicted vendor list (attach a copy of the final order).

I UNDERSTAND THAT THE SUBMISSION OF THIS FORM TO THE CONTRACTING OFFICER FOR THE PUBLIC ENTITY IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPH ONE (1) ABOVE IS FOR THAT PUBLIC ENTITY ONLY AND, THAT THIS FORM IS VALID THROUGH DECEMBER 31 OF THE CALENDAR YEAR IN WHICH IT IS FILED. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT I AM

REQUIRED TO INFORM THE PUBLIC ENTITY PRIOR TO ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT IN EXCESS OF THE THRESHOLD AMOUNT PROVIDED IN SECTION 287.017, FLORIDA STATUTES, FOR THE CATEGORY TWO OF ANY CHANGE IN THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM.

(SIGNATURE)

(DATE)

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority
_____ who, after first being sworn by me,
(name of individual)
affixed his/her signature in the space provided above on this
_____ day of _____, 2023.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires:

EQUAL BENEFITS FOR DOMESTIC PARTNERS AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF _____)
: SS
COUNTY OF _____)

I, the undersigned hereby duly sworn, depose and say that the firm of _____

provides benefits to domestic partners of its employees on the same basis as it provides benefits to employees' spouses, per City of Key West Code of Ordinances Sec. 2-799.

By: _____

Sworn and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____ 2023.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of _____ at Large

My Commission Expires:

CONE OF SILENCE AFFIDAVIT

Pursuant to City of Key West Code of Ordinances Section 2-773

STATE OF _____)

: SS

COUNTY OF _____)

I the undersigned hereby duly sworn depose and say that all owner(s), partners, officers, directors, employees and agents representing the firm of

_____ have read and understand the limitations and procedures regarding communications concerning City of Key West issued competitive solicitations pursuant to City of Key West Ordinance Section 2-773 Cone of Silence (attached).

Sworn and subscribed before me this

_____ day of _____, 2023.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of _____ at Large

My Commission Expires: _____

CITY OF KEY WEST INDEMNIFICATION FORM

PROPOSER agrees to protect, defend, indemnify, save and hold harmless The City of Key West, all its Departments, Agencies, Boards, Commissions, officers, City's Consultant, agents, servants and employees, including volunteers, from and against any and all claims, debts, demands, expense and liability arising out of injury or death to any person or the damage, loss of destruction of any property which may occur or in any way grow out of any act or omission of the PROPOSER, its agents, servants, and employees, or any and all costs, expense and/or attorney fees incurred by the City as a result of any claim, demands, and/or causes of action except for those claims, demands, and/or causes of action arising out of the negligence of The City of Key West, all its Departments, Agencies, Boards, Commissions, officers, agents, servants and employees. The PROPOSER agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense for and defend any such claims, demand, or suit at its sole expense and agrees to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto, even if it (claims, etc.) is groundless, false or fraudulent. The City of Key West does not waive any of its sovereign immunity rights, including but not limited to, those expressed in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.

These indemnifications shall survive the term of this agreement. In the event that any action or proceeding is brought against the City of Key West by reason of such claim or demand, PROPOSER shall, upon written notice from the City of Key West, resist and defend such action or proceeding by counsel satisfactory to the City of Key West.

The indemnification provided above shall obligate PROPOSER to defend at its own expense to and through appellate, supplemental or bankruptcy proceeding, or to provide for such defense, at the City of Key West's option, any and all claims of liability and all suits and actions of every name and description covered above which may be brought against the City of Key West whether performed by PROPOSER, or persons employed or utilized by PROPOSER.

The PROPOSER's obligation under this provision shall not be limited in any way by the agreed upon Contract Price as shown in this agreement, or the PROPOSER's limit of or lack of sufficient insurance protection.

COMPANY SEAL

PROPOSER:

Address

Signature

Print Name

Date

Title

NOTARY FOR THE PROPOSER

STATE OF_

COUNTY OF_____

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ____day of ______, 2023. By____, of____
_____(Name of officer or agent, title of officer or agent) Name of corporation acknowledging)
or has produced____as identification.

Signature of Notary

Return Completed form with Print, Type or Stamp Name of Notary

Supporting documents to: City of Key West Purchasing

Title or Rank

**VENDOR CERTIFICATION REGARDING
SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LISTS**

Respondent Vendor Name: _____		
Vendor FEIN: _____		
Vendor's Authorized Representative Name and Title: _____		
Address: _____		
City: _____	State: _____	Zip: _____
Phone Number: _____		
Email Address: _____		

Section 287.135(2)(a), Florida Statutes, prohibits a company from bidding on, submitting a proposal for, or entering into or renewing a contract for goods or services of any amount if, at the time of contracting or renewal, the company is on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to section 215.4725, Florida Statutes, or is engaged in a boycott of Israel. Section 287.135(2)(b), Florida Statutes, further prohibits a company from bidding on, submitting a proposal for, or entering into or renewing a contract for goods or services over one million dollars (\$1,000,000) if, at the time of contracting or renewal, the company is on either the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, both created pursuant to section 215.473, Florida Statutes, or the company is engaged in business operations in Cuba or Syria.

As the person authorized to sign on behalf of Respondent, I hereby certify that the company identified above in the section entitled "Respondent Vendor Name" is not listed on either the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List I understand that pursuant to section 287.135, Florida Statutes, the submission of a false certification may subject such company to civil penalties, attorney's fees, and/or costs and termination of the contract at the option of the awarding governmental entity.

Certified By: _____,	
<i>Print Name</i>	<i>Print Title</i>
Authorized Signature: _____.	

