

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT CONTRACTS / AWARDS / GRANTS

Requested Board Meeting Date: July 7, 2015

10201	or Procurement Director Award ⊟
Contractor/Vendor Name (DBA): K E & G Construction,	Inc.
Project Title/Description: Pantano Riverpath: 5th Street Wash to Speedway Blvd. Pr	roject (PAN5TH)
Purpose: Create a Riverpath Park along the Pantano Wash that inclirrigation, and all other incidental work.	udes an asphalt path, pedestrian bridge, ramada,
Procurement Method: Invitation For Bid (IFB)	
Program Goals/Predicted Outcomes: Build a riverpath park that will be used by the residents of	Pima County.
Public Benefit: Public Benefit is the improvement of the area along the Paresidents can enjoy the environment.	intano Wash and having a park where the Pima County
Metrics Available to Measure Performance: Completing the project within the terms of the contract	
Retroactive: No	
Original Information	
Document Type: CT Department Code: PW	Contract Number (i.e., 15-123): 15-544
Effective Date: 07/07/2015 Termination Date: 06/30/2017	Prior Contract Number (Synergen/CMS):
	Revenue Amount: \$
Funding Source(s): RTA-41: 30.4% Federal 69.6%	Revenue Amount: \$
Cost to Pima County General Fund: 00.00	i L
Contract is fully or partially funded with Federal Funds?	
Were insurance or indemnity clauses modified?	☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable to Grant Awards
	☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Not Applicable to Grant Awards
If Yes, attach the required form per Administrative Procedu	ure 22-73.
Amendment Information	
Document Type: Department Code:	Contract Number (i.e.,15-123):
	AMS Version No.:
	New Termination Date:
Expense Revenue Increase Decrease	
Funding Source(s):	
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Contact: Anthony V. Schlavone / Cheure	
Department: Procurement	Telephone: 724-3245
Department Director Signature/Date:	u 6-25-15
Deputy County Administrator Signature/Date:	Alen Mr 12/11/6/15
County Administrator Signature/Date: (Required for Board Agenda/Addendum Items)	Intellering 6/25/15

NOTICE OF RECOMMENDATION FOR AWARD

The Pima County Procurement Department - Design & Construction Division hereby issues formal notice to participating respondents for:

SOLICITATION NO. 175271: PANTANO RIVERPATH: 5TH STREET WASH TO SPEEDWAY BLVD

that the below listed firm will be recommended for award of a contract in an amount of \$723,900.00. The award is anticipated to be heard on the Pima County Board of Supervisors meeting scheduled for <u>July 7, 2015</u>.

RECOMMENDED: K E & G Construction **AMOUNT** \$723,900.00

OTHER BIDS (ascending order):

Respondents	Total Bid				
Granite Construction	\$ 761,475.00				
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ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE	\$ 550,000.00	The second of th	- 10/2 1/2/10		
The following contractor was not ADOT Preq	ualified:				
Falcone Brothers and Associates, Inc.	\$617,998.50				
The following contractor was not ADOT Prequalified to perform the scope of work:					
Clear Contracting Company	\$ 626,648.40				

Contracts Officer: /s/Anthony V. Schiavone Date: 5/28/15

Anthony V. Schiavone

This notice is in compliance with Pima County Procurement Code: Sec. 11.12.010, 11.12.020, 11.20.010.C, Procedure dated 10/25/02.

PIMA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, PARKS AND RECREATION

PROJECT:

Pantano Riverpath: 5th Street Wash to

Speedway Blvd (PAN5TH)

CONTRACTOR:

K E & G Construction, Inc.

5100 S. Alvernon Tucson, Az. 85706

AMOUNT:

\$723,900.00

FUNDING:

RTA-41: 30.4% Federal 69.6 %

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CONSTRUCTION SERVICES CONTRACT

THIS Contract is entered into between Pima County, a body politic and corporate of the State of Arizona, hereinafter called COUNTY, and K E & G Construction, Inc., hereinafter called CONTRACTOR, collectively referred to as the Parties.

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, COUNTY requires, consistent with the provisions of A.R.S. Title 34, the services of a CONTRACTOR to provide all equipment, labor, and material required to construct the Pantano Riverpath: 5th Street Wash to Speedway Blvd (PAN5TH) Project ("Project"); and,

WHEREAS, CONTRACTOR is qualified and willing to provide such services; and

WHEREAS, CONTRACTOR submitted the low responsive, responsible bid in response to Solicitation No. 175271 for the COUNTY for said work is qualified and willing to provide such services; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing recitals and other valuable and good consideration the Parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 - TERM AND EXTENSION/RENEWAL/CHANGES

This Contract as approved by the Board of Supervisors commences on July 7, 2015, and terminates on June 30, 2017, unless sooner terminated or further extended pursuant to the provisions of this Contract.

Construction completion time for the work to be performed under this Contract will be **180 working days** after the date of Notice to Proceed. Liquidated damages will be assessed based upon the construction completion time. COUNTY has the option to extend the Contract termination date for project completion. Any modification or extension of the Contract termination date will be by formal written amendment executed by the Parties. The Procurement Director or the COUNTY Board of Supervisors, as required by the Pima County Procurement Code must approve change orders to the Contract or the Scope of Services before CONTRACTOR performs the work authorized by the change order.

Furthermore, this Contract is funded wholly or partially by the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA). Any changes to the Project which result in the final project cost deviating by ten (10) or more percent from the RTA's budget amount for the project must be approved by the RTA in advance of those changes being made, regardless of the fact that the RTA will not be paying for them. For the purposes of this paragraph only, the term "Project" refers specifically and exclusively to the project as defined and funded by Agreement No. 143172 between the County and RTA.

ARTICLE 2 - SCOPE OF SERVICES

CONTRACTOR will provide for the COUNTY all labor, materials and equipment necessary to complete the PANTANO RIVERPATH: 5TH STREET WASH TO SPEEDWAY BLVD. (PAN5TH) PROJECT. All work shall be as called for by Pima County Solicitation No. 175271 Bid Documents, any issued Addenda, the Standard Specifications & Details for Public Improvements 2003 Edition, and other documents incorporated into this contract, all made a part hereof.

ARTICLE 3 - COMPENSATION AND PAYMENT

In consideration of the services specified in this Contract, the COUNTY agrees to pay CONTRACTOR in the manner hereinafter specified.

CONTRACTOR will provide detailed documentation in support of requested payment. The CONTRACTOR must cite the Contract number on all invoices. Payments will be made in accordance with A.R.S. § 34-221.

Payment for this Contract will be made based on **EXHIBIT "A": Bid Schedule-Revised April 24, 2015** (2 pages) submitted by Contractor in response to Solicitation No. 175271, attached hereto and made part of this Contract. Line items for which the "Unit" is defined as L.S. will be paid as "Lump Sum". Other line items for which the "unit" is defined as a unit of measure (i.e., "each", "L.F.", etc.) and for which there is a Unit Price, will be measured and paid at the unit price for the actual quantity of work performed in accordance with the Standard Specifications. The quantities of unit-priced items stated in the bid schedule are estimates only and the actual quantities may be either less or more than stated in the Bid Schedule.

For the period of record retention required under Article 23, COUNTY reserves the right to question any payment made under this article and to require reimbursement therefor by setoff or otherwise for payments determined to be improper or contrary to the Contract or law

CONTRACTOR will not perform work in excess of the Contract Amount without prior authorization by an amendment executed by COUNTY. Work performed in excess of the Contract Amount without prior authorization by amendment is at CONTRACTOR'S own risk.

A. General

- In consideration of the services specified in this Contract, the COUNTY agrees to pay CONTRACTOR in the manner hereinafter specified. For this Article, "SUBCONTRACTOR" includes SUPPLIER. Payment will be made based on EXHIBIT "A": Bid Schedule-Revised April 24, 2015 (2 pages) submitted by Contractor in response to Solicitation No. 175271, and attached hereto and made part of this Contract.
- 2. Line items for which the "Unit" is defined as L.S. shall be paid as "Lump Sum". Other line items for which the "Unit" is defined as a unit of measure (i.e., "each", "L.F.", etc.) and for which there is a Unit Price, will be measured and paid at the unit price for the actual quantity of work performed in accordance with the Standard Specifications. The quantities of unit-priced items stated in the bid schedule are estimates only and the actual quantities may be either less or more than stated in the Bid Schedule.
- 3. Total Payment for this Contract shall not exceed Seven Hundred Twenty-three Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars and zero cents (\$723,900.00).
- 4. CONTRACTOR must cite the CT (Contract) number on all invoices. CONTRACTOR will provide detailed documentation in support of requested payment. Invoices and payments must comply with A.R.S. § 34-221.

B. Progress Payments to Subcontractors

Each line item for which payment is claimed based on the work of a SUBCONTRACTOR must identify the SUBCONTRACTOR by name. CONTRACTOR will pay each SUBCONTRACTOR and supplier for which CONTRACTOR receives payment on an invoice within seven (7) days of receipt of the progress payment for that invoice. Such payments will be in the amount allowed by COUNTY for each SUBCONTRACTOR or SUPPLIER, to the extent of their interest therein. Retention by CONTRACTOR will not exceed the actual percentage retained by COUNTY from the progress payment. COUNTY, at any time, in its sole discretion, may require that invoices be supported by evidence of payment to SUBCONTRACTOR and SUPPLIER'S.

- 2. CONTRACTOR will withhold from an invoice the application and certification for payment of a SUBCONTRACTOR or SUPPLIER to which payment will not be made in accordance with the preceding paragraph (B)(1) as a result of unsatisfactory job progress, defective construction work or materials not remedied, disputed work or materials, third party claims filed or reasonable evidence that a claim will be filed, failure of a SUBCONTRACTOR to make timely payments for labor, equipment and materials, damage to the CONTRACTOR or another SUBCONRACTOR, or other legitimate dispute or disagreement justifying nonpayment. On separate page(s) accompanying the invoice CONTRACTOR shall identify excluded SUBCONTRACTOR/SUPPLIERS and provide a brief justification for their nonpayment on the current invoice.
- 3. Failure to pay a SUBCONTRACTOR for which payment was made by COUNTY will be deemed an unjustified failure to pay for which COUNTY may withhold from CONTRACTOR the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) plus the amount of the payment made by COUNTY. Such sum(s) shall be retained by COUNTY until the nonpayment issue is resolved, unless CONTRACTOR provides evidence convincing to the COUNTY, in its sole discretion, that the failure to pay was justified. Each succeeding month of unjustified nonpayment shall be deemed a new failure for which an additional Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) may be withheld. At the sole discretion of COUNTY, repeated instances of unjustified nonpayment(s) may result in withholding of progress payments until the SUBCONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER payment issues are resolved.

C. Subcontractor Final Payments

CONTRACTOR will make prompt final payment to each of its SUBCONTRACTOR'S of all monies due the SUBCONTRACTOR, including retention, if any, after the SUBCONTRACTOR has satisfactorily completed all of its work, there are no outstanding issues arising from the work, and COUNTY has incrementally accepted SUBCONTRACTOR'S work in accordance with Section 105-17 of the Standard Specifications. If the final payment, including retention, if any, is not made within seven (7) days of COUNTY payment to CONTRACTOR for SUBCONTRACTOR'S work, COUNTY, in its sole discretion, may withhold Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) from CONTRACTOR'S progress payment(s) in accordance with paragraph (B)(3) above. Notwithstanding Incremental acceptance of SUBCONTRACTOR'S work, the warranty thereon shall begin upon acceptance of the entire project.

D. Reservation of Audit Right

For the period of record retention required under Article 22, COUNTY reserves the right to question any payment made under this Article and to require reimbursement therefor by setoff or otherwise for payments determined to be improper or contrary to the Contract or law.

ARTICLE 4 - INSURANCE

The Insurance Requirements herein are minimum requirements for this Contract and in no way limit the indemnity covenants contained in this Contract. COUNTY in no way warrants that the minimum limits contained herein are sufficient to protect the CONTRACTOR from liabilities that arise out of the performance of the work under this Contract. The CONTRACTOR is free to purchase additional insurance.

CONTRACTOR'S insurance will be placed with companies licensed in the State of Arizona or hold approved non-admitted status on the Arizona Department of Insurance List of Qualified Unauthorized Insurers, Insurers will have an "A.M. Best" rating of not less than A- VII. COUNTY in no way warrants that the above-required minimum insurer rating is sufficient to protect the CONTRACTOR from potential insurer insolvency.

4.1 Minimum Scope and Limits of Insurance:

CONTRACTOR will procure and maintain, until all of their obligations have been discharged, coverage with limits of liability not less than those stated below.

- 4.1.1 Commercial General Liability (CGL) Occurrence Form with limits of \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence and \$2,000,000 General Aggregate. Policy will include bodily injury, property damage, and broad form contractual liability coverage, and products completed operations.
- 4.1.2 Business Automobile Liability Bodily Injury and Property Damage for any owned, hired, and/or non-owned automobiles used in the performance of this Contract with a Combined Single Limit (CSL) of \$1,000,000.

4.1.3 Workers' Compensation and Employers' Liability - Statutory requirements and benefits. Coverage is compulsory for employers of one or more employees. Employer's Liability - \$500.000

Note: The Workers' Compensation requirement will not apply to a CONTRACTOR that is exempt under A.R.S. § 23-901, and when such CONTRACTOR executes the appropriate COUNTY Sole Proprietor or Independent CONTRACTOR waiver form.

4.1 Additional Insurance Requirements:

The policies will include, or be endorsed to include, as required by this written agreement, the following provisions:

- 4.2.1 Additional Insured Endorsement: The General Liability and Business Automobile Liability Policies will each be endorsed to include COUNTY, its departments, districts, boards, commissions, officers, officials, agents, and employees as additional insureds with respect to liability arising out of the activities performed by or on behalf of the CONTRACTOR.
- 4.2.2 Subrogation Endorsement: The General Liability, Business Automobile Liability and Workers' Compensation Policies will each contain a waiver of subrogation endorsement in favor of COUNTY, and its departments, districts, boards, commissions, officers, officials, agents, and employees for losses arising from work performed by or on behalf of the CONTRACTOR.
- 4.2.3 Primary Insurance Endorsement: The CONTRACTOR'S policies will stipulate that the insurance afforded the CONTRACTOR will be primary and that any insurance carried by the Department, its agents, officials, employees or COUNTY will be excess and not contributory insurance, as provided by A.R.S. § 41-621 (E).
- 4.2.4 Insurance provided by the CONTRACTOR will not limit the CONTRACTOR'S liability assumed under the indemnification provisions of this Contract.

4.3 Notice of Cancellation:

For each insurance policy required by the insurance provisions of this Contract, the CONTRACTOR must provide to COUNTY, within two (2) business days of receipt, a notice if a policy is suspended, voided, or cancelled for any reason. Such notice will be mailed, emailed, hand-delivered or sent by facsimile transmission to Pima County Procurement Department, 130 W. Congress, 3rd Floor, Tucson, Az. 85701, Fax (520) 724-4434.

4.4 Verification of Coverage:

CONTRACTOR will furnish COUNTY with certificates of insurance (valid ACORD form or equivalent approved by COUNTY) as required by this Contract. An authorized representative of the insurer will sign the certificates.

- 4.4.1 All certificates and endorsements, as required by this written agreement, are to be received and approved by COUNTY before work commences. Each insurance policy required by this Contract must be in effect at, or prior to, commencement of work under this Contract. Failure to maintain the insurance coverages or policies as required by this Contract, or to provide evidence of renewal, is a material breach of contract.
- 4.4.2 All certificates required by this Contract will be sent directly to the Pima County Procurement Department, 130 W. Congress, 3rd Floor, Tucson, Az. 85701. COUNTY project or contract number and project description will be noted on the certificate of insurance. COUNTY reserves the right to require complete copies of all insurance policies required by this Contract at any time.

4.5 Approval and Modifications:

COUNTY Risk Management reserves the right to review or make modifications to the insurance limits, required coverages, or endorsements throughout the life of this contract, as deemed necessary. Such action will not require a formal Contract amendment but may be made by administrative action.

ARTICLE 5 - INDEMNIFICATION

To the fullest extent permitted by law, CONTRACTOR indemnifies and holds harmless COUNTY and the RTA, their officers, employees and agents from and against any and all suits, actions, legal administrative proceedings,

claims or demands and costs attendant thereto, including reasonable attorney's fees and court costs, to the extent caused by any negligent, reckless or intentionally wrongful act or omission of CONTRACTOR, its agents, employees or anyone acting under its direction or control or on its behalf in connection with performance of this Contract. The obligations under this Article do not extend to the negligence of COUNTY or the RTA, their agents, employees or indemnities.

All warranty and indemnification obligations under this Contract survive expiration or termination of the Contract, unless expressly provided otherwise. Any indemnification provision inconsistent with A.R.S. § 34-226 is, in all cases, not void, but will be interpreted and applied as if it were consistent with A.R.S. § 34-226.

Upon request, CONTRACTOR may fully indemnify and hold harmless any private property owner granting a right of entry to CONTRACTOR for the purpose of completing the project.

ARTICLE 6 - COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

CONTRACTOR will comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, rules, regulations, standards and Executive Orders, without limitation to those designated within this Contract. The laws and regulations of the State of Arizona govern the rights of the Parties, the performance of this Contract, and any disputes hereunder. Any action relating to this Contract will be brought and maintained in Superior Court in Pima County. Any changes in the governing laws, rules, and regulations during the term of this Contract apply, but do not require an amendment.

ARTICLE 7 - INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS

The status of CONTRACTOR is that of an independent contractor and CONTRACTOR is not considered an employee of Pima County and is not entitled to receive any of the fringe benefits associated with regular employment, and will not be subject to the provisions of the merit system. CONTRACTOR will be responsible for payment of all Federal, State and Local taxes associated with the compensation received by CONTRACTOR from COUNTY. CONTRACTOR will be responsible for program development and operation without supervision by COUNTY.

ARTICLE 8 - CONTRACTOR/SUBCONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE

CONTRACTOR will perform the work in accordance with the terms of the Contract and with the degree of care and skill which a licensed contractor in Arizona would exercise under similar conditions. CONTRACTOR will employ suitably trained and skilled personnel to perform all required services under this Contract. Prior to changing any key personnel, especially those key personnel COUNTY relied upon in making this Contract, CONTRACTOR will obtain the approval of COUNTY.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for the professional quality, technical accuracy, timely completion, and the coordination of all its effort and other services furnished by CONTRACTOR under this Agreement. Without additional compensation, CONTRACTOR will correct or revise any errors, omissions, or other deficiencies in all products of its efforts and other services provided. This includes resolving any deficiencies arising out of the acts or omissions of CONTRACTOR found during or after the course of the services performed by or for CONTRACTOR under this Agreement, regardless of COUNTY having knowledge of or condoning or accepting the products or the services. Correction of such deficiencies will be at no cost to COUNTY.

CONTRACTOR will ensure that all SUBCONTRACTORS have the appropriate and current license issued by the Arizona Registrar of Contractors for work they perform under this contract. CONTRACTOR will not permit any SUBCONTRACTOR to perform work that does not fall within the scope of the SUBCONTRACTOR'S license, except as may be permitted under the rules of the Registrar of Contractors.

