

AGREEMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Project Name: Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) - Lead Service Line Replacement
(LSLR) FFY 22 (DWSRF #19277), Groups 4A, 4B & 4C: Design,
Bid/Award, Construction Administration and Resident Project
Representation

Project Code:

Consultant Name:

Agreement #:

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AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into on the ____ day of _____, 2024, by and between the CITY OF ROCHESTER, a municipal corporation having its principal office located at CITY HALL, 30 Church Street, Rochester, New York, 14614, hereinafter referred to as the "City", and _____ with offices at _____, hereinafter referred to as the "Consultant".

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the City desires to secure the professional services of the Consultant for the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) - Lead Service Line Replacement (LSLR) FFY 22 (DWSRF #19277), Groups 4A, 4B & 4C, hereinafter referred to as the Project and;

WHEREAS, the Consultant covenants that it has the personnel, skills and expertise required and wishes to undertake the Project.

NOW THEREFORE, the City and the Consultant do mutually agree, in consideration of the covenants, terms and conditions contained herein, as follows:

ARTICLE I, Part 1. Description of Project

Section 1.101 General Description

The Project involves the preliminary and final design phases, bidding and award phase and construction administration and resident project representation (RPR) phases for public works construction projects to replace lead water services on various streets within the City.

ARTICLE I, Part 2. Description of Professional Services

Section 1.201 General

The Consultant shall provide the following services:

- A. Provide all basic services required for the Projects, including: preliminary and final engineering design, bidding and award, construction administration and resident project representation.
- B. The Consultant is to have on its staff and is to retain during the performance of its services all appropriate professional personnel necessary to completely and accurately perform the work and services required. The Consultant shall provide a list of its employees assigned to

the project which provides the employee's name and title prior to the start of work. The Consultant shall notify the City prior to changing project personnel. No changes in project managers will be made without approval of the City.

- C. The Consultant shall maintain an up-to-date, orderly, assembled file of Project notes and records. Notes shall include correspondence, calculations, documentation, references and other material necessary for the completion of the Project.
- D. The Consultant shall develop and submit to the City an implementation plan and schedule for the orderly and timely completion of requirements of this Agreement. The Consultant shall utilize appropriate graphics to illustrate the plan. All pertinent dates of meetings and submittals shall be identified subsequent to execution of this Agreement.
- E. The Consultant shall prepare and furnish to the City, within one (1) week of the meeting, minutes of all meetings held and monthly written progress reports in a format mutually agreed upon.
- F. The Consultant is responsible for the professional quality, technical accuracy, timely completion and appropriate coordination of all designs, drawings, specifications, testing, reports and other services furnished under this Agreement. The Consultant bears all responsibility for any errors, omissions or other deficiencies in the Consultant's designs, drawings, specifications, reports and other services and shall correct or revise any such errors, omissions or other deficiencies without additional compensation.
- G. The Consultant's obligations under this Section are in addition to the Consultant's other express or implied assurances under this Agreement or State law and in no way diminish any other rights that the City may have against the Consultant for faulty materials, equipment or work.
- H. The Consultant shall furnish promptly all equipment, labor and materials needed to perform in a safe and convenient manner, such inspections as the City requires.
- I. The Consultant shall keep the City informed of the progress of the work so that the City may inspect the Consultant's work as determined necessary by the City. In particular, the Consultant shall provide the City with at least forty-eight (48) hours notice prior to performing work which would prevent proper inspection of previously completed work.

- J. The Consultant shall meet with the City at the City's request to discuss the Assessment results and recommendations as may be deemed necessary by the City.
- K. Provide Additional Services, if required, at the written request of the City.
- L. Consultant will determine prior to engaging in any work, that it has the institutional, managerial and financial capability to ensure proper planning, management and completion of the Project.

Section 1.202 Basic Services

A. Preliminary Design Phase

1. Initiation Meeting

The Consultant shall schedule and attend a project initiation meeting with the City and others designated by the City. This meeting shall be held within ten (10) business days after the Notice to Proceed has been issued. The purpose of this meeting will be to introduce the Consultant's, sub-Consultant's and Bureau's key personnel; review the scope, schedule, budget and approach for the Project in detail and to define and document project expectations for all parties, including monthly progress reports. The Consultant shall prepare and submit an implementation plan and schedule at this meeting and shall also prepare minutes of this meeting. As part of the meeting, an on-site "walkover" may be conducted to familiarize all participants with the Project Area.

2. Data Collection & Review

The Consultant shall assemble and review data available for the Project Area. Data will include, but not be limited to: City-maintained GIS data (ie: water facilities, street rights-of-way, property information, trees, etc.) and County maintained GIS sewer data.

3. Utility Coordination

For the duration of this agreement, the Consultant shall coordinate with all utility agencies that have facilities within the project limits. Coordination efforts shall include but are not limited to coordinating with all utility agencies to determine if there are any impacts or upgrades to their facilities within the project limits.

Affected utility companies must apply for and obtain a permit from the City of Rochester for all work performed within the public right-

of-way. The Consultant shall work closely with the utility companies to ensure they submit permits in a timely manner so that they can complete any necessary utility work in advance of the project. The Consultant shall review all permit plans received by the affected utility agencies.

4. Preliminary Plans

The Consultant shall prepare preliminary plans using AutoCAD (version as approved by the City) on 22" x 34" sheets. Plans should include, but not be limited to:

- Cover sheet with Project name and sponsor, location map, table of contents and approval signature block
- Index maps of Project area
- Notes and details sheets
- Maintenance and protection of traffic notes and details
- Water service tables including "outside" and "inside" service materials (when known)
- Plan sheets using a horizontal scale of 1"=50' (or other approved scale) and showing:
 - Street rights-of-way (from City GIS records)
 - Property lines, building footprints and addresses (from City GIS records)
 - Existing water mains, hydrants, valves, water services and curb stops (from City GIS records)
 - Sanitary, storm and combined sewers (from Monroe County GIS records)
 - Legend

The City will provide the Consultant with Sample Plans.

It is anticipated that the Project will contain a base bid and several add-alternates, all of which should be clearly identified on the drawings.

5. Progress Meetings

- a. The Consultant will conduct two progress meetings with the City and others designated by the City during the Preliminary Design phase to review the Consultant's progress and share information. The Consultant shall prepare and distribute minutes of these meetings within one week following the meeting.
- b. When necessary, the Consultant shall meet with the City and other agencies to review this project. The Consultant shall prepare and distribute minutes of these meetings within one week following the meeting.

6. Engineering Report and Preliminary Plans

- a. The Consultant shall prepare and submit five (5) copies of a draft Engineering Report and Preliminary Plans for the Project. The Report shall include but not be limited to:
 - i. A summary of all information obtained and evaluations conducted for the Project.
 - ii. Recommendations for addressing identified environmental, permitting and approval issues.
 - iii. Project schedule
 - iv. Project cost
 - v. Recommended base bid and add-alternate areas
- b. The Consultant shall meet with the City and others designated by the City within two weeks following submission of the Engineering Report and Preliminary Plans.
- c. The Consultant shall incorporate into the Report and Plans any comments and changes resulting from the City's review and comments received from other involved agencies.
- d. The Consultant shall prepare and submit five (5) paper copies of the final Engineering Report and Preliminary Plans within two weeks following receipt of all review comments. Additionally, final copies of the Report and Preliminary Plans shall be submitted in electronic PDF format.

B. Final Design Phase

1. The final design and preparation of final construction drawings and specifications shall be accomplished by the Consultant in accordance with applicable City, County, State and Federal procedures for all elements of the work
2. Two (2) progress meetings will be held with the City and others designated by the City during the Final Design Phase to review the Consultant's progress and share information. The Consultant shall prepare and distribute minutes of these meetings within one week following the meeting.

3. Four (4) sets of construction drawings, specifications and a cost estimate shall be presented to the City for review at the 75% and 95% design complete stage. The Consultant shall incorporate any comments and changes resulting from these reviews into the final drawings and specifications.
4. Prepare and submit the appropriate number of pre-final plans, reports, specifications, cost estimate, approval/permit application forms and supporting documentation to involved jurisdictional agencies to obtain all required permits and approvals. It is anticipated that approval will be required from, but not limited to, the following agencies
 - the City's Traffic Control Board
 - the City's Architectural & Engineering Street Design Division
 - the City's Architectural & Engineering R.O.W. Permit Division
 - Monroe County Traffic Engineering
 - Monroe County Pure Waters
 - City Maps and Survey Division

The Consultant shall review all comments received from these agencies and incorporate them into the design or otherwise respond after review with the City.

The Consultant will develop a Utility Construction Schedule summarizing all utility related work that will be done in advance of, during and after construction, including an estimated duration for each utility work item being performed on the project and utility agency contacts. The schedule should include work being done by the City's contractor as well WORK BY OTHERS as described in the Contract Proposal Book, including utility agencies, MCDOT, MCPW and others. The City will provide the Consultant with a sample Utility Schedule.

5. Prepare final construction drawings, contract proposal book (including specifications and NYSEFC Mandatory State Revolving Fund Terms and Conditions) for the Project. Drawings must be signed and sealed by a licensed professional engineer registered in New York State. Drawings shall be prepared on 22" x 34" paper and also in digital form per Art.I, Part 9, Paragraph B. A Mylar cover sheet shall be furnished for approval signatures.
6. The final cost estimate submitted shall include the basis for quantities in the estimate for the Project based on complete drawings and specifications and shall include share breakdown

costs for pavement restoration work. Cost estimates shall include “add alternates” as identified by the City.

7. Plans and contract proposal book must be submitted for review and approval by NYSEFC prior to bidding.

C. Bidding Phase

1. Prior to contract letting and subsequent to bid document submission, the Consultant shall make necessary revisions and last minute changes to plans, specifications, and estimates that result from the City and other agency reviews.
2. The City shall prepare and distribute a bid invitation to select a construction contractor and draft advertisements to bid to be placed in BidNet Direct, NYS Contract Reporter and other related publications.
3. The Consultant shall prepare addenda as needed during the bidding phase. Such addenda shall conform to the requirements of the City’s Purchasing Agent. It is anticipated that one (1) addenda will be required for this Project.
4. The Consultant is to attend and assist the City in the pre-bid meeting. Agenda and minutes of these meetings will be prepared by the Consultant.
5. The City will hold the public bid opening (letting). The City will supply the contractors’ original bid proposal documents to the Consultant, which is necessary to complete the bid analysis and award recommendation as described in the following item.
6. The Consultant shall analyze the bid results and prepare a letter of recommendation for award. The analysis will include, as applicable, the following:
 - a. Verification of the low bidder.
 - b. Bid tabulation showing bid amounts by each bidder for each item.
 - c. Ensuring receipt of all required bid documents (non-collusive bid certification, debarment history certification, MWBE, apprenticeship, bonding, etc., as applicable)
 - d. Breaking the low bid into fiscal shares.
 - e. Determining whether the low bid is unbalanced.
 - f. For pay items bid 15% less than the Engineer’s Estimate or more than 25% over the Engineer’s Estimate:
 - o Checking accuracy of quantity calculations.

- o Determining appropriateness of price bid for work in the item.
 - g. Determining whether the low bidder is qualified to perform the work.
 - h. This information shall be returned to the City within five (5) working days. Submit up to 10 copies of the bid tabulations, share breakdown, bid analysis, and recommendation.
7. The Consultant shall prepare conformed copies of contract documents. It is anticipated that four sets of conformed contract documents will be required. In addition, the Consultant shall submit Conformed Construction Plans to City Water Bureau, Street Design Division and other agencies.
8. The Consultant shall submit to the City all CAD files used to develop the Conformed Construction Plans and all quantity computations used to develop the Engineer's Estimate in both Excel and PDF format. The quantity computations shall include any Addendum related changes that were made during bidding.

D. Construction Administration

1. Provide, during the construction contract to be entered into by the City for the construction of this Project, to the satisfaction of the City, periodic engineering consultation services to verify adherence to the design and to assist in the administration of the construction until final completion and acceptance by the City.
2. Participate in a Public Information meeting. The City will provide support such as identifying potential meeting locations and furnishing mailing labels for notifications.
3. Participate in a pre-construction conference. Such preconstruction conference shall include at least the Consultant, or its authorized representative, the contractor(s), authorized representatives of the City, as well as representatives of any other public or private agencies which the City determines should be in attendance. At the preconstruction conference, the Consultant shall:
 - a. Observe that all necessary permits and licenses have been obtained prior to work commencement.
 - b. Raise for discussion and decision, the manner in which construction will be administered by itself and the City, the scheduling of construction, and any and all other problems or questions which in the opinion of the Consultant or the City

must be settled before the start of construction.