Exhibit B: Submitter Ranking Form

Project Name: **Key West Bight Ferry Terminal Revitalization and Shoreline Stabilization/
Harborwalk Extension**

Project Number: **RFQ #23-002**

Firm

Date

Experience

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Related Experience/Background with federally funded projects	20	_____
2. Related Experience/Background with specific project type (various engineering disciplines, permitting and landscape architecture	15	_____
5. References from current/past clients	15	_____
Subtotal, Experience	50	_____

Work Performance

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Submits requests to client/Agency in a timely manner	5	_____
2. Responds to client/Agency requests in a timely manner	5	_____
3. Past client/Agency projects completed on schedule	5	_____
4. Manages projects within budgetary constraints	5	_____
5. Past client/Agency projects have low level of monitoring findings/concerns	5	_____
Subtotal, Performance	25	_____

Capacity to Perform

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Qualifications of Professional Administrators / Experience of Staff	5	_____
2. Present and Projected Workloads	5	_____
3. Quality of Proposal/Work Plan	5	_____
4. Demonstrated understanding of scope of the ARPA Projects	10	_____
Subtotal, Capacity to Perform	25	_____

TOTAL SCORE

<u>Factors</u>	<u>Max.Pts.</u>	<u>Score</u>
☐ Experience	50	_____
☐ Work Performance	25	_____
☐ Capacity to Perform	25	_____
Total Score	100	_____

APPENDIX A: SAMPLE CONTRACT

(subject to negotiation)

**THE FOLLOWING AGREEMENT IS A
DRAFT AGREEMENT AND SHOULD
NOT BE FILLED OUT AS PART OF THE
SUBMISSION PACKAGE. FINAL
AGREEMENT WILL BE IN
SUBSTANTIAL CONFORMANCE WITH
THE ATTACHED**

DRAFT MASTER AGREEMENT

Between

**CAROLINE STREET CORRIDOR AND BAHAMA VILLAGE
COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

And

TBD

For

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR KEY WEST BIGHT FERRY
TERMINAL REVITALIZATION AND SHORELINE
STABILIZATION/HARBORWALK EXTENSION**

KEY WEST, FLORIDA

This is an Agreement between: Carolina Street Corridor and Bahama Village Community Redevelopment Agency, its successors and assigns, hereinafter referred to as "CRA,"

AND

_____, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, its successors and assigns, hereinafter referred to as "CONSULTANT."

WITNESSETH, in consideration of the mutual terms and conditions, promises, covenants and payments hereinafter set forth, CRA and CONSULTANT agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1

DEFINITIONS AND IDENTIFICATIONS

For the purposes of this Agreement and the various covenants, conditions, terms and provisions which follow, the definitions and identifications set forth below are assumed to be true and correct and are agreed upon by the parties.

- 1.1. **Agreement:** This document, Articles 1 through 7, inclusive. Other terms and conditions are included in the CRA'S **RFQ #23-002 KEY WEST BIGHT FERRY TERMINAL REVITALIZATION AND SHORELINE STABILIZATION/HARBORWALK EXTENSION**, CONSULTANT's Response to RFQ dated _____, exhibits, task orders, and supplemental documents that are by this provision expressly incorporated herein by reference.
- 1.2. **CONSULTANT:** The marketing firm selected to perform the services pursuant to this Agreement.
- 1.3. **Contract Administrator:** The ranking managerial employee of the CITY or some other employee expressly designated as Contract Administrator by the City Manager, who is the representative of the CITY. In the administration of this Agreement, as contrasted with matters of policy, all parties may rely upon instructions or determinations made by the Contract Administrator; provided, however, that such instructions and determinations do not change the Scope of Services.
- 1.4. **CITY:** City of Key West
- 1.5. **CRA:** Carolina Street Corridor and Bahama Village Community Redevelopment Agency. In respect to this Agreement, CRA can mean either the agency or the agency's representative.
- 1.6. **Task Order:** A detailed description of a particular service or services to be performed by CONSULTANT under this Agreement.

ARTICLE 2

PREAMBLE

In order to establish the background, context and frame of reference for this Agreement and generally to express the objectives and intentions of the respective parties hereto, the following statements, representations and explanations shall be accepted as predicates for the undertakings and commitments included within the provisions which follow and may be relied upon by the parties as essential elements of the mutual considerations upon which this Agreement is based.

- 2.1. The CONSULTANT is not entitled to receive, and the CITY is not obligated to pay, any fees or expenses in excess of the amount budgeted for Task Orders authorized under this Agreement in each fiscal year (October 1-September 30) by CITY. The budgeted amount may only be modified per City Ordinance(s).
- 2.2. The CITY has met the requirements of the Consultants' Competitive Negotiation Act, as set forth in Section 287.055, Florida Statutes, and has selected CONSULTANT to perform the services hereunder based on the Request for Qualifications _____ incorporated by reference and made a part hereof and the Response to the Request for Qualifications from Consultant dated _____, 2023, incorporated by reference and made part of.
- 2.3. Negotiations pertaining to the services to be performed by CONSULTANT were undertaken between CONSULTANT and staff selected by the Commission, and this Agreement incorporates the results of such negotiations.

ARTICLE 3

SCOPE OF SERVICES AND STANDARD OF CARE

- 3.1. CONSULTANT's services may include but are not limited to the following in regard to the Agreement:

- Civil Engineering
- Structural Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Landscape Architecture
- Environmental Permitting
- Construction Documents
- Bidding Services
- Construction Oversight

- 3.2. CONSULTANT's services shall include comprehensive full-scale engineering, design, surveying, permit preparation, preparing contract specifications, preparing bid and proposal documents and assisting the CRA with technical review and ranking of the same to attain qualified contractors for work, environmental assessments, construction administration

and owner project representation services relating to operation, new construction, permit modification, construction improvements, rehabilitation and or retrofits, and any other lawful professional Engineering services that the CONSULTANT is qualified to provide, and that the CRA authorizes the CONSULTANT to undertake in connection with this Agreement. CONSULTANT shall provide all necessary, incidental and related activities and services as required.