CONTRACTOR will be fully responsible for all acts and omissions of its SUBCONTRACTOR(S) and of persons directly or indirectly employed by SUBCONTRACTOR and of persons for whose acts any of them may be liable to the same extent that CONTRACTOR is responsible for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by it. Nothing in this Contract creates any obligation on the part of COUNTY to pay or see to the payment of any money due any SUBCONTRACTOR, except as may be required by law.

CONTRACTOR must use the SUBCONTRACTORS named on Contractor's Subcontractor List submitted with the bid. No SUBCONTRACTOR may be added or changed without the prior written approval of the COUNTY subsequent to review and approval by the Administering Department Director and Procurement Director. Substitution of non-SBE SUBCONTRACTORS may be approved at the discretion of the COUNTY for reasons including but not limited to, availability, insolvency or any other reason deemed to be in the best interest of the COUNTY. Approval for substitution of SBE SUBCONTRACTORS that are listed on the Bidders Statement of Proposed SBE Utilization submitted with the bid will only be granted if the provisions of Title 20.28.050 of the Pima County Code have been met.

ARTICLE 9 - ASSIGNMENT

CONTRACTOR will not assign its rights to this Contract in whole or in part, without prior written approval of COUNTY. COUNTY may withhold assignment at its sole discretion, provided that COUNTY will not unreasonably withhold such approval.

ARTICLE 10 - NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with all provisions and requirements of Arizona Executive Order 2009-09 which is hereby incorporated into this Contract as if set forth in full herein <u>including flow down of all provisions and requirements to any SUBCONTRACTORS</u>. During the performance of this Contract, CONTRACTOR shall not discriminate against any employee, client or any other individual in any way because of that person's age, race, creed, color, religion, sex, disability or national origin.

ARTICLE 11 - AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (Public Law 101-336, 42 U.S.C. 12101-12213) and all applicable federal regulations under the Act, including 28 CFR Parts 35 and 36. If CONTRACTOR is carrying out government programs or services on behalf of COUNTY, then CONTRACTOR shall maintain accessibility to the program to the same extent and degree that would be required of the COUNTY under 28 CFR Sections 35.130, 35.133, 35.149 through 35.151, 35.160, 35.161 and 35.163. Failure to do so could result in the termination of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 12 - AUTHORITY TO CONTRACT

CONTRACTOR warrants its right and power to enter into this Contract. If any court or administrative agency determines that COUNTY does not have authority to enter into this Contract, COUNTY will not be liable to CONTRACTOR or any third party by reason of such determination or by reason of this Contract.

ARTICLE 13 – NON-WAIVER

The failure of COUNTY to insist in any one or more instances upon full and complete compliance with any of the terms and provisions of this Contract or to take any action permitted as a result thereof is not a waiver or relinquishment of the right to insist upon full and complete performance of the same or any other covenant or condition either in the past or in the future. The acceptance by either party of sums less than may be due and owing it at any time is not an accord and satisfaction.

ARTICLE 14 - CANCELLATION FOR CONFLICT OF INTEREST

This Contract is subject to the provisions of A.R.S. §38-511 which provides in pertinent part:

"The state, its political subdivisions or any department of either may, within three years after its execution, cancel any contract, without penalty or further obligation, made by the state, its political subdivisions, or any of the departments or agencies of either if any person significantly involved in initiating, negotiating, securing, drafting or creating the contract on behalf of the state, its political subdivisions or any of the departments or agencies of either is, at any time, while the contract or any extension of the contract is in effect, an employee or agent of any other party to the contract in any capacity or a consultant to any other party to the contract with respect to the subject matter of the contract."

ARTICLE 15 - TERMINATION OF CONTRACT FOR DEFAULT

- A. Upon a failure by CONTRACTOR to cure a default under this Contract within ten (10) days of receipt of notice from COUNTY of the default, COUNTY may, in its sole discretion, terminate this Contract for default by written notice to CONTRACTOR. In this event, COUNTY may take over the work and complete it by Contract or otherwise. CONTRACTOR and its sureties, if any, will be liable for any damage to COUNTY resulting from CONTRACTOR'S default, including any increased costs incurred by COUNTY in completing the work.
- B. The occurrence of any of the following constitutes an event of default:
 - 1. Abandonment of or refusal or failure to prosecute the work or any separable part thereof with the diligence that will insure completion within the time specified in this Contract, including any extension, or a failure to complete the work (or the separable part of the work) within the specified time:
 - 2. Persistent or repeated refusal or failure to supply enough properly skilled workers or materials to perform the work on schedule:
 - 3. Failure to provide competent supervision at the site;
 - 4. Failure to take down, rebuild, repair, alter or amend any defective or deficient work, or to remove any defective or deficient Material
 - 5. Failure to make prompt payment to SUBCONTRACTORS or suppliers for material or labor;
 - 6. Loss of CONTRACTOR'S business or other required license or authority, or any curtailment or cessation for any reason of business or business operations that would substantially impair or preclude CONTRACTOR'S performance of this Contract:
 - 7. Disregard of laws, ordinances, or the instructions of COUNTY or its representatives, or any otherwise substantial violation of any provision of the Contract; or
 - 8. If a voluntary or involuntary action for bankruptcy is commenced with respect to CONTRACTOR, or CONTRACTOR becomes insolvent, makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, or has a receiver or liquidator appointed in respect of its assets.
- C. In the event of a termination for default:
 - 1. All finished and unfinished as-builts, shop drawings, documents, data, studies, surveys, drawings, photographs, reports and other information in whatever form, including electronic, acquired or prepared by CONTRACTOR for this project become COUNTY'S property and will be delivered to COUNTY not later than five (5) business days after the effective date of the termination;
 - COUNTY may withhold payments to CONTRACTOR arising under this or any other Contract for the purpose of set-off until such time as the exact amount of damage due COUNTY from CONTRACTOR is determined; and
 - 3. Subject to the immediately preceding subparagraph (2), COUNTY'S liability to CONTRACTOR will not exceed the reasonable value of work satisfactorily performed prior to the date of termination for which payment has not been previously made.
- D. The Contract will not be terminated for default nor CONTRACTOR charged with damages under this Article, if—
 - 1. Excepting item (8) in paragraph B above, the event of default or delay in completing the work arises from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of CONTRACTOR. Examples of such causes include—
 - (i) Acts of God or of the public enemy,
 - (ii) Acts of the COUNTY in either its sovereign or contractual capacity,
 - (iii) Acts of another contractor in the performance of a Contract with the COUNTY,
 - (iv) Fires,
 - (v) Floods,
 - (vi) Epidemics,
 - (vii) Quarantine restrictions,
 - (viii) Strikes,
 - (ix) Freight embargoes,
 - (x) Unusually severe weather, or
 - (xi) Delays of SUBCONTRACTORS or suppliers at any tier arising from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of both CONTRACTOR and the SUBCONTRACTOR Sor suppliers; and

- 2. CONTRACTOR, within three (3) days from the beginning of any event of default or delay (unless extended by COUNTY), notifies COUNTY in writing of the cause(s) therefor. In this circumstance, COUNTY will ascertain the facts and the extent of the resulting delay. If, in the judgment of COUNTY, the findings warrant such action, the time for completing the work may be extended.
- E. For the purposes of paragraph A above, "receipt of notice" includes receipt by hand by CONTRACTOR'S onsite project manager, facsimile transmission, or under the Notices clause of this Contract.
- F. If, after termination of the Contract for default, it is determined that the CONTRACTOR was not in default, or that the delay was excusable, the rights and obligations of the Parties will be the same as if the termination had been issued for the convenience of the COUNTY.
- G. The rights and remedies of COUNTY in this Article are cumulative and in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.

ARTICLE 16 - TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE OF COUNTY

COUNTY may terminate this Contract at any time by giving written notice to CONTRACTOR of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof, at least fifteen (15) days before the effective date of such termination. In that event, all finished or unfinished documents and other materials will, at the option of COUNTY, become its property. If COUNTY terminates the Contract as provided herein, COUNTY will pay CONTRACTOR an amount based on the time and expenses incurred by CONTRACTOR prior to the termination date. However, COUNTY will make no payment for anticipated profit on unperformed services.

<u>ARTICLE 17 – NON-APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS</u>

Notwithstanding any other provision in this Contract, COUNTY may terminate this Contract if for any reason the Pima County Board of Supervisors does not appropriate sufficient monies for the purpose of maintaining this Contract. In the event of such termination, COUNTY has no further obligation to CONTRACTOR, other than payment for services rendered prior to termination.

ARTICLE 18 - NOTICES

Any notice required or permitted to be given under this Contract will be in writing and will be served by delivery or by certified mail upon the other party as follows:

COUNTY:

Mandley Rust, Project Manager Public Works PMO 201 N. Stone, 2nd Floor Tucson, AZ 85701 Tel: (520) 724-6312 CONTRACTOR:

Christopher Albright, President K E & G Construction, Inc. 5100 S Alvernon Tucson, Az. 85706 Tel: (520) 748-0188 Fax: (520) 748-8975

ARTICLE 19 - NON-EXCLUSIVE CONTRACT

CONTRACTOR understands that this Contract is Non-Exclusive and is for the sole convenience of COUNTY. COUNTY reserves the right to obtain like services from other sources for any reason.

ARTICLE 20 - CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

A. INCORPORATION OF DOCUMENTS: CONTRACTOR and COUNTY in entering into this Contract have relied upon information provided in SOLICITATION NO. 175271 - PANTANO RIVERPATH: 5TH STREET WASH TO SPEEDWAY BLVD. (PAN5TH) PROJECT, EXHIBIT "A" - BID SCHEDULE — Revised April 24, 2015 (2 pages), BONDS (BID, PAYMENT, AND PERFORMANCE BONDS), APPENDIX "B" - GENERAL CONDITIONS, SPECIAL PROVISIONS, PLANS, CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS, DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS, ADDENDA, and on information provided in the CONTRACTOR response to this Solicitation. These documents are hereby incorporated into and made a part of this

Contract by reference as if set forth in full herein.

- B. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE: In the event of a conflict or inconsistency between or among the Documents incorporated into this Contract, the Contract Documents shall take precedence in the following order:
 - a) This Contract
 - b) APPENDIX "B" General Conditions
 - c) Special Provisions, Technical Specifications, and Plans
 - d) Contractor Response to the Solicitation
 - e) Instructions to Bidders
 - f) Invitation to Bid

The Parties may, by written mutual agreement, deviate from this order of precedence in resolving inconsistencies between or among Contract Documents. Any such Agreement interpreting the Contract shall be incorporated into the Contract by Amendment.

In the event of any conflict between any provision in the Special Conditions, if any, and any provision of the General Conditions, or any other incorporated document, the provision in the Special Conditions shall take precedence.

ARTICLE 21 - BONDING REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with A.R.S. §34-221, et. seq., the CONTRACTOR will provide Payment and Performance bonds for not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount. Copies of said bonds will be attached to and become part of this Contract.

ARTICLE 22 - OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS

All original drawings, boring logs, field data, estimates, field notes, plans, specifications, documents, reports, calculations, maps and models, and other information developed by CONTRACTOR under this Contract vest in and become the property of the COUNTY and will be delivered to COUNTY upon completion or termination of the services, but CONTRACTOR may retain record copies thereof. The Granting Agency reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use, for Federal Government purposes: (a) the copyright in any work developed under this Contract or any Subcontract; and (b) Any rights of copyright to which CONTRACTOR or COUNTY acquires ownership under this Contract.

ARTICLE 23 – BOOKS AND RECORDS

CONTRACTOR will keep and maintain proper and complete books, records and accounts, which will be open at all reasonable times for inspection and audit by duly authorized representatives of COUNTY.

CONTRACTOR will retain all records relating to this Contract at least five (5) years after its termination or cancellation or until any related pending proceeding or litigation has been closed, if later. Alternatively, CONTRACTOR may, at its option, deliver such records to COUNTY for retention.

ARTICLE 24 - REMEDIES

Either party may pursue any remedies provided by law for the breach of this Contract, provided, however, that the procedures in ARTICLE 27 are first exhausted. No right or remedy is intended to be exclusive of any other right or remedy and each is cumulative and in addition to any other right or remedy existing at law or at equity or by virtue of this Contract.

ARTICLE 25 - SEVERABILITY

Each provision of this Contract stands alone, and any provision of this Contract found to be prohibited by law is ineffective to the extent of such prohibition without invalidating the remainder of this Contract.

ARTICLE 26 - DELAYS

Neither Party hereto is in default in the performance of its obligations hereunder to the extent that the performance of any such obligation is prevented or delayed by any cause, existing or future, which is beyond the reasonable control of such Party.

ARTICLE 27 - DISPUTES

In the event of a dispute between COUNTY and CONTRACTOR regarding any part of this Contract or the Parties' obligations or performance hereunder, either Party may request a special meeting between their respective representatives to resolve the dispute. If the dispute remains unresolved, then either Party may request escalation of the issue to a meeting between the Director of the Pima County Department administering this Contract and CONTRACTOR'S counterpart official, such meeting to be held within one week of the request, unless otherwise agreed. If the dispute is still not resolved after that meeting, then either Party may pursue such remedy or remedies as may be available to them under the laws of the State of Arizona.

The Parties will continue performance of their respective obligations under this Contract notwithstanding the existence of any dispute.

ARTICLE 28 - PUBLIC INFORMATION

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 39-121 et seq., and A.R.S. §§ 34-603(H), 604(H), in the case of construction or Architectural and Engineering services procured under A.R.S. Title 34, Chapter 6, all information submitted by CONTRACTOR in any way related to this Contract, including, but not limited to, pricing, product specifications, work plans, and any supporting data becomes public information and upon request, is subject to release and/or review by the general public including competitors.

Any information submitted related to this Contract that CONTRACTOR believes constitutes proprietary, trade secret or otherwise confidential information must be appropriately and prominently marked as CONFIDENTIAL prior to submittal to COUNTY and be accompanied by an index specifically identifying and describing the general contents of each page so marked. The index is a public record and should not include any information considered confidential.

Notwithstanding the above provisions, in the event records marked CONFIDENTIAL are requested for public release pursuant to A.R.S. § 39-121 et seq., COUNTY will release records marked CONFIDENTIAL ten (10) business days after the date of notice to the CONTRACTOR of the request for release, unless CONTRACTOR has, within the ten (10) day period, secured a protective order, injunctive relief or other appropriate order from a court of competent jurisdiction, enjoining the release of the records. For the purposes of this paragraph, the day of the request for release is not counted in the time calculation. CONTRACTOR will be notified of any request for such release on the same day of the request for public release or as soon thereafter as practicable.

COUNTY shall not, under any circumstances, be responsible for securing a protective order or other relief enjoining the release of records marked CONFIDENTIAL, nor shall COUNTY be in any way financially responsible for any costs associated with securing such an order.

ARTICLE 29 - LEGAL ARIZONA WORKERS ACT COMPLIANCE

CONTRACTOR hereby warrants that it will at all times during the term of this Contract comply with all federal immigration laws applicable to CONTRACTOR'S employment of its employees, and with the requirements of A.R.S. § 23-214 (A) (together the "State and Federal Immigration Laws"). CONTRACTOR will further ensure that each SUBCONTRACTOR who performs any work for CONTRACTOR under this Contract likewise complies with the State and Federal Immigration Laws.

COUNTY has the right at any time to inspect the books and records of CONTRACTOR and any SUBCONTRACTOR in order to verify such Party's compliance with the State and Federal Immigration Laws.

Any breach of CONTRACTOR'S or any SUBCONTRACTOR'S warranty of compliance with the State and Federal Immigration Laws, or of any other provision of this section, is a material breach of this Contract subjecting

CONTRACTOR to penalties up to and including suspension or termination of this Contract. If the breach is by a SUBCONTRACTOR, and the subcontract is suspended or terminated as a result, CONTRACTOR will take such steps as may be necessary to either self-perform the services that would have been provided under the subcontract or to retain a replacement SUBCONTRACTOR (subject to COUNTY approval if SBE or DBE preferences apply), as soon as possible so as not to delay project completion.

CONTRACTOR will advise each SUBCONTRACTOR of COUNTY'S rights, and the SUBCONTRACTOR'S obligations, under this Article by including a provision in each subcontract substantially in the following form:

"SUBCONTRACTOR hereby warrants that it will at all times during the term of this Contract comply with all federal immigration laws applicable to SUBCONTRACTOR'S employees, and with the requirements of A.R.S. § 23-214 (A). SUBCONTRACTOR further agrees that COUNTY may inspect the SUBCONTRACTOR'S books and records to insure that SUBCONTRACTOR is in compliance with these requirements. Any breach of this paragraph by SUBCONTRACTOR is a material breach of this contract subjecting SUBCONTRACTOR to penalties up to and including suspension or termination of this Contract."

Any additional costs attributable directly or indirectly to remedial action under this Article are the responsibility of CONTRACTOR. In the event that remedial action under this Article results in delay to one or more tasks on the critical path of CONTRACTOR'S approved construction or critical milestones schedule, such period of delay will be excusable delay for which CONTRACTOR is entitled to an extension of time, but not costs.

ARTICLE 30 - ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This document constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties pertaining to the subject matter hereof, and all prior or contemporaneous agreements and understandings, oral or written, are hereby superseded and merged herein. This Contract may be modified, amended, altered or extended only by a written Amendment signed by the Parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have affixed their signatures to this Contract on the dates written below.

APPROVED:	CONTRACTOR:
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Chair, Board of Supervisors	Signature
	Ed Anderson Vice President
Date	Name and Title (Please Print)
	6-17-15
	Date
ATTEST:	
Clerk of the Board	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Deputy County Attorney	
TOBIN ROSEN	
Name (Please Print)	



EXHIBIT "A" - BID SCHEDULE - Revised April 24, 2015 (2 pages) SOLICITATION NO. 175271 PANTANO RIVERPATH: 5TH STREET WASH TO SPEEDWAY BLVD. (PAN5TH)

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1090002	Fuel Adjustment	F.A.	3000	\$ 1.00	\$ 3,000.00
2010001	Clearing and Grubbing	L.S.	1	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3500.00
2010003	Clearing and Grubbing (Noxious and Invasive Species Control)	F.A.	3000	\$ 1.00	\$ 3,000.00
2010004	Preservation Fencing	L.F.	2,180	\$ 3.75	\$ 8 175.00
2020029	Removal of Bituminous Pavement	S.Y.	92	\$ 12.50	\$ 1150.00
2020101	Removal of Fence	L.F.	1,030	\$ 1.50	\$ 1545.00
2030901	Borrow	C.Y.	507	\$ 42.50	\$ 21547.50
3030003	Aggregate Base	C.Y.	305	\$ 68,00	\$ 20740.00
4060003	Asphaltic Concrete (No. 3)	TON	365	\$ 135.00	\$ 49 275,00
5090020	Sewer Manhole Concrete Collar	EACH	2	\$ 555,00	\$ 1110.00
6010003	Structural Concrete (fc = 3,500)	C.Y.	34	\$ 525.00	\$ 17850,00
6011363	Approach Slab (L=10')	S.F.	256	\$ 59.00	\$ 15104.00
6047000	Prefabricated Steel Bridge	EACH	1	\$ 130,000.00	\$ 130,000.00
6050001	Reinforcing Steel	LB.	8,150	\$ 1,80	\$14670.00
7080001	Pavement Marking Painted	L.F.	7406	\$,54	\$ 3949.24
6090003	Drilled Shaft (3' Diameter)	L.F.	60	\$ 700.00	\$ 42,000.00
8030040	Granite Mulch	S.Y.	1,710	\$ 2.50	\$ 4275.00
8030020	Decomposed Granite	S.Y.	1,827	\$ 6.25	\$ 11418.75
8030072	Decorative Boulders	EACH	6	\$ 170.00	\$ 1020.00
8030073	Decorative Boulders (24")	EACH	6	\$ 190.00	\$ 1140.00
8050003	Seeding (Class II)	S.Y.	9,100	\$.58	\$ 5278,00
8050009	Seeding (Class II) (2nd Application)	S.Y.	9,100	\$,56	\$ 5096.00
8061005	Tree (15 Gallon)	EACH	75	\$ 78.00	\$ 5 8 50.00
8061009	Tree (24" Box)	EACH	19	\$ 178.00	\$ 3382.00
8061090	Tree Staking	EACH	94	\$ 13.00	\$ 1222.00
8061298	Shrub (Five Gallon)	EACH	164	\$ 21.00	\$ 3444,00
8061611	Cactus	EACH	63	\$ 24.50	\$ 1543.50

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EXHIBIT "A" - BID SCHEDULE, cont.