4. Check and approve shop drawings for conformance with the Project design and compliance with the information given by the Contract Documents. There shall be no change in the scope of the work or in materials specified by the Contract Documents until approval for such change has been given in writing by the City.
5. In response to unanticipated and/or varying field conditions, changes in construction procedures or as requested by the City, the Consultant will conduct on-site field reconnaissance, where required, and prepare Field Change Sheets modifying pertinent contract plan sheets. Sample Field Change Sheets will be provided by the City.

Assumption: Two (2) Field Change Sheets will be required

6. Cost Control
 - a. Recommend necessary or desirable changes (adds and credits) to the City, review requests for changes, assist in negotiating Contractor's proposals, submit recommendations to the City if they are accepted, prepare change order for the City's authorization.
 - b. Determine, based on the Consultant's qualified review and the contractor's applications for payment, the amount owing to the contractor for engineering related work. Review the certificates for payment in such amounts. By reviewing a certificate for payment, the Consultant will also represent to the City that, to the best of its knowledge, information, and belief, based on what its observations have revealed, the quality of the work is in accordance with the Contract Documents.
 - c. Prepare a weekly field report of the progress of the work and the contractor's compliance with both the construction schedule and the Contract Documents.
 - d. Review and make recommendations to the City on any claims received from contractors.
7. Visit the job whenever requested by the City for the purpose of clarifying or interpreting any phase of the work and monitoring job progress, where necessary and/or requested.
8. Consult and advise the City, act as the City's representative at the

Project site. All instructions to the Contractor will be through the City.

9. Coordinate the required activities of utility companies, the City of Rochester, County of Monroe and all other related entities with the City and its Contractors.
10. Attend on-the-job field meetings, as needed, and provide minutes of these meetings to the City and to parties designated by the City. It is assumed field meetings will be held bi-weekly.
11. Conduct, in company with the City and others designated by the City, a final inspection of the Project for conformance with the design of the Project and compliance with the information given in the Contract Documents, and acknowledge the completion of the Project in writing prior to final payment to the Contractor. The City's approval and other proper Agency approvals shall be required as a condition for the acceptance of the work by the City.
12. Project Closeout
 - a. Following the Prime Contractor's completion of the punch list, determine that the work is ready for final inspection and conduct final inspections in conjunction with the City. The Consultant shall create a "closeout" checklist for each Prime Contract and shall monitor the closeout process.
 - b. Furnish to the City all completed water service record cards for each service replaced.

E. Resident Project Representation

All Resident Project Representation work shall be performed under the supervision of a New York State licensed professional engineer of the Consultant.

The Consultant shall report regularly to the City on the progress and quality of the work. The Consultant shall conduct on-site observations of the general progress of the work and shall consult with the City and the Contractor giving opinions, suggestions and recommendations, based on the Consultant's observations, as to any defects or deficiencies in the Contractor's work.

The Consultant shall perform technical inspection in furtherance of the duties set forth below.

The specific duties of the Resident Project Representative shall include, but not be limited to the following:

1. Quality Control

- a. Execute quality control and inspection measures in accordance with project specifications and coordinate special inspection and testing agencies activities.
- b. Coordinate quality control with Engineer of Record.

2. Record Assembly

- a. A list of the Contractor's suppliers and subcontractors.
- b. A record of field samples
- c. A complete set of contract documents with all revisions and agenda.
- d. Shop drawing and submittal logs and a complete set of approved shop drawings.
- e. A complete set of all correspondence and written records regarding the project.
- f. Copies of all guarantees, certifications and operation manuals for the project.
- g. A copy of all project schedules of all contractors as amended.
- h. A filed and labeled set of preconstruction and construction photographs.
- i. Property Access Agreement forms when work involves replacement of inside water services (section of service between curb stop and building). Consultant will be responsible for obtaining owner's signature on form. City will be responsible for obtaining City signatures.
- j. Water service tap cards shall be completed by the Consultant and submitted to the City in both paper and electronic format on a daily basis, as work progresses, for both inside and outside water services.

3. Observation

- a. On-site observations of the work in progress.
- b. Attend and chair pre-construction conferences and job meetings
- c. Consult with the City prior to and observe all on-site tests.
- d. Observe such off-site operations as directed by the City.
- e. Observe that all permits and licenses which are necessary have been obtained.
- f. Conduct a final inspection of the project

4. Liaison

- a. Transmit to the contractor the Designer's interpretation of the contract.
- b. Transmit all modifications to drawings for creation of a set of as-built drawings.
- c. Coordinate and monitor all material testing
- d. Coordinate work with construction that is occurring on other adjacent projects
- e. Receive from the Contractor weekly certified payroll records and MWBE reports.
- f. Deliver to residents literature describing the service replacement and aspects of safe drinking water and also water filter pitchers with replacement cartridges. Also maintain records of when, and to whom these items were delivered. Literature and filter pitchers will be furnished by the City.

5. Construction Review

- a. Construction schedules from each contractor.
- b. Payment requisitions from each contractor for each fiscal share of the project.
- c. Requests of the Contractor for interpretation of the Contract Documents.
- d. Claims by each contractor.
- e. Contractor requests regarding proposed changes to the contract documents.
- f. Change orders including recommendations
- g. Construction schedules and proposed work locations of any contractor.

6. Record Creation

The Consultant shall create and maintain the project records. Upon completion of the project the Consultant shall deliver a bound, categorized of these records which shall include the following:

- a. A list of all required permits, license reviews and approvals
- b. A daily diary or log book
- c. Weekly and monthly reports
- d. Monthly progress payments (and final payment)
- e. Change Orders as required on forms approved by the City.
- f. All modifications to construction schedules for the project.
- g. Minutes of all meetings.
- h. A final punch list of all items which remain incomplete
- i. A guarantee punch list
- j. Marked up prints, drawings and other data indicating all modifications
- k. Labeled pre-construction and construction photographs.

- l. Project unit quantities apportioned by final share
- m. Water service tap cards and inside water service replacement records.
- n. Records relating to the distribution of water filter pitchers.
- o. All permits of any contractor doing work within the Project limits

The CA or RPR representative is hereby authorized to stop work on all or part of the Project for up to twenty-four hours, without prior consultation with the City and for any reason which the professional judgment of the Consultant requires such stoppage. Upon issuing such stop work order, the Consultant shall immediately consult with the City to resolve the problem(s) which lead to the stop work order.

ARTICLE I, Part 3. Subcontracts

All services to be performed under this Agreement shall be performed with the Consultant's own employees, unless the City agrees that the Consultant may subcontract such services. Copies of all proposed Agreements between the Consultant and subcontractors shall be submitted to the City along with a statement of the subcontractor's qualifications. Such Agreements shall be approved by the City in writing prior to initiation of work. All subcontracts under this Agreement are subject to all applicable provisions of this Agreement unless otherwise directed in writing by the City. The Consultant is responsible for the completion of all services under this Agreement in an acceptable and timely manner, including any services performed by a subcontractor, supplier or other party with whom the Consultant has a contract.

ARTICLE I, Part 4. City Responsibilities

The City shall:

- A. Provide as complete information as is reasonably possible as to its requirements for the Project to the Consultant.
- B. Assist the Consultant by making available to the Consultant any information pertinent to the Project, including previous reports and any other relevant data.
- C. Examine all studies, reports, sketches, estimates, drawings, specifications, proposals and other documents presented to the City by the Consultant for review and render decisions pertaining thereto within a reasonable period of time, so as not to delay the work of the Consultant.

- D. Designate a representative (Authorized Agent) to act as liaison between the City and the Consultant. The Authorized Agent will have the authority and responsibility to transmit instructions and to receive information with respect to the City policies and pertinent to the work covered by this Agreement, except as otherwise limited by Code or Charter of the City.
- E. Give written notice to the Consultant where the City observes or otherwise becomes aware of any default in the Consultant's performance hereunder or where the City does not concur with the design or other recommendations of the Consultant.
- F. Obtain any required easements with the assistance of the Consultant.
- G. Obtain or provide in a timely manner permission for the Consultant to enter upon any sites, buildings, and facilities as deemed necessary by the Consultant to perform the services required pursuant to this Agreement.

ARTICLE I, Part 5. Fees

Section 1.501 General

- A. In no event whatsoever shall the total fee payable to the Consultant pursuant to this Agreement, including all costs and disbursements whatsoever, exceed _____ (\$ _____).
- B. The Consultant shall have the right to bill the City for services performed and not already billed on a monthly basis.
- C. The Consultant shall provide project invoices based on an approved format or upon forms which shall be supplied by the City in order to receive payment.

Section 1.502

Fee for Basic Services and Reimbursable Expenses

- A. The fee payable to the Consultant for basic services for each project component pursuant to this agreement shall be initially set forth as part of Schedule A.
- B. The fees payable to the Consultant for Reimbursable Expenses for each project component pursuant to this agreement shall be initially set forth in Schedule A.
- C. The City agrees to pay and the Consultant agrees to accept as full payment for the work and services performed pursuant to this agreement the following fees, payable in the following manner:
 - 1. The Consultant's fee shall be computed on the basis of the number of hours expended on the Project times hourly rates as identified in Appendix I. All hourly rates for technical personnel, and the identity of project managers and principals shall be approved by the City prior to the Notice to Proceed. No changes will be made without approval of the City's Authorized Agent.
 - 2. The City will pay the overtime premium costs arising from work performed as part of the Resident Project Representation portion of this Agreement.
 - 3. The Consultant shall be reimbursed the actual expenses for Reimbursable Expenses incurred in performing services under this Agreement. All reimbursement claims must be supported by adequate documentation. Reimbursable Expenses are as outlined in Schedule A.
 - 4. All hourly rates for professional and technical personnel, and the identity and resumes of professional and technical staff, of project managers and principals shall be approved by the City's Authorized Agent prior to the Notice to Proceed. No changes will be made without the approval of the City's Authorized Agent.
 - 5. Principals shall be reimbursed at a flat hourly rate, approved by the City's Authorized Agent.
 - 6. All travel is to be made at the expense of the Consultant and is part of the Fee for Basic Services.
 - 7. Field surveyor's wages, geotechnical exploration and test pit field exploration wages are subject to the New York State Department of Labor, Bureau of Public Works Prevailing Wage Rate schedules. The

“Prevailing Wage Schedule” and “List of Employers Ineligible to Bid on or be Awarded any Public Work” for this contract are available on the New York State Department of Labor’s website. They can be accessed by visiting the New York State Department of Labor’s website www.labor.ny.gov. Updated PDF copies can be accessed by entering the assigned PRC# (listed on Attachment A - NYSDOL Form PW 200) at the proper location on the website.

Section 1.503 Fee For Additional Services:

- A. The City agrees to pay the Consultant for additional services performed by the Consultant on the basis of the hourly rates for Project Managers, principals and technical employees in Appendix I of this Agreement.
- B. The City shall pay the Consultant as an expert witness at the rate of \$400.00 per day for any day or portion thereof for which the Consultant is required to appear as a witness.

Section 1.504 Fee Administration

- A. The Authorized Agents can mutually agree to amend Schedule A in writing for phase changes, allocation modifications or for Additional Services within the maximum authorized amount set forth in Section 1.501A.
- B. The City's Authorized Agent is authorized to request in writing such Additional Services as the Agent deems necessary, within the maximum authorized amount set forth in Section 1.501A.

ARTICLE I, Part 6. Term

This Agreement shall commence upon execution by the parties and shall terminate three (3) months after completion of a two (2) year guarantee inspection of the Project.

ARTICLE I, Part 7. Time of Performance

- A. For each phase of the work, the Consultant shall not commence work until receipt of a written notice to proceed and shall perform the work for that phase according to the Schedule agreed to by the City.
- B. The Consultant shall not be held responsible for delays caused by the City of Rochester or by other parties not directly under its control.

- C. The above time limits may be extended only by mutual written agreement of the parties hereto. It is understood that it is the intention of the City to have the service performed under this Agreement carried out as expeditiously as possible.

ARTICLE I, Part 8. Removal of Personnel

All personnel assigned by the Consultant shall be subject to the approval of the City and be required to cooperate with the City project personnel. In the event that the Consultant's personnel fail to cooperate or perform their assigned tasks in a reasonable manner as determined by the City, the City may require the Consultant to replace such personnel.