3.3. CONSULTANT and CRA acknowledge that the Scope of Services does not delineate every detail and minor work task required to be performed by CONSULTANT to complete any particular task order. If, during the course of the performance of the services included in this Agreement, CONSULTANT determines that work should be performed to complete the Task Order which is, in the CONSULTANT's opinion, outside the level of effort originally anticipated, whether or not the Scope of Services identifies the work items, CONSULTANT shall notify Contract Administrator in writing in a timely manner before proceeding with the work. If CONSULTANT proceeds with such work without notifying the Contract Administrator, the work shall be deemed to be within the original level of effort, whether or not specifically addressed in the Scope of Services. Notice to Contract Administrator does not constitute authorization or approval by CRA to perform the work. Performance of work by CONSULTANT outside the originally anticipated level of effort without prior written CRA approval or modification of Task Order is at CONSULTANT's sole risk.

3.4. The specific services to be provided by the CONSULTANT and the compensation for such services shall be as mutually agreed to in separate Task Orders to this AGREEMENT. Each Task Order when fully executed shall become a supplement to and a part of this AGREEMENT.

3.4.1. Each Task Order shall be supported by appropriate cost and pricing data and such other documentation as required by the CRA.

3.4.2. Task Orders shall be numbered consecutively as specified by CRA. Each Task Order shall include a description of the scope of services and specified deliverables, time of completion, total estimated costs of services, and method of compensation. Additional information shall be provided to the CRA if required. Amended Task Orders shall include substantially the same information and be submitted to the CRA for approval.

3.4.3. The CRA may make or approve changes within the general Scope of Services in any Task Order. If such changes affect the CONSULTANT's cost of or time required for performance of the services, an equitable adjustment shall be made through an amendment to the Task Order.

3.4.4. A Task Order may be terminated at any time, with or without cause, by the CRA upon written notice to CONSULTANT. CONSULTANT shall perform no further work upon receipt of this notice unless specifically authorized by the City Manager of the City of Key West. On termination, the CONSULTANT shall be paid for all authorized services performed up to the termination date plus, if terminated for the convenience of the CRA, reasonable expenses incurred during the close-out of the Task Order. The CRA shall not pay for anticipatory profits. The termination of this Agreement pursuant to Paragraph 7.2, hereof, shall constitute the termination of any and

all outstanding Task Orders.

3.4.5. The CONSULTANT shall begin services under any Task Order when authorized by a Purchase Order issued by the CRA and delivered to CONSULTANT.

- 3.5. The CRA and CONSULTANT may negotiate additional scopes of services, compensation, time of performance and other related matters for each Task Order as allowed by this Agreement. If CRA and CONSULTANT cannot contractually agree, CRA shall have the right to immediately terminate negotiations at no cost to CRA and procure services from another source.
- 3.6. CONSULTANT shall perform the professional services under this Agreement at the level customary for competent and prudent professionals in CONSULTANT'S field performing such services at the time and place where the services are provided. In the event CONSULTANT does not comply with this standard, and omissions or errors are made by CONSULTANT, CONSULTANT will correct such work that contains errors or omissions and reimburse CRA through compensation for damages.
- 3.7. CONSULTANT is required to perform the Task Orders consistent with current applicable Federal, State and City laws, codes and regulations that pertain to the Task Order. In all Task Orders, where changes to any laws, codes or regulations affecting the Task Order have a Task Ordered effective date or are anticipated to be effective at a future date, or if knowledge of anticipated changes is available to CONSULTANT or any sub-consultant, CONSULTANT shall present options for their use or implementation.
- 3.8. Construction Responsibility - Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement, CONSULTANT shall not have control or charge of and shall not be responsible for construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures, or for safety measures, precautions and programs including enforcement of Federal and State safety requirements, in connection with construction work performed by CITY's construction contractors.
- 3.9. Estimates - Since CONSULTANT has no control over local conditions, the cost of labor, materials, equipment or services furnished by others, or over competitive bidding or market conditions, CONSULTANT does not guarantee the accuracy of any opinions of probable construction cost as compared to construction contractor's bids or the actual cost to the CRA.

ARTICLE 4

TERM OF AGREEMENT: TIME FOR PERFORMANCE: CONTRACTOR DAMAGES:

The term of this Agreement shall be for a period not to exceed two (2) years from the effective date of the Agreement with the option of yearly renewal. The Agreement will be in effect upon execution by both parties. The Agreement may be renewed at the discretion of the CRA.

- 4.1. CONSULTANT shall perform the services described in each Task Order within the time periods specified. Each such time period shall commence from the date of the purchase order issued for such services.
- 4.2. CONSULTANT must receive written approval from the Contract Administrator prior to beginning the performance of services in any subsequent Task Order. Prior to granting

approval for CONSULTANT to proceed to a subsequent Task Order, the Contract Administrator may, at his or her sole option, require CONSULTANT to submit any deliverables/documents for the Contract Administrator's review.

- 4.3. In the event CONSULTANT is unable to complete the above services because of delays resulting from untimely review by CRA or other governmental authorities having jurisdiction over the Task Order, and such delays are not the fault of CONSULTANT, or because of delays which were caused by factors outside the control of CONSULTANT, CRA shall grant a reasonable extension of time for completion of the services and shall provide reasonable compensation, if appropriate. It shall be the responsibility of CONSULTANT to notify CRA within 10 days in writing whenever a delay in approval by a governmental agency, including CRA, is anticipated or experienced, and to inform the Contract Administrator of all facts and details related to the delay.
- 4.4. In the event the Contractor fails to substantially complete the Task Order on or before the substantial completion date specified in its agreement with CRA or if Contractor is granted an extension of time beyond said substantial completion date, and CONSULTANT's services are extended beyond the substantial completion date, through no fault of CONSULTANT, CONSULTANT shall be compensated in accordance with Article 5 for all services rendered by CONSULTANT beyond the substantial completion date.
- 4.5. In the event Contractor fails to substantially complete the Task Order on or before the substantial completion date specified in its agreement with CRA, and the failure to substantially complete is caused in whole or in part by a negligent act, error or omission of CONSULTANT, then CONSULTANT shall pay to CRA its proportional share of any claim or damages to Contractor or CRA arising out of the delay. This provision shall not affect the rights and obligations of either party as set forth in Paragraph 7.8, INDEMNIFICATION OF CITY.

