

# REQUEST FOR BID ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR FENCE INSTALLATIONS AND REPAIRS

**Bid Number 2021-SW-16** 

**July 2021** 

CLAYTON COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

1600 Battle Creek Road

Morrow, GA 30260

Virtual Teams
Bid Opening Meeting

Thursday, September 9, 2021, at 2:00 p.m.

Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Virtual Teams Meeting

Thursday, August 26, 2021, at 2:00 pm

This bid has a SLBE BID DISCOUNT

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# Division 1 General Information

### **Section 1: Request for Bids**

Clayton County Water Authority 1600 Battle Creek Road Morrow, Georgia 30260

Name of Project: Annual Contract for Fence Installations and Repairs.

The Clayton County Water Authority will open sealed bids from vendors via a Virtual Teams Meeting on Thursday, September 9, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. (local time) for the Annual Contract for Fence Installations and Repairs. Any bids received after the specified time will not be considered.

A Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid virtual Teams Meeting will be held on **Thursday**, **August 26**, **2021 at 2:00 p.m.** (local time).

Please use the following call-in instructions to attend the Pre-Bid and Bid Opening meeting:

**Join Microsoft Teams Meeting** 

+1 912-483-5368

Conference ID: 690 435 934#

CCWA encourages Small Local, Minority and Women-Owned business to participate and respond t this bid request.

In an effort to promote responsible environmental practices this bid package is available in electronic (Adobe PDF) format and can be requested by calling 770-960-5223, M-F, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, or by e-mail to **ccwa\_procurement@ccwa.us**. Bidders will need to provide contact information and an email address, and any file size transfer limits to insure email transmittals can be made. A hardcopy bid package can also be requested at a cost of \$25.

By: Robert Malone, Chairman Clayton County Water Authority

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### **Section 2: Project Overview**

### 2.1 Intent and Purpose

The Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) intends to contract for the annual services of an experienced Contractor(s) to complete fence installations and repairs for the period **December 1, 2021, to November 30, 2022**. CCWA anticipates that the annual value of work to be completed through this contract will be in the range of \$60,000 to \$80,000.

The CCWA intends to award a Primary contract, as well as a Back-Up contract to ensure that CCWA's requests under this annual contract can be performed as needed. A Primary contract will be awarded to the lowest responsive responsible bidder whose bid conforms to the Request for Bids specifications and will be the most advantageous to the CCWA. A Back-Up contract may be awarded to the second lowest responsive responsible bidder whose bid conforms to the Request for Bids specifications and will be the most advantageous to the CCWA. Additionally, CCWA reserves the right to negotiate parity for any and all costs. Work assignments under this contract will be initially offered to the Primary Contractor. Should productivity and/or quality of work of the Primary Contractor not meet contract specifications and/or CCWA's expectations, then work will be offered to the Back-Up Contractor.

The work to be performed under this contract will be determined and assigned by CCWA on an "as-needed", "when-needed" basis. CCWA does not guarantee any minimum or maximum work quantities under this contract and reserves the right to bid any similar type work of this contract as a separate procurement at its sole discretion.

The initial term of this contract will be for twelve (12) months. The contract may be extended for a second and third 12-month period by mutual written consent by both parties with no changes in the terms and conditions.

### 2.2 Bid Evaluation

To be considered responsive to this bid, bidders are required to bid on all work items listed in the Bid Form – Pay Item Schedule.

The total bid amount per bidder will be determined by taking the "unit cost" for each "work item" as shown on the "Bid Form - Pay Item Schedule" times an

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estimated annual quantity for each "work item". At the time of Bid Opening, CCWA will provide a list, to each bidder, of the "selected" work items and "estimated annual quantities" that CCWA has selected to use in determining the "total bid amount".

Note that not all "work items" as shown on the Bid Form - Pay Item Schedule will be used in the bid evaluation process. Work items on the Bid Form - Pay Item Schedule not used in the award evaluation process will be examined by the CCWA to insure that the unit price is in line with comparable items contained in this bid and that any unit price that appear to be out of line may be used by the CCWA as a basis of denial/award of the particular bid and/or the unit price may be negotiated by CCWA. This determination will be at the sole discretion of CCWA.

This procurement has a Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE) bid discount for evaluation purposes only, which will be given to CCWA certified SLBE primes only (regardless of their location). For more details, please refer to Division 2, Section 8 of this bid package.

#### 2.3 Addendum

Bidders may submit questions regarding this bid prior to the bid opening. To be considered, all questions must be received by email at CCWA\_Procurement@ccwa.us by 2:00 pm EST, Monday, August 30, 2021. Any and all responses to bidder's questions will be issued in the form of an Addendum by email. All addenda issued shall become part of the Bid Documents.

#### Section 1: Instructions to Bidders

These instructions are to be followed by every entity proposing to provide the Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) with goods and/or services. These instructions constitute an integral part of the bid, and any Bidder agrees that tender of a bid constitutes acknowledgment and acceptance of its obligation to adhere to these instructions, which are to be incorporated into and considered part of any contract the Bidder ultimately executes with the CCWA.

- If there is any question whatsoever regarding any portion of the specifications, it shall be the Bidder's responsibility to seek clarification immediately from the CCWA, as early as possible prior to the bid opening. Regarding public works projects, requests for interpretations of specifications must be made in writing to the department proposing out the project not later than five (5) days prior to receipt of bids.
- 2. Unless it is otherwise stated in the bid documents, it shall be the responsibility of the bidder to inform itself as to all conditions of the work site and to make and take account thereof in calculating and submitting its bid. Documents may be made available by the CCWA during the bidding process; no warranty of accuracy is made in regard to these documents, and it is the responsibility of the bidder to make its own investigations as to the nature of the work and the conditions under which it shall be performed, and to make its own independent assumptions as to these matters. The burden of anticipating unforeseen circumstances, either hidden or latent, and the conditions of the work site and all related circumstances, and the cost of accommodating therefore should unanticipated circumstances be later encountered shall rest upon the bidder.
- 3. Pre-bid meeting or any other information session will be held at the location as indicated in the solicitation. Unless indicated otherwise, attendance is not mandatory; although vendors are strongly encouraged to attend. However, in the event the meeting is mandatory, then a representative of the vendor must attend the meeting in its entirety to be considered eligible for solicitation award. Late entry to the meeting will not be allowed.
- 4. In the event that, after the acceptance of a bid by the Board of Directors of the CCWA, any unsuccessful bidder wishes to contest such action, a written "Notice of Contest" must be filed with the General Manager no later than close of business on the 5th business day after the selection of successful bidder by the Board. Failure to timely file such notice shall forever preclude the filing of a contest of the award, or any civil action in the courts of the State of Georgia or of the United States.

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- 5. Information submitted by the Bidder in the bid process shall be subject to disclosure after bid award in accordance with the Georgia Open Records Act. Proprietary information must be identified and be accompanied by a signed affidavit outlining the redacted information. Entire bids may not be deemed proprietary.
- 6. Bids must be made on the enclosed bid Form. Unless otherwise requested, one (1) original and at least two (2) copies of the bid Form need to be submitted, and these copies must be typewritten or printed in ink. All copies of any bid Forms must be signed in ink by the person or persons authorized to sign the bid Form. The person signing the bid Form must initial any changes or corrections.
- 7. The name of the person, firm, or corporation making the bid must be printed in ink, along with the Bidder's signature, on all separate sheets of the bid Form. If a bid is made by an individual, his name and post office address must be shown. If made by a firm, or partnership, the name and the post office address of each member of the firm or partnership must be shown. If made by a Corporation, the person or persons signing the bid must show the name of the State under the laws of which the Corporation is chartered and his, or their, authority for signing same. The names, titles and addresses of the President, Secretary and the Treasurer and the corporate authority for doing business in this state shall be listed and returned with the bid Form.
- 8. All bids must be hand delivered, delivered by courier service, or mailed via the United States Postal Service. No facsimiles will be accepted. The person, firm, or corporation making the bid shall submit it in a sealed envelope on or before the date and time specified in the bid package. The envelope shall be marked "Sealed Bid" and carry the bid title, Contractor's License Number and date and time of opening as set forth in the bid package. The envelope shall also bear the name of the party making the bid and the party's address. Address bids to Clayton County Water Authority, 1600 Battle Creek Road, Morrow, Georgia, 30260. Even if a bid is not submitted, the bid form should be returned signed and with an explanation, otherwise the result will be deletion from the mailing list.
- 9. If published price books are a part of your bid, one price book must be included with your bid Form, and the successful Bidder is required to furnish additional current price books after award of the bid.
- 10. Alterations to the documents are strictly prohibited and shall result in automatic disqualification of the Bidder's bid. If there are "exceptions" to the specifications or comments to any of the solicitation requirements or other language, then the bidder

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may ask questions regarding those requirements or submit additional documentation as to the variation from the specifications but may not alter any of the language contained in the solicitation.

- 11. In the case of goods, the person, firm or corporation making the bid may propose all items. All items may be considered separately, at the discretion of the CCWA.
- 12. Bids for public works whose price exceeds \$100,000.00 must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, or acceptable bid bond in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the amount bid.
- 13. Bidders for construction contracts where the laws of Georgia or the United States of America require a license in order to perform such construction must list the license number and class on the face of the bid envelope and must enclose copies of any required license with the bid.
- 14. When public work is let out for bid, no person shall prevent or attempt to prevent competition in such bid. Such Bidders must make an oath filed with the officer who makes payments under the contract that they have not prevented or attempted to prevent competition in the bid process. Such oath must be signed by: if a partnership, all partners and any officer or agent or other person who acted on the partnership's behalf during the bid process; if a corporation, all officers, agents, or other persons who acted for the corporation in the bid process.
- 15. Bids shall not be withdrawn or cancelled by the bidder past the bid opening date and time. The bidder may make modifications/corrections to the bid by submitting a corrected seal bid but only if the change is prior to the bid opening. The corrected document should be clearly marked that it supersedes the bid originally submitted. No modification or corrections will be allowed subsequent to the bid opening.
- 16. By tendering a bid, a Bidder agrees to leave the bid open for acceptance by the CCWA for ninety (90) days after the date set for the opening thereof.
- 17. By tendering a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder has carefully examined these instructions and the terms and specifications applicable to and made a part of the bid. The Bidder further certifies that the prices shown in any schedule of items on which the Bidder is proposing are in accordance with the conditions, terms and specifications of the bid and that they are aware that any exception taken thereto may disqualify the bid. Bidders are required to inform themselves fully as to the availability of materials and the conditions relating to construction and labor under which any work will be or is now being performed. No error or misjudgment nor any

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lack of information on local conditions, general laws or regulations on the part of the Bidder shall merit withdrawal of the bid.

- 18. Copies of all communication pertaining to bids must be sent to the Contracts, Compliance and Risk Management Section.
- 19. The purpose of this bid is to establish contract prices. Unit price extension and net total must be shown if applicable. Cash discounts should be indicated separately. Any applicable sales taxes should be included in the unit prices for all materials to be provided by the successful Bidder.
- 20. Bidders are hereby notified and agree by submission of a bid Form that if additional items not listed in the bid Form become necessary and require unit prices not established by the bid Form, the unit prices of such items shall be negotiated and shall be directly proportional to the established unit prices of similar items in the bid Form.
- 21. All prices on goods shall be for delivery, our destination, f.o.b. freight prepaid Jonesboro, Georgia, and/or Morrow, Georgia, unless otherwise shown. Any deliveries shall be made as needed and requested throughout the contract period.
- 22. Quantities when shown are estimates only, based on anticipated needs. The CCWA reserves the right to purchase more or less based on actual need at contract price. If a Bidder intends to offer minimum or maximum shipment quantities, such intent and such quantities should be specified on the bid Form. Otherwise, none will be assumed.
- 23. The time for completion of the work is stated in the bid Form. Failure to complete the work within this period shall result in payment to the CCWA of liquidated damages in an amount provided for by contract for each calendar day in excess of the Contract time.
- 24. The Bidder must employ such methods and means in carrying out the work as will not cause any interruption of or interference with any other Bidder.
- 25. The successful Bidder must comply with the applicable Risk Management Requirements prior to beginning performance, and during the contract period.
- 26. The Contract between the CCWA and the Bidder shall be executed on a form provided by CCWA and will be subject to all requirements of the contract documents (which include but may not be limited to the Contract, these instructions,

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any Purchase Orders, and the Risk Management Requirements), and shall form a binding contract between the contracting parties.