ARTICLE I, Part 9. Authorized Agent

- A. The City hereby designates the:

Geoffrey Gugel
Director of Water Bureau
10 Felix Street
Rochester, New York 14608

- B. The Consultant hereby designates:

or an authorized representative in case of absence, as Authorized Agents for the receipt of all notices, demands, vouchers, orders, permissions, directions, and other communications pursuant to this Agreement, if dispatched by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, or delivered personally to the Authorized Agents designated herein.

The parties reserve the right to designate other or additional Authorized Agents upon written notice to the other.

ARTICLE I, Part 10. Ownership of Documents

All original notes, drawings, specifications and survey maps prepared by the Consultant under this Agreement, upon completion of the work required herein, or upon acceptance by the City of each individual Assessment report will become the property of the City and shall be delivered to the City's Authorized Agent. The Consultant may provide a complete reproducible set of drawings, specifications, survey maps and all other documents in lieu of the originals.

ARTICLE I, Part 11. Confidentiality

Section 1.1101 General

The Consultant agrees that any and all data, analyses, materials or other information, oral or written, made available to the Consultant with respect to this Agreement, and any and all data, analyses, materials, reports or other information, oral or written, prepared by the Consultant with respect to this Agreement shall, except for information which has been or is publicly available, be treated as confidential; and shall not be utilized, released, published or disclosed by the Consultant at any time for any purpose whatsoever other than to provide consultation or other services to the City.

Section 1.1102 Freedom of Information Law

Disclosures required by New York's Freedom of Information Law ("FOIL") shall not be considered a breach of any confidentiality provisions in this Agreement. Should Consultant provide the City with any records it deems confidential and exempt from FOIL, Consultant shall clearly mark such portions of those records as confidential and exempt from FOIL disclosure. Upon any request for disclosure of information so marked, the City will inform Consultant of the request and give Consultant ten (10) business days to submit a written statement of necessity for exempting the records from disclosure pursuant to New York Public Officers Law 89(5). As required by the Public Officers Law, the City will issue a determination as to disclosure within seven (7) business days. If the City determines that the records must be disclosed, Consultant may appeal the City's determination within seven (7) business days. Thereafter, the City shall respond to Consultant's appeal within ten (10) business days. If the City issues an adverse determination, Consultant may appeal the decision within fifteen (15) days of service by commencing an Article Seventy-Eight (78) proceeding under New York's Civil Practice Law and Rules.

ARTICLE I, Part 12. Organizational Conflict of Interest

- A. The Consultant warrants that to the best of the Consultant's knowledge and belief, there are not relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest, as herein defined, or that the Consultant has disclosed all such relevant information.
- B. An organizational conflict of interest exists when the Consultant performs or agrees to perform services for another party that could foreseeable implicate the City as a potentially responsible party in an environmental

enforcement action or claim against the City or otherwise increase the potential liability of the City.

- C. The Consultant agrees that if an actual or potential organizational conflict of interest is discovered, the Consultant will make a full disclosure as soon as possible in writing to the City. This disclosure shall include a description of actions which the Consultant has taken or proposed to take, after consultation with the City, to avoid, mitigate, or neutralize the actual or potential conflict.
- D. The City may terminate this Agreement in whole or in part, if it deems such termination necessary to avoid an organizational conflict of interest. If the Consultant was aware of a potential organizational conflict of interest prior to award, or discovered an actual or potential conflict after award and did not disclose it, or misrepresented relevant information to the City, the City may terminate the Agreement, debar the Consultant from contracting with the City, or pursue such other remedies as may be permitted by law or this Agreement. In such event, termination of this Agreement shall be deemed a termination for default pursuant to Section 2.602.
- E. The Consultant further agrees to insert in any subcontract hereunder, provisions which shall conform to the language of this Article.

ARTICLE II

ARTICLE II, Part 1. Qualifications, Indemnity and Insurance

Section 2.101 Consultant's Qualifications for Duties, Compliance and Permits

- A. The Consultant hereby agrees that it has, or will have, on its staff and will retain during the performance of this service under this Agreement, all appropriate professional personnel necessary to completely and accurately perform the work and services under this Agreement.
- B. The Consultant further agrees that the design of architectural or engineering features of the work shall be accomplished by professionals licensed to practice in New York State.
- C. The Consultant further agrees to insure that its subcontractors, agents or employees shall possess the experience, knowledge and character necessary to qualify them individually for the particular duties they perform.

Section 2.102 Consultant's Liability

The Consultant hereby agrees to defend, indemnify and save harmless the City of Rochester against any and all liability, loss, damage, detriment, suit, claim, demand, cost, charge, attorney's fees and expenses of whatever kind or nature which the City may directly or indirectly incur, suffer or be required to pay by reason or in consequence of the carrying out of any of the provisions or requirements of this Agreement, where such loss or expense is incurred directly or indirectly by the City, its employees, subcontractors or agents, as a result of the negligent act or omission, breach or fault of the Consultant, its employees, agents or subcontractors. If a claim or action is made or brought against the City and for which the Consultant may be responsible hereunder in whole or in part, then the Consultant shall be notified and shall be required to handle or participate in the handling of the portion of the claim for which it may be responsible as a result of this section.

Section 2.103 Professional Liability Insurance

The Consultant shall procure at its own expense professional liability insurance for services to be performed pursuant to this Agreement, insuring the Consultant against malpractice or errors and omissions of the Consultant, in the amount of One Million Dollars. The Consultant shall provide the City with a certificate of insurance from an authorized representative of a financially responsible insurance company evidencing that such an insurance policy is in force. The certificate shall contain a thirty (30) day cancellation clause which shall provide that the City shall be notified not less than thirty (30) days prior to the

cancellation, assignment or change of the insurance policy. The Consultant shall also give at least thirty (30) days notice to the City of such cancellation, amendment or change, and of any lapse of insurance coverage under this Agreement.

Section 2.104 General Liability Insurance

The Consultant shall obtain at its own expense general liability insurance for protection against claims of personal injury, including death, or damage to property, arising out of the Project. The amount of said insurance coverage shall be in the amount Two Million Dollars if said insurance is a "Defense within Limits" policy under which all claim expenses are included within both the applicable limit of liability and self-insured retention. Otherwise, the insurance coverage shall be in the amount of One Million Dollars. Said insurance shall be issued by a reputable insurance company, authorized to do business in the State of New York. Said insurance shall also name the City of Rochester as an insured and copies of the policy endorsements reflecting the same shall be provided. The Consultant shall provide the City with a certificate of insurance from an authorized representative of a financially responsible insurance company evidencing that such an insurance policy is in force. Furthermore, the Consultant shall provide a listing of any and all exclusions under said policy. The insurance shall stipulate that, in the event of cancellation or modification the insurer shall provide the City with at least thirty (30) days written notice of such cancellation or modification. In no event shall such liability insurance exclude from coverage any municipal operations or municipal property related to this Agreement.

Section 2.105 Workers' Compensation and Disability Benefits Insurance

This Agreement shall be void and of no effect unless the Consultant shall require all the Consultant's subcontractors to keep insured, during the life of this Agreement, all employees of said subcontractors as are required to be insured under the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law of the State of New York. In the event the Consultant hires its own employees to do any work called for by this Agreement, then the Consultant agrees to so insure its own employees. The Consultant shall provide proof to the City, duly subscribed by an insurance carrier, that such Workers' Compensation and Disability Benefits coverage has been secured. In the alternative, Consultant shall provide proof of self-insurance or shall establish that Workers' Compensation and/or Disability Benefits coverage is not required by submitting a completed New York State Workers' Compensation Board's form WC/DB-100.

Section 2.106 Copyright or Patent Infringement

The Consultant shall defend actions or claims charging infringement of any copyright or patent by reason of the use of adoption of any designs, drawings or specifications supplied by it, and it shall hold harmless the City from loss or

damage resulting therefrom, providing however, that the City within ten days after receipt of any notice of infringement or of summons in any action therefor shall have forwarded the same to the Consultant in writing.

Section 2.107 No Individual Liability

Nothing contained in the Agreement shall be construed as creating any personal liability on the part of any officer or agent of the City.

ARTICLE II, Part 2. Specific Design Restrictions

Section 2.201 Environmental Policy

The City has an obligation to assess the environmental impact of the Project and to prepare any necessary state, federal, and/or local environmental impact statements under the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the national Environmental Protection Act. The City wishes to enhance the environment by minimizing environmental degradation and by maximizing the Project benefits.

The Consultant, therefore, shall assist the City in determining whether environmental impact statements ("EIS") should be prepared and shall assist the City or the City's Environmental Specialist in preparing any necessary EIS. The Consultant shall not be required to prepare an EIS, unless specifically required by Article I of this Agreement.

ARTICLE II, Part 3. Employment Practices

Section 2.301 Equal Employment Opportunity and MWBE and Workforce Utilization Goals

A. General Policy

The City of Rochester, New York reaffirms its policy of Equal Opportunity and its commitment to require all contractors, lessors, vendors and suppliers doing business with the City to follow a policy of Equal Employment Opportunity, in accordance with the requirements set forth herein. The City further does not discriminate on the basis of handicap status in admission, or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs and activities. The City is including these policy statements in all bid documents, contracts, and leases. Contractors, lessors, vendors and suppliers shall agree to comply with State and Federal Equal Opportunity laws and regulations and shall submit documentation regarding Equal Opportunity upon the City's request.

B. Definitions

MINORITY GROUP PERSONS - shall mean a person of Black, Hispanic, Asian, Pacific Islander, American Indian, or Alaskan Native ethnic or racial origin and identity.

C. Compliance

The Consultant shall comply with all of the following provisions of this Equal Opportunity Requirement:

1. The Consultant agrees that it will not discriminate against any employee for employment because of age, race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, or marital status in the performance of services or programs pursuant to this Agreement, or in employment for the performance of such services or programs, against any person who is qualified and available to perform the work in which the employment relates. The Consultant agrees that in hiring employees and treating employees performing work under this Agreement or any subcontract hereunder, the Consultant, and its subcontractors, if any, shall not, by reason of age, race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability or marital status discriminate against any person who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates. The Consultant agrees to take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that applicants are hired and that employees are treated during their employment, without regard to their age, race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, or marital status. Such actions shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotions or transfers, recruitment and recruitment advertising, layoffs, terminations, rates of pay and other forms of compensation, and selection for training, including apprenticeship.
2. The Consultant agrees that its employment practices shall comply with the provisions of Chapter 63 of the Rochester Municipal Code, which restricts inquiries regarding or pertaining to an applicant's prior criminal conviction in any initial employment application.
3. If the Consultant is found guilty of discrimination in employment on the grounds of age, race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, or marital status by any court or administrative agency that has

jurisdiction pursuant to any State or Federal Equal Opportunity laws or regulations, such determination will be deemed to be a breach of contract, and this Agreement will be terminated in whole or part without any penalty or damages to the City on account of such cancellation or termination and the Consultant shall be disqualified from thereafter selling to, submitting bids to, or receiving awards of contract with the City of Rochester for goods, work, or services until such time as the Consultant can demonstrate its compliance with this policy and all applicable Federal and State Equal Opportunity laws and regulations.

4. The Consultant shall cause the foregoing provisions to be inserted in all subcontracts, if any, for any work covered by this Agreement so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor, provided that the foregoing provisions shall not apply to subcontracts for standard commercial supplies or raw materials.

D. MWBE and Workforce Utilization Goals

The City of Rochester has established a policy to promote the growth and development of Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MWBE) and to improve employment opportunities for minorities and women and has adopted MWBE goals and minority workforce participation goals that apply to public works and professional services consulting agreements with a maximum compensation exceeding \$10,000 pursuant to Ordinance No. 2018-54.

Ordinance No. 2018-54 established the goal that MWBE's receive 30% of the total annual contract awards with aggregate minority and women award goals of 15% each. Ordinance No. 2018-54 further established annual aggregate workforce goals of 20% Minority and 6.9% Women.

The Consultant shall submit a workforce staffing plan, which, when reviewed by the City's MWBE Officer, shall be incorporated into this Agreement as Exhibit A, detailing the percentage of the workforce utilized to perform the work of this agreement who will be either minority or women, including both the Consultant's workforce and that of any subcontractors who will be utilized. Consultant shall submit workforce utilization reports on the City's forms with each invoice or as otherwise requested by the MWBE Officer. The Consultant understands and accepts that the calculated percentages of workforce utilization shall be based on actual hours worked and billed over the term of the project. The final determination of a workforce goals accomplished during the contract shall be based on hours reported in the workforce utilization reports.