ARTICLE 5

COMPENSATION AND METHOD OF PAYMENT

5.1. AMOUNT AND METHOD OF COMPENSATION

The types of compensation methods, which shall be used to pay for the CONSULTANT's services, are limited to the following:

5.1.1. Lump sum payment/Not-to-Exceed, which includes compensation for all the CONSULTANT'S salaries, general overhead costs, direct expenses, and profit.

5.1.1.1. If Work timing deviates from the assumed schedule for causes beyond CONSULTANT's control, CONSULTANT and/or the CRA reserves the right to request renegotiation of those portions of the lump sum affected by the time change. During construction contract administration, if tasked, it is agreed by both parties that whether construction is completed earlier or later, that a proportional part of the compensation will be adjusted and either given to CONSULTANT for additional work or deleted from the amount

owed CONSULTANT for less time required.

5.1.1.2. In the event of a change of scope, CRA shall authorize in writing an appropriate decrease or increase in compensation.

5.1.1.3. Monthly invoicing will be based on an estimate of the percent of work completed at the end of the preceding month.

5.1.1.4. The CONSULTANT shall submit wage rates and other actual unit costs supporting the compensation. The CONSULTANT shall submit a Truth in Negotiation Certificate stating that all data supporting the compensation is accurate, complete, and current at the time of contracting.

5.1.2. Cost Reimbursable-Per Diem (Time and Expenses)

5.1.2.1. Per diem rates are those hourly or daily rates charged for work performed on the WORK by CONSULTANT's employees of the indicated classifications and include all salaries, overheads, and profit, but do not include allowances for Direct Expenses. These rates are subject to annual adjustments based on the Consumer Price Index Urban U.S. CRA Average All Items U.S. Department of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics.

5.1.2.2. Hourly rates for the contract (CONSULTANT AND Sub-consultants): See attached Exhibit A.

5.1.2.3. A Not-to-Exceed budgetary amount will be established for the Work. This budgetary amount shall not be exceeded unless prior written approval is provided by the CRA. CONSULTANT shall make reasonable efforts to complete the Work within the budget and will keep CRA informed of progress toward that end so that the budget or work effort can be adjusted if found necessary.

5.1.2.5. CONSULTANT is not obligated to incur costs beyond the indicated budgets, as may be adjusted, nor is CRA obligated to pay CONSULTANT beyond these limits.

5.1.2.6. When any budget has been increased, CONSULTANT's excess costs expended prior to such increase will be allowable to the same extent as if such costs had been incurred after the approved increase.

5.2. REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES

5.2.1.1. Direct non-salary expenses, entitled Reimbursable Expenses, directly attributable to the Work shall be charged at actual cost, and shall be limited to the following:

5.2.1.2. Identifiable transportation expenses in connection with the Work, subject to the limitations of Section 112.061, Florida Statutes. There shall be no mileage reimbursement for travel within the City of Key West. Transportation expenses to locations outside the CRA area or from locations outside the CRA will not be reimbursed unless specifically pre-authorized in writing by the Contract Administrator.

5.2.1.3. Identifiable per diem, meals and lodgings, taxi fares, automobile rental, and

miscellaneous travel- connected expenses for CONSULTANT's personnel subject to the limitations of Section 112.061 Florida Statutes. Meals for class C travel inside the City of Key West will not be reimbursed. Lodging will be reimbursed only for room rates equivalent to Hampton Inn or Best Western located within the City of Key West City limits.

5.2.1.4. Identifiable communication expenses approved by Contract Administrator, long distance telephone, courier and express mail utilized to render the services required by this Agreement.

5.2.1.5. Cost of printing, reproduction or photography that is required by or of CONSULTANT to deliver services set forth in this Agreement.

5.2.1.6. Identifiable testing costs approved by Contract Administrator.

5.2.1.7. All permit fees paid to regulatory agencies for approvals directly attributable to the Work. These permit fees do not include those permits required for the Contractor.

5.2.2. It is acknowledged and agreed to by CONSULTANT that the dollar limitation set forth in Paragraphs

5.2.1.1 through 5.2.1.7 is a limitation upon, and describes the maximum extent of, CRA's obligation to reimburse CONSULTANT for direct, non-salary expenses. If CRA or Contract Administrator requests CONSULTANT to incur expenses not contemplated in the amount for Reimbursable Expenses, CONSULTANT shall notify Contract Administrator in writing before incurring such expenses. Any such expenses shall be reviewed and approved by CRA prior to incurring such expenses.

5.2.3. All sub-consultants' hourly rates shall be billed in the actual amount paid by CONSULTANT. Sub-consultant Reimbursable Expenses are limited to the items in Paragraphs 5.2.1.1 through

5.2.1.7 described above when the sub-consultant's agreement provides for reimbursable expenses.

5.3. METHOD OF BILLING

5.3.1. Lump Sum Compensation

CONSULTANT shall submit billings identifying type of work completed on a monthly basis in a timely manner. These billings shall identify the nature of the work performed and the estimated percent of work accomplished. The statement shall show a summary of fees with accrual of the total and credits for portions paid previously. When requested, CONSULTANT shall provide backup for past and current invoices that record hours, personnel, and expense costs on a task basis, so that total hours and costs by task may be determined.

5.3.2. Cost Reimbursable-Per Diem (Time and Expenses) Compensation

CONSULTANT shall submit billings identifying the type of work completed on a monthly basis in a timely manner for all personnel hours and reimbursable expenses attributable to the Work. These billings shall identify the nature of the work performed, the total hours of work performed and the employee category and name of the individuals performing same. Billings shall itemize and summarize reimbursable expenses by category and identify same as to the personnel incurring the expense and the nature of the work with which such expense was associated. Where prior written approval by Contract Administrator is required for reimbursable expenses, a copy of the approval shall accompany the billing for such reimbursable. The statement shall show a summary of salary costs and reimbursable expenses with accrual of the total and credits for portions paid previously. External reimbursable expenses and sub-consultant fees must be documented by copies of invoices or receipts that describe the nature of the expenses and contain the purchase order number or other identifier that clearly indicates the expense is identifiable to the Work. Subsequent addition of the identifier to the invoice or receipt by the CONSULTANT is not acceptable except for meals and travel expenses. Appropriate CONSULTANT's cost accounting forms with a summary of charges must document internal expenses by category. When requested, CONSULTANT shall provide backup for past and current invoices that records hours and rates by employee category, reimbursable expenses by category, and subcontractor fees on a task basis, so that total hours and costs by task may be determined.