ITEM NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	.um;	QUANTITY	UNITHRICE	AMOUNT
8061612	Barrel Cactus	EACH	13	\$49.00	\$637.00
8061613	Cactus - Prickly Pear	EACH	63	\$ 24.50	\$1543.5c
8061700	Landscape Pruning	HOUR	60	\$ 98.00	\$ 5880.00
8070001	Landscaping Establishment	L.S.	1	\$ 6700.00	\$6200.00
8080001	Landscape Irrigation System	L.S.	1	\$ 53000.00	\$53000.00
8080011	Miscellaneous Landscape Work	F.A.	10000	\$ 1.00	\$ 10,000.00
8100001	AZPDES/NPDES (Original)	L.S.	1	\$14100.00	\$14100.00
8100005	Sediment Log (Discretionary)	L.F.	210	\$ 2.15	\$451.50
8100006	Sediment Wattle (Discretionary)	L.F.	210	\$ 4.55	\$ 955.50
9010001	Mobilization	L.S.	1	\$131,084.56	\$131,084.54
9080133	Concrete Valley Gutter & Apron	S.F.	209	\$ 8.55	\$1786.95
9130008	Riprap (Hand Placed)	C.Y.	10	\$ [50.00	\$1500.00
9250001	Construction Survey and Layout	L.S.	1	\$ 7750.00	\$7750.00
9300100	Incidental Items Allowance	F.A.	20000	\$ 1.00	\$ 20,000.00
9300110	Miscellaneous Work (Concrete Seatwall)	EACH	2	\$ 32.50.00	\$ 6500.00
9300110A	Miscellaneous Work (Concrete Bollard)	EACH	10	\$ 350.00	\$ 3500.00
9300110B	Miscellaneous Work (Bike Rack)	EACH	2	\$415.00	\$ 830.00
9300110C	Miscellaneous Work (Trash Receptacle)	EACH	2	\$ 720.00	\$ 1440.00
9300110D	Miscellaneous Work (Ramada)	EACH	1	\$ 24 200 .00	\$24200.00
9330001	Barricade Railing (PC/COT Std. Dtl. 105)	L.F.	1 ,931	\$ 24.00	\$ 50206.00
9350100	Artwork Foundation/Installation Allowance	F.A.	2,000	\$ 1.00	\$ 2,000.00

TOTAL CONSTRUCTION	COSTS		\$	727,900,00
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SIGNATURE: CWA	KYWY	DATE: _	5/6/2015	
PRINTED NAME & TITLE:	Christopher W. Albright, President			
FIRM NAME:	KE&G Construction, Inc.			
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APPENDIX "B" GENERAL CONDITIONS (15 Pages)

ARTICLE 1 - DEFINITIONS

Whenever in these Specifications, or in any document of instructions where these Specifications govern, the following terms or pronouns in place of them are used, the intent and meaning will be interpreted as follows:

<u>Bid:</u> The offer of the Bidder for the work when properly made out on forms containing the Bid for Lump Sum Construction supplied by County and properly submitted, signed and guaranteed.

<u>Bid Documents:</u> All Drawings, Technical Specifications, Supplementary General and/or General Conditions, Bid Schedule, Construction Contract and Bonds, and Contract Documents.

<u>Bidder</u>: Any individual, firm or corporation, qualified as herein provided, legally submitting a Bid for the work contemplated, acting directly or through an authorized representative.

Board: The Board of Supervisors, Pima County, Arizona, acting under authority of the laws of Arizona.

<u>Building Code:</u> The directions, provisions, and requirements contained in the current edition of the Building Codes, with Amendments, as adopted by Pima County, supplemented by such special provisions as may be necessary, pertaining to the method and manner of performing the work, quality and quantity of material to be furnished and measurement for payment of same.

<u>Contract</u>: The written Agreement between County and Contractor covering the performance of the work and the furnishing of labor, equipment, and materials in the construction of the work.

<u>Contract Bond:</u> The approved form of security furnished by Contractor and its Surety as a guarantee on the part of Contractor to execute the work in accordance with the terms of the Contract.

<u>Contractor:</u> The party who undertakes to execute the work, acting directly or through an authorized lawful agent or employee.

County: Pima County, Arizona, a body politic and corporate, the owner of the work.

<u>Director:</u> The Pima County Department Director, an assistant or other representative duly authorized by a Department Director to act on their behalf.

<u>Extra Work</u>: Work, including materials, for which no price agreement is contained in the Contract and which is deemed necessary for the proper completion of the work.

Item: A detail of work for which separate payment is made.

<u>Laboratory</u>: The established laboratory of the Department or other laboratories authorized by COUNTY to test materials and work involved in the Contract.

<u>Plans:</u> The Contract drawings or exact representations thereof, which show the location, character, dimensions, and details of the work.

<u>Supplementary Agreement:</u> A written agreement executed by Contractor and County covering alterations to the project. A change order or a force account work request prepared on the approved form of the Department is a supplementary agreement.

<u>Supplementary General Conditions or Special Conditions:</u> The Supplementary General Conditions or Special Conditions are additional to the General Conditions, which are conditions or requirements peculiar to the project under consideration.

<u>Surety:</u> The corporate body which is bound with and for Contractor, who is primarily liable, and which (agrees) to be responsible for its payment of all debts pertaining to and for its acceptable performance of the work for which it has contracted.

The Work: All of the work specified in the Contract.

ARTICLE 2 - RESPONSIBILITY REGARDING EXISTING UTILITIES AND STRUCTURES

The existence and locations of underground utilities indicated on the plans are not guaranteed and will be investigated and verified in the field by Contractor before starting work. Excavations in the vicinity of existing structures and utilities will be carefully done by hand. Contractor will be held responsible for any damage to, and for maintenance and protection of existing utilities and structures.

ARTICLE 3 - LEGAL RELATIONS AND RESPONSIBILITY TO THE PUBLIC

- a. <u>Laws to be Observed</u> -- Contractor is presumed to be familiar with and at all times will observe and comply with all Federal and State laws and local ordinances, worker's compensation, occupational disease, and unemployment compensation laws together with the payment of all premiums and taxes therefor, also all laws, ordinances, and regulations in any manner affecting the conduct of the work and will indemnify and hold harmless County and its representatives against any claim arising from the violations of such laws, bylaws, ordinances or regulations, whether by Contractor or by Contractor's employees.
- b. <u>Permits and Licenses</u> -- County will procure all County building permits, and sewer connection fees. Contractor will post required permits on site and give all notices necessary and incidental to the due and lawful prosecution of the work. Contractor will procure and pay for all other permits, fees, and applications for water, gas, electric and other utilities.
- c. <u>Sanitary Provisions</u> -- Contractor will provide and maintain in a neat and sanitary condition such accommodations for the use of its employees as may be necessary to comply with the requirements and regulations of the Arizona Department of Health Services or other authorities having jurisdiction therein.
- d. <u>Public Convenience and Safety</u> -- Contractor will have due regard for the public health and will conduct the work in such a manner as to provide and insure the safety and convenience of the public.
 - When special conditions prevail and extraordinary measures are necessary, the details will be set forth in the General Conditions.
- e. <u>Barricades, Danger, Warning, and Detour Signs</u> -- Contractor will at its expense and without further order provide, erect, and maintain at all times during the progress or temporary suspension of the work such barricades, fences, warning lights, danger signals, reflectors, signs, or other protective devices as are required to insure the safety of the public, those engaged in connection with the work and the work itself.
 - Unless otherwise expressly stated in the Contract, no measurement or direct payment for this work will be made, but the cost of providing, erecting, and maintaining such protection devices, including guards, watchmen and/or flagmen as required will be considered as included and paid for in the contract prices for the work.
- f. Use of Explosives -- Prohibited

- g. <u>Preservation and Restoration of Property</u> -- Contractor will be responsible for the preservation of all public and private property on the surface or underground, along and adjacent to the work and will conduct its operations so as to insure the prevention of injury or damage thereto. No land monuments or property will be disturbed or moved until an authorized agent has witnessed or otherwise referenced their locations.
 - When or where any direct or indirect damage or injury is done to public or private property by or on account of any act, omission, neglect, or misconduct in the execution of the work, or in consequence or the non-execution thereof on the part of Contractor, Contractor will restore such property at its own expense to a condition similar or equal to that existing before such damage or injury was done, by repairing, rebuilding, or otherwise restoring same, or it will make good such damage or injury in an acceptable manner.
- h. <u>Contractor's Responsibility for Work</u> -- Until written final acceptance of the work by COUNTY, Contractor will have the charge and care thereof and will take every precaution against injury or damage to any part thereof by action of elements, or from any other cause, whether arising from the execution or non-execution of the work. The Contractor will rebuild, repair, restore, and make good all injuries or damages of any portion of the work occasioned by any of the above causes before final acceptance and will bear the expense thereof.
 - In case of the suspension of work for any cause whatever, Contractor will be responsible for all work and materials and will take proper care of the work, storing all materials if necessary, and will provide suitable drainage of the work and erect necessary temporary structures.
- I. Waiver of Legal Rights -- County will not be precluded or be estopped, by any measurement, estimate, or certificate made either before or after the completion and acceptance of the work and payment therefor, from showing the true amount and character of the work performed and materials furnished by Contractor, or from showing that any such measurement, estimate, or certificate is untrue or incorrectly made, or that the work or materials do not conform in fact to the Contract. Neither the acceptance by County or by any representative of County nor any payment, nor acceptance of the whole or any part of the work, nor any extension of time, nor any possession taken by County will operate as a waiver of any portion of the Contract or of any power herein reserved, or any right to damage herein provided. A waiver of any breach of the Contract is not a waiver of any other subsequent breach.

ARTICLE 4 – ACCIDENTS

Contractor will provide, at the site, such equipment and medical facilities as are necessary to supply firstaid service to anyone who may be injured in connection with the work.

Contractor must promptly report in writing to County all accidents whatsoever arising out of, or in connection with the performance of the work, whether on or adjacent to the site, which caused death, personal injury, or property damage, giving full details and statements of witnesses. In addition, if death or serious injuries or serious damages are caused, Contractor will report the accident immediately by telephone or messenger to both County and the Board.

If any claim is made by anyone against Contractor or any Subcontractor on account of any accident, Contractor will promptly report the facts in writing to County, giving full details of the claim.

ARTICLE 5 - PIMA COUNTY BUILDING CODES

Contractor will perform the work embraced herein in accordance with the following Building Codes, Ordinances and Standards, with all amendments, as currently adopted by County, together with any applicable Special Conditions, which are additional to and may supersede portions of these Codes as detailed at http://www.pimaxpress.com/building/. Where codes and/or regulations of other agencies having jurisdiction are more stringent these will take precedence.

ARTICLE 6 - LIQUIDATED DAMAGES FOR DELAY

Liquidated Damages are not generally applicable to job orders. However, County reserves the right to require liquidated damages for those Job Orders assigned to Contractor where time is of the essence and damages attributable to delay caused by Contractor would not be possible to determine. For any Job Order to which County determines, in its sole discretion, that liquidated damages will apply and so states in writing in the Job Order description or specifications, then Contractor will be liable for liquidated damages in the amount specified in the Job Order per day for each day that the Job Order remains uncompleted beyond the specified completion date. Provided, however, that if County delays the Job Order completion, or if general strikes, acts of God, or casualty beyond Contractor's control delays the Job Order completion, then and in such event, the time for completion of that Job Order will be extended for an additional period equal to the amount of time lost due to such delay. Provided, always, however, that Contractor will at the time of such delay, if any, request of County in writing such additional time in which to complete the performance of this Contract.

ARTICLE 7 - EXECUTION, CORRELATION AND INTENT OF DOCUMENTS

The Bid documents are complementary, and what is called for by any one will be as binding as if called for by all, and the most stringent requirement will apply. The intention of the documents is to include all labor and materials, equipment and transportation necessary for the proper execution of the work. It is not intended, however, that materials or work not covered by or properly inferable from any heading, branch, class or trade of the specifications will be supplied unless distinctly so noted on the drawings. Materials or work described in words that so applied have a well-known technical or trade meaning will be held to refer to such recognized standards.

ARTICLE 8 - DETAIL DRAWINGS AND INSTRUCTIONS

County will furnish with reasonable promptness, additional instructions, by means of drawings or otherwise, necessary for the proper execution of the work. All such drawings and instructions will be consistent with the Bid documents, true developments thereof, and reasonably inferable therefrom.

ARTICLE 9 - COPIES OF DRAWINGS FURNISHED

County will provide, at no cost to Contractor, two complete sets of code approved construction documents in non-reproducible form.

County will provide, at no cost to Contractor, five (5) non-reproducible sets of construction documents used during the course of bidding the work (Bid Sets) for execution on the work. It will be Contractor's responsibility to ensure that any modifications called for as a result of the permit process are transferred to the bid sets.

Contractor may purchase additional sets of code-approved sets or bid sets construction documents, at its expense.

ARTICLE 10 - ORDER OF COMPLETION

Contractor will submit at such times as may be requested by County, schedules which will show the order in which Contractor proposes to carry on the work with dates at which Contractor will start the several parts of the work and estimated dates of completion of the several parts.

ARTICLE 11 - CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS ON THE JOB SITE

Contractor will keep one copy of code approved construction documents on the job site, in good order, available to County and to County's representatives. This set of documents will be kept current as to pending and approved changes in the work.

ARTICLE 12 - OWNERSHIP OF DRAWINGS

All drawings, specifications, and copies thereof furnished by County are the property of Pima County. They are not to be used on other work and with the exception of the signed Contract set, and are to be returned to County on request, at the completion of the work. All models are the property of County.

ARTICLE 13 - CONTRACTOR'S UNDERSTANDING

Contractor has, by careful examination, satisfied itself as to the nature and location of the work, the conformation of the ground, the character of equipment and facilities needed preliminary to and during the prosecution of the work, the general and local conditions, and all other matters which can in any way affect the work under this Contract. No verbal agreement or conversations with any officer, agent or employee of County, either before or after the execution of this Contract, will affect or modify any of the terms or obligations herein contained.

ARTICLE 14 - MATERIALS, APPLIANCES, EMPLOYEES

Unless otherwise agreed, Contractor will provide and pay for all materials, labor, water, tools, equipment, light, power, transportation, and other facilities necessary for the execution and completion of the work.

Unless otherwise agreed, all materials will be new, and both workmanship and materials will be of good quality. Contractor will, if required, furnish satisfactory evidence as to the kind and quality of materials.

Contractor will at all times enforce strict discipline and good order among its employees, and will not employ on the work any unfit person or anyone not skilled in the work assigned to that person.

ARTICLE 15 - ROYALTIES AND PATENTS

Contractor will pay all royalties and license fees. Contractor will defend all suits or claims for infringement of any patent rights and will hold County harmless from loss on account thereof, except that County will be responsible for all such loss when a particular process or the product of a particular manufacturer or manufacturers is specified, but if Contractor has information that the process or article specified is an infringement of a patent it will be responsible for such loss unless it promptly gives such information to County.

ARTICLE 16 - SURVEYS, PERMITS, AND REGULATIONS

County will furnish all property surveys unless otherwise specified. Contractor will secure and pay for permits and licenses of a temporary nature necessary for the prosecution of the work except as noted in Article 3.b. County will secure and pay for easements for permanent structures or permanent changes in existing facilities unless otherwise agreed.

Contractor will give all notices and comply with all laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations bearing on the conduct of the work as drawn and specified. If Contractor observes that the drawings and specifications are at variance therewith, it will promptly notify County in writing, and any necessary changes will be adjusted as provided in the Contract for changes in the work. If Contractor performs any work knowing it

to be contrary to such laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations, and without such notice to County, it will bear all costs arising therefrom.

ARTICLE 17 - PROTECTION OF WORK AND PROPERTY

Contractor will continuously maintain adequate protection of all its work from damage and will protect County's property from injury or loss arising in connection with this Contract. It will make good any such damage, injury, or loss, except such as may be directly due to errors in the bid documents or caused by agents or employees of County. It will adequately protect adjacent property as provided by law and the bid documents. It will provide and maintain all passageways, guard fences, lights, and other facilities for protection required by public authority or local conditions.

If an emergency should occur affecting the safety of life or the work or of adjoining property, Contractor, without special instruction or authorization from County, is hereby permitted to act at his discretion, to prevent such threatened loss or injury, and Contractor will so act, without appeal, if so instructed or authorized. Any compensation claimed by Contractor on account of emergency work will be determined by County.

ARTICLE 18 - INSPECTION OF WORK

County representatives will at all times have access to the work wherever it is in preparation or progress and Contractor will provide proper facilities for such access and for inspection.

If the specifications, County's instructions, laws, ordinances, or any public authority, require any work to be specially tested or approved, Contractor will give County timely notice of its readiness for inspection and if the inspection is by an authority other than County, of the date fixed for such inspection. Inspections by County will be promptly made, and where practicable at the source of supply. If any work should be covered up without approval or consent of County, it must, if required by County, be uncovered for examination at Contractor's expense.

Re-examination of questioned work may be ordered by County and if so ordered the work must be uncovered by Contractor. If such work is found to be in accordance with the bid documents, County will pay the cost of re-examination and replacement. If such work is found not to be in accordance with the bid documents, Contractor will pay such cost.

ARTICLE 19 - SUPERINTENDENCE - SUPERVISION

Contractor will keep on its work site during its progress a competent Superintendent and any necessary assistants, all satisfactory to County. The Superintendent will not be changed except with the consent of County, unless the Superintendent proves to be unsatisfactory to Contractor and ceases to be in its employ. The Superintendent will represent Contractor in its absence and all directions given to it will be as binding as if given to Contractor. Contractor will give efficient supervision to the work using its best skill and attention.

If Contractor, in the course of the work, finds any discrepancy between the construction documents and the physical conditions of the locality, or any errors or omissions in the construction documents or in the layout as given by points and instructions, it will be its duty to immediately inform County, in writing, and County will promptly verify the same. Any work done after such discovery, until authorized, will be done at Contractor's risk.