- 27. Failure to execute the Contract, any required Surety Performance and Payment Bonds, or to furnish any required satisfactory proof of carriage of required insurance within ten (10) days from the date of notice of award of the Contract shall be just cause for the annulment of the award and for forfeiture of the bid guaranty to the CCWA, not as a penalty, but in liquidation of damages sustained. At the discretion of the CCWA, the award may then be made to the next lowest responsible vendor, or the work may be re-advertised or constructed by the CCWA.
- 28. Any Contract and Contract Bonds shall be executed in duplicate.
- 29. Award of this bid shall be by action of the CCWA Board at its regular monthly meeting.
- 30. The CCWA reserves the right, with or without notice or cause, to accept any bid regardless of the cost thereof; to reject any bid, or any number of bids; to negotiate with any Bidder for a reduction of or alterations in its bid; to reject all bids and to call for additional bids upon the same or different invitations to bid, plans or specifications; to be sole judge, in its discretion, on all questions as to whether or not a bid complies with the invitation to bid, the plans or the specifications, and as to the solvency and sufficiency of any and all sureties on all bonds.
- 31. The apparent low bid for goods shall be considered to be the lowest aggregate total price of specified products at their unit prices times the estimated required quantities of these specified products.
- 32. Bids received from two (2) or more vendors that are identical in price, delivery and meet the requirements of the bid specifications shall be awarded on the following basis:
  - a. The bid submitted by a vendor who does not have a documented negative vendor performance record.
  - b. The bid submitted by a vendor who is located within Clayton County.
  - c. The bid submitted by a vendor who is certified by our Small Local Business Enterprise Program.
  - d. If the tie bids meet all the above criteria, and it is not in CCWA's best interest (at its sole discretion) to split the award, the bid award is based on the toss of a coin by CCWA staff in a public session. The vendors involved will be invited

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to attend the coin toss at a stated date and time. One or more witnesses from both CCWA Procurement and the Request Department may be present. A simple coin toss (called by the vendor listed first in the alphabet) will break the tie and decide the award.

- 33. While price is the prime criteria, and the CCWA intends to purchase at the lowest responsible bid available, price shall not be the sole criteria utilized by the CCWA in evaluating the bid package submitted. The following criteria shall also be utilized by the CCWA in determining the lowest responsible bid:
  - a. Ability of bidder to perform in the time frame needed by the CCWA.
  - b. Reputation of the bidder in its industry.
  - c. Reasonableness of the bid in relation to anticipated costs.
  - d. Ongoing relationships with the CCWA based on above-average prior performance of work with CCWA.
  - e. Preference for local vendors where there is no significant variance in price or service.
- 34. Bidders are notified that CCWA reserves the right except in the case of public works contracts to include among the factors considered in awarding the contract the proximity of each Bidder's place of business to any affected Authority facility. CCWA further reserves the right to award the contract to a Bidder other then the Bidder offering the lowest price where: (a) the difference in price between the low Bidder and the preferred Bidder is nominal: and (b) CCWA's Board determines that the preferred bid provides the most cost effective option due to the closer proximity of the preferred Bidder's place of business to the affected Authority facility or facilities. In such a situation, by responding to this bid, the Bidder waives any cause of action against CCWA for frustration of bid or under any similar legal theory; furthermore, the Bidder agrees to pay all costs and expenses, including but not limited to attorney fees, incurred by CCWA in defending against any such claim.
- 35. It is the policy of the Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) to promote award of sub-agreements for goods and/or services to qualified minority and women-owned businesses. Bidders are encouraged to solicit minority and women-owned businesses whenever they are potential sources.
- 36. Bidders are encouraged to utilize the services and assistance of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), and the office of the Department of Commerce

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Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA). These agencies can provide assistance in securing the names of qualified minority and women-owned businesses. Additionally, it is encouraged that bidders access certified Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE) vendors from Clayton County, DeKalb County, and City of Atlanta.

The Georgia Department of Transportation (DOT) has established a list of qualified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises. Information is available online under the tab for "Directories", link for "UCP Directory - Excel" at: http://www.dot.ga.gov/PS/Business/DBE.

The successful Bidder will be asked to provide, along with his Request for Payment each month a list of qualified SLBE and MBE/WBE businesses utilized on this Project.

### **GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT OF 2006**

37. Pursuant to the Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act of 2006, the successful Bidder understands and agrees that compliance with the requirements of O.C.G.A.13-10-91 and Georgia Department of Labor Rule 300-10-02 are conditions of this bid and contract document. The Bidder further agrees that such compliance shall be attested by the Bidder and any of his Subcontractors by execution of the appropriate Affidavit and Agreement included after the Agreement Form of these documents.

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**Section 2: Risk Management** 

### **RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS**

The Contractor will provide minimum insurance coverage and limits as per the following: The Contractor will file with the Authority Certificates of Insurance, certifying the required insurance coverages and stating that each policy has been endorsed to provide thirty (30) day notice to the Authority in the event that coverage is cancelled, non-renewed or the types of coverage or limits of liability are reduced below those required. All bonds and insurance coverage must be placed with an insurance company approved by Authority Management, admitted to do business in the State of Georgia, and rated Secure ("B+" or better) by A.M. Best Company in the latest edition of Property and Casualty Ratings, or rated by Standard & Poors Insurance Ratings, latest edition as Secure ("BBB" or better). Worker's Compensation self-insurance for individual Contractors must be approved by the Worker's Compensation Board, State of Georgia and/or Self-Insurance pools approved by the Insurance Commissioner, State of Georgia.

### **CONTRACTS FOR UP TO \$50,000**

Worker's Compensation – Worker's Compensation coverage on a statutory basis for the State of Georgia with an Employer's Liability limit of \$100,000 each Accident, Disease \$100,000 each

**Automobile Liability** – Automobile liability coverage for owned, hired and non-owned vehicles in the amount of \$500,000 combined single limit.

employee, \$500,000 Disease policy limit.

Commercial General Liability – Coverage to be provided on "occurrence" not "claims made" basis. The coverage is to include Contractual liability, Per Project Limit of Liability, losses caused by Explosion, Collapse and Underground ("xcu") perils, the "Clayton County Water Authority" is to be added as an Additional Insured and Products and Completed Operations coverage is to be maintained for three (3) years following completion of work.

### **CONTRACTS FOR MORE THAN \$50,000**

**Worker's Compensation** – Worker's Compensation coverage on a statutory basis for the State of Georgia with an Employer's Liability limit of \$1,000,000. The increased Employer's Liability limit may be provided by an Umbrella or Excess Liability policy.

**Automobile Liability** - Automobile liability coverage for owned, hired and non-owned vehicles in the amount of \$1,000,000 combined single limit.

**Commercial General Liability** – Coverage to be provided on "occurrence" not "claims made" basis. The coverage is to include Contractual liability, Per Project Limit of losses caused by Explosion, Liability, Collapse and Underground ("xcu") perils, the "Clayton County Water Authority" is to be Additional Insured and added as an Products and Completed **Operations** coverage is to be maintained for three (3) years following completion of work.

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### **RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS (Cont'd)**

### **CONTRACTS FOR UP TO \$50,000**

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### **LIMITS OF LIABILITY:**

\$1,000,000	Per Occurrence
\$1,000,000	Personal and Advertising
\$50,000	Fire Damage*
\$5,000	Medical Payments*
\$1,000,000	General Aggregate
\$1,000,000	Products/Completed Operations per Occurrence and Aggregate

<sup>\*</sup>These are automatic minimums

Owner's Protective Liability – The Authority Management's may, in its discretion, require Owner's Protective Liability in some situations.

Umbrella and/or Excess Liability – The umbrella or Excess Liability Policy may be used to combine with underlying policies to obtain the limits required. The Management of the Authority may elect to require higher limits.

Owner's Protective Liability – The Authority Management's may, in its discretion, require Owner's Protective Liability in some situations.

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#### **Section 3: Bid Submittals**

### 3.1 Bid Submittal Requirements:

The following items are required to be included as part of the bid submittal. Failure to include any of these items may result in the bid being deemed non-responsive. The required items include but are not limited to:

- A. Bid Form Bidders must submit their completed and signed Bid Form.
- B. Bidder Qualification Information Form.
- C. References.
- D. Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act of 2006 form.
- E. Contractor Affidavit and Agreement form.
- F. Subcontractor Affidavit form.

If a Contractor/Subcontractor will not be performing any services under this contract, the Contractor/company submitting the bid MUST also complete, sign, date, and have both Affidavit forms notarized and make proper notation of "N/A" - Not Applicable.

Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) cannot consider any bid which does not include completed affidavits. It is not the intent of this notice to provide detailed information or legal advice concerning the Georgia Security & Immigration Compliance Act of 2006, as amended on May 11, 2009. All Bidders intending to do business with CCWA are responsible for independently apprising themselves and complying with the requirements of that law and its effect on CCWA procurements and their participation in those procurements.

- G. SLBE Forms. An indication of "N/A" for "not applicable" must be noted as appropriate.
- H. Non-Collusion Certificate.
- I. W-9 Form.
- J. Vendor Information Form.
- K. Addenda (if any).

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In compliance with the Request for Bids, Bidder hereby proposes to perform all Work for **Annual Contract for Fence Installations and Repairs** in strict accordance with the Contract Documents as enumerated in the Request for Bids, within the time set forth therein, and at the prices stated below.

To the Clayton County Water Authority (hereinafter "Owner").

By submission of this bid, Bidder certifies, and in the case of joint bid each party thereto certifies as to the party's own organization that this bid has been arrived at independently, without consultation, communication, or agreement as to any matter relating to this bid with any other Bidder or with any competitor. Bidder also certifies compliance with the Instructions to Bidders.

In submitting this bid, Bidder certifies Bidder is qualified to do business in the state of Georgia as required by laws, rules, and regulations or, if allowed by statute, covenants to obtain such qualification prior to contract award.

#### CONTRACT EXECUTION:

The undersigned Bidder agrees, if this bid is accepted, to enter into an Agreement with OWNER on the form included in the Documents to perform and furnish Work as specified or indicated in the Documents for the Contract Price derived from the bid and within the times indicated herein and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Documents.

Bidder accepts the terms and conditions of the Documents.

#### INSURANCE:

Bidder further agrees that bid amount(s) stated herein includes specific consideration for the specified insurance coverages.

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### Division 2

# **Bid Requirements**

Section 4: Bid Form

BID:

The undersigned proposes to complete, in all respects, sound, complete and conformable with this Contract Document the following work for the following amounts.

CCWA guarantees no minimum or maximum quantities, and additionally reserves the right to purchase more or less at the unit price, based on actual need.