- 5.3.3. If requested, CONSULTANT shall provide copies of past paid invoices to any subcontractor or sub-consultant prior to receiving payment. CRA reserves the right to pay any subcontractor or sub-consultant, if CONSULTANT has not paid them timely and the services of the subcontractor or sub-consultant are necessary to complete the Work.

5.4. METHOD OF PAYMENT

- 5.4.3. CRA shall pay CONSULTANT within forty-five (45) calendar days from receipt of CONSULTANT's proper invoice with documentation as provided above.

5.4.3. In the event CONSULTANT has utilized a Sub-consultant to perform the Work, CONSULTANT will be required to provide documentation that Sub-consultant and Sub-consultants of Sub-consultants have been paid prior to payment being made to CONSULTANT.

- 5.4.3. Payment will be made to
CONSULTANT at:

Address: _____

ARTICLE 6

CRA 'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- 6.1. CRA shall assist CONSULTANT by placing at CONSULTANT's disposal all information CRA has available pertinent to the Task Order including previous reports and any other data relative to design or construction of the Task Order.

- 6.2. CRA shall arrange for access to, and make all provisions for, CONSULTANT to enter upon public and private property as required for CONSULTANT to perform its services.
- 6.3. CRA shall review the CONSULTANT's itemized deliverables/documents identified in the Task Orders and respond in writing with any comment within the time set forth in the Task Order or within a reasonable time.
- 6.4. CRA shall give prompt written notice to CONSULTANT whenever CRA observes or otherwise becomes aware of any development that affects the scope or timing of CONSULTANT's services or any defect in the work of any Contract.

ARTICLE 7

MISCELLANEOUS

7.1. OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS

All finished or unfinished documents, data, data matrices and calculations generated and used to evaluate and compute the construction or material requirements for the Task Order, studies, surveys, drawings, maps, models, photographs and reports prepared or provided by CONSULTANT in connection with this Agreement, whether in hard copy or electronic form, shall become the property of CRA, whether the Task Order for which they are made is completed or not. If applicable, CRA may withhold any payments then due to CONSULTANT until CONSULTANT complies with the provisions of this Article. CONSULTANT is not responsible for damages caused by the unauthorized re-use by others of any of the materials for another Task Order.

7.2. TERMINATION

- 7.2.1. This Agreement may be terminated with or without cause by CRA at any time.
- 7.2.2. Notice of termination shall be provided in accordance with paragraph 7.12 NOTICES of this Agreement.
- 7.2.3. In the event this Agreement is terminated, CONSULTANT shall be paid for any services performed to the date the Agreement is terminated. Compensation shall be withheld until all documents specified in Section 7.1 of this Agreement are provided to the CRA. Upon being notified of CRA's election to terminate, CONSULTANT shall refrain from performing further services or incurring additional expenses under the terms of this Agreement. Under no circumstances shall CRA make payment of profit for services that have not been performed.

7.3. AUDIT RIGHT AND RETENTION OF RECORDS

- 7.3.1. CRA shall have the right to audit the books, records, and accounts of CONSULTANT that are related to any Task Order. CONSULTANT shall keep such books, records, and accounts as may be necessary in order to record complete and correct

entries related to the Task Order.

7.3.2. CONSULTANT shall preserve and make available, at reasonable times for examination and audit by CRA, all financial records, supporting documents, statistical records, and any other documents pertinent to this Agreement for the required retention period of the Florida Public Records Act (Chapter 119, Fla. Stat.), if applicable, or, if the Florida Public Records Act is not applicable, for a minimum period of three (3) years after termination of this Agreement. If any audit has been initiated and audit findings have not been resolved at the end of the retention period or three (3) years, whichever is longer, the books, records, and accounts shall be retained until resolution of the audit findings. If the Florida Public Records Act is determined by CRA to be applicable to CONSULTANT's records, CONSULTANT shall comply with all requirements thereof; however, CONSULTANT shall violate no confidentiality or non-disclosure requirement of either federal or state law. Any incomplete or incorrect entry in such books, records, and accounts shall be a basis for CRA's disallowance and recovery of any payment upon such entry.

7.4. NONDISCRIMINATION, EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY, AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, AND EQUAL BENEFITS FOR DOMESTIC PARTNERS

7.4.1. CONSULTANT shall not unlawfully discriminate against any person in its operations and activities in its use or expenditure of the funds or any portion of the funds provided by this Agreement and shall affirmatively comply with all applicable provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) in the course of providing any services funded in whole or in part by CRA, including Titles I and II of the ADA (regarding nondiscrimination on the basis of disability), and all applicable regulations, guidelines, and standards.

7.4.2. CONSULTANT's decisions regarding the delivery of services under this Agreement shall be made without regard to or consideration of race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, national origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, political affiliation, or any other factor that cannot be lawfully or appropriately used as a basis for service delivery. CONSULTANT shall comply with Title I of the Americans with Disabilities Act regarding nondiscrimination on the basis of disability in employment and further shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, age, religion, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, gender identity or expression, marital status, political affiliation, or physical or mental disability. Such actions shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff, termination, rates of pay, other forms of compensation, terms and conditions of employment, training (including apprenticeships), and accessibility.