Neither County nor Contractor, will employ an employee of the other without consent.

ARTICLE 20 - CHANGES IN THE WORK

County, without invalidating the Contract, may order extra work or make changes by altering, adding to or deducting from the work, the Contract Sum being adjusted accordingly. Change orders must be

approved by the Director of the administering department, as required by the Pima County Procurement Code, before the work under the change commences. All such work will be executed under the conditions of the original Contract. Claims for extension of time caused thereby will be made per the provisions of Article 23 "Delays and extension of time".

In giving instructions, County will have authority to make minor changes in the work, not involving extra cost, and not inconsistent with the purposes of the work, but otherwise, except in an emergency endangering life or property, no extra work or change will be made unless in pursuance of a written order by County and no claim for an addition to the Contract sum will be valid unless so ordered.

The value of any such extra work or change will be determined in one or more of the following ways:

- a. By mutual acceptance of a lump sum, itemized and detailed with sufficient substantiating data, as requested by County, to permit evaluation.
- b. By unit prices named in the Contract or subsequently agreed upon.
- c. By cost and fixed fee.

If none of the above methods is agreed upon, Contractor, provided it receives an order as above, will proceed with the work. In such case and also under case (c), it will keep and present in such form as County may direct, a correct account of the net cost of labor and materials, together with vouchers. In any case, County will certify to the amount, including allowance for overhead and profit, due to Contractor. Pending final determination of cost, payments on account of changes will be made on County's estimate.

The amount of Contractor's overhead and profit allowed for any change order, whether increase or decrease, will not exceed the following limits for work by Contractor:

Overhead Limit: ten percent (10%) of direct cost; Profit Limit: five percent (5%) of the sum of direct cost and overhead cost.

For any portion of the work for a change order that is performed by a Subcontractor or a Sub Sub Contractor, Contractor's combined overhead and profit limits allowed will not exceed five percent (5%) of the actual direct cost of the work.

Contractor's cost for additional work or changes requested by County which result in an approved extension of time to the contract will be limited to the cost of the extra work determined in one or more of the three ways described previously in this Article, and the actual wage or salary paid for the on-site job superintendent in direct employ of contractor in performance of the work. This amount will be prorated to the actual amount of extra time approved and will only include the direct amount paid to the superintendent plus actual cost of all overhead items applicable to payroll for that position, such as insurance, taxes, FICA, worker's compensation, and unemployment taxes and benefits.

ARTICLE 21 - CLAIMS FOR EXTRA COST FOR ADDITIONAL WORK

If Contractor claims that any additional instructions by drawings or otherwise involve extra cost under this Contract, it will give County written notice thereof within a reasonable time after the receipt of such instructions, and in any event before proceeding to execute the work, except in an emergency endangering life or property. The procedure will then be as provided for in Article 20 "Changes in the work". No such claim will be valid unless so made.

ARTICLE 22 - DEDUCTIONS FOR UNCORRECTED WORK

If COUNTY deems it not expedient to correct work injured or done not in accordance with the Contract, an equitable deduction from the Contract price will be made therefor.

Contractor will promptly remove from the premises all materials condemned by County as failing to conform to the Contract, whether incorporated in the work or not, and Contractor will promptly replace and re-execute its own work in accordance with the Contract and without expense to County and will bear the expense of making good all work of other contractors destroyed or damaged by such removal or replacement.

If Contractor does not remove such condemned work and materials within a reasonable time, fixed by written notice, County may remove them and may store the material at the expense of Contractor. If Contractor does not pay the expense of such removal within ten days' time thereafter, County may, upon ten days written notice, sell such materials at auction or at private sale and will account for the net proceeds thereof, after deducting all the costs and expenses that should have been borne by Contractor.

ARTICLE 23 - DELAYS AND EXTENSION OF TIME

If Contractor is delayed at any time in the progress of the work by any act or neglect of County or of its employees or by any other contractor employed by County, or by changes ordered in the work, or by strikes, lockouts, fire, unusual delay in transportation, unavoidable casualties or any causes beyond Contractor's control, or by any cause which County will decide to justify the delay, then the time of completion will be extended for such reasonable time as County may decide.

Claims for extension of time must be submitted in writing to County for review and approval. The completion date will be extended, if necessary, by the approved number of calendar days. Approval of time extension for delays noted in the first paragraph of this Article will be granted only based on the verification of a daily log maintained by the superintendent at the job site. The daily log must segregate and document each individual delay occurrence, and then separately track the job costs attributable to changes in the work noted in Article 20. Failure to maintain the daily logs in the manner described above will result in County's denial of the claim for time extension.

Contractor will request a time extension no later than seven (7) days after the initiation of that delay. In the case of a continuing cause of delay, only one claim is necessary.

If Contractor has requested detail drawings and instructions as noted in Article 8, no request for delay will be approved on account of the County's failure to furnish drawings until two weeks after demand for such drawings.

ARTICLE 24 - SUSPENSION OF WORK

County may at any time suspend the work, or any part thereof by giving three (3) days' notice to Contractor in writing. When the reason for such suspension involves safety, health or welfare issues, the three (3) day written notice requirement may be waived at the decision of the COUNTY Management. Contractor will resume the work within ten (10) days after the date fixed in the written notice from County to Contractor to do so.

ARTICLE 25 - COUNTY'S RIGHT TO DO WORK

If Contractor neglects to prosecute the work properly or fails to perform any provision of this Contract, County may, after three (3) days written notice to the Contractor, without prejudice to any other remedy it may have, make good such deficiencies and may deduct the cost thereof from the payment then or thereafter due Contractor.

ARTICLE 26 - COUNTY'S RIGHT TO TERMINATE CONTRACT

If Contractor persistently or repeatedly refuses or fails, except in cases for which extension of time is provided, to supply enough properly skilled workers or proper materials, or if it fails to make prompt payment to subcontractors for material or labor, or persistently disregards laws, ordinances, or the

instructions of County, or otherwise is guilty of a substantial violation of any provision of the contract, then County may, without prejudice to any other right or remedy and after giving Contractor ten (10) days written notice, terminate the employment of Contractor and take possession of the premises and of all materials, tools, and appliances thereon and finish the work by whatever method County may deem expedient. In such case Contractor will not be entitled to receive any further payment until the work is finished. If the unpaid balance of the Contract price will exceed the expense of finishing the work, including compensation for additional managerial and administrative service, such excess will be paid to Contractor. If such expense will exceed such unpaid balance, Contractor will pay the difference to County. County will certify the expense incurred by County as herein provided, and the damage incurred through the Contractor's default.

ARTICLE 27 - REMOVAL OF EQUIPMENT

In any case of annulment or termination of this Contract before completion from any cause whatever, Contractor, if notified to do so by County, will promptly remove any part or all of its equipment and supplies from the property of County, failing which County will have the right to remove such equipment and supplies at the expense of Contractor.

ARTICLE 28 - USE OF COMPLETED PORTIONS

County has the right to take possession of and use any completed or partially completed portions of the work, notwithstanding the time for completing the entire work or such portions may not have expired, but such taking possession and use is not an acceptance of any work not completed in accordance with the Bid documents. If such prior use increases the cost of or delays the work, Contractor will be entitled to such extra compensation, or extension of time, or both, as County may determine.

ARTICLE 29 - PAYMENTS WITHHELD

County may decline to certify payment or, because of discovered evidence or observations, may nullify the whole or any part of any certificate for payment previously issued, to such extent as may be necessary in its opinion to protect County from loss because of:

- a. Defective work not remedied.
- b. Third party claims filed or reasonable evidence indicating probable filing of such claims.
- c. Failure of Contractor to make payments properly to Subcontractors or for labor, materials, or equipment.
- d. Reasonable evidence that the work cannot be completed for the unpaid balance of the Contract sum.
- e. Damage to another Contractor.

When the above grounds are removed, payment will be made for amounts withheld because of them.

ARTICLE 30 - WARRANTY

Contractor will provide a written guarantee covering all costs for repair or replacement of defective work for a period of two (2) years (or longer if noted elsewhere in the construction documents) from substantial completion. Contractor will complete repair, or respond to County in writing with repair solution, within seventy-two (72) hours of notification by County. County may make emergency repairs to ensure life safety or to prevent property loss, without invalidating the warranty.

ARTICLE 31 - LIENS

Neither the final payment nor any part of the retained percentage will become due until Contractor delivers to County a complete release of all liens arising out of this Contract, or receipts in full or in lieu thereof, and if required in either case, an affidavit that so far as it has knowledge or information, the release and receipts include all the labor for which a lien could be filed; but Contractor may, if any subcontractor refuses to furnish a release or receipt in full, furnish a bond satisfactory to County, to indemnify County against any lien. If any lien remains unsatisfied after all payments are made, Contractor will pay to County all monies that County may be compelled to pay in discharging such a lien, including all costs and a reasonable attorney's fee.

ARTICLE 32 - RIGHTS OF VARIOUS INTERESTS

Wherever work being done by County's forces or other contractors is contiguous to work covered by this Contract the respective rights of the various interests involved will be established by the County to secure the completion of the various portions of the work in general harmony.

ARTICLE 33 - SEPARATE CONTRACTS

County reserves the right to let other contracts in connection with this work. Contractor will afford other contractors reasonable opportunity for the introduction and storage of their materials and the execution of their work, and will properly connect and coordinate its work with theirs.

If any part of Contractor's work depends upon proper execution or results of the work of any other contractor, Contractor will inspect and its report will constitute an acceptance of the other contractor's work after the execution of its work.

To insure the proper execution of its subsequent work, Contractor will measure work already in place and will at once report to County any discrepancy between the executed work and the drawings.

ARTICLE 34 - DIRECTOR'S STATUS

The DIRECTOR has general review of the work and has the authority to reject all work and materials that do not conform to the contract.

ARTICLE 35 - CLAIMS AND DISPUTES

All claims, demands, disputes, controversies, and differences that arise between the parties hereto as result of or in connection with this Contract will be referred to County in writing with a request for a formal decision in accordance with this paragraph, which County will render in writing within a reasonable time.

Written notice of each such claim, demand, dispute, controversy or difference will be delivered by Contractor to County within fifteen (15) days of the occurrence of the event giving rise thereto and written supporting data will be submitted to County within forty-five (45) days of such occurrence unless County specifies a different period of time in writing to Contractor. County will not show partiality to County or Contractor and will not be liable in connection with any interpretation or decision rendered in good faith in such capacity. The rendering of a decision by County with respect to any such claim, demand, dispute, controversy or difference will be a condition precedent to any exercise by Contractor of such rights or remedies as Contractor may otherwise have under the Bid documents or at law in respect of any such claim, demand, dispute, controversy or difference.

If either County or Contractor is dissatisfied with any decision of County and both parties agree in writing, then the dispute may be settled by arbitration in accordance with the Construction Industry Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association, and judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrator(s) will be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. All arbitration hearings must be held in Tucson, Arizona.

ARTICLE 36 - CLEANING UP

Contractor will, as directed by County, remove from County's property and from all public and private property, at its own expense, all temporary structures, rubbish, and waste materials resulting from its operation.

<u>ARTICLE 37 - FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECT</u>

(a) PURPOSE:

To provide guidelines for Contractor's practices in prevention of and protection against fire causes, property damage and losses on County Construction projects work.

(b) SCOPE:

Subject requirements will be applicable to new construction, facilities remodeling, additions, and improvements projects work conducted for Pima County. Contractor will also comply with all applicable ordinances, laws, rules, and regulations of public authority having jurisdiction for fire prevention and protection.

(c) CONTRACTOR REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Make a survey of the suitability and effectiveness of existing fire control facilities, measures and devices.
- 2. Arrange for, provide and install a sufficient number of portable fire extinguishers suitable for work operations in accordance with the requirements of the National Fire Protection Association and local agencies having jurisdiction.
- 3. Fire extinguisher and devices will be inspected, serviced and maintained in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 4. Fire Fighting and control equipment will be readily visible and unobstructed at all times; will not be made inoperative or used for other purposes.
- 5. Installation of fire protection piping and hydrants (as specified in bid documents) will be as prompt as possible so hose stream protection will be available when combustible materials arrive on site and potential fire causing operations begin.
- 6. Provide ready access for public fire department.
- 7. Provide safe temporary lighting and power services; properly insulate, ground, and substantially support strung wires; overloading of conductors and overfusing of circuits is prohibited; poor contacts and defective terminals, switches, wire and outlets will not be installed. Temporary electrical installations will be in accordance with National Electric Code and other applicable ordinances, regulations, specifications.
- 8. Bulk storage of lumber, gasoline, fuel oil, paint, solvents, gases will be kept outside of buildings under construction; one day's working supply of such items may be inside at any time. Flammable fluids will be in approved containers only; open containers are prohibited.
- 9. Only flame resistant tarpaulins or coverings will be used for protecting stored supplies and equipment.

- 10. Smoking is prohibited in all areas where flammable or combustible materials are stored and in other hazardous areas, as well as on any County-owned property. "No Smoking" signs will be posted accordingly.
- 11. Fires, welding, flame cutting, melting, and similar operations in combustible areas will not be left unattended.
- 12. Accumulations of flammable liquids on floors, walls, etc. are prohibited; spills will be cleaned up promptly.
- 13. All rags, waste, etc. soiled by combustible or flammable materials will be placed in tightly closed metal containers and disposed of daily.
- 14. Tar kettles will be located outside of and as far away as possible from building.
- 15. All portable cylinders of compressed gases will be constructed, maintained and marked in accordance with Interstate Commerce Commission regulations; will be properly secured against tipping or accidental upset, handled with care, protected against excessive heat and cold; valve protection caps will be in place when cylinders are not in use.
- 16. Welding and cutting operations will be performed only by competently proven personnel.
- 17. Construction debris will be removed from buildings and site daily. Reasonably good housekeeping will be maintained at all times.
- 18. All machines using cutting oil will have metal drip pans under them to catch oil drippings, oil turnings and shavings.
- 19. No solvent with flash point below one hundred degrees Fahrenheit (100 degree F), will be used for cleaning equipment or parts.
- 20. No smoking or open fire of any kind will be permitted in areas where spray guns are in operation.
- 21. Wood sawdust and shavings and wood rubbish will not be allowed to accumulate on project site.
- 22. Adequate precautions will be taken to protect extensive formwork and scaffolding from exposure to and spread of fire.
- 23. Moveable heating devices, when used, will have safe clearances at bottom, top, and sides from combustible materials. Use of salamanders is generally prohibited; exceptions may be granted when use is considered essential.
- 24. Regularly scheduled inspections will be made by Contractor's authorized personnel to assure compliance with these and other jurisdictional requirements. Contractor's supervisory personnel will be instructed in their duties concerning safe fire protection practices.

ARTICLE 38 - ARCHAEOLOGICAL FEATURES

Construction for this project may occur in an archaeological sensitive area. The County Office of Conservation and Sustainability Cultural Resources Division will determine prior to construction (other than emergencies) any special site monitoring requirements. Human burials, including human skeletal remains, cremations, and funerary objects are protected under A.R.S. section 41-844 on state, county,

and municipal lands, and under A.R.S. section 41-865 on private lands. Should archaeological features and/or artifacts or human remains, including human skeletal or cremation remains be discovered, work at that location will cease immediately, and the area will be taped off and avoided until archaeological investigations are completed. Construction is subject to delay in that location pursuant to applicable State law, while consultation with the Arizona State Museum and appropriate documentation and data recovery takes place. To the extent permitted by law, all archaeological artifacts and other materials will belong to Pima County. No monetary compensation will be made to Contractor for any claims due to delays in the work schedule. Only the Contract construction time will be extended to permit the original scheduled number of days for completion of the project.

ARTICLE 39 - PRODUCT AND MATERIAL DATA SAFETY SHEETS

Contractor will submit United States Department of Labor product or material data safety sheets on <u>all</u> materials used on the project. Only those forms issued by OSHA and United States Department of Labor are acceptable.

ARTICLE 40 - SECURITY CHECK

At the discretion of County, upon request by the County, contractor will provide a fully completed Pima County Adult Detention Center Cleared Corrections Visitation (CCV) Request or Pima County Superior Court- Clearance Request for Visitor, for all personnel who will be working in buildings or locations that are the property of Pima County Government, so that a background check may be run on each individual. This includes the general contractor and all sub-contractors or others working within the buildings or locations.

Contractor must submit the required forms no less than two to three weeks in advance of the starting of a job. This will give Contractor time to replace anyone who is not approved to work. Forms should be submitted to the County project manager, unless otherwise directed, who will forward it to the Pima County Sheriff's Department or Superior Court Officer for processing.

The background check is conducted by the Pima County Sheriff's Department Records Section or Superior Court Security personnel and includes any arrest, citation, contact or report under the names submitted - nationwide. The purpose of this background check is to prevent individuals who have been involved in certain criminal acts and who may increase liability for the County from having access to the County buildings or locations and personnel. Substantial work may be performed in areas that are sensitive, restricted and confidential, as well as populated.

Anyone with a background history of a class 1 felony, theft history of any kind, sex offense history, or any crime involving moral turpitude, illegal drug or narcotics use, sale or possession, or who has any felony charge pending or who has any outstanding warrants of any type, including misdemeanor, traffic or felony warrants, will be denied permission to work.

On occasion, the Sheriff's Department or Superior Court will ask that an individual call them. This usually means they have some minor problem, such as a misdemeanor or traffic warrant that the Sheriff's Department or Superior Court will make them aware of. Once the individual has taken care of it they may be approved.

Once the background check is completed, the Sheriff's Department or Superior Court will notify the County project manager to notify Contractor. If the Sheriff's Department or Superior Court denies approval for one of Contractor's employees because of the background check and the employee wishes to inquire as to why, Contractor will have them call the Sheriff's Department, who will explain why they have been denied.

By Federal law, the Sheriff's Department or Superior Court cannot release information to anyone but the individual employee.

Even though a person may have a criminal history background, that person may still receive permission to work on a County project. The deciding factors include the nature, extent, time since last incident and any other circumstances which the reviewer feels may be a liability or an asset.

<u>ARTICLE 41 - HAZARDOUS MATERIALS/ HAZARDOUS WASTES / HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES</u> ABATEMENT

Should Contractor uncover, or otherwise become aware of the presence of any Hazardous Materials, Hazardous Wastes or Hazardous Substances during the construction of this project, notice will be served immediately to the County Project Manager, and all work surrounding said materials or substances will be ceased until directed to proceed. Construction delays due to Hazardous Materials, Hazardous Wastes or Hazardous Substances abatement may occur.

If this contract does not otherwise require the services of a Hazardous Materials contractor, abatement of such materials will be provided by Pima County, at its expense and independent of this contract.

If this contract already employs the services of a Hazardous Materials contractor, the cost to abate any such additional materials will be added to the contract as Additional Services, in accordance with the provisions of Article 21, and time extensions granted in accordance with the provisions of Article 23.

ARTICLE 42 - WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITIES

Contractor will legally dispose of all construction debris in appropriate County operated waste disposal facilities and pay any applicable fees. In the case of conflicts with the provisions of the Contract Specifications, this provision applies.