ADDENDA:

Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following Addenda:

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No.	Work Item	Detail	Unit	Unit Cost
1	Emergency Mobilization	N/A	EA	
2		Install Corner / Brace Post	EA	
3	Field Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
4	Posts	Install Line Post - Wood	EA	
5		Install Line Post - Steel	EA	
6		Install Fencing up to 12 feet	EA	
7	Field Fence 3-Strand Barbed Wire	Install Fencing greater than 12 feet	LF	
8	o ettaria Barbea IIII e	Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
9		Install Fencing up to 12 feet	EA	
10	Field Fence 4-Strand Barbed Wire	Install Fencing greater than 12 feet	LF	
11		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
12		Install Fencing up to 12 feet	EA	
13	Field Fence 5-Strand Barbed Wire	Install Fencing greater than 12 feet	LF	
14		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
15		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
16		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
17		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
18	Chain-Link Fence	Install Walk Gate (3'-6" Wide)	EA	
19	4-Foot Galvanized	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
20		Install Drive Gate (10' Wide)	EA	
21		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
22		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
23		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
24		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
25		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
26	Chain-Link Fence	Install Walk Gate (3'-6" Wide)	EA	
27	4-Foot Vinyl Coated	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
28		Install Drive Gate (10' Wide)	EA	
29		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
30		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	

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No.	Work Item	Detail	Unit	Unit Cost
31		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
32		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
33		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
34	Chain-Link Fence	Install Walk Gate (3'-6" Wide)	EA	
35	5-Foot Galvanized	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
36		Install Drive Gate (10' Wide)	EA	
37		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
38		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
39		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
40		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
41		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
42	Chain-Link Fence	Install Walk Gate (3'-6" Wide)	EA	
43	5-Foot Vinyl Coated	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
44		Install Drive Gate (10' Wide)	EA	
45		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
46		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
47		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
48		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
49		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
50	Chain-Link Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
51	6-Foot Galvanized	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
52		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
53		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
54		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
55		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
56		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
57		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
58	Chain-Link Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
59	6-Foot Galvanized with 3- Strands Barbed Wire	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
60		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
61		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
62		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	

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No.	Work Item	Detail	Unit	Unit Cost
63		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
64		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
65		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
66	Chain-Link Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
67	6-Foot Vinyl Coated	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
68		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
69		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
70		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
71		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
72		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
73		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
74	Chain-Link Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
75	6-Foot Vinyl Coated with 3- Strands Barbed Wire	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
76		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
77		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
78		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
79		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
80		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
81		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
82	Chain-Link Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
83	8-Foot Galvanized	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
84		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
85		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
86		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
87		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
88		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
89		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
90	Chain-Link Fence 8-Foot Galvanized with 3-	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
91	Strands Barbed Wire	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
92		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
93		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
94		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	

# **Bid Requirements**

No.	Work Item	Detail	Unit	Unit Cost
95		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
96		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
97		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
98	Chain-Link Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
99	8-Foot Vinyl Coated	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
100		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
101		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
102		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
103		Install Fencing up to 10 feet	EA	
104		Install Fencing greater than 10 feet	LF	
105		Install Corner / Pull Post	EA	
106	Chain-Link Fence	Install Horizontal Brace	EA	
107	8-Foot Vinyl Coated with 3- Strands Barbed Wire	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
108		Install Drive Gate (12' Wide)	EA	
109		Install Drive Gate (16' Wide)	EA	
110		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
111		Install and Remove Fencing up to 50 feet	EA	
112	Chain-Link Fence (Temporary) Up to 6-Foot Galvanized	Install and Remove Fencing greater than 50 feet	LF	
113		Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
114		Install Fencing up to 8 feet	EA	
115		Install Fencing greater than 8 feet	LF	
116	Wood Privacy Fence	Install Post	EA	
117	6-Foot Stockade / Dog-Eared	Install Walk Gate (4' Wide)	EA	
118		Install Drive Gate (10' Wide)	EA	
119		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
120		Install Fencing up to 8 feet	EA	
121		Install Fencing greater than 8 feet	LF	
122	Wood Privacy Fence 6-Foot Curved Top	Install Post	EA	
123	'	Install Walk Gate	EA	
124		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	

# **Bid Requirements**

# Section 4: Bid Form – Pay Item Schedule

No.	Work Item	Detail	Unit	Unit Cost
125		Install Fencing up to 8 feet	EA	
126		Install Fencing greater than 8 feet	LF	
127	Wood Privacy Fence 6-Foot Shadow Box	Install Post	EA	
128		Install Walk Gate	EA	
129		Remove Existing Fencing	LF	
130		1 Man Crew	HR	
131	Hourly Labor	2 Man Crew	HR	
132		3 Man Crew	HR	
133	Special Material	N/A	EA	10%

If the Bidder is certified as a Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE) with CCWA, the CCWA SLBE Certification number must be entered below, as well as the County where the business is located in.

CCWA SLBE Certification No	County	
Submitted by:		
,		
(NAME OF BIDDER)		

# **Bid Requirements**

**Section 4: Bid Form** 

To be considered responsive to this bid, bidders are required to bid on all work items listed on the Bid Form - Pay Item Schedule.

Submitted by:
NAME OF BIDDER)
Зу:
ŚIGNATURE)
TITLE)
(DATE)
SEAL) ATTEST)
(ADDRESS)
PHONE NUMBER)
(LICENSE NUMBER) (If applicable)
E-MAIL ADDRESS)

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Section 6: Bidder Q	ualification Inforn	nation
COMPANY NAME OF	BIDDER:	
NUMBER OF YEARS	IN BUSINESS	
BUSINESS ADDRES	S OF COMPANY:	
TELEPHONE NUMBI	ER:	
POINT OF CONTACT	ΓNAME:	
POINT OF CONTACT	FEMAIL ADDRESS	S:
COMPANY TAX ID N	UMBER:	
COMPANY WEBSITE	<b>≣</b> :	
ENTITY TYPE:	☐ Privately Held	e Proprietor
NAME OF PRINCIPA	L OFFICERS:	

**Section 6: Bidder Qualification Information** 

### **REFERENCES**

# LIST AT LEAST 3 REFERENCES OF SIMILAR COMMERCIAL OR GOVERNMENT WORK COMPLETED IN THE PAST 5 YEARS:

COMPANY/GOV'T ENTITY NAME:	
CONTACT NAME:	
PHONE NUMBER:	
ADDRESS:	
COMPANY/GOV'T ENTITY NAME:	
CONTACT NAME:	
PHONE NUMBER:	
ADDRESS:	
COMPANY/GOV'T ENTITY NAME:	
CONTACT NAME:	
PHONE NUMBER:	
ADDRESS:	

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# **Section 7: Contractor Affidavit & Agreement**

### **GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT OF 2006**

	GEORGIA SECONTTI AND IMMIGNATION COMPENANCE ACT OF 2000
Α.	dissuant to the Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act of 2006, the intractor understands and agrees that compliance with the requirements of O.C.G. 13-10-91 and Georgia Department of Labor Rule 300-1002 are conditions of the greement. The Contractor further agrees that such compliance shall be attested by Contractor through execution of the contractor affidavit required by George epartment of Labor Rule 300-10-107, or a substantially similar contractor affidavite Contractor's fully executed affidavit is attached hereto as Exhibit and corporated into this Agreement by reference herein.
B.	initialing in the appropriate line below, the Contractor certifies that the following in the appropriate line below, the Contractor certifies that the following in the category as identified in O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91 is applicable to the ontractor:
	500 or more employees; 100 or more employees; Fewer than 100 employees.
C.	ne Contractor understands and agrees that, in the event the Contractor employs on tracts with any subcontractor or subcontractors in connection with this Agreemer e Contractor shall:
	Secure from each such subcontractor an indication of the employee-number category as identified in O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91 that is applicable to the subcontractor;
	Secure from each such subcontractor an attestation of the subcontractor compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91 and Georgia Department of Labor Rule 30: 10-102 by causing each such subcontractor to execute the subcontractor affidavit required by Georgia Department of Labor Rule 300-10-108, or a substantial similar subcontractor affidavit. The Contractor further understands and agrees the Contractor shall require the executed subcontractor affidavit to become a part of the agreement between the Contractor and each such subcontractor. The Contractor agrees to maintain records of each subcontractor attestation requires the executed for inspection by the Clayton County Water Authority at any time."
Co	actor
Aut	rized Signature:
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### **Section 7: Contractor Affidavit & Agreement**

#### **CONTRACTOR AFFIDAVIT AND AGREEMENT**

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned contractor verifies its compliance with <u>O.C.G.A.</u> <u>13-10-91</u>, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm, or corporation which is contracting with the Clayton County Water Authority has registered with, is participating in, uses, and will continue to use for the duration of the contract, the federal work authorization program - EEV/Basic Pilot Program operated by the U. S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Bureau of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, in conjunction with the Social Security Administration (SSA), commonly known as E-Verify, in accordance with the applicability provisions established in <u>O.C.G.A.</u> <u>13-10-91</u>.

The undersigned further agrees that, in connection with the physical performance of services pursuant to this contract with the Clayton County Water Authority, the contractor will only employ or contract with subcontractor(s), who can present a similar affidavit verifying the subcontractor's compliance with <u>O.C.G.A. 13-10-91</u>. Contractor further agrees to maintain records of such compliance and provide a copy of each such verification to the Clayton County Water Authority within five days of the subcontractor(s) presenting such affidavit(s) to the contractor.

EEV / Basic Pilot Program* User Identification Number Enter four to seven-digit numbers	
Name of Contractor (Printed)	
BY: Authorized Officer or Agent (Contractor Name)	Date
Title of Authorized Officer or Agent of Contractor	
Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent	
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME ON THIS	
THE DAY OF 20	
Notary Public	My Commission Expires

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# **Section 7: Contractor Affidavit & Agreement**

### SUBCONTRACTOR AFFIDAVIT AND AGREEMENT

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned subcontract O.C.G.A. 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual engaged in the physical performance of services under a contract of the physical performance of services under a contract of the physical performance of the physica	al, firm or corporation which is ontract with
Clayton County Water Authority has registered with, is continue to use for the duration of the contract the feder EEV/Basic Pilot Program operated by the U. S. Citizen Bureau of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Security Administration (SSA), commonly known as E-applicability provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.	al work authorization program - ship and Immigration Services in conjunction with the Social Verify, in accordance with the
The undersigned further agrees that, in connection wit services pursuant to this contract with	h the physical performance of alf of the Clayton County Water
Authority, the subcontractor will only employ or contract wit present a similar affidavit verifying the sub-subcontractor's 10-91. The undersigned further agrees that the Subcontractor compliance and provide a copy of each such verification to of the sub-subcontractor(s) presenting such affidavit(s) to the	s compliance with O.C.G.A. 13- ctor will maintain records of such the Contractor within five days
EEV / Basic Pilot Program* User Identification Number Enter four to seven-digit numbers	
Name of Sub-Contractor (Printed)	
BY: Authorized Officer or Agent (Subcontractor Name)	Date
Title of Authorized Officer or Agent of Subcontractor	
Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent	
Subscribed and sworn before me on this the day of	of20
Notary Public	My Commission Expires

### Section 8: Small Local Business Enterprises (SLBE) - General Information

### 8.1 Program Overview

Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) has implemented a Small Local Business Enterprise Program to promote full and open competition in all government procurement and purchasing. Bid discounts for the use of Small Local Business Enterprises (SLBE's) are set on a contract by contract basis for each specific prime contract with subcontracting possibilities. CCWA wants to ensure that Bidders are non-discriminatory in their process of selecting subcontractors. CCWA also wants to encourage Bidders to utilize small, minority or woman-owned businesses whenever possible. All forms included in this solicitation must be completed for Bidder to be considered responsive.

SLBE means a locally-based small business operating inside or outside of Clayton County, which meets the following criteria:

- A) Independently owned and operated business concern whose average annual gross receipts for the previous three years must not exceed (1) Construction Firms \$18,250,000; (2) Professional Services Firms \$5,500,000; Architectural Firms \$3,750,000; Engineering Firms \$7,500,000, and Goods and Services less than 250 employees.
- B) Locally based, meaning located and operating in Clayton County or the ten (10) counties of Cherokee, Cobb, DeKalb, Douglas, Fayette, Fulton, Gwinnett, Henry, Rockdale and Spalding for at least one year prior to submitting application for certification.