- 7.4.3. Consultant shall comply with City Ordinance Sec. 2-799 Requirements for City Contractors to Provide Equal Benefits for Domestic Partners

7.5. PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES ACT

- 7.5.1. CONSULTANT represents that the execution of this Agreement shall not violate the Public Entity Crimes Act (Section 287.133, Florida Statutes), which essentially provides that a person or affiliate who is a contractor, consultant or other provider and who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a Public Entity Crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to CITY, may not submit a bid on a contract with CITY for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to CITY, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with CITY, and may not transact any business with CITY in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for category two purchases for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list. Violation of this section shall result in termination of this Agreement and recovery of all monies paid hereto and may result in being barred from CITY's competitive procurement activities.
- 7.5.2. In addition to the foregoing, CONSULTANT further represents that there has been no determination, based on an audit, that it or any sub-consultant, has committed an act defined by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, as a "public entity crime" and that it has not been formally charged with committing an act defined as a "public entity crime" regardless of the amount of money involved or whether CONSULTANT has been placed on the convicted vendor list.
- 7.5.3. CONSULTANT shall promptly notify CITY if it or any subcontractor or sub-consultant is formally charged with an act defined as a "public entity crime" or has been placed on the convicted vendor list.

7.6. SUB-CONSULTANTS

CONSULTANT may use the sub-consultants identified in the proposal that was a material part of the selection of CONSULTANT to provide the services under this Agreement. The CRA reserves the right to accept the use of a sub-consultant or to reject the selection of a particular sub-consultant and to inspect all facilities of any sub-consultants in order to make determination as to the capability of the sub-consultant to perform properly under this Contract. The CRA's acceptance of a sub-consultant shall not be unreasonably withheld. CONSULTANT shall obtain written approval of Contract Administrator prior to changing or adding to the list of sub-consultants. The list of sub-consultants submitted and currently approved is as follows:

- a. _____
- b. _____

- c. _____
- d. _____

Hourly rates for such said Sub-consultants are as on attached Exhibit A.

7.7. ASSIGNMENT AND PERFORMANCE

- 7.7.1. Neither this Agreement nor any interest herein shall be assigned, transferred, or encumbered by either party and CONSULTANT shall not subcontract any portion of the work required by this Agreement except as authorized pursuant to Section 7.6.
- 7.7.2. CONSULTANT represents that all persons delivering the services required by this Agreement have the knowledge and skills, either by training, experience, education, or a combination thereof, to adequately and competently perform the duties, obligations, and services set forth in the Scope of Services and to provide and perform such services to CRA's satisfaction for the agreed compensation.
- 7.7.3. CONSULTANT shall perform its duties, obligations, and services under this Agreement in a skillful and respectable manner. The quality of CONSULTANT's performance and all interim and final product(s) provided to or on behalf of CRA shall be in accordance with the standard of care set forth in Paragraph 3.6.
- 7.7.4. CONSULTANT shall not change or replace overall project manager identified in the CONSULTANT's response to the RFQ without the Contract Administrator's prior written approval.

7.8. INDEMNIFICATION OF CITY

- 7.8.1. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the CONSULTANT expressly agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the CITY of Key West, their officers, directors, agents, and employees (herein called the "indemnities") from liabilities, damages, losses and costs, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees and court costs, such legal expenses to include costs incurred in establishing the indemnification and other rights agreed to in this Paragraph, to persons or property, to the extent caused by the negligence, recklessness, or intentional wrongful misconduct of the CONSULTANT, its Subcontractors or persons employed or utilized by them in the performance of the Contract. Claims by indemnities for indemnification shall be limited to the amount of CONSULTANT's insurance or \$1 million per occurrence, whichever is greater. The parties acknowledge that the amount of the indemnity required hereunder bears a reasonable commercial relationship to the Contract and it is part of the project specifications or the bid documents, if any.
- 7.8.2. The indemnification obligations under the Contract shall not be restricted in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for the CONSULTANT under workers' compensation acts, disability benefits acts, or other employee benefits acts, and shall extend to and include any actions brought by or in the name of any employee of the CONSULTANT or of any

third party to whom CONSULTANT may subcontract a part or all of the Work. This indemnification shall continue beyond the date of completion of the Work.

7.9. INSURANCE

7.9.1. CONSULTANT is to secure, pay for, and file with the CRA of Key West, prior to commencing any work under the Contract, all certificates for workers' compensation, public liability, and property damage liability insurance, and such other insurance coverages as may be required by specifications and addenda thereto, in at least the following minimum amounts with specification amounts to prevail if greater than minimum amounts indicated. Notwithstanding any other provision of the Contract, the CONSULTANT shall provide the minimum limits of liability insurance coverage as follows:

Auto Liability	\$1,000,000	Combined Single Limit
General Liability	\$2,000,000	Aggregate (Per Project)
	\$2,000,000	Products Aggregate
	\$1,000,000	Any One Occurrence
	\$1,000,000	Personal Injury
	\$ 300,000	Fire Damage/Legal
Professional Liability	\$2,000,000	Per Claim / Aggregate

7.9.2. CONSULTANT shall furnish an original Certificate of Insurance indicating, and such policy providing coverage to, City of Key West named as an additional insured on all policies— excepting Professional Liability—on a PRIMARY and NON CONTRIBUTORY basis utilizing an ISO standard endorsement at least as broad as CG 2010 (11/85) or its equivalent, (combination of CG 20 10 07 04 and CG 20 37 07 04, providing coverage for completed operations, is acceptable) including a waiver of subrogation clause in favor of City of Key West on all policies. CONSULTANT will maintain the Professional Liability, General Liability, and Umbrella Liability insurance coverages summarized above with coverage continuing in full force including the additional insured endorsement until at least 3 years beyond completion and delivery of the work contracted herein.