ARTICLE 43 - AS-BUILT DRAWINGS

Contractor will keep an accurate record of all changes and deviations from the Project Plans and Specifications and submit to County one set of "As-Built" drawings including dimension, location of underground utilities, etc., upon completion of the work, if required by the Job Order. As-Built drawings will be drawn and submitted in such a format as prescribed by County.

ARTICLE 44 - EXISTING CONDITIONS

Contractor will, before the conditions are disturbed, give immediate (within 8 hours) verbal notice to the onsite Construction Manager or onsite County representative to be followed up by written notice within twenty-four (24) hours of initial discovery to the Construction Manager and County of subsurface or latent physical conditions at the site which differ materially from those indicated in this contract or unknown physical conditions at the site, of an unusual nature, which differ materially from those ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in work of the character provided for in the contract.

The Construction Manager, Architect or County will investigate the site conditions within twenty-four (24) hours after receiving the notice. If the conditions materially differ and cause an increase or decrease in Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performing any part of the work under this contract, whether or not changed as a result of the conditions, an adjustment will be made pursuant to Article 20 of the General Conditions, "Changes in the Work".

No request by Contractor for an adjustment to the contract under this clause will be allowed, unless Contractor has given the written notice required; provided that County may extend the time prescribed in this article for giving written notice.

No request by CONTRACTOR for an adjustment to the contract for differing site conditions will be allowed if made after final payment is made under this contract.

End of General Conditions

REQUIRED CONTRACT PROVISIONS FEDERAL-AID CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

- General
- II. Nondiscrimination
- III. Nonsegregated Facilities
- IV. Davis-Bacon and Related Act Provisions
- Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act Provisions
- VI. Subletting or Assigning the Contract
- VII. Safety: Accident Prevention
- VIII. False Statements Concerning Highway Projects
- IX. Implementation of Clean Air Act and Federal Water Pollution Control Act
- Compliance with Governmentwide Suspension and Debarment Requirements
- XI. Certification Regarding Use of Contract Funds for Lobbying

ATTACHMENTS

A. Employment and Materials Preference for Appalachian Development Highway System or Appalachian Local Access Road Contracts (included in Appalachian contracts only)

I. GENERAL

1. Form FHWA-1273 must be physically incorporated in each construction contract funded under Title 23 (excluding emergency contracts solely intended for debris removal). The contractor (or subcontractor) must insert this form in each subcontract and further require its inclusion in all lower tier subcontracts (excluding purchase orders, rental agreements and other agreements for supplies or services).

The applicable requirements of Form FHWA-1273 are incorporated by reference for work done under any purchase order, rental agreement or agreement for other services. The prime contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor, lower-tier subcontractor or service provider.

Form FHWA-1273 must be included in all Federal-aid designbuild contracts, in all subcontracts and in lower tier subcontracts (excluding subcontracts for design services, purchase orders, rental agreements and other agreements for supplies or services). The design-builder shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor, lower-tier subcontractor or service provider.

Contracting agencies may reference Form FHWA-1273 in bid proposal or request for proposal documents, however, the Form FHWA-1273 must be physically incorporated (not referenced) in all contracts, subcontracts and lower-tier subcontracts (excluding purchase orders, rental agreements and other agreements for supplies or services related to a construction contract).

Subject to the applicability criteria noted in the following sections, these contract provisions shall apply to all work performed on the contract by the contractor's own organization and with the assistance of workers under the contractor's immediate superintendence and to all work performed on the contract by piecework, station work, or by subcontract.

- 3. A breach of any of the stipulations contained in these Required Contract Provisions may be sufficient grounds for withholding of progress payments, withholding of final payment, termination of the contract, suspension / debarment or any other action determined to be appropriate by the contracting agency and FHWA.
- 4. Selection of Labor: During the performance of this contract, the contractor shall not use convict labor for any purpose within the limits of a construction project on a Federal-aid highway unless it is labor performed by convicts who are on parole, supervised release, or probation. The term Federal-aid highway does not include roadways functionally classified as local roads or rural minor collectors.

II. NONDISCRIMINATION

The provisions of this section related to 23 CFR Part 230 are applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related construction subcontracts of \$10,000 or more. The provisions of 23 CFR Part 230 are not applicable to material supply, engineering, or architectural service contracts.

In addition, the contractor and all subcontractors must comply with the following policies: Executive Order 11246, 41 CFR 60, 29 CFR 1625-1627, Title 23 USC Section 140, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 USC 794), Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and related regulations including 49 CFR Parts 21, 26 and 27; and 23 CFR Parts 200, 230, and 633.

The contractor and all subcontractors must comply with: the requirements of the Equal Opportunity Clause in 41 CFR 60-1.4(b) and, for all construction contracts exceeding \$10,000, the Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications in 41 CFR 60-4.3.

Note: The U.S. Department of Labor has exclusive authority to determine compliance with Executive Order 11246 and the policies of the Secretary of Labor including 41 CFR 60, and 29 CFR 1625-1627. The contracting agency and the FHWA have the authority and the responsibility to ensure compliance with Title 23 USC Section 140, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 USC 794), and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and related regulations including 49 CFR Parts 21, 26 and 27; and 23 CFR Parts 200, 230, and 633.

The following provision is adopted from 23 CFR 230, Appendix A, with appropriate revisions to conform to the U.S. Department of Labor (US DOL) and FHWA requirements.

1. Equal Employment Opportunity: Equal employment opportunity (EEO) requirements not to discriminate and to take affirmative action to assure equal opportunity as set forth under laws, executive orders, rules, regulations (28 CFR 35, 29 CFR 1630, 29 CFR 1625-1627, 41 CFR 60 and 49 CFR 27) and orders of the Secretary of Labor as modified by the provisions prescribed herein, and imposed pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 140 shall constitute the EEO and specific affirmative action standards for the contractor's project activities under

this contract. The provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.) set forth under 28 CFR 35 and 29 CFR 1630 are incorporated by reference in this contract. In the execution of this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with the following minimum specific requirement activities of EEO:

- a. The contractor will work with the contracting agency and the Federal Government to ensure that it has made every good faith effort to provide equal opportunity with respect to all of its terms and conditions of employment and in their review of activities under the contract.
- b. The contractor will accept as its operating policy the following statement:
- "It is the policy of this Company to assure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, religion, sex, color, national origin, age or disability. Such action shall include: 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, pre-apprenticeship, and/or on-the-iob training."
- 2. EEO Officer: The contractor will designate and make known to the contracting officers an EEO Officer who will have the responsibility for and must be capable of effectively administering and promoting an active EEO program and who must be assigned adequate authority and responsibility to do
- 3. Dissemination of Policy: All members of the contractor's staff who are authorized to hire, supervise, promote, and discharge employees, or who recommend such action, or who are substantially involved in such action, will be made fully cognizant of, and will implement, the contractor's EEO policy and contractual responsibilities to provide EEO in each grade and classification of employment. To ensure that the above agreement will be met, the following actions will be taken as a minimum:
- a. Periodic meetings of supervisory and personnel office employees will be conducted before the start of work and then not less often than once every six months, at which time the contractor's EEO policy and its implementation will be reviewed and explained. The meetings will be conducted by the EEO Officer.
- b. All new supervisory or personnel office employees will be given a thorough indoctrination by the EEO Officer, covering all major aspects of the contractor's EEO obligations within thirty days following their reporting for duty with the contractor.
- c. All personnel who are engaged in direct recruitment for the project will be instructed by the EEO Officer in the contractor's procedures for locating and hiring minorities and women.
- d. Notices and posters setting forth the contractor's EEO policy will be placed in areas readily accessible to employees, applicants for employment and potential employees.
- e. The contractor's EEO policy and the procedures to implement such policy will be brought to the attention of employees by means of meetings, employee handbooks, or other appropriate means.

- 4. Recruitment: When advertising for employees, the contractor will include in all advertisements for employees the notation: "An Equal Opportunity Employer." All such advertisements will be placed in publications having a large circulation among minorities and women in the area from which the project work force would normally be derived.
- a. The contractor will, unless precluded by a valid bargaining agreement, conduct systematic and direct recruitment through public and private employee referral sources likely to yield qualified minorities and women. To meet this requirement, the contractor will identify sources of potential minority group employees, and establish with such identified sources procedures whereby minority and women applicants may be referred to the contractor for employment consideration.
- b. In the event the contractor has a valid bargaining agreement providing for exclusive hiring hall referrals, the contractor is expected to observe the provisions of that agreement to the extent that the system meets the contractor's compliance with EEO contract provisions. Where implementation of such an agreement has the effect of discriminating against minorities or women, or obligates the contractor to do the same, such implementation violates Federal nondiscrimination provisions.
- c. The contractor will encourage its present employees to refer minorities and women as applicants for employment. Information and procedures with regard to referring such applicants will be discussed with employees.
- 5. Personnel Actions: Wages, working conditions, and employee benefits shall be established and administered, and personnel actions of every type, including hiring, upgrading, promotion, transfer, demotion, layoff, and termination, shall be taken without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability. The following procedures shall be followed:
- a. The contractor will conduct periodic inspections of project sites to insure that working conditions and employee facilities do not indicate discriminatory treatment of project site personnel
- b. The contractor will periodically evaluate the spread of wages paid within each classification to determine any evidence of discriminatory wage practices.
- c. The contractor will periodically review selected personnel actions in depth to determine whether there is evidence of discrimination. Where evidence is found, the contractor will promptly take corrective action. If the review indicates that the discrimination may extend beyond the actions reviewed, such corrective action shall include all affected persons.
- d. The contractor will promptly investigate all complaints of alleged discrimination made to the contractor in connection with its obligations under this contract, will attempt to resolve such complaints, and will take appropriate corrective action within a reasonable time. If the investigation indicates that the discrimination may affect persons other than the complainant, such corrective action shall include such other persons. Upon completion of each investigation, the contractor will inform every complainant of all of their avenues of appeal.

6. Training and Promotion:

a. The contractor will assist in locating, qualifying, and increasing the skills of minorities and women who are

applicants for employment or current employees. Such efforts should be aimed at developing full journey level status employees in the type of trade or job classification involved.

- b. Consistent with the contractor's work force requirements and as permissible under Federal and State regulations, the contractor shall make full use of training programs, i.e., apprenticeship, and on-the-job training programs for the geographical area of contract performance. In the event a special provision for training is provided under this contract, this subparagraph will be superseded as indicated in the special provision. The contracting agency may reserve training positions for persons who receive welfare assistance in accordance with 23 U.S.C. 140(a).
- c. The contractor will advise employees and applicants for employment of available training programs and entrance requirements for each.
- d. The contractor will periodically review the training and promotion potential of employees who are minorities and women and will encourage eligible employees to apply for such training and promotion.
- 7. Unions: If the contractor relies in whole or in part upon unions as a source of employees, the contractor will use good faith efforts to obtain the cooperation of such unions to increase opportunities for minorities and women. Actions by the contractor, either directly or through a contractor's association acting as agent, will include the procedures set forth below:
- a. The contractor will use good faith efforts to develop, in cooperation with the unions, joint training programs aimed toward qualifying more minorities and women for membership in the unions and increasing the skills of minorities and women so that they may qualify for higher paying employment.
- b. The contractor will use good faith efforts to incorporate an EEO clause into each union agreement to the end that such union will be contractually bound to refer applicants without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability.
- c. The contractor is to obtain information as to the referral practices and policies of the labor union except that to the extent such information is within the exclusive possession of the labor union and such labor union refuses to furnish such information to the contractor, the contractor shall so certify to the contracting agency and shall set forth what efforts have been made to obtain such information.
- d. In the event the union is unable to provide the contractor with a reasonable flow of referrals within the time limit set forth in the collective bargaining agreement, the contractor will, through independent recruitment efforts, fill the employment vacancies without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability; making full efforts to obtain qualified and/or qualifiable minorities and women. The failure of a union to provide sufficient referrals (even though it is obligated to provide exclusive referrals under the terms of a collective bargaining agreement) does not relieve the contractor from the requirements of this paragraph. In the event the union referral practice prevents the contractor from meeting the obligations pursuant to Executive Order 11246, as amended, and these special provisions, such contractor shall immediately notify the contracting agency.
- 8. Reasonable Accommodation for Applicants / Employees with Disabilities: The contractor must be familiar

with the requirements for and comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act and all rules and regulations established there under. Employers must provide reasonable accommodation in all employment activities unless to do so would cause an undue hardship.

- 9. Selection of Subcontractors, Procurement of Materials and Leasing of Equipment: The contractor shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall take all necessary and reasonable steps to ensure nondiscrimination in the administration of this contract.
- The contractor shall notify all potential subcontractors and suppliers and lessors of their EEO obligations under this contract.
- b. The contractor will use good faith efforts to ensure subcontractor compliance with their EEO obligations.

10. Assurance Required by 49 CFR 26.13(b):

- a. The requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 and the State DOT's U.S. DOT-approved DBE program are incorporated by reference.
- b. The contractor or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the contracting agency deems appropriate.
- 11. Records and Reports: The contractor shall keep such records as necessary to document compliance with the EEO requirements. Such records shall be retained for a period of three years following the date of the final payment to the contractor for all contract work and shall be available at reasonable times and places for inspection by authorized representatives of the contracting agency and the FHWA.
- a. The records kept by the contractor shall document the following:
- (1) The number and work hours of minority and nonminority group members and women employed in each work classification on the project;
 - (2) The progress and efforts being made in cooperation with unions, when applicable, to increase employment opportunities for minorities and women; and
 - (3) The progress and efforts being made in locating, hiring, training, qualifying, and upgrading minorities and women;
- b. The contractors and subcontractors will submit an annual report to the contracting agency each July for the duration of the project, indicating the number of minority, women, and non-minority group employees currently engaged in each work classification required by the contract work. This information is to be reported on FORM FHWA-1391. The staffing data should represent the project work force on board in all or any part of the last payroll period preceding the end of July. If on-the-job training is being required by special provision, the contractor

will be required to collect and report training data. The employment data should reflect the work force on board during all or any part of the last payroll period preceding the end of July.

III. NONSEGREGATED FACILITIES

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related construction subcontracts of \$10,000 or more.

The contractor must ensure that facilities provided for employees are provided in such a manner that segregation on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin cannot result. The contractor may neither require such segregated use by written or oral policies nor tolerate such use by employee custom. The contractor's obligation extends further to ensure that its employees are not assigned to perform their services at any location, under the contractor's control, where the facilities are segregated. The term "facilities" includes waiting rooms, work areas, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, restrooms, washrooms, locker rooms, and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation, and housing provided for employees. The contractor shall provide separate or single-user restrooms and necessary dressing or sleeping areas to assure privacy between sexes.

IV. DAVIS-BACON AND RELATED ACT PROVISIONS

This section is applicable to all Federal-aid construction projects exceeding \$2,000 and to all related subcontracts and lower-tier subcontracts (regardless of subcontract size). The requirements apply to all projects located within the right-of-way of a roadway that is functionally classified as Federal-aid highway. This excludes roadways functionally classified as local roads or rural minor collectors, which are exempt. Contracting agencies may elect to apply these requirements to other projects.

The following provisions are from the U.S. Department of Labor regulations in 29 CFR 5.5 "Contract provisions and related matters" with minor revisions to conform to the FHWA-1273 format and FHWA program requirements.

1. Minimum wages

a. 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.d. 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 wade 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.b. of this section) and the Davis-Bacon poster (WH-1321) shall be posted at all times by the contractor and its subconfractors at the site of the work in a prominent and accessible place where it can be easily seen by the workers.

- b.(1) 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 an additional classification and wage rate and fringe benefits therefore only when the following criteria have been met:
 - (i) The work to be performed by the classification requested is not performed by a classification in the wage determination; and
 - (ii) The classification is utilized in the area by the construction industry; and
 - (iii) The proposed wage rate, including any bona fide fringe benefits, bears a reasonable relationship to the wage rates contained in the wage determination.
 - (2) 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), a report of the action taken 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. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will approve, modify, or disapprove every additional classification action 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.
- (3) 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 questions, including the views of all interested parties and the recommendation of the contracting officer, to the Wage and Hour Administrator for determination. The Wage and Hour Administrator, or an authorized representative, will issue a determination 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.

- (4) The wage rate (including fringe benefits where appropriate) determined pursuant to paragraphs 1.b.(2) or 1.b.(3) 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.
- c. 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.
- d. 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 assets for the meeting of obligations under the plan or program.

2. Withholding

The contracting agency 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 the contractor under this contract, or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federallyassisted 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 contracting agency may, after written notice to the contractor, 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

a. 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.

- b.(1) The contractor shall submit weekly for each week in which any contract work is performed a copy of all payrolls to the contracting agency. 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 http://www.dol.gov/esa/whd/forms/wh347instr.htm 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 contracting agency for transmission to the State DOT, the FHWA 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 contracting agency...
- (2) 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:
 - (i) That the payroll for the payroll period contains the information required to be provided under §5.5 (a)(3)(ii) of Regulations, 29 CFR part 5, the appropriate information is being maintained under §5.5 (a)(3)(i) of Regulations, 29 CFR part 5, and that such information is correct and complete:
 - (ii) 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;
 - (iii) 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.

- (3) 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.b.(2) of this section
- (4) 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.
- c. The contractor or subcontractor shall make the records required under paragraph 3.a. of this section available for inspection, copying, or transcription by authorized representatives of the contracting agency, the State DOT, the FHWA, 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 FHWA may, after written notice to the contractor, the contracting agency or the State DOT, 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

a. Apprentices (programs of the USDOL).

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.

b. Trainees (programs of the USDOL).

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.

c. 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.

d. Apprentices and Trainees (programs of the U.S. DOT).

Apprentices and trainees working under apprenticeship and skill training programs which have been certified by the Secretary of Transportation as promoting EEO in connection with Federal-aid highway construction programs are not subject to the requirements of paragraph 4 of this Section IV. The straight time hourly wage rates for apprentices and trainees under such programs will be established by the particular programs. The ratio of apprentices and trainees to journeymen shall not be greater than permitted by the terms of the particular program.

- 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 Form FHWA-1273 in any subcontracts and also require the subcontractors to include Form FHWA-1273 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 contracting agency, the U.S. Department of Labor, or the employees or their representatives.

10. Certification of eligibility.

- a. 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).
- b. 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).
- c. The penalty for making false statements is prescribed in the U.S. Criminal Code, 18 U.S.C. 1001.

V. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT

The following clauses apply to any Federal-aid construction contract in an amount in excess of \$100,000 and subject to the overtime provisions of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act. These clauses shall be inserted in addition to the clauses required by 29 CFR 5.5(a) or 29 CFR 4.6. As used in this paragraph, the terms laborers and mechanics include watchmen and quards.

- 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 \$10 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 FHWA or the contacting agency 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 moneys 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.
- **4. Subcontracts.** The contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in paragraph (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.

VI. SUBLETTING OR ASSIGNING THE CONTRACT

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts on the National Highway System.