If a firm is locally-based in one of the counties mentioned above, is currently certified as a small business through the DeKalb County, Clayton County, or the City of Atlanta, and can provide evidence of its certification, the firm will be provisionally accepted as a SLBE, provided that they complete the official certification application for CCWA within two (2) years following the date of provisional certification. If a firm meets these qualifications, but is not currently certified as a small business, then the firm must complete an application for certification with CCWA no later than seven (7) business days following the deadline for bid submission.

SLBE's must perform a commercially useful function, which means performance of provision of real and actual services under the contract or subcontract with CCWA. Factors such as the nature and amount of the work subcontracted; whether the SLBE has the skill and expertise to perform the work for which it has been certified; whether the SLBE actually performs, manages or supervises the

### Section 8: Small Local Business Enterprises (SLBE) - General Information

work; and whether the SLBE intends to purchase commodities and/or services from a non-SLBE and simply resell them will be considered in determining if the SLBE is performing a commercially useful function.

Participation in the SLBE program is not a requirement to participate in contracting with CCWA. The use of an SLBE is a requirement when bid discounts are to be sought. The Bidder will be required to complete the required forms as outlined in the following section.

### 8.2 SLBE Required Forms

This package contains the following forms that Bidders are required to submit along with their bids (in addition to general contractor forms):

- A) <u>SLBE-1 Covenant of Non-Discrimination</u>: The signed agreement stating that the firm will not discriminate on the basis of a firm's size (revenue or employee count) with regard to prime contracting, subcontracting, or partnering opportunities.
- B) <u>SLBE-2 Sub-Contractor Contact Form</u>: A list of all firms contacted to participate as SLBE sub-contractors/suppliers on a contract.
- C) <u>SLBE-3 SLBE Sub-Contractor/Supplier Utilization Form</u>: A list of all firms procured as SLBE sub-contractors/suppliers to be utilized on this contract.

### 8.3 SLBE Optional Forms

The following form is for information and tracking purposes only, to be provided post award, at the bidder's option:

A) <u>SLBE-4 – Post-Award–Monthly SLBE Participation Report–Bid Discount:</u> Report detailing amount paid to SLBE sub-contractor on the contract.

### 8.4 Overview of Bid Discount

Bid discounts are incentives that range between 5% and 10% for the use of a certified SLBE (prime or sub-contractor) located in Clayton County or the ten (10) counties outlined in this section. Bid discounts allow an original bid amount to be discounted by a certain percentage for purposes of evaluating and determining the low responsible responsive bid. The discounted bid amount will be used in the evaluation process of awarding to the low responsive, responsible bidder. The original bid amount will be the basis for contract award.

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Example: A \$100,000 bid with a 5% bid discount would be evaluated at \$95,000. However, \$100,000 would be paid to the successful bidder.

The calculation of SLBE bid discounts shall be as follows:

There will be an applied tiered discount to bids based on what county the SLBE business is located.

- > 10 percent for SLBE's in Clayton County.
- ➤ 7.5 percent for SLBE's within the next surrounding 5 counties (DeKalb, Fayette, Fulton, Henry and Spalding).
- ➤ 5 percent for SLBE's for the 5 outer counties (Cherokee, Cobb, Douglas, Gwinnett and Rockdale).
- (1) Discounts are given to Bidders who are SLBE Primes or Primes using a small local subcontractor.
- (2) In the event of a tie bid between a discounted bidder and a non-discounted bidder, the discounted bidder (SLBE) will be recommended for the contract.

By signing the bid, the bidder is certifying that he/she has complied with the requirements of this program. Please contact Contracts, Compliance and Risk Management at <a href="mailto:ccwa\_slbe\_program@ccwa.us">ccwa\_slbe\_program@ccwa.us</a> for a list of certified SLBE's. The list is also available through <a href="mailto:www.ccwa.us">www.ccwa.us</a>, under the tab for "Procurement", section for "Small Local Business Program".

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### **FORM SLBE-1**

### **COVENANT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION**

The undersigned understands that it is the policy of the Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) to promote full and equal business opportunity for all persons doing business with CCWA. The undersigned covenants that we have not discriminated on the basis of a firm's revenue or employee count with regard to prime contracting, subcontracting or partnering opportunities. The undersigned further covenants that we have completed truthfully and fully the required forms SLBE-2 and SLBE-3. Set forth below is the signature of an officer of the bidding entity with CCWA to bind the entity.

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I, _	(Name, Title), on behalf of (Company), by my signature below, do hereby promise:						
1.	To adopt the policies of Clayton County relating to equal opportunity in contracting on projects and contracts funded, in whole or in part, with funds of CCWA;						
2.	Not to otherwise engage in discriminatory conduct;						
3.	To provide a discrimination-free working environment;						
4.	That this Covenant of Non-Discrimination shall be continuing in nature and shal remain in full force and effect without interruption; and						
5.	That this Covenant of Non-Discrimination shall be incorporated by reference into any contract or portion thereof which we may hereafter obtain.						
disc	understand that our failure to satisfactorily discharge any of the promises of non- crimination as made and set forth herein shall constitute a material breach o ntract.						
Sig	nature of Attesting Party						
	e of Attesting Party						
	this day of, 20, before me appeared						
the	person who signed the above covenant in my presence.						
	tary Public My Commission Expires						

[Seal]

#### **FORM SLBE-2**

### SUB-CONTRACTOR CONTACT FORM - BID DISCOUNT

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CONTRACTORS**

The prime contractor must complete and sign the sub-contractor contact form and submit the completed and signed form with the bid. Failure to submit this form may result in the bid being deemed nonresponsive.

**SLBE Prime Contractors:** If you are the prime contractor on the project AND also the SLBE on the project and will NOT use any other SLBE firms as sub constractors, check the box at the top of the form and sign the form.

- 1. <u>Name of contractor/supplier</u>: Provide name of the contractor or supplier you contacted to perform on the contract.
- 2. <u>Contact Name, Address and Phone Number:</u> Provide the contact information of the contractor/supplier you contacted.
- 3. County of Clayton Business License: State if the contractor/supplier you contacted is a Clayton County Licensed business.
- 4. Type or work solicited for: Describe the type of work for which you are soliciting from the contractor/supplier.
- 5. <u>Business Ownership (SLBE/non-SLBE)</u>: State whether the contractor/supplier you contacted is an SLBE or non-SLBE.
- 6. Results of Contact: Describe the results of your contact.
- 7. Sign and date the form.

### **FORM SLBE-2**

# SUB-CONTRACTOR CONTACT FORM

List all sub-contractors or suppliers (SLBE and Non-SLBE) that were contacted regarding this project.

IF THE PRIME IS THE SLBE ON THE PROJECT CHECK THE BOX

Name of Sub- Contractor/ Supplier	Contact Name, Address and Phone Number	County of Clayton Business License? (Yes or No)	Type of Work Solicited for	Business Ownership (Enter SLBE or Non SLBE)	Results of Contact
Company ABC	123 Main Street Morrow, GA 30260 770-123-4567	Yes	Hauling	SLBE	Will perform as sub

# FORM SLBE-2

# SUB-CONTRACTOR CONTACT FORM - Cont'd

List all sub-contractors or suppliers (SLBE and Non-SLBE) that were contacted regarding this project.

Name of Sub- Contractor/ Supplier	Contact Name, Address and Phone Number	County of Clayton Business License? (Yes or No)	Type of Work Solicited for	Business Ownership (Enter SLBE or Non SLBE)	Results of Contact
Bidder's Name:			Project Name:		
Signature:			Date:		

#### **FORM SLBE-3**

# SMALL LOCAL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROJECT PARTICIPATION PLAN SUB-CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER UTILIZATION INSTRUCTIONS TO CONTRACTORS

The prime contractor must complete the project participation plan for sub-contractor/supplier utilization and submit the form with the bid. Failure to submit this form will result in being deemed nonresponsive.

- 1. <u>Name of contractor/supplier</u>: Provide name of the contractor or supplier you contacted to perform on the contract.
- 2. <u>Certified as SLBE:</u> State is the subcontractor/supplier to be used on the project is an SLBE.
- 3. Which County? If you are using an SLBE on the project, state in which county the SLBE is located.
- 4. <u>NAIC or NIGP code:</u> List the NAIC/NIGP code that relates to the service or work to be performed by the subcontractor/supplier.
- 5. <u>Type of work to be performed</u>: Describe the type of proposed work to be performed by the subcontractor/supplier.
- 6. Certification number and expiration date: If using an SLBE, provide the SLBE certification number and expiration date.
- 7. <u>Estimated dollar value of work:</u> Provide the estimated dollar value of the work to be performed by the subcontractor/supplier on the project.
- 8. Percentage of Total Bid Amount: Enter the estimated % of the total bid amount for which the SLBE will be paid.

Estimated Dollar Value of the Work / Total Bid Amount = % of Total Bid Amount

#### **FORM SLBE-3**

## SMALL LOCAL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROJECT PARTICIPATION PLAN SUB-CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER UTILIZATION

List all sub-contractors and suppliers, including lower tiers, to be used on this project.

#### IF NO SUB-CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIERS WILL BE USED PLEASE CHECK THE BOX If SLBE, which Certified county-Clayton, as Small SLBE Cherokee, Cobb. Name of Sub-Local Certification **Estimated** Percentage DeKalb, Douglas, NAIC or Type of Work to be Performed contractor/ **Business** No. and Dollar (\$) of Total Bid Fayette, Fulton, **NIGP Code** Supplier **Enterprise** Value of Work Amount **Expiration** Henry, Gwinnett, (SLBE)-Date Rockdale, Yes or No Spalding SLBE-125-463 Company ABC 96239 Yes Clayton Hauling \$5500 11% 5/01/2017 Total Estimated SLBE Sub-contractor % Bidder's Company Name: Date: Bidder's Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature:

#### **FORM SLBE-4**

## POST AWARD – MONTHLY SLBE PARTICIPATION REPORT – BID DISCOUNT INSTRUCTIONS TO CONTRACTORS

The prime contractor must complete and sign the participation report and submit the completed and signed form with each pay application to the CCWA Project Manager in charge of the contract. Failure to submit this form may result in payment application being deemed incomplete.

- 1. <u>Report Number:</u> Reports must be consecutively numbered. It will only be necessary to submit a report in a period when the approved SLBE has performed a portion of the work that has been designated for the contract.
- 2. Date: Actual date of the report.
- 3. <u>Prime SLBE</u>: If you are the Prime Contractor and also the SLBE on the contract please check yes and insert assigned CCWA SLBE certification number. Note that %100 of SLBE dollars spent will be counted towards the SLBE contract or annual goal, if applicable.
- 4. Pay application end date: Reports must acknowledge the end date for the period for which is being reported.
- 5. Prior Earned Pay Application Amount: The amount previously submitted for payment on pay application.
- 6. Current Earned Pay Application Amount: The amount submitting with current payment application.
- 7. Earnings To-Date: The actual amount that each SLBE has earned to-date under the contract.
- 8. <u>Total SLBE Earnings To-Date</u>: The total is achieved by adding all payments to SLBE to date. (Previous payments reported + current payment reported)
- 9. Certification: The contractor's authorized representative must sign this form prior to submittal.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

When the approved SLBE is to provide materials, goods or services, this completed form must be submitted to the CCWA Project Manager. The prime contractor must notify CCWA of any changes to SLBE firms.

When the prime contractor is an approved SLBE, it will only be necessary to complete the total SLBE earnings to-date. Joint ventures between non-SLBE and certified SLBE: Only that portion of the work for which the certified SLBE is responsible may be used to satisfy the requirement.