7.9.3. Notwithstanding any other provision of the Contract, the CONSULTANT shall maintain complete worker's compensation coverage for each and every employee, principal, officer, representative, or agent of the CONSULTANT who is performing any labor, services, or material under the Contract. Further, CONSULTANT shall additionally maintain the following minimum limits of coverage:

Bodily Injury Each Accident	\$1,000,000
Bodily Injury by Disease Each Employee	\$1,000,000
Bodily Injury by Disease Policy Limit	\$1,000,000

7.9.4. If the work is being done on or near a navigable waterway, CONSULTANT's workers

compensation policy shall be endorsed to provide USL&H Act (WC 00 01 06 A) and Jones Act (WC 00 02 01 A) coverage if specified by the City of Key West. CONSULTANT shall provide the City of Key West with a Certificate of Insurance verifying compliance with the workers' compensation coverage as set forth herein and shall provide as often as required by the City of Key West such certification which shall also show the insurance company, policy number, effective and expiration date, and the limits of worker's compensation coverage under each policy.

- 7.9.5. CONSULTANT's insurance policies shall be endorsed to give 30 days written notice to the City of Key West in the event of cancellation or material change, using form CG 02 24, or its equivalent.
- 7.9.6. Certificates of Insurance submitted to the City of Key West will not be accepted without copies of the endorsements being requested. This includes additional insured endorsements, cancellation/material change notice endorsements, and waivers of subrogation. Copies of USL&H Act and Jones Act endorsements will also be required if necessary. PLEASE ADVISE YOUR INSURANCE AGENT ACCORDINGLY.
- 7.9.7. CONSULTANT will comply with any and all safety regulations required by any agency or regulatory body including but not limited to OSHA. CONSULTANT will notify City of Key West immediately by telephone at (305) 809-3964 any accident or injury to anyone that occurs on the jobsite and is related to any of the work being performed by the CONSULTANT.
- 7.9.8. It shall be the responsibility of the Consultant to ensure that all sub-consultants/subcontractors comply with the same insurance requirements as is required of Consultant.
- 7.9.9. In addition, it is understood if at any time any of the policies required by the CRA shall become unsatisfactory to the CRA as to form or substance, or if a company issuing any such policy shall become unsatisfactory to the CRA, the Consultant shall obtain a new policy, submit the same to the CRA for approval and submit a certificate of insurance as which may be required by the contract. It is understood that upon failure of the Consultant to furnish, deliver and maintain such insurance as required above, the contract at the election of the CRA may be declared suspended, discontinued or terminated. Further, failure of the Consultant to take out and/or maintain any required insurance shall not relieve the Consultant from any liability under the contract, nor shall the insurance requirements be construed to conflict with the obligations of the Consultant concerning indemnification.

7.10. REPRESENTATIVE OF CITY AND CONSULTANT

- 7.10.1. The parties recognize that questions in the day-to-day conduct of the Task Order will arise. The Contract Administrator, upon CONSULTANT's request, shall advise CONSULTANT in writing of one (1) or more City employees to whom all communications pertaining to the day-to-day conduct of the Task Order shall be addressed.

- 7.10.2. CONSULTANT shall inform the Contract Administrator in writing of

CONSULTANT's representative to whom matters involving the conduct of the Task Order shall be addressed.

7.11. ALL PRIOR AGREEMENTS SUPERSEDED

- 7.11.1. This document incorporates and includes all prior negotiations, correspondence, conversations, agreements or understandings applicable to the matters contained herein; and the parties agree that there are no commitments, agreements or understandings concerning the subject matter of this Agreement that are not contained in this document and the exhibits attached. Accordingly, the parties agree that no deviation from the terms hereof shall be predicated upon any prior representations or agreements whether oral or written.
- 7.11.2. It is further agreed that no modification, amendment or alteration in the terms or conditions contained herein shall be effective unless contained in a written document executed with the same formality and of equal dignity herewith.

7.12. NOTICES

Whenever either party desires to give notice unto the other, such notice must be in writing, sent by certified United States mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the party for whom it is intended at the place last specified; and the place for giving of notice shall remain such until it shall have been changed by written notice in compliance with the provisions of this paragraph. For the present, the parties designate the following as the respective places for giving of notice:

FOR CITY OF KEY WEST:

City of Key West
1300 White Street
Key West, FL 33040

FOR CONSULTANT:

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

7.13. TRUTH-IN-NEGOTIATION CERTIFICATE

Signature of this Agreement by CONSULTANT shall act as the execution of a truth-in negotiation certificate stating that wage rates and other factual unit costs supporting the compensation of this Agreement are accurate, complete, and current at the time of

contracting. The original contract price for any Task Order and any additions thereto shall be adjusted to exclude any significant sums, by which CRA determines the contract price was increased due to inaccurate, incomplete, or non-current wage rates and other factual unit costs. All such contract adjustments shall be made within one (1) year following the end of this Agreement.

7.14. INTERPRETATION

The language of this Agreement has been agreed to by both parties to express their mutual intent and no rule of strict construction shall be applied against either party hereto. The headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not affect in any way the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement. All personal pronouns used in this Agreement shall include the other gender, and the singular shall include the plural, and vice versa, unless the context otherwise requires. Terms such as "herein," "hereof," "hereunder," and "hereinafter" refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular sentence or paragraph where they appear, unless the context otherwise requires. Whenever reference is made to a Paragraph or Article of this Agreement, such reference is to the Paragraph or Article as a whole, including all of the subsections of such Paragraph, unless the reference is made to a particular subsection or subparagraph of such Paragraph or Article.

7.15. CONSULTANT'S STAFF

- 7.15.1. CONSULTANT shall provide the key staff identified in their proposal for Task Order as long as such key staffs are in CONSULTANT's employment.
- 7.15.2. CONSULTANT shall obtain prior written approval of Contract Administrator to change key staff. CONSULTANT shall provide Contract Administrator with such information as necessary to determine the suitability of proposed new key staff. Contract Administrator shall be reasonable in evaluating key staff qualifications.
- 7.15.3. If Contract Administrator desires to request removal of any of CONSULTANT's staff, Contract Administrator shall first meet with CONSULTANT and provide reasonable justification for said removal.
- 7.15.4. The CRA reserves the right to approve the members of the Consulting Team and the roles they will undertake in the assignment. The CRA's acceptance of a team member shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- 7.15.5. Each assignment issued under this Agreement by the CRA to the Consultant, the Consultant will at the CRA's request, disclose the role, qualifications and hourly rate of each individual working on the assignment.
- 7.15.6. The CRA reserves the right to require replacement of any of the members of the Consulting Team. Any proposed addition or change of members of the Consulting Team initiated by the Consultant must obtain the CRA Representative's prior written approval.