- 1. The contractor shall perform with its own organization contract work amounting to not less than 30 percent (or a greater percentage if specified elsewhere in the contract) of the total original contract price, excluding any specialty items designated by the contracting agency. Specialty items may be performed by subcontract and the amount of any such specialty items performed may be deducted from the total original contract price before computing the amount of work required to be performed by the contractor's own organization (23 CFR 635.116).
- a. The term "perform work with its own organization" refers to workers employed or leased by the prime contractor, and equipment owned or rented by the prime contractor, with or without operators. Such term does not include employees or equipment of a subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor, agents of the prime contractor, or any other assignees. The term may include payments for the costs of hiring leased employees from an employee leasing firm meeting all relevant Federal and State regulatory requirements. Leased employees may only be included in this term if the prime contractor meets all of the following conditions:
- (1) the prime contractor maintains control over the supervision of the day-to-day activities of the leased employees:
 - (2) the prime contractor remains responsible for the quality of the work of the leased employees;
- (3) the prime contractor retains all power to accept or exclude individual employees from work on the project; and
- (4) the prime contractor remains ultimately responsible for the payment of predetermined minimum wages, the submission of payrolls, statements of compliance and all other Federal regulatory requirements.
- b. "Specialty Items" shall be construed to be limited to work that requires highly specialized knowledge, abilities, or equipment not ordinarily available in the type of contracting organizations qualified and expected to bid or propose on the contract as a whole and in general are to be limited to minor components of the overall contract.
- 2. The contract amount upon which the requirements set forth in paragraph (1) of Section VI is computed includes the cost of material and manufactured products which are to be purchased or produced by the contractor under the contract provisions.
- 3. The contractor shall furnish (a) a competent superintendent or supervisor who is employed by the firm, has full authority to direct performance of the work in accordance with the contract requirements, and is in charge of all construction operations (regardless of who performs the work) and (b) such other of its own organizational resources (supervision, management, and engineering services) as the contracting officer determines is necessary to assure the performance of the contract.
- 4. No portion of the contract shall be sublet, assigned or otherwise disposed of except with the written consent of the contracting officer, or authorized representative, and such consent when given shall not be construed to relieve the contractor of any responsibility for the fulfillment of the contract. Written consent will be given only after the contracting agency has assured that each subcontract is

evidenced in writing and that it contains all pertinent provisions and requirements of the prime contract.

5. The 30% self-performance requirement of paragraph (1) is not applicable to design-build contracts; however, contracting agencies may establish their own self-performance requirements.

VII. SAFETY: ACCIDENT PREVENTION

- This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts.
- 1. In the performance of this contract the contractor shall comply with all applicable Federal, State, and local laws governing safety, health, and sanitation (23 CFR 635). The contractor shall provide all safeguards, safety devices and protective equipment and take any other needed actions as it determines, or as the contracting officer may determine, to be reasonably necessary to protect the life and health of employees on the job and the safety of the public and to protect property in connection with the performance of the work covered by the contract.
- 2. It is a condition of this contract, and shall be made a condition of each subcontract, which the contractor enters into pursuant to this contract, that the contractor and any subcontractor shall not permit any employee, in performance of the contract, to work in surroundings or under conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous to his/her health or safety, as determined under construction safety and health standards (29 CFR 1926) promulgated by the Secretary of Labor, in accordance with Section 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3704).
- 3. Pursuant to 29 CFR 1926.3, it is a condition of this contract that the Secretary of Labor or authorized representative thereof, shall have right of entry to any site of contract performance to inspect or investigate the matter of compliance with the construction safety and health standards and to carry out the duties of the Secretary under Section 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C.3704).

VIII. FALSE STATEMENTS CONCERNING HIGHWAY PROJECTS

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts.

In order to assure high quality and durable construction in conformity with approved plans and specifications and a high degree of reliability on statements and representations made by engineers, contractors, suppliers, and workers on Federal-aid highway projects, it is essential that all persons concerned with the project perform their functions as carefully, thoroughly, and honestly as possible. Willful falsification, distortion, or misrepresentation with respect to any facts related to the project is a violation of Federal law. To prevent any misunderstanding regarding the seriousness of these and similar acts, Form FHWA-1022 shall be posted on each Federal-aid highway project (23 CFR 635) in one or more places where it is readily available to all persons concerned with the project:

18 U.S.C. 1020 reads as follows:

"Whoever, being an officer, agent, or employee of the United States, or of any State or Territory, or whoever, whether a person, association, firm, or corporation, knowingly makes any false statement, false representation, or false report as to the character, quality, quantity, or cost of the material used or to be used, or the quantity or quality of the work performed or to be performed, or the cost thereof in connection with the submission of plans, maps, specifications, contracts, or costs of construction on any highway or related project submitted for approval to the Secretary of Transportation; or

Whoever knowingly makes any false statement, false representation, false report or false claim with respect to the character, quality, quantity, or cost of any work performed or to be performed, or materials furnished or to be furnished, in connection with the construction of any highway or related project approved by the Secretary of Transportation; or

Whoever knowingly makes any false statement or false representation as to material fact in any statement, certificate, or report submitted pursuant to provisions of the Federal-aid Roads Act approved July 1, 1916, (39 Stat. 355), as amended and supplemented:

Shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than 5 years or both."

IX. IMPLEMENTATION OF CLEAN AIR ACT AND FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts.

By submission of this bid/proposal or the execution of this contract, or subcontract, as appropriate, the bidder, proposer, Federal-aid construction contractor, or subcontractor, as appropriate, will be deemed to have stipulated as follows:

- 1. That any person who is or will be utilized in the performance of this contract is not prohibited from receiving an award due to a violation of Section 508 of the Clean Water Act or Section 306 of the Clean Air Act.
- 2. That the contractor agrees to include or cause to be included the requirements of paragraph (1) of this Section X in every subcontract, and further agrees to take such action as the contracting agency may direct as a means of enforcing such requirements.

X. CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts, design-build contracts, subcontracts, lower-tier subcontracts, purchase orders, lease agreements, consultant contracts or any other covered transaction requiring FHWA approval or that is estimated to cost \$25,000 or more — as defined in 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200.

1. Instructions for Certification – First Tier Participants:

- a. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective first tier participant is providing the certification set out below.
- b. The inability of a person to provide the certification set out below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this

covered transaction. The prospective first tier participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification set out below. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the department or agency's determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective first tier participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such a person from participation in this transaction.

- c. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when the contracting agency determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the contracting agency may terminate this transaction for cause of default.
- d. The prospective first tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the contracting agency to whom this proposal is submitted if any time the prospective first tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- e. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred,"
 "suspended," "ineligible," "participant," "person," "principal,"
 and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, are defined
 in 2 CFR Parts 180 and 1200. "First Tier Covered
 Transactions" refers to any covered transaction between a
 grantee or subgrantee of Federal funds and a participant (such
 as the prime or general contract). "Lower Tier Covered
 Transactions" refers to any covered transaction under a First
 Tier Covered Transaction (such as subcontracts). "First Tier
 Participant" refers to the participant who has entered into a
 covered transaction with a grantee or subgrantee of Federal
 funds (such as the prime or general contractor). "Lower Tier
 Participant" refers any participant who has entered into a
 covered transaction with a First Tier Participant or other Lower
 Tier Participants (such as subcontractors and suppliers).
- f. The prospective first tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency entering into this transaction.
- g. The prospective first tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transactions," provided by the department or contracting agency, entering into this covered transaction, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions exceeding the \$25,000 threshold.
- h. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant is responsible for ensuring that its principals are not suspended, debarred, or otherwise ineligible to participate in covered transactions. To verify the eligibility of its principals, as well as the eligibility of any lower tier prospective participants, each participant may, but is not required to, check the Excluded Parties List System website (https://www.epls.gov/), which is compiled by the General Services Administration.

- i. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require the establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of the prospective participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- j. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph (f) of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause or default.

2. Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion – First Tier Participants:

- a. The prospective first tier participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
- (1) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participating in covered transactions by any Federal department or agency:
- (2) Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
- (3) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (a)(2) of this certification; and
- (4) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- b. Where the prospective participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
- 2. Instructions for Certification Lower Tier Participants:

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

- a. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier is providing the certification set out below.
- b. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department, or agency with which

this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

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

department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or department

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Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion--Lower Tier Participants:

- 1. The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participating in covered transactions by any Federal department or agency.
- 2. Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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XI. CERTIFICATION REGARDING USE OF CONTRACT FUNDS FOR LOBBYING

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid construction contracts and to all related subcontracts which exceed \$100,000 (49 CFR 20).

- 1. The prospective participant certifies, by signing and submitting this bid or proposal, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:
- a. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- b. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- 2. 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 31 U.S.C. 1352. 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.
- 3. The prospective participant also agrees by submitting its bid or proposal that the participant shall require that the language of this certification be included in all lower tier subcontracts, which exceed \$100,000 and that all such recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

ATTACHMENT A - EMPLOYMENT AND MATERIALS PREFERENCE FOR APPALACHIAN DEVELOPMENT HIGHWAY SYSTEM OR APPALACHIAN LOCAL ACCESS ROAD CONTRACTS

This provision is applicable to all Federal-aid projects funded under the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965.

- 1. During the performance of this contract, the contractor undertaking to do work which is, or reasonably may be, done as on-site work, shall give preference to qualified persons who regularly reside in the labor area as designated by the DOL wherein the contract work is situated, or the subregion, or the Appalachian counties of the State wherein the contract work is situated, except:
- a. To the extent that qualified persons regularly residing in the area are not available.
- b. For the reasonable needs of the contractor to employ supervisory or specially experienced personnel necessary to assure an efficient execution of the contract work.
- c. For the obligation of the contractor to offer employment to present or former employees as the result of a lawful collective bargaining contract, provided that the number of nonresident persons employed under this subparagraph (1c) shall not exceed 20 percent of the total number of employees employed by the contractor on the contract work, except as provided in subparagraph (4) below.
- 2. The contractor shall place a job order with the State Employment Service indicating (a) the classifications of the laborers, mechanics and other employees required to perform the contract work, (b) the number of employees required in each classification, (c) the date on which the participant estimates such employees will be required, and (d) any other pertinent information required by the State Employment Service to complete the job order form. The job order may be placed with the State Employment Service in writing or by telephone. If during the course of the contract work, the information submitted by the contractor in the original job order is substantially modified, the participant shall promptly notify the State Employment Service.
- 3. The contractor shall give full consideration to all qualified job applicants referred to him by the State Employment Service. The contractor is not required to grant employment to any job applicants who, in his opinion, are not qualified to perform the classification of work required.
- 4. If, within one week following the placing of a job order by the contractor with the State Employment Service, the State Employment Service is unable to refer any qualified job applicants to the contractor, or less than the number requested, the State Employment Service will forward a certificate to the contractor indicating the unavailability of applicants. Such certificate shall be made a part of the contractor's permanent project records. Upon receipt of this certificate, the contractor may employ persons who do not normally reside in the labor area to fill positions covered by the certificate, notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph (1c) above.
- 5. The provisions of 23 CFR 633.207(e) allow the contracting agency to provide a contractual preference for the use of mineral resource materials native to the Appalachian region.

6. The contractor shall include the provisions of Sections 1 through 4 of this Attachment A in every subcontract for work which is, or reasonably may be, done as on-site work.

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES:

1.0 Policy:

The Arizona Department of Transportation (hereinafter the Department) has established a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program in accordance with the regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT), 49 CFR Part 26. The Department has received Federal financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation and as a condition of receiving this assistance, the Department has signed an assurance that it will comply with 49 CFR Part 26.

It is the policy of the Department to ensure that DBEs, as defined in Part 26, have an equal opportunity to receive and participate in USDOT-assisted contracts. It is also the policy of the Department:

- 1. To ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of USDOT-assisted contracts;
- 2. To create a level playing field on which DBEs can compete fairly for USDOT-assisted contracts;
- 3. To ensure that the DBE program is narrowly tailored in accordance with applicable law;
- 4. To ensure that only firms that fully meet 49 CFR Part 26 eligibility standards are counted as DBEs;
- 5. To help remove barriers to the participation of DBEs in USDOT-assisted contracts; and
- 6. To assist in the development of firms that can compete successfully in the market place outside the DBE program.

2.0 Assurances of Non-Discrimination:

The contractor, subrecipient, or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex or national origin in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of contracts. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the state deems appropriate. The contractor, subrecipient, or subcontractor shall ensure that all subcontract agreements contain this non-discrimination assurance.

3.0 Definitions:

- (A) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE): a for-profit small business concern which meets both of the following requirements:
 - (1) Is at least 51 percent owned by one or more socially and economically disadvantaged individuals or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock is owned by one or more such individuals; and,
 - (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more of the socially and economically disadvantaged individuals who own it.
- (B) Socially and Economically Disadvantaged Individuals: any individual who is a citizen (or lawfully admitted permanent resident) of the United States and who is:
 - (1) Any individual who is found to be a socially and economically disadvantaged individual on a case-by-case basis.
 - (2) Any individual in the following groups, members of which are rebuttably presumed to be socially and economically disadvantaged:
 - (i) "Black Americans," which includes persons having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa;
 - (ii) "Hispanic Americans," which includes persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish or Portuguese culture or origin, regardless of race:
 - (iii) "Native Americans," which includes persons who are American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians:
 - (iv) "Asian-Pacific Americans," which includes persons whose origins are from Japan, China, Taiwan, Korea, Burma (Myanmar), Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, the Philippines, Brunei, Samoa, Guam, the U.S. Trust Territories of the Pacific Islands (Republic of Palau), the Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas Islands.

Macao, Fiji, Tonga, Kiribati, Tuvalu, Nauru, Federated States of Micronesia, or Hong Kong:

- (v) "Subcontinent Asian Americans," which includes persons whose origins are from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, the Maldives Islands, Nepal or Sri Lanka; (vi) "Women;"
- (vii) Any additional groups whose members are designated as socially and economically disadvantaged by the Small Business Administration (SBA), at such time as the SBA designation becomes effective.
- **(C) Joint Venture:** an association of a DBE firm and one or more other firms to carry out a single, for-profit business enterprise, for which parties combine their property, capital, efforts, skills and knowledge, and in which the DBE is responsible for a distinct, clearly defined portion of the work of the contract and whose share in the

capital contribution, control, management, risks, and profits of the joint venture are commensurate with its ownership interest.

- (D) Non-DBE: any firm that is not a DBE.
- **(E) RACE-CONSCIOUS**: a measure or program is one that is focused specifically on assisting only DBEs, including women-owned DBEs.
- **(F) RACE-NEUTRAL**: a measure or program is one that is, or can be, used to assist all small businesses. For the purposes of this part, race-neutral includes gender-neutrality.

4.0 Working with DBEs:

The Department works with DBEs and assists them in their efforts to participate in the highway construction program. All bidders should contact the Business Engagement and Compliance Office at the address shown below for assistance in their efforts to use DBEs in the construction program of the Department:

Arizona Department of Transportation Business Engagement and Compliance Office 1135 N. 22nd Avenue (second floor), Mail Drop 154A Phoenix, AZ 85009 Phone (602) 712-7761 FAX (602) 712-8429

5.0 Applicability:

The Department has established an overall annual goal for DBE participation on Federal-aid contracts. The Department intends for the goal to be met with a combination of race conscious efforts and race neutral efforts. Race conscious participation occurs where the contractor uses a percentage of DBEs, as defined herein, to meet the contract-specified goal. Race neutral efforts are those that are, or can be, used to assist all small businesses or increase opportunities for all small businesses. The regulation, 49 CFR 26, defines race neutral as when a DBE wins a prime contract, is awarded a subcontract on a project without DBE goals, and is awarded a subcontract from a prime contractor that did not consider the firm's DBE status.

The contractor shall meet the goal specified herein with DBEs, or establish that it was unable to meet the goal despite making good faith efforts to do so. Prime contractors are encouraged to obtain DBE participation above and beyond any goals that may be set for this project.

The provisions are applicable to all bidders including DBE bidders.

6.0 Certification:

Certification as a DBE shall be predicated on:

(1) The completion and execution of an application for certification as a "Disadvantaged Business Enterprise".

- (2) The submission of documents pertaining to the firm(s) as stated in the application(s), including but not limited to a statement of social disadvantage and a personal financial statement.
- (3) The submission of any additional information which the Department may require to determine the firm's eligibility to participate in the DBE program.
- (4) The information obtained during the on-site visits to the offices of the firm and to active job-sites.

Applications for certification may be filed with the Department at any time. Both hardcopy submission and online submission is available.

For hardcopy submissions, applications for certification are available at the Department's Business Engagement and Compliance Office, 1135 N. 22nd Avenue (second floor), mail drop 154A, Phoenix, Arizona 85009, phone (602) 712-7761. Hardcopy applications may also be obtained through the internet at www.azdbe.org. Hardcopy applications must be filed through the Business Engagement and Compliance Office at the above address.

For online submissions, the online application process may be accessed through the internet at www.azdbe.org.

DBE firms and firms seeking DBE certification shall cooperate fully with requests for information relevant to the certification process. Failure or refusal to provide such information is a ground for denial or removal of certification.

Arizona is a member of the AZ Unified Certification Program (AZUCP). Only DBE firms that are certified by the AZUCP are eligible for credit on ADOT projects. A list of DBE firms certified by AZUCP is available on the internet at www.azdbe.org. The list will indicate contact information and specialty for each DBE firm, and may be sorted in a variety of ways. However, ADOT does not guarantee the accuracy and/or completeness of this information, nor does ADOT represent that any licenses or registrations are appropriate for the work to be done.

The Department's certification is not a representation of qualifications and/or abilities. The contractor bears all risks that the firm may not be able to perform its work for any reason.

7.0 General:

Each contractor shall establish a program that will ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of contracts and subcontracts.

Each contractor shall also designate a full time employee who shall be responsible for the administration of the contractor's DBE program.

Agreements between the bidder and a DBE in which the DBE promises not to provide subcontracting quotations to other bidders are prohibited.

8.0 DBE Subcontractor Payment Reporting:

The Department is required to collect data on DBE and non-DBE participation to report to FHWA on Federal-aid projects. The contractor is notified that such record keeping is required by the Department for tracking DBE participation.

The contractor shall submit a report on a monthly basis indicating the amounts earned by and paid to all DBEs and non-DBEs working on the project. In addition, the contractor shall require that all DBE and non-DBE subcontractors verify receipt of payment.

The contractor shall provide all such required information for the current month by the 5th of the following month. The required information shall be submitted electronically through the Department's web-based payment tracking system (https://adot.dbesystem.com).

9.0 Goals:

The minimum goal for participation by DBEs on this project is as follows:

10.25 Percent

The percentage of DBE participation shall be based on the total bid.

10.0 Crediting DBE Participation Toward Meeting Goals:

10.01 General Requirements:

Only the value of the work actually performed by the DBE can be credited toward DBE participation. Credit towards the contractor's DBE goal is given only after the DBE has been paid for the work performed.

The contractor bears the responsibility to determine whether the DBE possesses the proper contractor's license(s) to perform the work. If a DBE cannot complete its work due to failure to obtain or maintain its licensing, the contractor bears the responsibility to immediately request approval to replace the DBE with another DBE and notify the Engineer and the Business Engagement and Compliance Office.

The Department's certification is not a representation of qualifications and/or abilities. The contractor bears all risks that the DBE may not be able to perform its work for any reason.