The Consultant shall submit an MWBE Utilization Plan with respect to any subcontractors or suppliers used to perform the services under this Agreement, which, when approved by the City's MWBE Officer, shall be incorporated into this Agreement as Exhibit B. Consultant shall submit MWBE utilization and subcontractor/supplier payment certification on the City's forms with each invoice or as otherwise requested by the MWBE Officer.

During the term of the Agreement, the Consultant shall notify the City if a change occurs that will result in a significant (5% or more) increase or decrease in the workforce staffing plan and/or MWBE utilization plan goals incorporated as Exhibit A and/or Exhibit B of this Agreement. A revised workforce staffing plan and/or MWBE utilization plan must be approved by the MWBE Officer. Once signed by the Consultant and the MWBE Officer, such revised plan(s) shall be incorporated into the Agreement as an amendment pursuant to Section 2.707.

Consultant's failure to submit MWBE and subcontractor/supplier payment certification forms, if required, and the workforce utilization reports shall constitute a default in the performance of this Agreement. Failure to meet the goals stated in the most recent workforce staffing plan and/or the MWBE utilization plan incorporated into the Agreement may result in disqualification from award of future contracts with the City.

Section 2.302

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

The City of Rochester hereby gives public notice that it is Municipality's policy to assure full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, and related statutes and regulations in all programs and activities. Title VI requires that no person in the United States of America shall, on the grounds of race, color, gender, or national origin be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which Municipality receives federal financial assistance. Any person who believes they have been aggrieved by an unlawful discriminatory practice under Title VI has a right to file a formal complaint with Municipality. Any such complaint shall be in writing and filed with the City Title VI Coordinator within one hundred eighty (180) days following the date of the alleged discriminatory occurrence. Title VI Discrimination Complaint Forms may be obtained from the City at no cost to the complainant, or on the City's website at www.cityofrochester.gov, or by calling (585) 428-6185.

Section 2.303 The MacBride Principles

The Consultant agrees that it will observe Ordinance No. 88-19 of the City of Rochester, which condemns religious discrimination in Northern Ireland and requires persons contracting to provide goods and services to the City to comply with the MacBride principles. A copy of the MacBride principles is on file in the Office of the Director of Finance.

Section 2.304 Compliance with Labor Laws

The Consultant specifically agrees to comply with the labor law requirements of Articles 8 and 9 of the Labor Law of the State of New York, and, more specifically, with the requirements of Sections 220, 220-a, 220-d and 220-e of the Labor Law. These provisions require the payment of prevailing wages and supplements to, the verification of payment of wages of, and require preference in the employment of New York residents, and prohibit discrimination based on race, creed, color, sex, national origin, or age, and prohibit the permitting or requiring of more than eight hours per day and forty hours per week from laborers, mechanics, or workers on a public works construction project. The foregoing requirements do not generally apply to professional staff, drafters, or clerical help or most other employees of an engineer or architect who is performing design, research, or inspection work only. The Consultant shall, however, comply with all state, federal and local non-discrimination and equal employment opportunity laws and rules and will be subject under this Agreement to fines, penalties and contract termination when the City reasonably determines that the Consultant has unlawfully discriminated because of the race, color, creed, national origin, sex or age of any applicant for employment or any employees.

Section 2.305 Living Wage Requirements

A. Applicability of Living Wage Requirements

This section shall apply and the Consultant shall comply with the requirements of Section 8A-18 of the Municipal Code of the City of Rochester, known as the “Rochester Living Wage Ordinance”, in the event that payments by the City to the Consultant under this Agreement shall exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) during a period of one year. If this Agreement is amended to increase the amount payable hereunder to more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) during a period of one year, then any such amendment shall be subject to Section 8A-18.

B. Compliance

The Consultant shall pay no less than a Living Wage to any part-time or full-time Covered Employee, as that term is defined in Section 8A-

18B, who directly expends their time on this Agreement, for the time said person actually spends on this Agreement. Living Wage, as set forth in this Agreement, shall be the hourly amount set forth in Section 8A-18(C)(2), and any adjustments thereto, which shall be made on July 1 of each year and shall be made available in the Office of the City Clerk and on the City's website, at www.cityofrochester.gov. Consultant shall also comply with all other provisions of Section 8A-18, including but not limited to all reporting, posting and notification requirements and shall be subject to any compliance, sanction and enforcement provisions set forth therein.

C. Exemption

This section shall not apply to any of Consultant's employees who are compensated in accordance with the terms of a collective bargaining agreement.

ARTICLE II, Part 4. Operations

Section 2.401 Compliance with Air and Water Acts

The Consultant and any and all subcontractors agree as follows:

- A. The Consultant, and its subcontractors warrant that any facility to be utilized in the performance of any non-exempt contract or subcontract is not listed on the list of Violating Facilities issued by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) pursuant to 40 CFR 15.20.
- B. The Consultant promises to comply with all of the requirements of Sections 144 of the Clean Air Act, as amended (47 USC 1857c-8) and Section 308 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 USC 1318) relating to the inspection, monitoring, entry, reports and information as well as all other requirements specified in Section 114 and Section 308, and all regulations and guidelines issued thereunder.
- C. A condition for the award of the Agreement is that prompt notice will be given to the City of any notification received from the Director, Office of Federal Activities, EPA, indicating that a facility utilized or to be utilized for the Agreement is under consideration to be listed on the EPA list of Violating Facilities.
- D. The Consultant warrants to the City that it has not been convicted under Section 113(c)(1) of the Clean Air Act or Section 309(c) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

Section 2.402 Political Activity Prohibited

None of the funds, materials, property, or services provided directly or indirectly under this Agreement shall be used during the performance of the Agreement for any partisan political activity, or to further the election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

Section 2.403 Lobbying Prohibited

None of the funds provided under this Agreement shall be used for publicity or propaganda purposes designed to support or defeat legislation pending before the United States Congress, the Legislature of the State of New York or the Council of the City of Rochester.

Section 2.404 Anti-Kickback Rules

Salaries of employees performing work under this Agreement shall be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a month without deduction or rebate on any account except only such payroll deductions that are mandatory by law or permitted by the applicable regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the "Anti-Kickback Act" of June 13, 1934 (48 Stat. 948; 62 Stat. 108; title 18 U.S.C., section 874; and title 40 U.S.C., section 276c). The Consultant shall comply with applicable "Anti-Kickback" regulations and shall insert appropriate provisions in all subcontracts covering work under this Agreement to insure compliance by subcontractors with such regulations and shall be responsible for the submission of affidavits required of subcontractors thereunder except as the Secretary of Labor may specifically provide for variations of or exemptions from the requirements thereof.

Section 2.405 Withholding of Salaries

If, in the performance of this Agreement, there is notice to the City of any underpayment of salaries by the Consultant or by any subcontractor thereunder, the City shall withhold from the Consultant out of payments due to it an amount sufficient to pay the employees underpaid the difference between the salaries required hereby to be paid and the salaries actually paid such employees for the total number of hours worked. The amounts withheld may be disbursed by the City for and on account of the Consultant or subcontractor to the respective employees to whom they are due.

Section 2.406 Discrimination Because of Certain Labor Matters

No person employed on the work covered by this Agreement shall be discharged or in any way discriminated against because the person has filed any complaint or instituted or caused to be instituted any proceeding or has testified or is about

to testify at any proceeding relating to the labor standards applicable hereunder to that person's employer.

Section 2.407 Status as Independent Contractor

The Consultant, in accordance with its status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that it shall conduct itself in a manner consistent with such status, that it will neither hold itself nor its employees out as, nor claim to be an officer or employee of the City by reason hereof, and that it and its employees will not by reason hereof, make any claim, demand or application for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the City, including but not limited to Workers' Compensation coverage, unemployment insurance benefits, social security coverage, and retirement membership or credit.

ARTICLE II, Part 5. Documents

Section 2.501 Patents and Copyrights

The Consultant agrees that, in the event it, or any of its employees' develop any material for which a copyright can be obtained which material was developed as a result of or in connection with the work required pursuant to this Agreement, the City shall own the copyright to any copyrightable material and may, in its discretion, grant a royalty-free, non-exclusive license to use, reproduce and distribute such copyrightable material. The Consultant further agrees that in the event it, or any of its employees, develops any process, machinery or product for which a patent would be obtainable, the Consultant shall provide the necessary information to the City, so that the City can apply for such patent at its own expense. Such patent shall become the property of the City; provided, however, that the City, in its discretion, may grant to Consultant a royalty-free, non-exclusive license to produce or reproduce such patented product. The benefits of either a patent or a copyright shall also inure to any public agency which finances, in whole or in part, this project and such agency shall receive a royalty-free, non-exclusive license to use, reproduce, manufacture and distribute the product or mater which has been patented or copyrighted.

Section 2.502 Audit

The Consultant agrees to maintain sufficient on-site records and information necessary for the documentation of any and all facets of program operation specified by this Agreement. The Consultant shall maintain all books, documents, papers and other evidence pertinent to the performance of work under this Agreement in accordance with generally acceptable accounting principles, and 40 CFR Part 30 in effect during the term of this Agreement. The Consultant agrees to permit on-site inspection and auditing of all records, books, papers and documents associated with this Agreement by authorized representatives of the City and further agrees to provide necessary staff support

to the performance of such audit. The Consultant agrees to maintain for a period of six (6) consecutive years following termination of this Agreement any and all records, reports and other documentation arising from the performance of this Agreement; however, this period shall be extended beyond six years for any and all records and information pertaining to unresolved questions, which have been brought to the Consultant's attention by written notice by the City. The Consultant agrees to furnish to the City data to include but not be limited to, intake records, status change notices, termination notices, and follow-up records. Said reports will be submitted periodically as required by the City.

Section 2.503 Content of Sub-Agreements

The Consultant agrees that all sub-agreements authorized by this Agreement shall be in written form. The Consultant shall require all subcontractors to comply with any of the following sections which may be in this Agreement: "Equal Employment Opportunity; Affirmative Action and Employment of Local Labor; Compliance with Labor Laws; Certifications Regarding Conflicts of Interest; Anti-Kickback Rules; Interest of City and Contractor in Contract." It is the purpose of this section to insure that all Agreements obligate all parties performing work under this Agreement to comply with necessary governmental programs and policies. The City may require the Consultant to submit copies of such sub-agreements to the City. If such copies are not submitted upon request, the City may have the right to withhold any and all payments to the Consultant to those items of work which have not complied with this section.

ARTICLE II, Part 6. Termination

Section 2.601 Termination for Convenience of the City

- A. This Agreement may be terminated by the City in accordance with this section in whole, or from time to time, in part, whenever for any reason, the City shall determine that such termination is in the best interest of the City. Any such termination shall be effective upon written notice to the Consultant. However, no such termination shall relieve the Consultant of any outstanding duties imposed by the Agreement, including the requirement to hold the City harmless and to maintain insurance coverage insuring against loss arising out of the Project.
- B. If the Agreement is so terminated the City may take over the work and services and prosecute the same to completion by contract or otherwise. The Consultant, upon such termination, shall transfer title, and in the manner directed by the City, shall deliver to the City the completed or partially completed, plans, drawings information, other property and records of work being performed, which, if this Agreement had been completed, would be required to be furnished to the City.

- C. After receipt of written notice of termination, the Consultant shall promptly submit to the City its termination claim in a form acceptable to the City. Such claim shall in no event be submitted later than one year from the effective date of termination.
- D. In the event that the parties cannot agree, in whole or in part, as to the amount due by reason of the termination of the Agreement pursuant to this clause, the City shall pay the Consultant the amount determined as the total of the following:
 - 1. The cost of all work performed prior to the effective date of termination.
 - 2. The cost of settling and paying claims arising out of and as a direct result of the termination;
 - 3. A sum as profit on subdivision 1. above, determined to be fair and reasonable, provided however, that if the Consultant would have sustained a loss on the entire Agreement had it been completed, no profit shall be included or allowed under this subdivision 3., and an appropriate adjustment shall be made reducing the amount of settlement to reflect the indicated rate of loss. The total sum to be paid under this section shall not exceed the total price of this Agreement specified hereinabove, reduced by the amount of payments otherwise made, and further secured by the value of work remaining incomplete at the time of the termination of this Agreement.

Section 2.602 Termination for Default

- A. The performance of work under this Agreement may be terminated by the City in accordance with this clause in whole, or, from time to time, in part, whenever the Consultant shall default in performance of this Agreement in accordance with its terms (including in the term "default" any failure by the Consultant to make progress in the prosecution of the work hereunder which endangers such performance) and shall fail to cure diligently such default within a period of ten days or (or such longer period as the City may allow) after delivery by the City of a notice specifying the default.
- B. If this Agreement is to be terminated, the City may take over the work and services and prosecute the same to completion by contract or otherwise, and the Consultant shall be liable to the City for any excess cost occasioned thereby.

- C. The total fee payable shall be such proportionate part of the fee as the value of the actual work completed and delivered bears to the value of the work required or contemplated by this Agreement.
- D. This Agreement may not be so terminated if the failure to perform arises from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Consultant.
- E. If, after notice of termination of this Agreement under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that the Consultant was not in default or that the default was excusable the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to the clause of this Agreement entitled "Termination for the Convenience of the City."
- F. The rights and remedies of the City provided in this clause are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Agreement.

ARTICLE II, Part 7. General

Section 2.701 Prohibition Against Assignment

The Consultant agrees that it is prohibited from assigning or otherwise disposing of this Agreement or any of its contents, or of its right, title or interest therein, or of its power to execute such contract to any other person or corporation without the previous consent in writing of the City.

Section 2.702 Compliance with All Laws

The Consultant agrees that during the performance of the work required pursuant to this Agreement, the Consultant, and all employees working under its direction, shall strictly comply with all local, state or federal laws, ordinances, rules or regulations controlling or limiting in any way their actions during their said performance of the work required by this Agreement. Furthermore, each and every provision of law, and contractual clause required by law to be inserted in this Agreement shall be deemed to be inserted herein. If, through mistake or otherwise, any such provision is not inserted or is not correctly inserted, then upon the application of either party this Agreement shall be forthwith physically amended to make such insertion or correction.

Section 2.703 Successors

The City and the Consultant each bind their successors, executors, administrators and assigns in respect of all covenants of this Agreement.

Section 2.704 Interest of City and Consultant in Contract

The City and the Consultant agree that no member, officer, or employee of the City or of the Consultant or assignees agents shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract or the proceeds thereof, for work to be performed in connection with the program assisted under the Agreement.

Section 2.705 Permits, Laws and Taxes

- A. In the event that services performed by the Consultant for the City are subject to taxation under Article 28 of the Tax Law (sales and compensating use tax) the Consultant shall receive from the City the material necessary to obtain a tax exempt certificate upon written request.
- B. The Consultant shall pay all taxes, applicable to the work and materials supplied under this Agreement, it being understood that in no case shall any such tax be borne by the City, except as provided in subparagraph A. above.

Section 2.706 Obligations Limited to Funds Available

The parties specifically agree that the Consultant's duty to perform work under this Agreement and the City's obligation to pay for that work, including any out-of-pocket and subcontracting expenses of the Consultant, shall be limited to the amount of money actually appropriated by the City Council and encumbered (i.e., certified as being available) for this Project by the City Director of Finance (or his authorized deputy). This provision shall limit the parties' obligation to perform even though this Agreement may provide for the payment of a fee greater than the appropriated and encumbered amount.

Section 2.707 Extent of Agreement

This Agreement constitutes the entire and integrated Agreement between and among the parties hereto and supersedes any and all prior negotiations, Agreements, and conditions, whether written or oral. Any modification or amendment to this Agreement shall be void unless it is in writing and subscribed by the party to be charged or by its authorized agent.

Section 2.708 Law and Forum

This Agreement shall be governed by and under the laws of the State of New York and the Charter of the City of Rochester. The parties further agree that Supreme Court of the State of New York, held in and for the County of Monroe shall be the forum to resolve disputes arising out of either this Agreement or work performed according thereto. The parties waive all other venue or forum selections. The parties may agree between themselves on alternative forums.

Section 2.709 No Waiver

In the event that the terms and conditions of this Agreement are not strictly enforced by the City, such non-enforcement shall not act as or be deemed to act as a waiver or modification of this Agreement, nor shall such non-enforcement prevent the City from enforcing each and every term of this Agreement thereafter.

Section 2.710 Severability

If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid by a court of law, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected thereby, if such remainder would then continue to conform to the laws of the State of New York.

ARTICLE II, Part 8. New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation (NYSEFC)
Mandatory State Revolving Fund Terms and Conditions

The NYSEFC Mandatory State Revolving Fund Terms and Conditions found in Exhibit A, including Attachments 1, 2 and 3, are hereby incorporated into this agreement. To the extent that the terms of the Agreement conflict with any of the terms contained in Exhibit A, said Exhibit A shall control.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Agreement on the day first written above.

THE CITY OF ROCHESTER

BY: _____
Malik D. Evans, Mayor

CONSULTANT

BY: _____
Name: _____

STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF MONROE

On this ____ day of _____, 2024, before me, the subscriber, personally came MALIK D. EVANS to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in the City of Rochester, that he is the Mayor of the City of Rochester, the municipal corporation described in the above Agreement; that he signed his name thereto by authority of Ordinance No. _____.

Notary Public

STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF MONROE

On this _____ day of _____, 2024 before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared _____, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Notary Public

EXHIBIT A

NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITIES CORPORATION MANDATORY STATE REVOLVING FUND EQUIVALENCY PROJECT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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Mandatory State Revolving Fund Equivalency Project Terms and Conditions

For Equivalency Projects Funded with NYS Clean Water State
Revolving Fund or Drinking Water State Revolving Fund

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- ☐ Treatment Works and Drinking Water Projects
- ☐ Non-Treatment Works

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INTRODUCTION

The terms and conditions below must be incorporated verbatim into contracts receiving SRF financial assistance. Additional information relating to each of the requirements is included in the companion guidance document.

REQUIRED CONTRACT LANGUAGE

COMMONLY USED TERMS

The following commonly used terms are defined herein as follows:

Broker means a firm that does not itself perform, manage or supervise the work of its contract or subcontract in a manner consistent with the normal business practices for contractors or subcontractors in its line of business.

Construction means the process by which a contractor or subcontractor builds, alters, repairs, remodels, improves or demolishes infrastructure.

Contract means an agreement between a Recipient and a Contractor.

Contractor means all bidders, prime contractors, non-construction service providers, and consultants as hereinafter defined, unless specifically referred to otherwise.

Equivalency means projects in the amount equal to the funds "directly made available" by an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Capitalization Grant and funding for those projects is considered federal funds, or federal financial assistance. The Equivalency designation is indicated in the Intended Use Plan.

Manufactured products means articles, materials, or supplies that have been processed into a specific form and shape or combined with other articles, materials, or supplies to create a product with different properties than the individual articles, materials, or supplies. If an item is classified under Build America, Buy America as an iron or steel product, a construction material, or a section 70917(c) material under 2 CFR § 184.4(e), then it is not a manufactured product.

Manufacturer means a firm that operates or maintains a factory or establishment that produces, on the premises, the materials, supplies, articles, or equipment required under the Contract and of the general character described by the specifications.

MBO is designated and employed by the Recipient as a Minority Business or Compliance Officer responsible for MWBE/DBE/SDVOB/EEO reporting and compliance.

Non-Construction Provider means any individual or business enterprise that provides one or more of the following: legal, engineering, financial advisory, technical, or other professional services, supplies, commodities, equipment, materials, or travel.

Recipient means the party, other than EFC, to a grant agreement or a project finance agreement with EFC through which funds for the payment of amounts due thereunder are being paid in whole or in part. Responsible through Project Finance Agreement (PFA) to comply with EFC requirements.

State means the State of New York.

Subcontract means an agreement between a Contractor and a Subcontractor.

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Subcontractor means any individual or business enterprise that has an agreement, purchase order, or any other contractual arrangement with a Contractor.

Supplier means a firm that owns, operates, or maintains a store, warehouse, or other establishment in which the materials, supplies, articles or equipment of the general character described by the specifications and required under the contract are bought, kept in stock, and regularly sold or leased to the public in the usual course of business.

Treatment Works is defined in Clean Water Act (CWA) Section 212, this does not include nonpoint source projects as defined in CWA Section 319 and estuary management program projects as defined in CWA Section 320.

SECTION 1 FEDERAL ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING PROCUREMENT REQUIREMENTS

Any Architectural and Engineering (A/E) services for all Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) projects and for Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) projects receiving federal grant are required to be procured in compliance with 40 USC 1101 et. seq., and 48 CFR Part 36 Subpart 36.6. The Recipient must certify compliance to receive financing. Disregard this section if it does not apply to this Contract.

SECTION 2 REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR BUSINESS PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES FOR FEDERAL DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES AND EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN AND MINORITY GROUP MEMBERS

The Equal Employment Opportunities requirements of this section apply to all Contracts and Subcontracts, with the exception of: (1) the requirements under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and 41 CFR Part 60-1 Subpart A which apply only to construction Contracts and Subcontracts; and (2) the Federal Affirmative Action Regulations requirements which apply only to construction Contracts and Subcontracts greater than \$10,000.

The Disadvantaged Business Enterprises ("DBE") requirements of this section apply to construction, equipment, services, and/or supplies Contracts.

I. General Provisions

A. Contractors and Subcontractors are required to comply with the following provisions:

1. 40 CFR Part 33 ("Federal DBE Regulations") for contracts under EPA financial assistance agreements, as those terms are defined therein.
2. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and 40 CFR Part 7 ("Title VI") for any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance, as those terms are defined therein.
3. Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and 41 CFR Part 60-1 Subpart A ("Title VII") for construction contracts related to any government programs providing federal financial assistance, as those terms are defined therein.
4. 41 CFR Part 60-4 ("Federal Affirmative Action Regulations") for federal or federally assisted construction contracts in excess of \$10,000, as those terms are defined therein.
5. Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 ("Section 504") for any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance, as those terms are defined therein.

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6. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975 ("Age Discrimination Act") for any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance, as those terms are defined therein.
 7. Section 13 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act ("Clean Water Act") Amendments of 1972 ("Section 13") for any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance under the Clean Water Act, as those terms are defined therein.
- B. Upon request from the Recipient and/or EFC, Contractor will provide complete responses to inquiries and all DBE and EEO records available within a reasonable time or as otherwise determined by EFC.
 - C. Failure to comply with all of the requirements herein may result in a finding by the Recipient that the Contractor is non-responsive, non-responsible, and/or has breached the Contract, leading to the withholding of funds or such other actions or enforcement proceedings as allowed by the Contract.
 - D. If any terms or provisions herein conflict with Federal DBE Regulations, Title VI, Title VII, or Federal Affirmative Action Regulations, such law and regulations shall supersede these requirements.
 - E. The Contractor and Subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex in the performance of this Contract. The Contractor and Subcontractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 40 CFR Part 33 in the award and administration of contracts awarded under EPA financial assistance agreements. Failure by the Contractor and Subcontractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this Contract which may result in the termination of this Contract or other legally available remedies.

II. Equal Employment Opportunities (EEO)

- A. Contractors and Subcontractors shall have instituted grievance procedures to assure the prompt and fair resolution of complaints when a violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 or Title 40 CFR Part 7 is alleged.
- B. For federally assisted construction Contracts, the Contractor and Subcontractor will comply with the requirements of 41 CFR § 60-1.4(b) and (c), and such provisions are hereby incorporated by reference. These provisions require, in part, that the Contractor and Subcontractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The Contractor and Subcontractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship.
- C. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law (Executive Law Article 15), Title VI, Title VII, the Federal Affirmative Action Regulations, Section 504, Age Discrimination Act, Section 13, and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. The Contractor and Subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.
- D. Pursuant to 41 CFR § 60-1.7 for federally assisted construction Contracts, Contractor and Subcontractor will annually file an EEO-1 Report with the Joint Reporting Committee for the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) and the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) according to the instructions provided at

<https://www.eeoc.gov/employers/eeo-1-survey/eeo-1-instruction-booklet>, if Contractor or Subcontractor:

1. Is not exempt from compliance pursuant to 41 CFR § 60-1.5;
 2. Has 50 or more employees;
 3. Is a prime Contractor or first tier Subcontractor; or Subcontractor below the first tier which performs construction work at the site of construction; and
 4. Has a Contract, Subcontract, or purchase order amounting to \$50,000 or more.
- E. Pursuant to 40 CFR § 7.95, the Contractor shall display a copy of the EEO notice at the project site in a visible location. The notice shall accommodate individuals with impaired vision or hearing and should be provided in languages other than English where appropriate. The notice must also identify the employee responsible for its EEO compliance. See guidance document for sample notice.
- F. For federal or federally assisted construction contracts in excess of \$10,000, the Contractor and Subcontractor will comply with the Affirmative Action Regulations and such provisions are hereby incorporated by reference. These provisions require, in part, that the Contractor and Subcontractor place affirmative action goals on Contracts and Subcontracts, as established by the United States Department of Labor. See guidance document for goals.
- G. The Contractor will include the provisions of Subdivisions II(A) and II(B) in every Subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of these subdivisions will be binding upon each Subcontractor as to work in connection with the Contract.