# FORM SLBE-4 POST AWARD – MONTHLY SLBE PARTICIPATION REPORT – BID DISCOUNT

PROJECT NO. (S):			REPORT NO.	:	
CONTRACTOR: _			DATE:		<del> </del>
CONTRACT AMOU	JNT: \$		PAY APPLICA	ATION PERIOD END DA	ATE:
	TRACTOR? O Yes O No A SLBE Certification #		Check if final լ	payment >>> O	FINAL PAYMENT
NAME OF APPROVED SLBE	DESCRIPTION OF WORK		EARNED PAY ATION AMOUNT	CURRENT EARNED APPLICATION AMOUNT	EARNINGS TO-DATE
I HEREBY CERTIFY	THAT THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS TRUE	7	TOTAL SLBE	E EARNINGS TO-DATE	i:
AND CORRECT AND	SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION IS ON BLE FOR INSPECTION BY CCWA AT ANY			FOR DEPARTMENT	USE ONLY:
				HAS BEEN REVIEWED AT THAT	
SIGNED	CONTRACTOR				TLE
REMARKS				HAS BEEN REVIEWED AT THE	PROGRAM LEVEL BY: "LE

**Contract Forms Division 3** 

**Section 1: Agreement Form** 

**STATE OF GEORGIA COUNTY OF CLAYTON** 

#### **AGREEMENT FOR ONGOING PROVISION OF GOODS AND SERVICES**

Thi	s Agreement made and entered into this	day of	, 2021,
for <b>Annua</b>	I Contract for Fence Installations and	Repairs, between	the <b>CLAYTON</b>
COUNTY V	WATER AUTHORITY (hereinafter "the Auth	ority") and	
	(hereina:	fter "the Contractor"	), witnesseth:
	HEREAS, the Authority is contracting with ods and services described below for the te		•
NO	W THEREFORE, the parties agree as follo	ows:	
1.	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS AND SERV	/ICES: The Contrac	tor shall provide
	the goods and services to the Authority	in such quantities	as the Authority
	requires for Annual Contract for Fen	ce Installations ar	n <b>d Repairs</b> , as
	described in the Request for Bid dated	July 2021.	
2.	<b>COSTS</b> : The Authority shall pay the Con	tractor the prices as	stipulated in the
	Bid Form hereto attached as full comp , 2021, and above d		
	Authority will not guarantee any minimur	_	
	contract term. Work under this contract v	vill be authorized on	an "as needed –
	when needed basis", and will be paid per	r the bid unit prices a	s submitted and
	approved. Payment for work completed v	vill be processed upo	on submission of
	an Invoice and Affidavit of Completion by	y the Contractor. Th	e invoice will be
	verified by the Authority representative,	and any changes/co	orrections to the
	invoice will require the contractor to cor	rect and re-submit t	he invoice. The
	Authority will accept invoices on a once	per week basis. The	e Authority shall
	pay the Contractor net 30 days upon	receipt of the inve	oice, and upon
	acceptance of the work in accordance w	ith the specifications	s. Payments will
	be made via regular US Mail.		

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4. **RENEWAL PROVISIONS:** The contract may be extended for a second and third 12 month period by mutual written consent by both parties with no changes in terms, conditions, and bid prices.

- 5. **WARRANTY ON SERVICES RENDERED:** The Contractor warrants its workmanship to be free from defects for a period of two (2) years from the date of final acceptance. The Contractor further warrants that its workmanship will conform to all specifications and will perform as specified. Upon receipt of written notice of a defect in workmanship, the Contractor shall repair the defect in a timely manner at no expense to the Authority.
- 6. **WARRANTY ON GOODS PROVIDED:** The Contractor warrants its goods for a period of two (2) years from the date of final acceptance. Furthermore, the Contractor warrants that goods ordered to specifications will conform thereto and to any drawings, samples, or other description furnished or adopted by the Authority, and will be fit and sufficient for the purpose intended; and that all goods are merchantable, of good material and workmanship, and free from defect. Such warranties, together with the Contractor's service warranties and guarantees, if any shall survive inspection, test, acceptance of, and payment for the goods and shall run to the Authority, its successors, assigns, customers at any tier, and ultimate user and joint users. Notices of any defect or nonconformity shall be given by the Authority to the Contractor within fifteen (15) months after acceptance by ultimate user; provided however that in the event the goods are designed by the Contractor, notice must be given within three (3) years after acceptance by ultimate user. The rights and remedies of the Authority concerning latent defects shall exist indefinitely, and shall not be affected in clause. The Authority may, at its option, and in addition to other remedies available at law, either (i) return for credit, (ii) require prompt correction or replacement of the defective or nonconforming goods, or (iii) have the defective items corrected or replaced at the Contractor's expense and deduct the cost thereof from any monies due the Contractor. The return to the Contractor of any defective or nonconforming goods and delivery to the Authority of any corrected or replaced goods shall be at the Contractor's expense. Goods required to be corrected or replaced shall be at the Contractor's expense. Goods required to be corrected or replaced shall be subject to the provision of this paragraph and the paragraph of this Agreement entitled "inspection" on the same manner and to the same extent as goods originally delivered under this Agreement. In addition to correcting or replacing any defective or

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nonconforming goods, the Contractor shall also reimburse the Authority for all costs and expenses incurred by the Authority in connection with inspection and discovery of the defects, identifying and correcting the cause of such defects and all other activities reasonably undertaken by the Authority to obtain conforming goods or attempting to obtain from the ultimate user a waiver to permit the defective goods to be used with all or part of the defective conditions.

7. **INSPECTION:** The Authority shall have the right to inspect the goods supplied hereunder at any time during the manufacture or fabrication thereof at the Contractor's facilities or elsewhere. Such inspection may include, without limitation, raw materials, components, work in process, and completed products as well as drawings, specifications, and released data. Final inspection and acceptance shall be after delivery to the delivery point designated by the Authority. If any inspection or test is made by the Authority at the Contractor's facility or elsewhere, the Contractor shall provide reasonable facilities and assistance for the inspection personnel. The Authority may reject all goods supplied hereunder, which are found to be defective. Goods so rejected may be returned to the Contractor at the Contractor's expense. No inspection, examination or test, regardless of extensiveness or type, and no approval give in connection with any such inspection, examination or test, whether under this Agreement or another contract for the same or similar goods, shall relieve it, of any obligation to comply fully with all requirements of this Agreement, including the obligation to produce gods that conform to all requirements of the drawings, specifications and any other Contract Documents. At the Authority's request, the Contractor shall repair or replace defective goods at the Contractor's expense. Failure to inspect goods, failure to discover defects in goods or payment for goods shall not constitute acceptance or limit any of the Authority's rights, including without limitation those under the WARRANTY provisions of this Agreement. In the event inspection reveals a defect or defects and schedule urgency requires that the defect or defects be corrected by the Authority to support production, all cost of such correction, including without limitation installation and removal, will be charged to the Contractor; such charges will also include time and material and appropriate indirect and overhead expenses. The Contractor shall maintain in inspection system acceptable to the Authority covering the goods furnished hereunder.

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- 8. **CONTRACTOR'S AFFIDAVITS:** The Contractor shall issue a "Standard Contractor's Affidavit Interim Waiver and Release Upon Payment" and a "Standard Contractor's Affidavit Unconditional Waiver and Release upon Final Payment" provided by the Authority before receiving any interim or final payment for any services performed.
- 9. **ASSIGNMENT AND SUBCONTRACTING:** The Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion of this Agreement, nor shall the Contractor sub contract for goods or completed or substantially completed services purchased hereunder without the prior express written consent of the Authority. No assignment or subcontract by the Contractor, including any assignment or subcontract to which the Authority consents, shall in any way relieve the Contractor from complete and punctual performance of this Agreement, including without limitation all of the Contractor's obligations under the WARRANTY provisions of this Agreement.
- 10. THE AUTHORITY'S ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION: During the Contractor's performance of this Agreement, the Authority may, but has no obligation to, provide assistance to, or cooperate with, the Contractor in activities that facilitate the proper performance and completion of this Agreement by the Contractor. Such assistance and cooperation may include without limitation: (i) providing engineering or other analysis or advice on correcting problems; (ii) refraining from strict enforcement of time schedule requirements under this Agreement; (iii) permitting use of test materials or documentation not performed or produced under this Agreement. Such assistance or cooperation by the Authority shall not be construed, and the Contractor agrees that it will not claim that any such assistance or cooperation operates, to relieve the Contractor from complete, proper and punctual performance of all the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement.
- that the Contractor, the Contractor's employees or agents or the Contractor's subcontractors enter the Authority's designated premises for any reason in connection with this Agreement, the Contractor and such other parties shall observer all security requirements and all plant safety, plant protection, and traffic regulations. The Contractor shall defend, indemnify, and hold the Authority harmless from all claims, actions, demands, loss, and causes of action, arising from injury, including death, to any person, or damage to any property, when such injury or damage results in whole or in part from the acts

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or omissions of the Contractor, the Contractor's employees or agents or the Contractor's subcontractor, save and except damage caused by the sole negligence of the Authority. The Contractor, and any subcontractor's used by the Contractor in connection with this Agreement, shall carry Workmen's Compensation and Employees' Liability Insurance to cover the Contractor's and any subcontractor's legal liability on account of accidents to their employees. The Contractor and any subcontractor shall carry adequate Comprehensive General Liability and adequate Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance covering accidents to their employees. The Contractor and any subcontractor shall carry adequate Comprehensive General Liability and adequate Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance covering legal liability of the Contractor and any subcontractor on account of accidents arising out of the operations of the Contractor or any subcontractor and resulting in bodily injury, including death, being sustained by any person or persons, or in any damage to property. At the Authority's request, the Contractor shall furnish to the Authority certificates from the Contractor's insurers showing such coverage in effect and agreeing to give the Authority thirty (30) days prior written notice of cancellation of the coverage.

12. **RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS:** The Contractor shall abide by the Authority's applicable Risk Management Requirements, attached to this Agreement as Exhibit A and hereby incorporated into this Agreement.

#### 13. **TERMINATION FOR DEFAULT**:

- (a) The Authority may, subject to the provisions of subparagraph (c) below, by written notice of default to the Contractor, terminate the whole or any part of this Agreement in any one of the following circumstances; (i) if the Contractor fails to perform this Agreement within the time specified herein or any extension thereof; or (ii) if the Contractor fails to perform any of the other provisions of this Agreement, or so fails to make progress as to endanger performance of this Agreement in accordance with its terms, and does not cure such failure within a period of ten (10) days or longer period (as the Authority may authorize in writing) after receipt of notice from the Authority specifying such failure.
- (b) In the event the Authority terminates this Agreement in whole or in part as provided in subparagraph (a) above, the Authority may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the Authority may deem appropriate, services, similar to those so terminated, and the Contractor shall be liable to the Authority for any Excess costs for the same,

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including without limitation all cost and expenses of the type specified in the "WARRANTY" paragraph of this Agreement; provided, that the Contractor shall continue the performance of this Agreement to the extent not terminated hereunder.

- Except with regard to defaults of subcontractors, the Contractor shall (c) not be liable for any excess costs if the failure to perform this Agreement arises out of causes beyond the control and without the fault of negligence of the Contractor such causes may include, but are not limited to, acts of God, or of the public enemy, acts of the Government in either its sovereign or contractual capacity, fires, flood, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, and unusually severe weather, but in every case the failure to perform must be beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor. If the failure to perform is caused by the default of a subcontractor, and if such default arises out of causes beyond the control of both the Contractor and the subcontractor, and without the fault of negligence of either of them, the Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs for failure to perform, unless the services to be furnished by the subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit the Contractor to meet the required delivery schedule. The term "subcontractor" shall mean subcontractor at any tier.
- (d) If, after notice of termination of this Agreement under the provisions of this paragraph, it is determined for any reason that the Contractor was not in default under the provisions above or that the default was excusable under the provisions of this paragraph, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination has been issued pursuant to the "Termination for Convenience" paragraph of this Agreement.
- (e) The rights and remedies of the Authority provided in this paragraph shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Agreement.
- 14. **TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE**: The Authority may at any time by written notice terminate all or any part of this Agreement for the Authority's convenience. If this Agreement is terminated, in whole or in part, for the Authority's convenience, the Contractor shall be paid an amount, to be mutually agreed upon, which shall be adequate to cover the actual and reasonable cost paid by the Contractor for the actual goods and labor

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reasonably used by the Contractor to perform the work under this Agreement to the effective date of termination, plus a reasonable profit thereon; provided that no amount shall be paid to the Contractor for (i) any anticipatory profits related to work under this Agreement not yet performed, or (ii) costs incurred due to the Contractor's failure to terminate work as ordered on the effective date of termination. In no event shall the total amount paid under the provisions of this paragraph exceed the prices set forth in this Agreement for the work terminated.