A DBE may participate as a prime contractor, subcontractor, joint venture partner with either a prime contractor or a subcontractor, or as a vendor of materials or supplies. A DBE joint venture partner shall be responsible for a clearly defined portion of the work to be performed, in addition to meeting the requirements for ownership and control

The dollar amount of work to be accomplished by DBEs, including partial amount of a lump sum or other similar item, shall be on the basis of subcontract, purchase order, hourly rate, rate per ton, etc., as agreed to between parties.

With the exception of bond premiums, all work must be attributed to specific bid items. Where work applies to several items, the DBE contracting arrangement must specify unit price and amount attributable to each bid item. DBE credit for any individual item of work performed by the DBE shall be the lesser of the amount to be paid to the DBE or the prime contractor's bid price. If the amount bid by the DBE on any item exceeds the prime contractor's bid amount, the prime contractor may not obtain credit by attributing the excess to other items.

Where more than one DBE is engaged to perform parts of an item (for example, supply and installation), the total amount payable to the DBEs will not be considered in excess of the prime contractor's bid amount for that item.

Bond premiums may be stated separately, so long as the arrangement between the prime contractor and the DBE provides for separate payment not to exceed the price charged by the bonding company.

DBE credit may be obtained only for specific work done for the project, supply of equipment specifically for physical work on the project, or supply of materials to be incorporated in the work. DBE credit will not be allowed for costs such as overhead items, capital expenditures (for example, purchase of equipment), and office items.

If a DBE performs part of an item (for example, installation of materials purchased by a Non-DBE), the DBE credit shall not exceed the lesser of (1) the DBE's contract or (2) the prime contractor's bid for the item, less a reasonable deduction for the portion performed by the Non-DBE. When a DBE performs as a partner in a joint venture, only that portion of the total dollar value of the contract which is clearly and distinctly performed by the DBE's own forces can be credited toward the DBE goal.

The contractor may credit second-tier subcontracts issued to DBEs by non-DBE subcontractors. Any second-tier subcontract to a DBE used to meet the goal must meet the requirements of a first-tier DBE subcontract.

All DBE and non-DBE subcontracting activity must be reported by the contractor and counted toward participation. This includes lower-tier subcontracting regardless of whether or not the DBE is under contract with another DBE.

DBE prime contractors must meet the DBE participation goal or demonstrate good faith efforts. This is determined by counting the work the DBE has committed to performing with its own forces, as well as the work that it has committed to be performed by DBE subcontractors and DBE suppliers.

A prime contractor may credit the entire amount of that portion of a construction contract that is performed by the DBE's own forces. The cost of supplies and materials obtained by the DBE for the work of the contract can be included so long as that cost is reasonable. Leased equipment may also be included. No credit is permitted for supplies purchased or equipment leased from the prime contractor or its affiliate(s).

When a DBE subcontracts a part of the work of its contract to another firm, the value of the subcontract may be credited towards the DBE goal only if the DBE's subcontractor is itself a DBE and performs the work with its own forces. Work that a DBE subcontracts to a non-DBE firm does not count toward a DBE goal.

A prime contractor may credit the entire amount of fees or commissions charged by a DBE firm for providing a bona fide service, such as professional, technical, consultant, or managerial services, or for providing bonds or insurance specifically required for the performance of a USDOT-assisted contract, provided the fees are reasonable and not excessive as compared with fees customarily allowed for similar services.

10.02 Police Officers:

DBE credit will not be permitted for procuring DPS officers. For projects on which officers from other agencies are supplied, DBE credit will be given only for the broker fees charged, and will not include amounts paid to the officers. The broker fees must be reasonable.

10.03 Commercially Useful Function:

As a prime contractor, a DBE shall perform a significant portion of the contract work with its own work force in accordance with normal industry practices and Subsection 108.01 - Subletting of Contract of the Standard Specifications.

A prime contractor can credit expenditures to a DBE subcontractor toward DBE goals only if the DBE performs a commercially useful function on the contract. A DBE performs a commercially useful function when it is responsible for execution of the work of a contract and is carrying out its responsibilities by actually performing, managing, and supervising the work involved. To perform a commercially useful function, the DBE must also be responsible, with respect to materials and supplies on the contract, for negotiating price, determining quality and quantity, ordering the material, and installing (where applicable) and paying for the material itself. To determine whether a DBE is performing a commercially useful function, the Department will evaluate the amount of work subcontracted, industry practices, whether the amount the firm is to be paid under the contract is commensurate with the work it is actually performing and the DBE credit claimed for its performance of the work, and other relevant factors.

A DBE will not be considered to perform a commercially useful function if its role is limited to that of an extra participant in a transaction, contract, or project through which funds are passed in order to obtain the appearance of DBE participation. In determining whether a DBE is such an extra participant, the Department will examine similar transactions, particularly those in which DBEs do not participate.

If a DBE does not perform or exercise responsibility for at least 30 percent of the total cost of its contract with its own work force, or if the DBE subcontracts a greater portion of the work of a contract than would be expected on the basis of normal industry practice for the type of work involved, the Department will presume that the DBE is not performing a commercially useful function.

When a DBE is presumed not to be performing a commercially useful function as provided above, the DBE may present evidence to rebut this presumption. Decisions on commercially useful function matters are subject to review by FHWA, but are not administratively appealable to U.S. DOT.

10.04 Trucking:

The Department will use the following factors in determining whether a DBE trucking company is performing a commercially useful function. The DBE must be responsible for the management and supervision of the entire trucking operation for which it is responsible on a particular contract, and there cannot be a contrived arrangement for the purpose of meeting DBE goals.

The DBE must itself own and operate at least one fully licensed, insured, and operational truck used on the contract on every day that credit is to be given for trucking.

The contractor will receive credit for the total value of transportation services provided by the DBE using trucks it owns, insures and operates, and using drivers it employs.

The DBE may lease trucks from another DBE firm, including an owner-operator who is certified as a DBE. The DBE who leases trucks from another DBE receives credit for the total value of the transportation services. The DBE may also lease trucks from a non-DBE firm, including an owner-operator. The DBE who leases trucks from a non-DBE is entitled to credit for the total value of the transportation services provided by non-DBE lessees not to exceed the value of transportation services provided by DBE-owned trucks on the contract. Additional participation by non-DBE lessees results in credit only for the fee or commission paid to the DBE as a result of the lease agreement.

Example: DBE Firm X uses two of its own trucks on contract. It leases two trucks from DBE Firm Y and six trucks from non-DBE firm Z. DBE credit would only be awarded for the total value of transportation services provided by Firm X and Firm Y, and may also be awarded for the total value of transportation services provided by four of the six trucks provided by Firm Z. In all, full credit would be allowed for the participation of eight trucks. With respect to the other two trucks provided by Firm Z, DBE credit could be awarded only for the fees or commissions pertaining to those trucks Firm X receives as a result of the lease with Firm Z.

10.05 Materials and Supplies:

The Department will credit expenditures with DBEs for material and supplies towards the DBE goal as follows. If the materials or supplies are obtained from a DBE manufacturer, 100 percent of the cost of the materials or supplies is credited. A manufacturer is defined as 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.

If the materials or supplies are purchased from a DBE regular dealer, 60 percent of the cost of the materials or supplies is credited. A DBE regular dealer is defined as a firm that owns, operates, or maintains a store or 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. To be a regular dealer, the firm must be an established, regular business that engages, as its principal business and under its own name, in the purchase and sale or lease of the products in question. A firm may be a DBE regular dealer in such bulk items as petroleum products, steel, cement, stone or asphalt without owning, operating, or maintaining a place of business, as provided above, if the person both owns and operates distribution equipment for the products. Any supplementing of regular dealers' own distribution equipment shall be by a long-term lease agreement, and not on an ad-hoc or contract-by-contract basis. Packagers, brokers, manufacturers' representatives, or other persons who arrange or expedite transactions are not regular dealers within the meaning of this paragraph and the paragraph above.

With respect to materials or supplies purchased from a DBE which is neither a manufacturer nor a regular dealer, the Department will credit the entire amount of the fees or commissions charged by the DBE for assistance in the procurement of the materials and supplies, or fees or transportation charges for the delivery of materials or supplies required on a job site, toward DBE goals, provided the fees are determined to be reasonable and not excessive as compared with fees customarily allowed for similar services. The cost of the materials and supplies themselves may not be counted toward the DBE goal.

DBE credit for supplying paving grade asphalt and other asphalt products will only be permitted for standard industry hauling costs, and only if the DBE is owner or lessee of the equipment and trucks. Leases for trucks must be long term (extending for a fixed time period and not related to time for contract performance) and must include all attendant responsibilities such as insurance, titling, hazardous waste requirements, and payment of drivers.

11.0 Joint Checks:

11.01 Requirements:

A DBE subcontractor and a material supplier (or equipment supplier) may request permission for the use of joint checks for payments from the prime contractor to the DBE subcontractor and the supplier. Joint checks may be issued only if all the conditions in this subsection are met.

- 1. The DBE subcontractor must be independent from the prime contractor and the supplier, and must perform a commercially useful function. The DBE subcontractor must be responsible for negotiating the price of the material, determining quality and quantity, ordering the materials, installing (where applicable), and paying for the material. The DBE subcontractor may not be utilized as an extra participant in a transaction, contract, or project in order to obtain the appearance of DBE participation.
- 2. The use of joint checks will be allowed only if the prime contractor, DBE subcontractor, and material supplier establish that the use of joint checks in similar transactions is a commonly recognized business practice in the industry, particularly with respect to similar transactions in which DBE's do not participate.
- 3. A material or supply contract may not bear an excessive ratio relative to the DBE subcontractor's normal capacity.
- 4. There may not be any exclusive arrangement between one prime and one DBE in the use of joint checks that may bring into question whether the DBE is independent of the prime contractor.
- 5. Any arrangement for joint checks must be in writing, and for a specific term (for example, one year, or a specified number of months) that does not exceed a reasonable time to establish a suitable credit line with the supplier.
- 6. The prime contractor may act solely as the payer of the joint check, and may not have responsibility for establishing the terms of the agreement between the DBE subcontractor and the supplier.
- 7. The DBE must be responsible for receiving the check from the prime contractor and delivering the check to the supplier.
- 8. The prime contractor cannot require the DBE subcontractor to use a specific supplier, and the prime contractor may not participate in the negotiation of unit prices between the DBE subcontractor and the supplier.

11.02 Procedure and Compliance:

- 1. LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office must approve the agreement for the use of joint checks in writing.
- 2. After obtaining authorization for the use of joint checks, the prime contractor, the DBE, and the supplier must retain documentation to allow for efficient monitoring of the agreement.
- 3. Copies of canceled checks must be submitted with the payment information for the period in which the joint check was issued. Certificates of payment must indicate whether or not joint checks were used.
- 4. The prime contractor, DBE, and supplier each have an independent duty to report to the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office in the case of any change from the approved joint check arrangement.
- 5. Any failure to comply will be considered by the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office to be a material breach of this contract and will subject the prime contractor, DBE, and supplier to contract remedies and, in the case of serious violations, a potential for termination of the contract, reduction or loss of prequalification, debarment, or other remedies which may prevent future participation by the offending party.

12.0 Submission with Bids:

All bidders are required to certify in their bid proposal on the "Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Assurances" certificate either:

(1) The established goal for DBE participation has been met and arrangements have been made at the time of bid with certified DBEs or

(2) The bidder has been unable to meet the goal prior to the submission of the bid and has made good faith efforts to do so.

BIDS SUBMITTED WITH ALTERED, INCOMPLETE, OR UNSIGNED CERTIFICATES WILL BE CONSIDERED NON-RESPONSIVE.

Certifications on forms other than those furnished by the Department will be considered non-responsive.

13.0 Bidder Meeting DBE Goal:

13.01 General:

If the bidder indicates in the bid that it has met or exceeded the DBE goal, the DBE Intended Participation Affidavit, its attachments, and a written confirmation from each DBE that it is participating in the contract as provided on the affidavit, shall be submitted as follows:

- (1) The DBE Intended Participation Affidavit, its attachments, and the confirmations must be received by the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office no later than 4:00 P.M. on the fifth working day following the bid opening. Copies of this affidavit and the attachments are available from the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office, 1135 N. 22nd Avenue (second floor), mail drop 154A, Phoenix, Arizona 85009, phone (602) 712-7761, or on the internet at http://www.azdot.gov/inside_adot/CRO/LPA_SubRec.asp. This affidavit and its attachments shall indicate that the bidder has met or exceeded the DBE goal if this was indicated on the submittal with the bid.
- (2) The affidavit and attachments must be accurate and complete in every detail and must be signed by an officer of the contractor(s).
- (3) The DBE Intended Participation affidavit must be submitted listing the DBEs used and the creditable amounts.
- (4) A separate DBE Intended Participation affidavit attachment must be submitted for each DBE used to meet the goal of the project. The bidder shall indicate each DBE's name, the bid items the DBE will perform, and proposed subcontract amount. All partial items must be explained. If not, the DBE will be considered to be responsible for the entire item.
- (5) A written confirmation from each DBE used to meet the goal indicating that it is participating in the contract, as provided on the affidavit, must also be submitted at this time.
- (6) A bidder must determine DBE credit in accordance with Section 10 above, entitled "Crediting DBE Participation Toward Meeting Goals." The affidavit will be reviewed by the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office.
- (7) Only those DBE firms certified by the Arizona Unified Certification Program (AZUCP) at the time of the bid opening will be considered It shall be the bidder's responsibility to ascertain the certification status of designated DBEs.
- (8) The bidder bears the risk of late delivery by the postal service or a delivery service. Late-filed affidavits will not be accepted.

13.02 Failure to Comply:

If the apparent low bidder fails to submit the required information by the stated time and in the manner herein specified, or if the submitted information reveals a failure to meet the requirements of the specifications, the apparent low bidder shall be ineligible to receive award of the contract and the bid will be rejected. The proposal guarantee (bid bond) shall be forfeited if no submission is made or if the State Transportation Board finds the submission was made in bad faith.

14.0 Documented Good Faith Effort:

14.01 General:

If the apparent low bidder has stated in its bid proposal that it has been unable to meet the DBE goal, that bidder must demonstrate, through detailed and comprehensive documentation, that good faith efforts have been made to solicit, assist, and use DBE firms to meet the DBE goal prior to the bid. The bidder cannot change its bid proposal after submission.

Failure to demonstrate good faith efforts to the satisfaction of ADOT will result in the rejection of the bid.

The apparent low bidder who cannot meet the DBE goal at the time bids are opened must submit its documentation of good faith effort to the Business Engagement and Compliance Office. The bidder's documentation must be received by the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office by 4:00 P.M. on the fifth working day after the bids are opened.

Bidders are encouraged to review Appendix A of 49 CFR Part 26.

In order to be awarded a contract on the basis of good faith efforts, a bidder must show that it took all necessary and reasonable steps to achieve the DBE goal which, by their scope, intensity, and appropriateness to the objective, could reasonably be expected to obtain sufficient DBE participation, even if they were not fully successful. The LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office will consider the quality, quantity, and intensity of the different kinds of efforts the bidder has made. The efforts employed by the bidder should be those that one could reasonably expect a bidder to make if the bidder were actively and aggressively trying to obtain DBE participation sufficient to meet the DBE goal. Mere pro forma efforts are not sufficient good faith efforts to meet the DBE contract requirements.

The contractor shall, as a minimum, seek DBEs in the same geographic area in which it generally seeks subcontractors for a given project. If the contractor cannot meet the goals using DBEs from this geographic area, the contractor, as part of its effort to meet the goals, shall expand its search to a reasonably wider geographic area.

The following is a list of types of efforts a bidder must address when submitting good faith effort documentation.

- (1) Soliciting through all reasonable and available means (e.g., attendance at pre-bid meeting, advertising, written notices, and other means) the interest of all certified DBEs who have the capability to perform the work of the contract. The bidder must solicit this interest within sufficient time to allow DBEs to respond to the solicitation. The bidder must determine with certainty if the DBEs are interested by taking appropriate steps to follow-up initial solicitations.
- (2) Selecting portions of the work to be performed by DBEs in order to increase the likelihood that the DBE goals will be achieved. This includes, where appropriate, breaking out contract work items into economically feasible units to facilitate DBE participation, even when the prime contractor might otherwise prefer to perform these work items with its own forces.
- (3) Providing interested DBEs with adequate information about the plans, specifications, and requirements of the contract in a timely manner to assist them in responding to a solicitation.
- (4) Negotiating in good faith with interested DBEs. It is the bidder's responsibility to make a portion of the work available to the DBE subcontractors and suppliers, and to select those portions of work or material needs consistent with the available DBE subcontractors and suppliers, so as to facilitate DBE participation. Evidence of such negotiation includes the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of DBEs that were considered; a description of the information provided from the plans and specifications for the work selected for subcontracting; and evidence as to why additional agreements could not be reached for DBEs to perform work. A bidder using good business judgment would consider a number of factors in negotiating with subcontractors, including DBE subcontractors, and would take a firm's price and capabilities as well as contract goals into consideration. However, the fact that there may be some additional costs involved in finding and using DBEs is not in itself sufficient reason for a bidder's failure to meet the DBE goal, as long as such costs are reasonable. Also, the ability or desire of a prime contractor to perform the work of a contract with its own organization does not relieve the bidder of the responsibility to make good faith efforts. However, prime contractors are not required to accept higher quotes from DBEs if the price difference is excessive or unreasonable. Documentation, such as copies of all other bids or quotes, must be submitted.
- (5) Not rejecting DBEs as being unqualified without sound reasons based on a thorough investigation of their capabilities. The contractor's standing within its industry, membership in specific groups, organizations or associations and political or social affiliations (for example, union vs. non-union employee status) are not legitimate causes for the rejection or non-solicitation of bids in the contractor's efforts to meet the project goal.
- (6) Making efforts to assist interested DBEs in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, or insurance as required by the recipient or contractor.

- (7) Making efforts to assist interested DBEs in obtaining necessary equipment supplies, materials, or related assistance or services.
- (8) Effectively using the services of available minority/women community organizations; minority/women contractors' groups; local, state, and Federal minority/women business assistance offices; and other organizations as allowed on a case-by-case basis to provide assistance in the recruitment and placement of DBEs.

In determining whether a bidder has made good faith efforts, the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office will take into account the ability of other bidders to meet the DBE goal.

The bidder will not be considered to have made good faith efforts if the bidder failed to contact the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office and ADOT Business Engagement and Compliance Office prior to the letting, either in writing, by e-mail, or by telephone, to inform the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office of the firm's difficulty in meeting the DBE goals on a given project, and to request assistance. If the bidder contacts the LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office by telephone, the contact must be documented in a telephone log indicating the date and time of call, and name of the person to which he spoke. The telephone number for the DOT Office is (602) 712-7761. The contact must be made in sufficient time to allow the Business Engagement and Compliance Office to provide assistance.

The LPA / Sub-recipient Procurement Office will analyze the submittal to determine if in fact good faith efforts have been demonstrated consistent with ADOT procedures and the Federal regulations, 49 CFR 26, Appendix A and will forward their recommendation to Business Engagement and Compliance Office for determination.