III. Good Faith Efforts and Fair Share Objectives for DBEs

- A. Fair Share Objectives for this Contract are 20%
- B. Good Faith Efforts

Pursuant to 40 CFR § 33.301, the Contractor must demonstrate and document "good faith efforts" to provide meaningful participation by DBEs as Subcontractors or Suppliers in the performance of the Contract.

1. For purposes of demonstrating good faith efforts and achieving the fair share objectives established herein, the Contractor should seek out the participation of the following certified entities:
 - a. DBEs certified by the Small Business Administration (SBA), directory available at: https://web.sba.gov/pro-net/search/dsp_dsbs.cfm
 - b. DBEs certified by state DOTs on behalf of the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT), directories by state available at <https://www.transportation.gov/DBE%20State%20Websites>, including:
 - c. DBEs certified in New York State: <https://nysucp.newnycontracts.com/>
 - i. DBEs certified in New Jersey: <https://njucp.dbesystem.com/>
 - ii. DBEs certified in Connecticut: https://biznet.ct.gov/DOT_DBE/dbesearch.aspx
2. Participation of Brokers and Truckers/Haulers
 - a. Contractors cannot count the participation of a DBE who acts as a Broker or passive conduit of funds without performing, managing, or supervising the work of its contract or subcontract in a manner consistent with normal business practices. If 50% or more of the total dollar amount of a DBE's prime contract or subcontract is subcontracted to a non-DBE, the DBE prime contractor or subcontractor will be presumed to be a Broker.
 - b. Contractors may count the participation of a DBE trucker/hauler only if the trucker/hauler is performing a "commercially useful function," according to the following factors:

- i. The DBE must be responsible for the management and supervision of the entire trucking/hauling operation for which it is responsible on a particular contract, and there cannot be a contrived arrangement for the purpose of meeting DBE objectives.
- ii. The DBE must itself own and operate at least one fully licensed, insured, and operational truck used on the contract.

C. DBE Utilization Plan

1. The Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has submitted a completed copy of the EFC DBE Utilization Plan with all required bid forms to the MBO no later than the execution date of this Contract.
2. The Contractor agrees to use such DBE Utilization Plan for the performance of DBEs on the Contract.
3. The Contractor further agrees that a failure to submit and/or use such DBE Utilization Plan shall constitute a material breach of the terms of the Contract. Upon the occurrence of such a material breach, the Recipient shall be entitled to any remedy provided herein, including but not limited to, a finding that the Contractor is not responsive.
4. The Contractor must report any changes to the Utilization Plan after Contract award and during the term of the Contract to the MBO. The Contractor shall indicate the changes to the Recipient in the Quarterly Report immediately following the change. See Section III(E), *Quarterly Report*. At EFC's discretion, an updated DBE Utilization Plan form and good faith effort documentation may be required to be submitted. When a change order is executed the change order and supporting documentation should be submitted to the MBO and a revised Utilization Plan may be required at EFC's discretion.
5. The Contractor shall submit copies of all fully executed subcontracts, agreements, and purchase orders that are referred to in the DBE Utilization Plan to the MBO within 30 days of their execution.

D. Submission of Good Faith Effort Documentation

1. If the Contractor, after making good faith efforts, is unable to meet the DBE fair share objectives, the Contractor must submit documentation showing good faith efforts made by the Contractor to meet the fair share objectives. Such documentation should be submitted to the MBO in accordance with the instructions on the DBE Utilization Plan.
2. If the MBO, upon review of the DBE Utilization Plan and updated Quarterly Reports determines that the Contractor is failing or refusing to comply with the good faith effort requirements or that the good faith efforts are not in the requested format, the Recipient may issue a notice of deficiency to the Contractor. The Contractor must respond to the notice of deficiency within a reasonable time and provide documentation showing good faith efforts as requested.

E. Quarterly Report

1. The Contractor agrees to submit a Quarterly Report to the MBO by the fifteenth business day following the end of each calendar quarter over the term of this Contract documenting the payments made and the progress towards achievement of the DBE fair share objectives of the Contract. The Quarterly Report must be supplemented with proof of payment by the Contractor to its Subcontractors (e.g., copies of both sides of a cancelled check) and proof that Subcontractors have been paid within 30 days of receipt of payment from the Recipient. The final Quarterly Report must reflect all Utilization Plan revisions, final adjusted payments to subcontractors, and all change orders and be marked as "final".

2. The Contractor agrees to submit any other information as may be requested by the MBO or EFC during the term of the Contract as needed to assist EFC for completion of federal reporting to EPA.

F. Other Requirements

1. All contracts shall comply with the contract administration requirements outlined at 40 CFR 33.302.
2. Contractor and Subcontractors shall assist EFC and the Recipient as necessary with complying with the recordkeeping and reporting requirements outlined at 40 CFR Part 33 Subpart E.

SECTION 3 BUILD AMERICA, BUY AMERICA (BABA) ACT AND AMERICAN IRON AND STEEL (AIS) REQUIREMENTS

Applicable to all contracts for DWSRF or CWSRF Treatment Works projects.

I. BABA Requirements

The requirements of this subsection shall not apply to CWSRF or DWSRF Contracts or Subcontracts which have been notified by EFC they are waived pursuant to the Build America, Buy America Act, Pub. L. No. 117-58, section 70914, and 2 CFR Part 184, including, but not limited to, the Adjustment Period Waiver for CWSRF and DWSRF projects that initiated project design planning prior to May 14, 2022. Disregard this subsection if the Contract or Subcontract is eligible for such a waiver, however, note that Subsection II below on AIS Requirements still applies.

If such Contracts or Subcontracts are not eligible for such a waiver, then the DWSRF or CWSRF Contract or Subcontract shall be subject to the Build America, Buy America Act, and the regulations promulgated thereafter (Pub. L. No. 117-58, §§ 70901-70953, and 2 CFR Part 184), which requires, among other things, that no SRF funds "may be obligated for a project unless all of the iron, steel, manufactured products, and construction materials used in the project are produced in the United States."

The Contractor shall submit with their bid or proposal documents an executed BABA Contractor's Certification on the form attached hereto as [Attachment 2](#) acknowledging to and for the benefit of the Recipient of the Clean Water State Revolving Fund ("CWSRF") or the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund ("DWSRF") financial assistance that the Contractor understands the goods and services under this Agreement are being funded with monies made available by the New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation ("EFC") through the CWSRF or the DWSRF and that such funding is subject to certain statutory restrictions requiring that certain iron, steel, manufactured products, and construction materials used in the project be produced in the United States ("BABA Requirement") including iron, steel, manufactured products, and construction materials provided by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement.

The Contractor hereby represents and warrants that:

- (a) the Contractor has reviewed and understands the BABA Requirement,
- (b) all of the iron, steel, manufactured products, and construction materials covered by the BABA Requirement incorporated in the project will be and/or have been produced in the United States in a manner that complies with the BABA Requirement, unless a waiver of the requirement is approved, and
- (c) the Contractor will provide any further verified information, certification or assurance of compliance with this paragraph, or information necessary to support a waiver of the BABA Requirement, as may be requested by the Recipient.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, any failure to comply with this paragraph by

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the Contractor shall permit the Recipient to recover as damages against the Contractor any loss, expense, or cost (including without limitation attorney's fees) incurred by the Recipient resulting from any such failure (including without limitation any impairment or loss of funding, whether in whole or in part, from the EFC or any damages owed to the EFC by the Recipient). While the Contractor has no direct contractual privity with the EFC, as a lender to the Recipient for the funding of this project, the Recipient and the Contractor agree that the EFC is a third-party beneficiary and neither this paragraph, nor any other provision of this Agreement necessary to give this paragraph force or effect, shall be amended or waived without the prior written consent of the EFC.

II. AIS Requirements

The requirements of this section apply to (1) all contracts for which Part 1 of this section does not apply, (2) all Construction Contracts and Subcontracts for DWSRF projects and CWSRF Treatment Works projects and (3) all contracts for the purchase of iron and steel products for a DWSRF project or CWSRF Treatment Works project. Disregard this section if it does not apply to this Contract or Subcontract.

The Contractor shall submit with their bid or proposal documents an executed AIS Contractors Certification on the form attached hereto as [Attachment 3](#) acknowledging to and for the benefit of the Recipient of the Clean Water State Revolving Fund ("CWSRF") or the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund ("DWSRF") financial assistance that the Contractor understands the goods and services under this Agreement are being funded with monies made available by the New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation ("EFC") through the CWSRF or the DWSRF and that such funding is subject to certain statutory restrictions requiring that certain iron and steel products used in the project be produced in the United States ("American Iron and Steel Requirement") including iron and steel products provided by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement.

The Contractor hereby represents and warrants that:

- (a) the Contractor has reviewed and understands the American Iron and Steel Requirement,
- (b) all of the iron and steel products covered by the American Iron and Steel Requirement incorporated in the project will be and/or have been produced in the United States in a manner that complies with the American Iron and Steel Requirement, unless a waiver of the requirement is approved, and
- (c) the Contractor will provide any further verified information, certification or assurance of compliance with this paragraph, or information necessary to support a waiver of the American Iron and Steel Requirement, as may be requested by the Recipient.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, any failure to comply with this paragraph by the Contractor shall permit the Recipient to recover as damages against the Contractor any loss, expense, or cost (including without limitation attorney's fees) incurred by the Recipient resulting from any such failure (including without limitation any impairment or loss of funding, whether in whole or in part, from the EFC or any damages owed to the EFC by the Recipient). While the Contractor has no direct contractual privity with the EFC, as a lender to the Recipient for the funding of this project, the Recipient and the Contractor agree that the EFC is a third-party beneficiary and neither this paragraph, nor any other provision of this Agreement necessary to give this paragraph force or effect, shall be amended or waived without the prior written consent of the EFC.

SECTION 4 DAVIS-BACON (DB) PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements of this section apply to all Construction Contracts and Subcontracts greater than \$2,000 for either DWSRF projects or CWSRF Treatment Works projects. Disregard this section if it does not apply to this Contract or Subcontract.

For Contracts in Excess of \$2,000:

1. Minimum Wages

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- (i) All laborers and mechanics employed or working upon the site of the work will be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a week, and without subsequent deduction or rebate on any account (except such payroll deductions as are permitted by regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor under the Copeland Act (29 CFR part 3)), the full amount of wages and bona fide fringe benefits (or cash equivalents thereof) due at time of payment computed at rates not less than those contained in the wage determination of the Secretary of Labor which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, regardless of any contractual relationship which may be alleged to exist between the Contractor and such laborers and mechanics.

Contributions made or costs reasonably anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits under section 1(b)(2) of the Davis-Bacon Act on behalf of laborers or mechanics are considered wages paid to such laborers or mechanics, subject to the provisions of paragraph (1)(iv) of this section; also, regular contributions made or costs incurred for more than a weekly period (but not less often than quarterly) under plans, funds, or programs which cover the particular weekly period, are deemed to be constructively made or incurred during such weekly period. Such laborers and mechanics shall be paid the appropriate wage rate and fringe benefits on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed, without regard to skill, except as provided in 29 CFR § 5.5(a)(4). Laborers or mechanics performing work in more than one classification may be compensated at the rate specified for each classification for the time actually worked therein provided that the employer's payroll records accurately set forth the time spent in each classification in which work is performed. The wage determination (including any additional classification and wage rates conformed under paragraph (1)(ii) of this section) and the Davis-Bacon poster (WH-1321) shall be posted at all times by the Contractor and its Subcontractors at the site of the work in a prominent and accessible place where it can be easily seen by the workers. The Davis-Bacon poster (WH-1321) can be found at <https://www.dol.gov/whd/regs/compliance/posters/davis.htm>. Wage determinations may be obtained from the US Department of Labor's website, <https://sam.gov/content/wage-determinations>.

- (ii)(A) The contracting officer shall require that any class of laborers or mechanics, including helpers, which is not listed in the wage determination, and which is to be employed under the Contract shall be classified in conformance with the wage determination. The contracting officer shall approve a request for an additional classification and wage rate and fringe benefits therefore only when the following criteria have been met:
1. The work to be performed by the classification requested is not performed by a classification in the wage determination;
 2. The classification is utilized in the area by the construction industry; and,
 3. The proposed wage rate, including any bona fide fringe benefits, bears a reasonable relationship to the wage rates contained in the wage determination.
- (B) If the Contractor and the laborers and mechanics to be employed in the classification (if known), or their representatives, and the contracting officer agree on the classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits where appropriate), documentation of the action taken and the request, including the local wage determination shall be sent by the contracting officer to the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, DC 20210 and to the EPA DB Regional Coordinator concurrently. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will approve, modify, or disapprove every additional classification request within 30 days of receipt and so advise the contracting officer or will notify the contracting officer within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary.
- (C) In the event the Contractor, the laborers or mechanics to be employed in the classification or their representatives, and the contracting officer do not agree on the proposed classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits, where appropriate), the contracting officer shall refer the request and the local wage determination, including the views of all interested parties and the recommendation of the contracting officer, to the Administrator for determination. The request shall be sent to the EPA DB Regional Coordinator concurrently. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will issue a determination within 30 days of

receipt of the request and so advise the contracting officer or will notify the contracting officer within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary.

- (D) The wage rate (including fringe benefits where appropriate) determined pursuant to paragraphs (1) (ii)(B) or (C) of this section, shall be paid to all workers performing work in the classification under this Contract from the first day on which work is performed in the classification.
 - (iii) Whenever the minimum wage rate prescribed in the Contract for a class of laborers or mechanics includes a fringe benefit which is not expressed as an hourly rate, the Contractor shall either pay the benefit as stated in the wage determination or shall pay another bona fide fringe benefit or an hourly cash equivalent thereof.
 - (iv) If the Contractor does not make payments to a trustee or other third person, the Contractor may consider as part of the wages of any laborer or mechanic the amount of any costs reasonably anticipated in providing bona fide fringe benefits under a plan or program *provided* that the Secretary of Labor has found, upon the written request of the Contractor, that the applicable standards of the Davis-Bacon Act have been met. The Secretary of Labor may require the Contractor to set aside in a separate account asset for the meeting of obligations under the plan or program.
2. Withholding. The Recipient shall upon its own action or upon written request of the EPA Award Official or an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld from the Contractor under this Contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federally-assisted contract subject to Davis-Bacon prevailing wage requirements, which is held by the same prime contractor, so much of the accrued payments or advances as may be considered necessary to pay laborers and mechanics, including apprentices, trainees, and helpers, employed by the Contractor or any Subcontractor the full amount of wages required by the Contract. In the event of failure to pay any laborer or mechanic, including any apprentice, trainee, or helper, employed or working on the site of the work, all or part of the wages required by the Contract, the Recipient may, after written notice to the Contractor, sponsor, applicant, or owner, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds until such violations have ceased.
3. Payrolls and basic records.
- (i) Payrolls and basic records relating thereto shall be maintained by the Contractor during the course of the work and preserved for a period of three years thereafter for all laborers and mechanics working at the site of the work. Such records shall contain the name, address, and social security number of each such worker, his or her correct classification, hourly rates of wages paid (including rates of contributions or costs anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits or cash equivalents thereof of the types described in section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-Bacon Act), daily and weekly number of hours worked, deductions made and actual wages paid. Whenever the Secretary of Labor has found under 29 CFR § 5.5(a)(1)(iv) that the wages of any laborer or mechanic include the amount of any costs reasonably anticipated in providing benefits under a plan or program described in section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-Bacon Act, the Contractor shall maintain records which show that the commitment to provide such benefits is enforceable, that the plan or program is financially responsible, and that the plan or program has been communicated in writing to the laborers or mechanics affected, and records which show the costs anticipated or the actual cost incurred in providing such benefits. Contractors employing apprentices or trainees under approved programs shall maintain written evidence of the registration of apprenticeship programs and certification of trainee programs, the registration of the apprentices and trainees, and the ratios and wage rates prescribed in the applicable programs.
 - (ii)(A) The Contractor shall submit weekly for each week in which any Contract work is performed a copy of all payrolls to the Recipient. Such documentation shall be available on request of EFC or EPA. As to each payroll copy received, the Recipient shall provide written confirmation in a form satisfactory to EFC indicating whether or not the project is in compliance with the requirements of 29 CFR § 5.5(a)(1) based on the most recent payroll copies for the specified week. The payrolls submitted shall set out accurately and completely all of the information

required to be maintained under 29 CFR § 5.5(a)(3)(i), except that full social security numbers and home addresses shall not be included on weekly transmittals. Instead the payrolls shall only need to include an individually identifying number for each employee (e.g., the last four digits of the employee's social security number). The required weekly payroll information may be submitted in any form desired. Optional Form WH-347 is available for this purpose from the Wage and Hour Division Web site at <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/government-contracts/construction/forms> or its successor site. The prime Contractor is responsible for the submission of copies of payrolls by all Subcontractors. Contractors and Subcontractors shall maintain the full social security number and current address of each covered worker, and shall provide them upon request to the Recipient, for transmission to EFC, EPA if requested by EPA, or the Wage and Hour Division of the Department of Labor for purposes of an investigation or audit of compliance with prevailing wage requirements. It is not a violation of this section for a prime Contractor to require a Subcontractor to provide addresses and social security numbers to the prime Contractor for its own records, without weekly submission to the Recipient (or the applicant, sponsor, or owner).

(B) Each payroll submitted shall be accompanied by a "Statement of Compliance," signed by the Contractor or Subcontractor or his or her agent who pays or supervises the payment of the persons employed under the Contract and shall certify the following:

1. That the payroll for the payroll period contains the information required to be provided under 29 CFR § 5.5(a)(3)(ii), the appropriate information is being maintained under 29 CFR § 5.5(a)(3)(i), and that such information is correct and complete;
2. That each laborer or mechanic (including each helper, apprentice, and trainee) employed on the Contract during the payroll period has been paid the full weekly wages earned, without rebate, either directly or indirectly, and that no deductions have been made either directly or indirectly from the full wages earned, other than permissible deductions as set forth in Regulations, 29 CFR part 3;
3. That each laborer or mechanic has been paid not less than the applicable wage rates and fringe benefits or cash equivalents for the classification of work performed, as specified in the applicable wage determination incorporated into the Contract.

(C) The weekly submission of a properly executed certification set forth on the reverse side of Optional Form WH-347 shall satisfy the requirement for submission of the "Statement of Compliance" required by paragraph (3)(ii)(B) of this section.

(D) The falsification of any of the above certifications may subject the Contractor or Subcontractor to civil or criminal prosecution under section 1001 of title 18 and section 231 of title 31 of the United States Code.

(iii) The Contractor or Subcontractor shall make the records required under paragraph (3)(i) of this section available for inspection, copying, or transcription by authorized representatives of the Recipient, EFC, EPA, or the Department of Labor, and shall permit such representatives to interview employees during working hours on the job. If the Contractor or Subcontractor fails to submit the required records or to make them available, the Recipient, EFC, or EPA may, after written notice to the Contractor, sponsor, applicant, or owner, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds. Furthermore, failure to submit the required records upon request or to make such records available may be grounds for debarment action pursuant to 29 CFR § 5.12.

4. Apprentices and trainees.

(i) Apprentices. Apprentices will be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work they performed when they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a bona fide apprenticeship program registered with the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services, or with a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by the Office, or if a person is employed in his or her first 90

days of probationary employment as an apprentice in such an apprenticeship program, who is not individually registered in the program, but who has been certified by the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services or a State Apprenticeship Agency (where appropriate) to be eligible for probationary employment as an apprentice. The allowable ratio of apprentices to journeymen on the job site in any craft classification shall not be greater than the ratio permitted to the Contractor as to the entire work force under the registered program. Any worker listed on a payroll at an apprentice wage rate, who is not registered or otherwise employed as stated above, shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed. In addition, any apprentice performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed. Where a Contractor is performing construction on a project in a locality other than that in which its program is registered, the ratios and wage rates (expressed in percentages of the journeyman's hourly rate) specified in the Contractor's or Subcontractor's registered program shall be observed. Every apprentice must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the registered program for the apprentice's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeymen hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Apprentices shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the apprenticeship program. If the apprenticeship program does not specify fringe benefits, apprentices must be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed on the wage determination for the applicable classification. If the Administrator determines that a different practice prevails for the applicable apprentice classification, fringes shall be paid in accordance with that determination. In the event the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services, or a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by the Office, withdraws approval of an apprenticeship program, the Contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize apprentices at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.

- (ii) Trainees. Except as provided in 29 CFR § 5.16, trainees will not be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work performed unless they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a program which has received prior approval, evidenced by formal certification by the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration. The ratio of trainees to journeymen on the job site shall not be greater than permitted under the plan approved by the Employment and Training Administration. Every trainee must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the approved program for the trainee's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeyman hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Trainees shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the trainee program. If the trainee program does not mention fringe benefits, trainees shall be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed on the wage determination unless the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division determines that there is an apprenticeship program associated with the corresponding journeyman wage rate on the wage determination which provides for less than full fringe benefits for apprentices. Any employee listed on the payroll at a trainee rate who is not registered and participating in a training plan approved by the Employment and Training Administration shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed. In addition, any trainee performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed. In the event the Employment and Training Administration withdraws approval of a training program, the Contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize trainees at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.

- (iii) Equal employment opportunity. The utilization of apprentices, trainees and journeymen under this part shall be in conformity with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Executive Order 11246, as amended, and 29 CFR part 30.

5. Compliance with Copeland Act Requirements. The Contractor shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR part 3, which are incorporated by reference in this Contract.

6. Subcontracts. The Contractor or Subcontractor shall insert in any Subcontracts the clauses contained in 29 CFR § 5.5(a)(1) through (10) and such other clauses as the Recipient may by appropriate

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instructions require, and also a clause requiring the Subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime Contractor shall be responsible for the compliance by any Subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with all the Contract clauses in 29 CFR § 5.5.

7. **Contract Termination; Debarment.** A breach of the contract clauses in 29 CFR § 5.5 may be grounds for termination of the Contract, and for debarment as a Contractor and a Subcontractor as provided in 29 CFR § 5.12.
8. **Compliance with Davis-Bacon and Related Act requirements.** All rulings and interpretations of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts contained in 29 CFR parts 1, 3, and 5 are herein incorporated by reference in this Contract.
9. **Disputes Concerning Labor Standards.** Disputes arising out of the labor standards provisions of this Contract shall not be subject to the general disputes clause of this Contract. Such disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the procedures of the Department of Labor set forth in 29 CFR parts 5, 6, and 7. Disputes within the meaning of this clause include disputes between the Contractor (or any of its Subcontractors) and the Recipient, the U.S. Department of Labor, or the employees or their representatives.
10. **Certification of eligibility.**
 - (i) By entering into this Contract, the Contractor certifies that neither it (nor he or she) nor any person or firm who has an interest in the Contractor's firm is a person or firm ineligible to be awarded Government contracts by virtue of section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1).
 - (ii) No part of this Contract shall be subcontracted to any person or firm ineligible for award of a Government contract by virtue of section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1).
 - (iii) The penalty for making false statements is prescribed in the U.S. Criminal Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

For Contracts in Excess of \$100,000:

1. **Overtime requirements.** No Contractor or Subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic in any workweek in which he or she is employed on such work to work in excess of forty hours in such workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in such workweek.
2. **Violation; liability for unpaid wages; liquidated damages.** In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section the Contractor and any Subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable for the unpaid wages. In addition, such Contractor and Subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory), for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, employed in violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section, in the sum of \$25 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard workweek of forty hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section.
3. **Withholding for unpaid wages and liquidated damages.** The Recipient shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any monies payable on account of work performed by the Contractor or Subcontractor under any such Contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federally-assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, which is held by the same prime contractor, such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such Contractor or Subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in paragraph (2) of this section.