- 15. **DISPUTES:** Pending resolution of any dispute hereunder, the Contractor shall proceed diligently with the performance of work in accordance with the Authority's direction.
- 16. **NOTICES:** All notices required or permitted to be given hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given if delivered in writing personally or sent by United States certified or registered mail addressed to the Contractor or the Authority, as the case may be, with postage thereon fully prepaid. The effective time shall be at the time of mailing.
- 17. **ATTORNEYS' FEES:** The Contractor shall pay reasonable attorneys' fees to the Authority should the Authority be required to incur attorneys' fees in enforcing the provisions of this Agreement or in the collection of any monies herein required to be paid by the Contractor to the Authority.
- 20. <u>COUNTERPARTS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES:</u> This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which will be deemed to be an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument. An executed signature page delivered via facsimile transmission or electronic signature shall be deemed as effective as an original executed signature page.

#### SIGNATURES ON NEXT PAGE

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF this 20, said parties have hereunto set the Executed on behalf of: CLAYTON COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY	day of, eir seals the day and year above first written.  CONTRACTOR
By: Name: H. BERNARD FRANKS Title: General Manager	By: Name:Title:
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#### **RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS**

The Contractor will provide minimum insurance coverage and limits as per the following: The Contractor will file with the Authority Certificates of Insurance, certifying the required insurance coverage and stating that each policy has been endorsed to provide thirty (30) day notice to the Authority in the event that coverage is cancelled, non-renewed or the types of coverage or limits of liability are reduced below those required. All bonds and insurance coverage must be placed with an insurance company approved by Authority Management, admitted to do business in the State of Georgia, and rated Secure ("B+" or better) by A.M. Best Company in the latest edition of Property and Casualty Ratings, or rated by Standard & Poors Insurance Ratings, latest edition as Secure ("BBB" or better). Worker's Compensation self-insurance for individual Contractors must be approved by the Worker's Compensation Board, State of Georgia and/or Self-Insurance pools approved by the Insurance Commissioner, State of Georgia.

#### **CONTRACTS FOR UP TO \$50,000**

Worker's Compensation – Worker's Compensation coverage on a statutory basis for the State of Georgia with an Employer's Liability limit of \$100,000 each Accident, Disease \$100,000 each employee, \$500,000 Disease policy limit.

**Automobile Liability** – Automobile liability coverage for owned, hired and non-owned vehicles in the amount of \$500,000 combined single limit.

Commercial General Liability – Coverage to be provided on "occurrence" not "claims made" basis. The coverage is to include Contractual liability, Per Project Limit of Liability, losses caused by Explosion, Collapse and Underground ("xcu") perils, the "Clayton County Water Authority" is to be added as an Additional Insured and Products and Completed Operations coverage is to be maintained for three (3) years following completion of work.

#### **CONTRACTS FOR MORE THAN \$50,000**

Worker's Compensation – Worker's Compensation coverage on a statutory basis for the State of Georgia with an Employer's Liability limit of \$1,000,000. The increased Employer's Liability limit may be provided by an Umbrella or Excess Liability policy.

**Automobile Liability** - Automobile liability coverage for owned, hired and non-owned vehicles in the amount of \$1,000,000 combined single limit.

Commercial General Liability – Coverage to be provided on "occurrence" not "claims made" basis. The coverage is to include Contractual liability, Per Project Limit of Liability, losses caused by Explosion, Collapse and Underground ("xcu") perils, the "Clayton County Water Authority" is to be added as an Additional Insured and Products and Completed Operations coverage is to be maintained for three (3) years following completion of work.

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#### RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS (Cont'd)

**CONTRACTS FOR UP TO \$50,000** 

**CONTRACTS FOR MORE THAN \$50,000** 

#### **LIMITS OF LIABILITY:**

\$1,000,000	Per Occurrence
\$1,000,000	Personal and Advertising
\$50,000	Fire Damage*
\$5,000	Medical Payments*
\$1,000,000	General Aggregate
\$1,000,000	Products/Completed Operations per Occurrence and Aggregate

<sup>\*</sup>These are automatic minimums

Owner's Protective Liability – The Authority's Management may, in its discretion, require Owner's Protective Liability in some situations.

**Umbrella and/or Excess Liability** – The umbrella or Excess Liability Policy may be used to combine with underlying policies to obtain the limits required. The Management of the Authority may elect to require higher limits.

Owner's Protective Liability – The Authority's Management may, in its discretion, require Owner's Protective Liability in some situations.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this	day of	, 20
Notary Public:	My Commission expires:	

#### **Section 1: Post Award Submittals**

#### 1.1 General

- A. This section describes the information that is required to be provided by the Contractor to facilitate work.
- B. Contractor shall submit, to the CCWA for approval to use, product information on all materials required to be provided by the Contractor unless noted otherwise.
  - 1. Where a material manufacturer is not specified, Contractor shall submit for use domestically manufactured materials.
  - 2. Materials provided by the Contractor not approved by the CCWA shall be subject to rejection without further justification.
- C. The Contractor shall schedule and make submissions as to cause no delay in work.
- D. Upon receipt of a submittal, the CCWA shall complete its review and return CCWA comments to Contractor within 10 business days.

#### 1.2 Submittal Requirements

- A. Submittals to be provided with each individual Project Work Order.
  - 1. Specifications of materials being supplied (as necessary).

#### Section 2: Work Assignment and Detail

#### 2.1 General

- A. This Section describes how work is to be assigned and the basis that will be used for processing applications for payment. These provisions will apply to all work of the Contract Documents in addition to specific instructions provided within the individual specification sections.
- B. The basis for payment will be the bid unit cost amounts included in the Pay Item Schedule and the actual quantities of work completed by the Contractor and approved by the CCWA. The CCWA reserves the right to adjust the quantities up or down as necessary to address needs.
- C. Nothing in this Section shall be construed as providing for additional payment beyond the Work Items. No payment will be made for partially completed Work Items. No payment will be made for the completion of excessive quantities of a Work Item as determined by the CCWA.

#### 2.2 Work Assignment and Detail

A. Work to be performed under this annual contract will be assigned on an as needed when needed basis as determined by the CCWA in the form of a Project Work Order.

#### Project Set-Up for Non-Emergency Work

- 1. CCWA shall prepare draft work items and quantities for Contractor review.
- 2. Contractor shall provide comments on the draft work items and quantities to CCWA within 7 calendar days of issuance by CCWA in order that a Project Work Order can be issued.
- 3. Contractor shall commence work on-site within 7 calendar days of receipt of a Project Work Order.

#### Project Set-Up for Emergency Work

- 1. CCWA shall prepare draft work items and quantities for Contractor review.
- 2. Contractor shall provide comments on the draft work items and quantities to CCWA within 24 hours of notice of emergency mobilization by CCWA in order that a Project Work Order can be issued.
- 3. Contractor shall commence work on-site within 24 hours of notice of emergency mobilization by CCWA. CCWA shall issue Project Work Order prior to or concurrently with the start of work.

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- B. A Project Work Order will be for work items that are at a single location (particular address).
- C. Work of a Project Work Order shall be completed within the number of consecutive work days mutually agreed to by the Contractor and the CCWA prior to the start of the work. Unless approved by the CCWA in advance, the Contractor shall not leave the work site to complete work for others.

#### 2.3 Work Items and Measurement

The following descriptions explain the work that is to be completed as part of each Work Item. The Contractor shall provide all labor, equipment, tools and materials to complete the Work Items in accordance with the Contract Documents. The following Work Items correspond to the Work Items and Details listed on the "Pay Item Schedule" of the Bid Form.

#### A. Work Item #1 "Emergency Mobilization".

Defined as the Contractor's administrative and preparatory operations which are necessary to arrive on-site and initiate work within 24 hours of a notice of an Emergency Mobilization request. The Work Item will be paid on a per "each" unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule when applicable as authorized/approved by CCWA. The costs for demobilization, and remobilizations due to shut downs or suspensions of the work caused by the Contractor shall not be compensated.

## B. Work Items #2 - #14 "Field Fence": Install Corner / Brace Post and Horizontal Brace.

Defined as installing a corner/brace post or a horizontal brace in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### C. Work Items #2 - #14 "Field Fence": Install Fencing.

Defined as installing barbed wire, line posts and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost for up to the first 12 feet installed and on a per "linear foot" (LF) unit

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cost for footage installed beyond 12 feet in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### D. Work Items #2 - #14 "Field Fence": Remove Existing Fencing.

Defined as removing from the work site and disposing all existing posts, braces, barbed wire, fasteners and/or other construction related materials/debris. Any holes remaining from post removal shall be filled with dry sand. The Work Items will be paid on a per "linear foot" (LF) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### E. Work Items #15 - #110 "Chain-Link Fence": Install Fencing.

Defined as installing wire mesh, tension wire, barbed wire where requested, line post, top rail, accessories and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost for up to the first 10 feet installed and on a per "linear foot" (LF) unit cost for footage installed beyond 10 feet in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### F. Work Items #15 - #110 "Chain-Link Fence": Install Corner/Pull Post.

Defined as installing a corner/pull post, corner/pull post for barbed wire where requested, accessories and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### G. Work Items #15 - #110 "Chain-Link Fence": Install Walk Gate.

Defined as installing a single-swing walk gate, single walk gate with barbed wire where requested, accessories and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

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#### H. Work Items #15 - #110 "Chain-Link Fence": Install Drive Gate.

Defined as installing a double-swing drive gate, double-swing drive gate with barbed wire where requested, accessories and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

# I. Work Items #15 - #110 "Chain-Link Fence": Remove Existing Fencing. Defined as removing from the work site and disposing all existing posts, braces, top rails, wire mesh, barbed wire where requested, single-swing walk gates, double-swing drive gates, accessories, fasteners and/or other construction related materials/debris. Any holes remaining from post removal shall be filled with dry sand. The Work Items will be paid on a per "linear foot" (LF) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### J. Work Items #15 - #110 "Chain-Link Fence": Install Horizontal Brace.

Defined as installing a horizontal brace, truss rod, accessories and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

## K. Work Items #111 - #113 "Chain-Link Fence (Temporary)": Install / Remove Fencing.

Defined as installing temporary galvanized mesh fencing up to a height of 6 feet, corner posts, line posts, top rail, tension wire, accessories and fasteners and subsequently removing all fencing materials from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. Any holes remaining from post removal shall be filled with dry sand. The Work Items will be paid on a per "linear foot" (LF) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

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#### L. Work Items #114 - #129 "Wood Privacy Fence": Install Fencing.

Defined as installing wood runners, wood slats and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost for up to the first 8 feet installed and on a per "linear foot" (LF) unit cost for footage installed beyond 8 feet in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### M. Work Items #114 - #129 "Wood Privacy Fence": Install Post.

Defined as installing a post in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### N. Work Items #114 - #129 "Wood Privacy Fence": Install Walk Gate.

Defined as installing a single-swing walk gate, accessories and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Items will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### O. Work Item #114 - #129 "Wood Privacy Fence": Install Drive Gate.

Defined as installing a double-swing drive gate, accessories and fasteners in accordance with the appropriate material specifications and details and removing from the work site and disposing any remaining soil and/or other construction related materials/debris. The Work Item will be paid on a per "each" (EA) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

## P. Work Items #114 - #129 "Wood Privacy Fence": Remove Existing Fencing.

Defined as removing from the work site and disposing all existing posts, slats, runners, single-swing walk gates, accessories, fasteners and/or other construction related materials/debris. Any holes remaining from post removal shall be filled with dry sand. The Work Items will be paid on a per

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"linear foot" (LF) unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### Q. Work Items #130 - #132 "Hourly Labor": 1,2,3 Man Crew.

Work Items shall be utilized on a case-by-case basis. Defined as the Contractor providing and utilizing the indicated number of labor positions to complete work as requested for a certain amount of time. Work Items may only be used when work cannot be completed through other existing Work Items. Only the time the labor position is on the work site and working will be considered for payment. The hourly rate shall be the Contractor's total expense per hour for the indicated number of labor positions. The Work Items will be paid on a per "hour" unit cost in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule and applicable Detail as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### R. Work Item #133 "Special Material".

Work Item shall be utilized on a case-by-case basis. Defined as the Contractor furnishing material, not included as part of other Work Items, needed to complete the work. The Work Item will be paid at invoice cost plus a Contractor's 10% percent markup in accordance with the Pay Item Schedule as authorized/approved by CCWA.

#### **Section 3: General Requirements**

#### 3.1 General

- A. This section describes general requirements of the Contract.
- B. The Contractor shall provide all staff with photo identification and use vehicles with permanent company logos/markings/identification that are prominently displayed and clearly visible at all times.
- C. The Contractor shall provide an experienced supervisor in charge of field operations and subcontractors. The field supervisor shall be responsible for the safety of all site workers and site conditions, as well as ensuring that all work is conducted in conformance with these Specifications and to the level of quality specified. The field supervisor shall be responsible for reporting any safety or regulatory issue of concern immediately to CCWA.
- D. The Contractor shall use special care in work methods and take all necessary precautions against improper use of equipment to avoid damaging CCWA, public and private property. If, in CCWA's opinion, the Contractor's work has caused damage, the Contractor shall repair the damage timely and to the complete satisfaction of CCWA at no additional cost. In the event that funds are expended by CCWA related to these activities the Contractor shall reimburse CCWA for any and all such costs.
- E. The CCWA shall not be responsible or compensate the Contractor for the damage to and/or loss of Contractor's equipment as result of the work.

#### 3.2 Site Work

- A. Work on a site shall be allowed Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 6:00 pm; other times may be allowed by CCWA permission only.
- B. The Contractor shall be responsible for locating existing utilities in accordance with state and local regulations.
- C. The Contractor shall be responsible for providing and maintaining a safe work site as necessary to protect the workers and the public at all times.
- D. The work may require access to private property. The CCWA shall be responsible for coordinating and providing access to the area(s) of work. The Contractor shall contain work within area designated by CCWA.
- E. The work may be accessed on paved surfaces or non-paved surfaces. Contractor shall provide equipment capable of maneuvering all surfaces.

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CCWA shall not be responsible for Contractor's equipment that becomes unmaneuverable due to site conditions.

F. The Contractor shall maintain the work site in a neat and orderly condition throughout the construction period. Remove and dispose of all construction related debris in accordance with local and state regulations. The burning of materials is not permitted on the work site or other CCWA property. At completion of work, remove temporary facilities, debris and equipment.

#### 3.3 Material Specifications

#### A. Field Fence

- Wood Post: Corner, brace and line post shall be pressure treated southern yellow pine. Preservative shall be waterborne and suitable for ground contact in accordance with the American Wood Protection Association (AWPA). Sized as follows:
  - a. Corner / Brace Post: 6-inch diameter at small end by 7-foot length.
  - b. Horizontal Brace: 4-inch diameter at small end by 7-foot length.
  - c. Line Post: 3-inch diameter at small end by 6.5-foot length.
- 2. Steel Post: Line post shall be Standard T-post Non-Certified 1.25 pound/foot, studded with anchor plate. Steel shall be coated with baked-on enamel.
- 3. Barbed Wire Strand: Strand shall consist of two 12.5 gauge carbon-steel wires galvanized zinc-coated (Class 1). Strand shall have barbs (4-point) spaced at 5 inches on-center, galvanized zinc-coated.

#### 4. Fasteners:

- a. Staple shall be 8 gauge carbon-steel wire double-barbed galvanized zinc-coated, 1.5 inches long.
- b. Horizontal brace pin shall be 3/8-inch diameter carbon-steel galvanized zinc-coated, 5 inches long minimum.
- c. Wire clip for T-post shall be minimum 8 gauge carbon-steel wire galvanized zinc-coated.
- 5. See "Field Fence Barbed Wire" Detail for dimensional requirements.

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- B. Chain-Link Fence (4-Foot and 5-foot Heights)
  - 1. Post: Corner post, pull post, line post and top rail shall be 16 gauge steel tubing galvanized zinc coated. Plastic coating shall be extruded vinyl; color as requested. Sized as follows:
    - a. Corner / Pull Post: 2-3/8 inch diameter.
    - b. Line Post: 1-5/8 inch diameter.
    - c. Top Rail: 1-5/8 inch diameter.
  - 2. Chain-Link: Size shall be 11.5 gauge galvanized zinc coated with 2-inch openings or match existing. Finish size with plastic coating shall be 9 gauge. Plastic coating shall be extruded vinyl, color as requested.
  - Tension Wire: Wire size shall be 7 gauge galvanized zinc coated. Finish size with plastic coating shall be 4 gauge. Plastic coating shall be extruded vinyl, color as requested.
  - 4. Accessories and Fasteners: Caps, clips, bands, pull bars, latches, canes, hinge pins and fasteners shall be galvanized zinc coated. Where used with plastic coatedchain-link, caps, clips, bands, pull bars, latches shall be coated with extruded vinyl. Where used with plastic coated chain-link, canes, hinge pins and fasteners shall be finished with a coating compatible with galvanization, color as requested.
  - 5. See "Chain Link Fence 4' and 5" Detail for dimensional requirements.
- C. Chain-Link Fence (6-Foot and 8-foot Heights)
  - Post: Corner post, pull post, line post, top rail and horizontal brace shall be schedule 40 steel tubing galvanized zinc coated. Plastic coating shall be extruded vinyl; color as requested. Sized as follows:
    - a. Corner / Pull Post: 3 inch diameter.
    - b. Line Post: 2-1/2 inch diameter.
    - c. Horizontal Brace: 2-1/2 inch diameter.
    - d. Top Rail: 1-5/8 inch diameter.
  - 2. Chain-Link: Size shall be 9 gauge galvanized zinc coated with 2-inch openings or match existing. Finish size with plastic coating shall be 6 gauge. Plastic coating shall be extruded vinyl, color as requested.

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- 3. Truss Rod: Rod size shall be 3/8-inch diameter galvanized zinc coated. Where required, plastic coating shall be extruded vinyl, color as requested.
- 4. Tension Wire:Wire size shall be 7 gauge galvanized zinc coated. Finish size with plastic coating shall be 4 gauge. Plastic coating shall be extruded vinyl, color as requested.
- 5. Barbed Wire Strand: Strand shall consist of two 12.5 gauge carbon-steel wires galvanized zinc-coated (Class 1). Strand shall have barbs (4-point) spaced at 5 inches on-center, galvanized zinc-coated. Where used with plastic coated chain-link, finish with coating compatible with galvanization, color as requested.
- 6. Accessories and Fasteners: Caps, barbed wire arm, clips, bands, pull bars, latches, canes, hinge pins and fasteners shall be galvanized zinc coated. Where used with plastic coated chain-link, caps, clips, bands, pull bars, latches shall be coated with extruded vinyl. Where used with plastic coated chain-link, barbed wire arms, canes, hinge pins and fasteners shall be finished with a coating compatible with galvanization, color as requested.
- 7. See "Chain Link Fence 6' and 8'" and "Chain Link Fence 6' and 8' with Barbed Wire" Details for dimensional requirements.

#### D. Wood Privacy Fence

- Wood: Posts, runners and slats shall be pressure treated southern yellow pine. Preservative shall be waterborne and suitable for ground contact in accordance with the American Wood Protection Association (AWPA). Sized as follows:
  - a. Post: 4-inch by 4-inch (nominal).
  - b. Runner: 2-inch by 4-inch (nominal).
  - c. Slat: 1-inch by 6-inch (nominal).

#### 2. Accessories and Fasteners:

a. Latches, hinges, canes, bolts, nails and fasteners shall be galvanized coated.

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 See "Wood Privacy Fence – Stockade", "Wood Privacy Fence – Stockade Curved Top" and "Wood Privacy Fence – Shadow Box" Details for dimensional requirements.

#### E. Concrete

1. Fast-setting commercial grade having minimum 3,000 psi compressive strength. Premixed sack-type mixture is acceptable.

#### 3.4 Acceptance

- A. A CCWA Inspector shall inspect all components of work for compliance with the Contract. The Contractor shall, at all times, permit and facilitate inspection of work by the CCWA. The presence of a CCWA Inspector or other CCWA staff on the site of work shall not be construed to, in any manner, relieve the Contractor of their responsibility for strict compliance with the Contract. The CCWA Inspector shall inform the Contractor when work is deficient from the Contract. Deficiencies shall be addressed in a timely manner as determined by the CCWA Inspector.
- B. Final Acceptance of the work by the CCWA shall be when the Contractor has met all terms and conditions as set forth by the Contract. The date of Final Acceptance shall be no later than the date the CCWA approves the Contractor's final request for payment. Where applicable, Final Acceptance shall be written, signed and dated by the CCWA.

# **ATTACHMENTS**

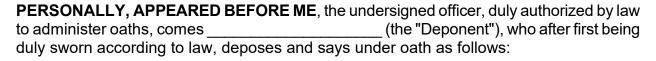
## STATE OF GEORGIA COUNTY OF CLAYTON

### WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIEN AND PAYMENT BOND RIGHTS UPON FINAL PAYMENT

Water Authority to furnish:	
[describe materials and/or labor] for the construction	•
which is located in the City of	[title of the project or building]; , County of
and is owned by the Clayton County Water Autho follows:	
[describe the property upon which the improvement address of the project, metes and bounds description of number]: See Attachment:  upon which the improvement address of the project, metes and bounds description of the project, metes and bounds described by the project	_
Upon the receipt of the sum of: \$and/or materialman waives and releases any and the foregoing property or any rights against any la of labor or materials, or both, furnished by the und County Water Authority for said property.	all liens or claims of liens it has upon bor and/or material bond on account

NOTICE: WHEN YOU EXECUTE AND SUBMIT THIS DOCUMENT, YOU SHALL BE CONCLUSIVELY DEEMED TO HAVE WAIVED AND RELEASED ANY AND ALL LIENS AND CLAIMS OF LIENS UPON THE FOREGOING DESCRIBED PROPERTY AND ANY RIGHTS REGARDING ANY LABOR OR MATERIAL BOND REGARDING THE SAID PROPERTY TO THE EXTENT (AND ONLY TO THE EXTENT) SET FORTH ABOVE, EVEN IF YOU HAVE NOT ACTUALLY RECEIVED SUCH PAYMENT, 90 DAYS AFTER THE DATE STATED BELOW UNLESS YOU FILE AN AFFIDAVIT OF NONPAYMENT PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF SUCH 90 DAY PERIOD. THE FAILURE TO INCLUDE THIS NOTICE LANGUAGE ON THE FORM SHALL RENDER THE FORM UNENFORCEABLE AND INVALID AS A WAIVER AND RELEASE UNDER O.C.G.A. § 44-14-366.

**COUNTERPARTS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES:** This Waiver may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which will be deemed to be an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument. An executed signature page delivered via facsimile transmission or electronic signature shall be deemed as effective as an original executed signature page.



- 1. That Deponent is the duly authorized agent and duly elected and acting officer of \_\_\_\_\_\_ (the "Contractor"), and is duly authorized to execute this Final Contractor's Affidavit, Lien Waiver and Indemnification (this "Affidavit") in a representative capacity on behalf of Contractor, as well as in Deponent's individual capacity, and Deponent has made diligent inquiry into and is personally familiar with and has full knowledge of all facts set forth herein.
- 2. That Contractor acted as the sole general contractor in charge of and directly responsible for the building and construction of all improvements (the "Work") located as reflected above (the "Property"), all of which Work was performed pursuant to the terms of that certain agreement dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ (the "Agreement") by and between Contractor and the Clayton County Water Authority as the owner or agent of the owner of the Property (the "Owner"). The Work includes, without limitation, all Work under or related to the Agreement and all change orders to the Agreement, and all supplemental contracts and subcontracts, whether oral or written, for any extra, additional or replacement labor or materials. Contractor is, and performed the Work as, an independent general contractor and Contractor is not an agent of Owner, and all of the Work was furnished and performed at the instance of Contractor as general contractor.
- **3.** That the Work has been fully and finally completed in strict accordance with the terms of the Agreement, and Contractor has at all times since the commencement of the Work been in direct charge of all aspects of the Work, and Contractor has obtained a current valid permanent certificate of occupancy for the Property and the Work, and the Work has been completed within the boundary lines of the Property.
- 4. Upon receipt of the sum reflected above, Contractor acknowledges that Owner has paid in full to Contractor the full contract price under the Agreement (the "Contract Price"), which Contract Price includes, without limitation, all amounts and bills for all labor, materials, fixtures and supplies of any type whatsoever used in the Work. Upon receipt of these monies, all contractors, subcontractors, subcontractors of subcontractors, materialmen, suppliers and laborers will be paid in full the agreed price or reasonable value for all materials and supplies ordered, used or furnished and services and labor rendered in connection with or as a part of the Work, and none of such parties have or will have any claim, demand or lien against the Property, and all of the amounts paid by Owner to Contractor under the Agreement have been and will be used to pay for labor or materials used in the Work when no liens or claims of lien were filed or outstanding. There are no disputes regarding the Agreement or any other contracts or subcontracts with respect to the Work or the Property, and, except for bills associated with these final monies, there are no amounts due or unpaid bills of any nature, either for labor or services related to the Work or the Property or any materials which have been or may have been placed upon, or applied or delivered to the Property, and Contractor does hereby unconditionally agree to hold harmless and indemnify Owner from and against all claims for mechanic's or materialman's liens or claims of lien, including, without limitation, any attempted foreclosure thereof, which

in any way arise out of or are related to the Work or the Property, including, without limitation, any attorney's fees incurred in connection therewith.

- **5.** That Contractor does hereby for itself, and its employees, suppliers, subcontractors, mechanics and materialmen and all other persons acting for, through, or under Contractor, waive, remise, relinquish and release all right to file or to have filed or to maintain any materialman's or mechanic's lien or liens or claim or claims against the Property or arising out of or related to the Work. This Affidavit is executed and given in favor of and for the benefit of, and may be relied upon by, Owner and each and every party legally or equitably, now or hereafter, owning or holding any interest in the Property.
- **6.** That this Affidavit is a sworn statement made under the provisions of Official Code of Georgia Annotated Section 44-14-361.2, and is made for the purpose of inducing Owner to pay to Contractor the balance of the Contract Price pursuant to the terms of the Agreement.

GIVEN UNDER HAND AND SEAL THIS	DAY OF	, 20
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#### **Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification**

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

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

	I Name (as snown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line, do not leave this line blank.				
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above				
in page 3.	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check following seven boxes.  Individual/sole proprietor or C Corporation S Corporation Partnership	eck only <b>one</b> of the	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):		
e.	single-member LLC		Exempt payee code (if any)		
t Ş	Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partne	rship) ▶			
Print or type. Specific Instructions on page	Note: Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is not disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.				
ij	Other (see instructions)		(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)		
Spe	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions.	Requester's name a	and address (optional)		
See					
•	6 City, state, and ZIP code				
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)				
Par	Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)				
	your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to av	U.G.	curity number		
reside	up withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, the alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other as, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see <i>How to ge</i>				
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Note:	If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see What Name	and Employer	identification number		
Number To Give the Requester for guidelines on whose number to enter.					
Par	t II Certification				
Unde	r penalties of perjury, I certify that:				
2. I ar Ser	e number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for n not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b vice (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest longer subject to backup withholding; and	) I have not been n	otified by the Internal Revenue		
3. I ar	n a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and				
4. The	e FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting	ng is correct.			
Certif	ication instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you	ou are currently subj	ect to backup withholding because		

you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

#### U.S. person ▶ **General Instructions**

Signature of

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise

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

#### **Purpose of Form**

Sign

Here

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

• Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)

Date ▶

- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

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

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

By signing the filled-out form, you:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### **Backup Withholding**

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

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

#### Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

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

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

Also see Special rules for partnerships, earlier.

#### What is FATCA Reporting?

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

#### **Updating Your Information**

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

#### **Penalties**

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

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

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

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

#### **Specific Instructions**

#### Line 1

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

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

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

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

- b. **Sole proprietor or single-member LLC.** Enter your individual name as shown on your 1040/1040A/1040EZ on line 1. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as" (DBA) name on line 2.
- c. Partnership, LLC that is not a single-member LLC, C corporation, or S corporation. Enter the entity's name as shown on the entity's tax return on line 1 and any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.
- d. **Other entities.** Enter your name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on line 1. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.
- e. **Disregarded entity.** For U.S. federal tax purposes, an entity that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner is treated as a "disregarded entity." See Regulations section 301.7701-2(c)(2)(iii). Enter the owner's name on line 1. The name of the entity entered on line 1 should never be a disregarded entity. The name on line 1 should be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner's name is required to be provided on line 1. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity's name on line 2, "Business name/disregarded entity name." If the owner of the disregarded entity is a foreign person, the owner must complete an appropriate Form W-8 instead of a Form W-9. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TIN.

#### Line 2

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

#### Line 3

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

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

#### Line 4, Exemptions

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

#### Exempt payee code.

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

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

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

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

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

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

- A—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)
  - B—The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
- C—A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- D—A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)
- E—A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)
- F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state
  - G-A real estate investment trust
- H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940
  - I-A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)
  - J-A bank as defined in section 581
  - K-A broker
- L—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1)

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

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

#### Line 5

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

#### Line 6

Enter your city, state, and ZIP code.

#### Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### Part II. Certification

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

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

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

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

- 1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.
- 2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983. You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.
- **3. Real estate transactions.** You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.
- **4. Other payments.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).
- 5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), ABLE accounts (under section 529A), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

#### What Name and Number To Give the Requester

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

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

- <sup>1</sup> List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.
- <sup>2</sup> Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.
- <sup>3</sup> You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or DBA name on the "Business name/disregarded entity" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.
- <sup>4</sup> List first and circle the name of the trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see *Special rules for partnerships*, earlier.

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

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

#### **Secure Your Tax Records From Identity Theft**

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

To reduce your risk:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### **Privacy Act Notice**

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

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#### **COVER SHEET**

Effective: May 1, 2019

#### FOR

#### VENDOR INFORMATION FORM

The enclosed Vendor Information Form is used by the Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) for adding vendors to its financial database system that are awarded procurement or service work. This form has two parts. Part 1 is designed to obtain general company information. Completion of this part is required to successfully add the vendors to CCWA's financial database system. Part 2 is intended for information gathering purposes only. While information requested on Part 2 is optional to the vendors, it will help the CCWA obtain business ownership classification description from its vendors.

**Product(s)** / **Service(s) Provided:** Select a NIGP code from the drop-down menu. If the code is unknown, you can search it by clicking the link provided on the form. Go to page 5. At the same time, press CTRL-F. This will open a small FIND box on your screen. In the box, type the key word that best describes your goods or services and click NEXT until you find the best fit. **Write down the 5 digit code number and go to the drop-down menu of this Form to select the code.** 

For the purposes of executing this document, the following definitions apply:

- > Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE) is one that is at least 51% owned by one or more of the applicant individuals identified and a citizen or lawfully admitted permanent resident of the United States. Independently owned and operated with average annual gross receipts for the previous three years not exceeding (1) Construction Firms- \$18,250,000 (2) Professional Services Firms \$5,500,000, Architectural Firms \$3,750,000, Engineering Firms- \$7,500,000 and Goods & Services less than 250 employees. Locally based, meaning located and operating in Clayton County or the ten (10) counties of Cherokee, Cobb, DeKalb, Douglas, Fayette, Fulton, Gwinnett, Henry, Rockdale and Spalding for at least one year prior to submitting application for certification.
- ➤ A Woman Business Enterprise (WBE) is one that is at least 51% owned by a Female, who also controls and operates the business, and is a permanent resident of the State of Georgia. The business must have a permanent, functioning office within the State of Georgia and must be lawfully licensed within the relevant jurisdiction.
- A Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) is one that is at least 51% owned by one of the minority groups identified below, who also control and operate the business, and are permanent residents of the State of Georgia. The business must have a permanent, functioning office within the State of Georgia and must be lawfully licensed within the relevant jurisdiction.

#### **Minority Groups:**

Hispanic American

> African American

Native American

Asian American

Pacific Islander

➤ A Disabled Citizen Enterprise (DCE) of the US refers to a business that is at least 51% owned by one or more disabled US citizens, who also control and operate the business, and are permanent residents of the State of Georgia. The business must have a permanent, functioning office within the State of Georgia, and must be lawfully licensed within the relevant jurisdiction.

Vendor Information Forms should be submitted to the Procurement Department.

For questions related to the verification of certifications, please email ccwa\_slbe\_program@ccwa.us

#### **VENDOR INFORMATION FORM**

	PART 1
Vendor Name:	
Phone Number:	Fax #:
E-Mail Address:	
Mailing Address:	
Pay to Address:	
☐ Same as above	
_	noney between banks electronically. If you are interested in ACH payments, please complete all of the attach a copy of a voided check confirming your account information:
Bank Name:	
Routing No.:	Account No.:
Account Name: Remittance to Email .	Addrass:
	es should send all invoices to: CCWA_Accounts_Payable@ccwa.us
□ P.	ndividual/Sole Proprietor
·	Γax Identification Number (TIN):
Payment Terms:	□ NET 30 DAYS □ Other:
	VICES PROVIDED: GP Code(s)
	For help finding NIGP Codes, click here: NIGP Code Listing
R	equired: A signed W-9 form must be submitted with this form.
	PART 2
<u>(For informat</u>	tion gathering purposes only. You are not required to complete PART 2).
COMPANY'S	OWNERSHIP CLASSIFICATION - See Cover Sheet for additional information.
To partipate in	the Small Local Business Program, please complete the following section:
SLBE Are yo	ou certified?
County of Primary	y Business Located:
If you are certified	d as one of the following classifications, please check the appropriate box:  WBE
* IF <b>MBE</b> , PLEAS CHOOSE ONE ONL	— — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —
Etc.) may be chosen.	Company" has been chosen, no other designation (Hispanic American, African American, This option will serve as your company's classification.  Information Forms should be submitted to ccwa slbe program@ccwa.us.

If your company's ownership is certified as SLBE, WBE, MBE, or DCE with the State of Georgia (GDOT) Certification Program, Clayton County, DeKalb County or with the City of Atlanta, please submit a copy of your business certification (including your phone, fax, and email address) to: ccwa\_slbe\_program@ccwa.us Certification from any other entity is not needed at this time.

# **DETAILS**