7.15.7. In the event of the death, incapacity or termination of employment of any member of the Consulting Team before Completion of the Services, the Consultant shall at its own expense and as soon as reasonably practicable arrange to substitute or replace the individual member concerned.

7.15.8. The Consultant shall ensure that the substitute or replacement is no less qualified in terms of relevant experience and qualifications than the outgoing individual and is available at the relevant time to act as such replacement or substitute. The Consultant shall without delay forward curriculum vitae of the proposed substitute or replacement to the CRA. The deployment of such substitute or replacement shall be subject to the CRA's consent.

7.15.9. The Consultant shall solely be responsible for all direct, indirect and consequential costs or losses that may arise from the substitution or replacement of members of the Consulting Team.

7.16. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

CONSULTANT is an independent contractor under this Agreement. Services provided by CONSULTANT shall be subject to the supervision of CONSULTANT. In providing the services, CONSULTANT or its agents shall not be acting and shall not be deemed as acting as officers, employees, or agents of the City, nor shall they accrue any of the rights or benefits of a City employee. The parties expressly acknowledge that it is not their intent to create any rights or obligations in any third person or entity under this Agreement.

7.17. THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES

Neither CONSULTANT nor CRA intend directly or substantially to benefit a third party by this Agreement. Therefore, the parties agree that there are no third party beneficiaries to this Agreement and that no third party shall be entitled to assert a claim against either of them based upon this Agreement. No subcontractor or sub-consultant, whether named or unnamed, shall be a third party beneficiary of this Agreement.

7.18. CONFLICTS

7.18.1. Neither CONSULTANT nor its employees shall have or hold any continuing or frequently recurring employment or contractual relationship that is substantially antagonistic or incompatible with CONSULTANT's loyal and conscientious exercise of judgment related to its performance under this Agreement.

7.18.2. CONSULTANT agrees that none of its officers or employees shall, during the term of this Agreement, serve as an expert witness against City in any legal or administrative proceeding in which he or she is not a party, unless compelled by court process, nor shall such persons give sworn testimony or issue a report or writing, as an expression of his or her expert opinion, which is adverse or prejudicial to the interests of City or in connection with any such pending or threatened legal or administrative proceeding. The limitations of this section shall not preclude such persons from representing themselves in any action or in any administrative or legal

proceeding.

- 7.18.3. In the event CONSULTANT is permitted to use sub-consultants to perform any services required by this Agreement, CONSULTANT agrees to prohibit such sub-consultants from having any conflicts as within the meaning of this section, and shall so notify them in writing.

7.19. CONTINGENCY FEE

CONSULTANT warrants that it has not employed or retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for CONSULTANT, to solicit or secure this Agreement and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any person, company, corporation, individual or firm, other than a bona fide employee working solely for CONSULTANT, any fee, commission, percentage, gift, or other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement. For a breach or violation of this provision, CRA shall have the right to terminate this Agreement without liability at its discretion, or to deduct from the Agreement price or otherwise recover the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, gift, or consideration.

7.20. WAIVER OF BREACH AND MATERIALITY

- 7.20.1. Failure by CRA to enforce any provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of such provision or modification of this Agreement. A waiver of any breach of a provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of any subsequent breach and shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms of this Agreement.
- 7.20.2. CRA and CONSULTANT agree that each requirement, duty, and obligation set forth herein is substantial and important to the formation of this Agreement and, therefore, is a material term hereof.

7.21. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

CONSULTANT shall comply with federal, state, and local laws, codes, ordinances, rules, and regulations in performing its duties, responsibilities, and obligations related to this Agreement applicable at the time the scope of services was drafted for this agreement. In addition, at the time each Task Order is executed, any revisions to applicable federal state, and local laws, codes, ordinances, rules and regulations shall apply.

7.22. SEVERABILITY

In the event this Agreement or a portion of this Agreement is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the remaining provisions shall continue to be effective unless CRA or CONSULTANT elects to terminate this Agreement.

7.23. JOINT PREPARATION

Preparation of this Agreement has been a joint effort of CRA and CONSULTANT and the resulting document shall not, solely as a matter of judicial construction, be construed more severely against one of the parties than any other.

7.24. PRIORITY OF PROVISIONS

If there is a conflict or inconsistency between any term, statement, requirement, or provision of any exhibit attached hereto, any document or events referred to herein, or any document incorporated into this Agreement by reference and a term, statement, requirement, or provision of this Agreement, the term, statement, requirement, or provision contained in Articles 1 through 7 of this Agreement shall prevail and be given effect.

7.25. APPLICABLE LAW AND VENUE

The laws of the State of Florida govern the validity of this Agreement, its interpretation and performance, and any claims related to it. The venue for mediation, arbitration or any other legal proceeding shall be Monroe County, Florida.

7.26. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

The attached exhibits are incorporated into and made a part of this

Agreement: Exhibit A – CONSULTANT/Sub-consultants' Hourly Rates

Exhibit B – 2 CFR Appendix II to Part 200 – Contract Provisions for Non-Federal Entity Contracts Under Federal Awards

7.27. COUNTERPARTS

This Agreement may be executed in three (3) counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have made and executed this Agreement on the respective dates under each signature.

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SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have made and executed this Agreement on the
respective dates under each signature.

ATTEST for CITY:

CITY

Cheryl Smith, City Clerk

Patti McLauchlin, City Manager

____ day of _____, 20____

____ day of _____, 20____

ATTEST for CONSULTANT:

By _____

By _____
CONSULTANT

(Print Name)

(Print Name)

____ day of _____, 20____

____ day of _____, 20____

Exhibit A

Hourly Fee Schedule

Company Name: ____ **Date:** _____