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4. Subcontracts. The Contractor or Subcontractor shall insert in any Subcontracts the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) of this section and also a clause requiring the Subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime Contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any Subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) of this section.
5. In any Contract subject only to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act and not to any of the other statutes cited in 29 CFR § 5.1, the Contractor or Subcontractor shall maintain payrolls and basic payroll records during the course of the work and shall preserve them for a period of three years from the completion of the Contract for all laborers and mechanics, including guards and watchmen, working on the contract. Such records shall contain the name and address of each such employee, social security number, correct classifications, hourly rates of wages paid, daily and weekly number of hours worked, deductions made, and actual wages paid. Further, the records to be maintained under this paragraph shall be made available by the Contractor or Subcontractor for inspection, copying, or transcription by authorized representatives of the Recipient and the Department of Labor, and the Contractor or Subcontractor will permit such representatives to interview employees during working hours on the job.

SECTION 5 REQUIREMENTS REGARDING SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT

The requirements of this section apply to all Contracts and Subcontracts.

Contractor and any Subcontractors shall comply with, Subpart C of 2 CFR Part 180 as implemented and supplemented by 2 CFR Part 1532. The Contractor is not a debarred or suspended party under 2 CFR Part 180 or 2 CFR Part 1532, or 29 CFR § 5.12. Neither the Contractor nor any of its Subcontractors have contracted with, or will contract with, any debarred or suspended party under the foregoing regulations.

In addition, the Contractor and any Subcontractors have not been debarred from or deemed ineligible for Government contracts or federally assisted Construction contracts pursuant to Executive Order 12549.

The Contractor and any Subcontractors have not been deemed ineligible to submit a bid on or be awarded a public contract or subcontract pursuant to Article 8 of the State Labor Law, specifically Labor Law § 220-b. In addition, neither the Contractor nor any Subcontractors have contracted with, or will contract with, any party that has been deemed ineligible to submit a bid on or be awarded a public contract or subcontract under Labor Law § 220-b.

In addition, the Contractor and any Subcontractors have not been deemed ineligible to submit a bid and have not contracted with and will not contract with any party that has been deemed ineligible to submit a bid under Executive Law § 316.

SECTION 6 RESTRICTIONS ON LOBBYING

The requirements of this section apply to all Contracts and Subcontracts greater than \$100,000. Disregard this section if it does not apply to this Contract or Subcontract.

The Contractor and any Subcontractor bidding or proposing a Contract or Subcontract in excess of \$100,000 shall submit with their bid or proposal documents an executed Certification Regarding Lobbying pursuant to 40 CFR Part 34 ("Lobbying Certification") in the form attached hereto as [Attachment 4](#), consistent with the prescribed form provided in Appendix A to 40 CFR Part 34.

SECTION 7 PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT

The requirements of this section apply to all Contracts and Subcontracts.

This prohibition is effective for obligations and expenditures of EPA financial assistance funding on or after 8/13/2020.

As required by 2 CFR 200.216, EPA recipients and subrecipients, including borrowers under EPA funded revolving loan fund programs (Recipients), are prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to procure or obtain; extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain; or enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that use covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system. As described in Public Law 115-232, section 889, covered telecommunications equipment is telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities). EPA funds may not be used to purchase:

- a. For the purpose of public safety, security of government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).
- b. Telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment.
- c. Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a covered foreign country.

Consistent with 2 CFR 200.471, costs incurred for telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment such as phones, internet, video surveillance, and cloud servers are allowable except for the following circumstances:

- a. Obligating or expending EPA funds for covered telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment or services as described in 2 CFR 200.216 to:
 - (1) Procure or obtain, extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain;
 - (2) Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure; or
 - (3) Obtain the equipment, services, or systems.

Contractors and Subcontractors shall not procure or install prohibited equipment, systems, or services, including equipment, systems, or services produced or provided by entities identified in section 889, that are recorded in the System for Award Management exclusion list located at <https://sam.gov/SAM/>.

SECTION 8 CONSTRUCTION SIGNS

The requirements of this section apply to all EFC projects. Specific federal Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) signage is required for projects receiving financing from BIL.

If Contractor is expected to provide and install an EFC or BIL Construction Sign, a specification will be included in the enclosed contract documents.

ATTACHMENTS (Required Forms)

Attachment 1 – EFC DBE Utilization Plan



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Instructions for Contractors & Service Providers:

Contractors and Service Providers must complete Sections 2 and 3. **Submit the completed, signed (electronic signature box checked and dated) form to the Recipient's Minority Business Officer (MBO) no later than the date of contract execution.** Incomplete forms will be found deficient. If more than 10 subcontractors are used, additional pages for Section 3 can be obtained from EFC.

If the prime contract is being performed by the parties to a Joint Venture, Teaming Agreement, or Mentor-Protégé Agreement that includes a certified DBE, please contact EFC for assistance.

DBEs on this form may include disadvantaged firms certified by the New York State Unified Certification Program (NYSUCP), and disadvantaged firms certified by the Small Business Administration. In addition, the participation of DBEs will be credited according to the following requirements:

- Contractors cannot count the participation of a DBE who acts as a broker or passive conduit of funds without performing, managing, or supervising the work of its contract or subcontract in a manner consistent with normal business practices. If 50% or more of the total dollar amount of a DBE's prime contract or subcontract is subcontracted to a non-DBE, the DBE prime contractor or subcontractor will be presumed to be a broker.
- Contractors may count the participation of a DBE trucker/hauler only if the trucker/hauler is performing a "commercially useful function," according to the following factors:
 - The DBE must be responsible for the management and supervision of the entire trucking/hauling operation for which it is responsible on a particular contract, and there cannot be a contrived arrangement for the purpose of meeting DBE objectives.
 - The DBE must itself own and operate at least one fully licensed, insured, and operational truck used on the contract.

See the Mandatory Equivalency Terms and Conditions or consult your designated MBO for further guidance.

Instructions for Minority Business Officers (MBO):

The MBO must complete Section 1. Email the completed, signed (electronic signature box checked and dated) form to your EFC Program Compliance Specialist.

The subject heading of the email to the EFC Program Compliance Specialist should follow the format "UP, Project Number, Contractor." EFC will review the Utilization Plan and email the MBO an acceptance or denial.

If the Utilization Plan will not meet or exceed the DBE fair share objective, then the good faith effort documentation noted in Section 4 must be submitted with this form.

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SECTION 1: MUNICIPAL INFORMATION			
Recipient/Municipality:		County:	
Project No.:	Contract ID:	Registration No. (NYC only):	
Minority Business Officer:	Email:	Phone #:	
Address of MBO:			
Electronic Signature of MBO: <input type="checkbox"/> I certify that the information submitted herein is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.			Date:

SECTION 2: PRIME CONTRACTOR / SERVICE PROVIDER INFORMATION				
Firm Name:			Contract Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Construction <input type="checkbox"/> Other Services	
Is the Prime Firm certified as a DBE? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, please include Prime information in Section 3.				
Address:		Phone #:	Fed. Employer ID #:	
Description of Work:			Email:	
Award Date:	Start Date:	Completion Date:	DBE Fair Share Objective	PROPOSED DBE Participation
Total Contract Amount: \$			Total: 20% \$	Total: % \$
DBE Eligible Contract Amount: \$ (DBE Fair Share Objectives are applied to this amount and includes all change orders, amendments, & specialty waivers)				
If fair share objectives are not met, documentation must be attached: <input type="checkbox"/> No Participation <input type="checkbox"/> Short of the DBE Fair Share Objective				
<input type="checkbox"/> Specialty Equipment/Services: must be of SIGNIFICANT cost – attach list of cost and type of equipment and good faith effort documentation				

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SECTION 3: DBE SUBCONTRACTOR INFORMATION			
This Submittal is: <input type="checkbox"/> The First/Original Utilization Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Revised Utilization Plan #.			
DBE Subcontractor Information		Contract Amount	For EFC Use:
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			

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SECTION 3: DBE SUBCONTRACTOR INFORMATION continued			
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
		Start Date:	Completion Date:
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
		Start Date:	Completion Date:
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
		Start Date:	Completion Date:
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
		Start Date:	Completion Date:
Business Name:	Fed. Employer ID#:		
Address:	Phone #:		
Scope of Work:	Email:		
Certifying Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> DOT in State of _____; or <input type="checkbox"/> SBA <input type="checkbox"/> Other (indicate entity): _____			
		Start Date:	Completion Date:

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SECTION 4: GOOD FAITH EFFORT DOCUMENTATION
<p>Utilization Plans that do not meet the Fair Share Objective must be accompanied by the documentation requested in numbers 1 – 7, as listed below. Specialty Equipment Exclusion requests must be accompanied by the documentation requested in number 8 – 12, as listed below. Specialty Services Exclusion requests must be accompanied by the documentation requested in number 13, as listed below. Please contact the MBO and/or EFC for assistance or to request sample documentation.</p>
<p>Provide the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A letter of explanation detailing the scope of work, DBE search results, and results of good faith efforts that were made. 2. A scope of work that shows what subcontracting opportunities are in the contract. This could be an engineering proposal, schedule of values, or other similar documents. 3. Screenshots of search results (using commodity codes) from DBE Directories of all certified DBEs that were solicited for purposes of complying with your DBE fair share objective. Each search should be saved as an individual file. 4. A log of solicitation results, consisting of the list of DBE firms solicited for the contract and the outcome of the solicitations. The log should be broken out into separate areas for each task that is solicited (e.g., trucking, materials, electricians). The log should show that each firm was contacted twice by two different methods (e.g., email and phone); who was spoken to; what was said; and the final outcome of the solicitation. 5. List of the general circulation, trade association, and DBE oriented publications and dates of publication soliciting for certified DBE participation as a subcontractor/supplier and copies of such solicitations. 6. Description of the negotiations between the contractor and certified DBEs for the purposes of complying with the DBE goals of this contract. 7. Any other information deemed relevant to the request. <p>EFC and the MBO reserve the right to request additional information and/or documentation.</p> <p>Documentation for Requests for Specialty Equipment Exclusions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. A letter of explanation containing information about the equipment, why the equipment is specialty and why no DBE firms could be utilized to provide the equipment. 9. Copies of the appropriate pages of the technical specification related to the equipment showing the choices for manufacturers or other information that limits the choice of vendor. 10. Letter, email, or screenshot of website from the manufacturer listing their distributors in NYS and the locations. 11. Screenshots of DBE Directory searches for the manufacturer and distributor showing that they are not found in the Directory. 12. An invoice or executed purchase order showing the value of the equipment.

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Documentation for Requests for Specialty Service Exclusions: 13. A letter of explanation containing information about the scope of work and why no DBE firms could be subcontracted to provide that service.
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SIGNATURE	
Electronic Signature of Contractor: <input type="checkbox"/> I certify that the information submitted herein is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and that all DBE subcontractors will participate in subcontracts in accordance with the requirements of 40 CFR Part 33. Name (Please Type):	Date:

Attachment 2 – BABA Contractor's Certification



BABA CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION
FOR EQUIVALENCY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS PAID FOR WITH FUNDS THROUGH
THE NYS CLEAN WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND, OVERFLOW AND STORMWATER GRANTS
OR
THE NYS DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND VIA THE
NYS ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITIES CORPORATION

Project Title:

Contractor's Name:

Contract ID:

SRF Project No.:

SRF Recipient Name:

I certify that all iron and steel, manufactured products and construction materials permanently incorporated into the project under this construction contract will be and/or have been produced in the United States, in accordance with the requirements of the United States Environmental Protection Agency and Pub. L. No. 117-58 and any regulations promulgated thereunder. I will develop and maintain the necessary documentation to demonstrate that the applicable products permanently incorporated into the project were produced in the United States and make such documentation available to The New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation or their authorized representatives, upon request.

Signature:

Name (print):

Title:

Date:

Attachment 3 – AIS Contractor's Certification

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OR
THE NYS DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND VIA THE
NYS ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITIES CORPORATION

Project Title:

Contractor's Name:

Contract ID:

SRF Project No.:

SRF Recipient Name:

I certify that the iron and steel products permanently incorporated into the public water system or wastewater treatment works project under this construction contract will be and/or have been produced in the United States, in accordance with the requirements of the United States Environmental Protection Agency and 33 U.S.C. § 1388, 42 U.S.C. § 300j-12(a)(4) and any regulations promulgated thereunder. I will develop and maintain necessary documentation to demonstrate that the iron and steel products permanently incorporated into the project were produced in the United States, and make such documentation available to The New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation or their authorized representatives, upon request.

Signature:

Name (print):

Title:

Date:

Attachment 4 – Lobbying Certification



**New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation
CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING
FOR
CONTRACTS, GRANTS, LOANS, AND
COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS
40 CFR Part 34**

SRF Project No.:
Recipient:
Project Description:

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The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

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

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