The bidder may appeal the determination of the Business Engagement and Compliance Office to the State Engineer. That appeal must be in writing and personally delivered or sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the State Engineer. The protest must be received by the State Engineer no later than seven calendar days after the decision of the Business Engagement and Compliance Office. Copies of the protest shall be sent by the protestant to every bidder, at the same time the protest is submitted to the State Engineer. Any other interested party may submit a response to the appeal no later than seven calendar days after the appeal is requested. Responses from other interested parties must also be in writing and personally delivered or sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the State Engineer. Any interested party submitting such response shall also provide a copy of its response to every bidder, at the same time the protest is submitted to the State Engineer. The State Engineer shall promptly consider any appeals under this subsection and notify all bidders of the State Engineer's findings and decision.

Any interested party may protest the State Engineer's decision to the Transportation Board, pursuant to the requirements of Subsection 103.10 of the Standard Specifications.

14.02 Failure to Comply:

If the apparent low bidder fails to submit the required information by the stated time and in the manner herein specified, or if the submitted information reveals a failure to meet the requirements of the specifications, the apparent low bidder shall be ineligible to receive award of the contract and the bid will be rejected. The proposal guarantee (bid bond) shall be forfeited if no submission is made or if the State Transportation Board finds the submission was made in bad faith.

15.0 Rejection of Low Bid:

If, for any reason, the bid of the apparent low bidder is rejected, there will be a new apparent low bidder. The Department will notify the new apparent low bidder, and this bidder shall submit its subsequent detailed submission as set forth in paragraph 12 or 13 above.

16.0 Time is of the Essence:

TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE IN RESPECT TO THE DBE PROVISIONS.

17.0 Contract Performance:

Contract items of work designated by the contractor to be awarded to DBEs shall be performed by the designated DBE or a Department-approved DBE substitute. DBE contract work items shall not be performed by

the contractor, or a non-DBE subcontractor without prior approval by the Business Engagement and Compliance Office. The DBE must perform a commercially useful function; that is, the DBE must manage, perform, and supervise a distinct element of work.

The Department reserves the right to inspect all records of the contractor and all records of the DBEs concerning this contract.

The contractor shall provide to the Engineer, at the pre-construction conference, copies of completed and signed subcontracts purchase orders, invoices, etc., with the appropriate DBEs.

Within five working days of the preconstruction conference, the contractor shall also provide electronic copies of signed subcontract agreements to the LPA / Subrecipient Procurement Office through the Department's webbased payment tracking system (https://adot.dbesystem.com). As part of this submittal, contractors shall be required to log into the system and enter the name, contact information, and subcontract amounts for all subcontractors and vendors performing on the project as verification that scopes of services and commitments made through the DBE Intended Participation Affidavits are being met.

This contract and all subcontract agreements shall include FHWA Form 1273, all required assurances, and the prompt payment and return of retention requirements noted below. Each page of each required attachment must be dated and initialed by the DBE in order for a subcontract to be considered valid. Contractors executing agreements with subcontractors, DBE or non-DBE, that materially modify federal regulation and state statutes, or prompt payment and retention requirements, through subcontract terms and conditions will be found in breach of contract which may result in termination of the contract, or any other such remedy as the Engineer deems appropriate.

The contractor shall make prompt partial payments to its subcontractors within seven days of receipt of payment from the owner. The contractor shall make prompt final payment to each of its subcontractors of all monies, including retention due the subcontractor, within 14 days after the subcontractor has satisfactorily completed all of its work. If prompt partial payment, or prompt final payment including any retention, is not made within the time frames established above, the owner will retain \$2,000 per subcontractor, per occurrence. Each additional month that payment is not made constitutes an additional occurrence. The amount withheld by the owner will be released after the issue is resolved.

Use of a DBE named on the DBE Intended Participation Affidavit is a condition of award. Substitution will not be allowed without written evidence from the prime contractor and DBE that the DBE is unable or unwilling to perform. Contractors may not terminate a DBE subcontract for convenience, in whole or in part, except to the extent that the Department has eliminated items of work subcontracted to the DBE. All terminations, substitutions, and reductions in scope must be approved by the ADOT Business Engagement and Compliance Office

18.0 Non-Performance by DBEs:

In the event a DBE is unable or unwilling to fulfill its agreement with the contractor, the contractor will immediately notify the Engineer and provide all facts surrounding the matter. Such failure on the part of a DBE will not relieve the contractor of responsibility for meeting the DBE goal on the contract. The contractor shall immediately make reasonable good faith efforts to obtain another certified DBE to perform an equal or greater dollar value of work to the extent needed to meet the DBE goal. The substitute DBE's name, description of work, and dollar value of work shall be submitted to the Engineer and the Department's Business Engagement and Compliance Office. Approval of the Business Engagement and Compliance Office must be obtained prior to the substitute DBE beginning work.

In the event a prime contractor is unable, after a substantial good faith effort, to obtain another certified DBE, the Department's Business Engagement and Compliance Office may lower the DBE goal on the project. However, the Business Engagement and Compliance Office must approve this in writing prior to a Non-DBE starting the work which had been subcontracted to the DBE.

19.0 Compliance:

The contractor's achievement of the goal is measured by actual payments made to the DBEs. The contractor shall submit at the completion of the project the "Certification of Payments to DBE Firms" affidavit for each DBE firm working on the project. This affidavit shall be signed by the prime contract and the relevant DBE, and submitted to the Business Engagement and Compliance Office. At that time, a copy of each completed affidavit shall also be submitted to the Engineer.

Acceptance and final payment to the contractor, in accordance with Subsections 105.20 and 109.09, will not be made until all "Certification of Payments to DBE Firms" affidavits are received and deemed acceptable by the Engineer and the LPA / Sub-Recipient Procurement Office.

20.0 Sanctions:

If the Department determines that the contractor has failed to make sufficient reasonable efforts to meet contract DBE goals, or to otherwise carry out these DBE special provisions, such failure shall constitute a breach of contract and may result in termination of the contract, or any other such remedy as the Engineer deems appropriate.

If the Engineer determines that such failure is not cause to terminate the contract, an amount equal to the value of the DBE goal that was not obtained will be deducted from the payment due the contractor. However, if the failure is the first by the contractor, and the Engineer determines the failure was an unintentional error or oversight, the amount to be deducted may be reduced up to one-half (1/2) of the value of the unobtained DBE goal as determined by the Business Engagement and Compliance Office. In addition to any other sanctions, willful failure of the contractor or a DBE to comply with this contract or with the Federal DBE regulations may result in disqualification from further contracting, subcontracting, or other participation in ADOT projects.

Bond No. 106311910

ARIZONA STATUTORY **PAYMENT** BOND PURSUANT TO TITLE 34, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES (Penalty of this bond must be 100% of the Contract amount)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT: KE&G Construction, Inc.
(hereinafter "Principal"), as Principal, and <u>Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America</u>
(hereinafter "Surety"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of CT.
with its principal office in the City of Hartford, CT , holding a certificate of authority to
transact surety business in Arizona issued by the Director of Department of Insurance pursuant
to Title 20, Chapter 2, Article 1, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto Pima County, Arizona,
(hereinafter "Obligee") in the amount of <u>Seven Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand Nine Hundred*</u> ,
for the payment whereof, Principal and Surety bind themselves, and their heirs, administrators,
executors, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. *and 00/100 (\$723,900.00)
WHEREAS, the Principal has entered into a certain written contract with the Obligee, dated ** for Pantano Riverpath: 5 th Street Wash to Speedway Blvd. (PAN5TH) Park contract is hereby referred to and made a part hereof as fully and to the same extent as if copied at length herein. **Commence on July 7, 2015 and terminate on June 30, 2017.
NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that if the Principal
promptly pays all monies due to all persons supplying labor or materials to the Principal or the
Principal's subcontractors in the prosecution of the work provided for in the contract, this
obligation is void. Otherwise it remains in full force and effect.
PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that this bond is executed pursuant to the provisions of Title 34,
Chapter 2, Article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes, and all liabilities on this bond shall be
determined in accordance with the provisions, conditions and limitations of Title 34, Chapter 2,
Article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes, to the same extent as if it were copied at length in this agreement.
The prevailing party in a suit on this bond shall recover as part of the judgment reasonable attorney fees that may be fixed by a judge in the court.
Witness our hands this <u>18th</u> day of <u>June</u> , 20 <u>15</u> .
KE&G Construction, Inc. Principal By Fed Anglerson, Via President
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America Surety By Marie Berger, Attorney-In-Fact

ARIZONA STATUTORY PERFORMANCE BOND PURSUANT TO TITLE 34, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES

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Otherwise it remains in full force and effect.	
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WARNING: THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS INVALID WITHOUT THE RED BORDER

This Power of Attorney is granted under and by the authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, which resolutions are now in full force and effect, reading as follows:

RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, and Vi President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents to act for and on behalf of the Company and may give such appointee such authority as his or her certificate of authority may prescribe to sign with the Company's name and seal with the Company's seal bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking, and any of said officers or the Board of Directors at any time may remove any such appointee and revoke the power given him or her; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is in writing and a copy thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that any bond, recognizance, contract of indemnity, or writing obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking shall be valid and binding upon the Company when (a) signed by the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Scnior Vice President or any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary and duly attested and sealed with the Company's seal by a Secretary or Assistant Secretary; or (b) duly executed (under seal, if required) by one or more Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents pursuant to the power prescribed in his or her certificate or their certificates of authority or by one or more Company officers pursuant to a written delegation of authority; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of each of the following officers: President, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, any Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto appointing Resident Vice Presidents, Resident Assistant Secretaries or Attorneys-in-Fact for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by such facsimile signature and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding on the Company in the future with respect to any bond or understanding to which it is attached.

I, Kevin E. Hughes, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.



















To verify the authenticity of this Power of Attorney, call 1-800-421-3880 or contact us at www.travelersbond.com. Please refer to the Attorney-In-Fact number, the above-named individuals and the details of the bond to which the power is attached.



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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That Farmington Casualty Company, St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, that Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint

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CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) 6/18/2015

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER, THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to

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CERTIFICATE HOLDER

Pima County Procurement Design and Construction Division 130 W Congress 3rd Floor DT-AB3-126 Tucson AZ 85701

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

Linda Thomasons

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS SCHEDULE

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POLICY NUMBER		Tucson AZ 85706-1976		
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ADDITIONAL REMARKS

THIS ADDITIONAL REMARKS FORM IS A SCHEDULE TO ACORD FORM,

FORM NUMBER: 25 FORM TITLE: CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

GENERAL LIABILITY:

1. Automatic Additional Insured-Ongoing and Completed Operations including Primary/NonContributory coverage per form UGL1175FCW 04/13 attached.

2. Blanket Waiver of Subrogation if required by written contract per form CG2404 05/09 attached.

3. Per Project Aggregate is included in the general liability coverage form.

AUTOMOBILE

1. Automatic Additional Insured including Primary/NonContributory coverage if required by written contract per form CA2048 10/13 attached.

2. Blanket Waiver of Subrogation if required by written contract per form CA0444 10/13 attached.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION

1. Blanket Waiver of Subrogation if required by written contract per form WC000313 04/84 attached.

PROJECT: Pantano Riverpath: 5th Street Wash to Speedway Blvd (PAN5TH), Tucson, AZ

ADDITIONAL INSUREDS PER ATTACHED FORMS: Pima County



Additional Insured – Automatic – Owners, Lessees Or Contractors

Policy No.	Eff. Date of Pol.	Exp. Date of Pol.	Eff. Date of End.	Producer No.	Add'i. Prem	Return Prem.
GLA-0084227-00	01-01-15	01-01-16	01-01-15			

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

Named Insured: KE&G Construction Inc

Address (including ZIP Code):

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the:

Commercial General Liability Coverage Part

- A. Section II Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured any person or organization whom you are required to add as an additional insured on this policy under a written contract or written agreement. Such person or organization is an additional insured only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by:
 - 1. Your acts or omissions; or
 - The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf,

in the performance of your ongoing operations or "your work" as included in the "products-completed operations hazard", which is the subject of the written contract or written agreement.

However, the insurance afforded to such additional insured:

- 1. Only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
- 2. Will not be broader than that which you are required by the written contract or written agreement to provide for such additional insured.
- **B.** With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusion applies:

This insurance does not apply to:

"Bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the rendering of, or failure to render, any professional architectural, engineering or surveying services including:

- **a.** The preparing, approving or failing to prepare or approve maps, shop drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, field orders, change orders or drawings and specifications; or
- **b.** Supervisory, inspection, architectural or engineering activities.

This exclusion applies even if the claims against any insured allege negligence or other wrongdoing in the supervision, hiring, employment, training or monitoring of others by that insured, if the "occurrence" which caused the "bodily injury" or "property damage", or the offense which caused the "personal and advertising injury", involved the rendering of or the failure to render any professional architectural, engineering or surveying services.

C. The following is added to Paragraph 2. Duties In The Event Of Occurrence, Offense, Claim Or Suit of Section IV – Commercial General Liability Conditions:

The additional insured must see to it that:

- 1. We are notified as soon as practicable of an "occurrence" or offense that may result in a claim;
- 2. We receive written notice of a claim or "suit" as soon as practicable; and
- **3.** A request for defense and indemnity of the claim or "suit" will promptly be brought against any policy issued by another insurer under which the additional insured may be an insured in any capacity. This provision does not apply to insurance on which the additional insured is a Named Insured if the written contract or written agreement requires that this coverage be primary and non-contributory.
- **D.** For the purposes of the coverage provided by this endorsement:
 - The following is added to the Other Insurance Condition of Section IV Commercial General Liability Conditions:

Primary and Noncontributory insurance

This insurance is primary to and will not seek contribution from any other insurance available to an additional insured provided that:

- a. The additional insured is a Named Insured under such other insurance; and
- **b.** You are required by written contract or written agreement that this insurance be primary and not seek contribution from any other insurance available to the additional insured.
- 2. The following paragraph is added to Paragraph 4.b. of the Other Insurance Condition of Section IV Commercial General Liability Conditions:

This insurance is excess over:

Any of the other insurance, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, available to an additional insured, in which the additional insured on our policy is also covered as an additional insured on another policy providing coverage for the same "occurrence", offense, claim or "suit". This provision does not apply to any policy in which the additional insured is a Named Insured on such other policy and where our policy is required by a written contract or written agreement to provide coverage to the additional insured on a primary and non-contributory basis.

- **E.** This endorsement does not apply to an additional insured which has been added to this policy by an endorsement showing the additional insured in a Schedule of additional insureds, and which endorsement applies specifically to that identified additional insured.
- F. With respect to the insurance afforded to the additional insureds under this endorsement, the following is added to Section III Limits Of Insurance:

The most we will pay on behalf of the additional insured is the amount of insurance:

- 1. Required by the written contract or written agreement referenced in Paragraph A. of this endorsement; or
- 2. Available under the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations,

whichever is less.

This endorsement shall not increase the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations,

All other terms and conditions of this policy remain unchanged.

WAIVER OF TRANSFER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS TO US

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART PRODUCTS/COMPLETED OPERATIONS LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

Name Of Person Or Organization:

Any Person or Organization that requires You to waive your Rights of Recovery, in a written contract or agreement with the Named Insured that is executed prior to the accident or loss.

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

The following is added to Paragraph 8. Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us of Section IV – Conditions:

We waive any right of recovery we may have against the person or organization shown in the Schedule above because of payments we make for injury or damage arising out of your ongoing operations or "your work" done under a contract with that person or organization and included in the "products-completed operations hazard". This waiver applies only to the person or organization shown in the Schedule above.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

DESIGNATED INSURED FOR COVERED AUTOS LIABILITY COVERAGE

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

AUTO DEALERS COVERAGE FORM BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM MOTOR CARRIER COVERAGE FORM

With respect to coverage provided by this endorsement, the provisions of the Coverage Form apply unless modified by this endorsement.

This endorsement identifies person(s) or organization(s) who are "insureds" for Covered Autos Liability Coverage under the Who Is An Insured provision of the Coverage Form. This endorsement does not alter coverage provided in the Coverage Form.

This endorsement changes the policy effective on the inception date of the policy unless another date is indicated below.

Named Insured: KE&G Construction Inc

Endorsement Effective Date: 01-01-15

SCHEDULE

Name Of Person(s) Or Organization(s): Any person and / or organization to whom or which you are required to provide additional insured status or additional insured status on a primary, non-contributory basis, in a written contract or written agreement executed prior to loss, except where such contract or agreement is prohibited by law.

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

Each person or organization shown in the Schedule is an "insured" for Covered Autos Liability Coverage, but only to the extent that person or organization qualifies as an "insured" under the Who Is An Insured provision contained in Paragraph A.1. of Section II – Covered Autos Liability Coverage in the Business Auto and Motor Carrier Coverage Forms and Paragraph D.2. of Section I – Covered Autos Coverages of the Auto Dealers Coverage Form.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

WAIVER OF TRANSFER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS TO US (WAIVER OF SUBROGATION)

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

AUTO DEALERS COVERAGE FORM BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM MOTOR CARRIER COVERAGE FORM

With respect to coverage provided by this endorsement, the provisions of the Coverage Form apply unless modified by the endorsement.

This endorsement changes the policy effective on the inception date of the policy unless another date is indicated below.

Named Insured: KE&G Construction Inc

Endorsement Effective Date: 01-01-15

SCHEDULE

Name(s) Of Person(s) Or Organization(s): ALL PERSONS AND / OR ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE REQUIRED BY WRITTEN CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT WITH THE INSURED, EXECUTED PRIOR TO THE ACCIDENT OR LOSS, THAT WAIVER OF SUBROGATION BE PROVIDED UNDER THIS POLICY.

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

The Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us condition does not apply to the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only to the extent that subrogation is waived prior to the "accident" or the "loss" under a contract with that person or organization.

WAIVER OF OUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM OTHERS ENDORSEMENT

We have the right to recover our payments from anyone liable for an injury covered by this policy. We will not enforce our right against the person or organization named in the Schedule. (This agreement applies only to the extent that you perform work under a written contract that requires you to obtain this agreement from us.)

This agreement shall not operate directly or indirectly to benefit anyone not named in the Schedule.

Schedule

ALL PERSONS AND / OR ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE REQUIRED BY WRITTEN CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT WITH THE INSURED, EXECUTED PRIOR TO THE ACCIDENT OR LOSS, THAT WAIVER OF SUBROGATION BE PROVIDED UNDER THIS POLICY FOR WORK PERFORMED BY YOU FOR THAT PERSON AND / OR ORGANIZATION.

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated. (The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

Endorsement

Effective Policy No. WC-0084228-00

Endorsement No.

Insured KE&G Construction Inc.

Premium \$

Insurance Company Zurich American Insurance Company

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DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION DIVISION = 130 W. CONGRESS STREET, 3RD FLOOR = TUCSON, ARIZONA 85701-1317 TELEPHONE (520) 724-3731 = FAX (520) 724-4434

INSURANCE CARRIER VERIFIES PIMA COUNTY IS NAMED AS ADDITIONAL INSURED TO THE COMPREHENSIVE COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY POLICY <u>AND</u> THE COMPREHENSIVE AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY POLICY REFERENCED BELOW, THE COUNTY BEING ADDED BY <u>ENDORSEMENT</u> TO THE POLICIES.

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Date of Signature	

NOTE: This document must be included with Insurance Certificates at time of signing contract or renewing contract if your insurance company does not supply an endorsement adding Pima County as additional insured or a blanket endorsement for your Commercial General Liability Insurance and Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance.