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Purchasing  
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**DATE: SEPTEMBER 26, 2019**

**TO: PROSPECTIVE PROPOSERS**

**RE: RFP NO. 2020-12: PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF CITY HALL GENERATOR**

**RFP DUE DATE: 2:00 PM, OCTOBER 15, 2019**

**ADDENDUM NO. 1**

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Proposers are hereby notified that this addendum shall be made part of the above-named proposal and contract documents. The following changes to the above proposal are issued to modify, and/or clarify the proposal and contract documents (the deletions are as ~~striketroughs~~ and additions as underlined). These items shall have the same force and effect as the original documents, and proposals to be submitted on the specified date shall conform with the additions, deletions and revisions as listed herein.

**ITEM #1: QUESTIONS/ANSWERS:**

**Q1: Is a fee proposal required with the submission package?**

**A1. No. Per CCNA (Florida Statute 287.055) we cannot and have not requested fees to be submitted with the proposal. Firms will be ranked according to the evaluation criteria in the proposal and then fees will be requested from the top ranked firm. Negotiations with the top ranked firm will then proceed.**

**Q2. What is the duration of the project under the grant?**

**A2. This phase of the project is expected to be completed in FY 20/21. A time extension for the grant has been requested.**

**Q3. Will the tanks for fueling system be above ground and piped to the generator or will they be located below ground?**

**A3. The tanks for the fueling system will be above ground.**

**Q4. Will the generator be expected to run power both buildings in the City Hall complex?**

**A4. For sizing purposes, the generator will be required to run power only for the City Hall building, not the Police Department.**

**Q5. What is the desired footprint for this generator?**

**A5. The expectation is the extension of the yard and most likely one row of parking (along the generator enclosure wall) would be lost to the expansion.**

**Q6. Will the Consultant be preparing the study, or will the City be providing an existing one?**

**A6. The Consultant is expected to prepare the study, but the City is providing existing “as-builts” and the previous power study (attached to this addendum).**

Firms are required to acknowledge receipt of this addendum on their proposal forms. All other terms and conditions of the original proposal and contract documents remain the same.

***Signature on File*** \_\_\_\_\_

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Receipt of Addendum No. 1 shall be noted within the Proposal Form in the appropriate section.

**ATTACHMENTS FOLLOW**

End of Addendum No.1



# **City of North Port Fire Rescue District**

## **City Hall/EOC Emergency Power Study**

North Port City Hall

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Contact:

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Principal, Senior Electrical Engineer

**Report**

January 2, 2009

## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 BACKGROUND

The City of North Port is in need of a facility to utilize as an emergency operations center (EOC). The Emergency Management Coordinator for the City's Fire Rescue District, Richard Berman, is investigating methods to provide this type of facility.

TLC Engineering was contacted to discuss options for utilizing spare capacities or expanding the capacities of the existing emergency power generator systems, at the City complex on City Boulevard.

### 1.2 PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to evaluate in more detail the requirements for full operation of the City Hall building during utility outages. The evaluation will consider which current systems are necessary, the capacity of existing power generation equipment, and capacity needed for full operation of the police station and City Hall.

## 2.0 EXISTING CONDITIONS

### 2.1 EMERGENCY SYSTEM CONFIGURATION

One generator is located in the utility building/central energy plant (CEP) at the north side of the complex. It provides emergency power to the entire Police Station, including one of the chillers in the CEP for air conditioning of the Police Station.

This generator also provides limited power for systems within the City Hall, consisting of egress lighting, fire alarm, elevators, data network servers and other technology systems.

Existing generator is rated 1350 Kw.

## 3.0 SYSTEM ANALYSIS

### 3.1 CRITICAL OPERATIONS

Based on meetings held with the City, it was agreed that in order to maintain operations within the City Hall and function as an EOC, extensive portions of the building systems must be functioning. Air conditioning would be necessary to maintain operations within the building, in particular during the typical summer hurricane season.

Operating minimal systems in City Hall as it currently exists provides only the ability to maintain life safety systems for egress of the building, and maintain power to central data and technology systems.

### 3.2 GENERATOR LOAD ANALYSIS

Based on current building electrical demand loads provided by Florida Power & Light (FPL), portions of the remaining air conditioning equipment in the CEP and portions of the City Hall building can be added to the existing generator.

An additional generator will be required in order for all remaining portions of City Hall and the one remaining chiller in the CEP to be operated on emergency power.

Two options were considered in the analysis, and are described here:

- One option provides a new generator at the CEP, to provide emergency power for the second chiller and associated equipment required to provide air conditioning to the City Hall. This associated equipment includes pumps and controls. New transfer switch and feeders will connect the new generator to the existing equipment.

New generator rating = 500 Kw

The existing generator will be utilized to serve the remaining loads in the City Hall. New feeders will be added from the existing generator to the City Hall building with new transfer switch at the City Hall, to provide power to the remaining systems and make that building fully operational when utility power is lost.

- Second option provides a new generator to serve the City Hall building. Additional new transfer switch and feeders to the City Hall will make that building fully operational in an emergency situation.

New generator rating = 650 Kw

The existing generator would then be utilized to serve the existing second chiller and associated pumps at the CEP. New transfer switch and feeders would connect the existing generator to the chiller and its associated equipment.

#### 4.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on the existing load analysis, it is anticipated that the existing generator can serve new loads in either the City Hall, or at the central chiller plant/CEP.

A new generator would be required to serve the remaining existing load, depending on the selection of the final configuration of the existing distribution system.

Based on the developed design concepts, at this time there is no significant advantage to utilizing one option or the other. However, option 2, provision of a new generator to serve the City Hall only, appears to be the preferred method. This would provide a generator dedicated to the chiller plant, and add a new generator for service to the City Hall. When the design is developed in more detail, additional factors may become apparent.

#### 5.0 OPINION OF PROBABLE COST

##### 5.1 OPTION 1: New generator at Central Energy Plant

This option includes provision of a new generator to serve all required air conditioning loads at the central chiller, and connection of the City Hall to the existing generator.

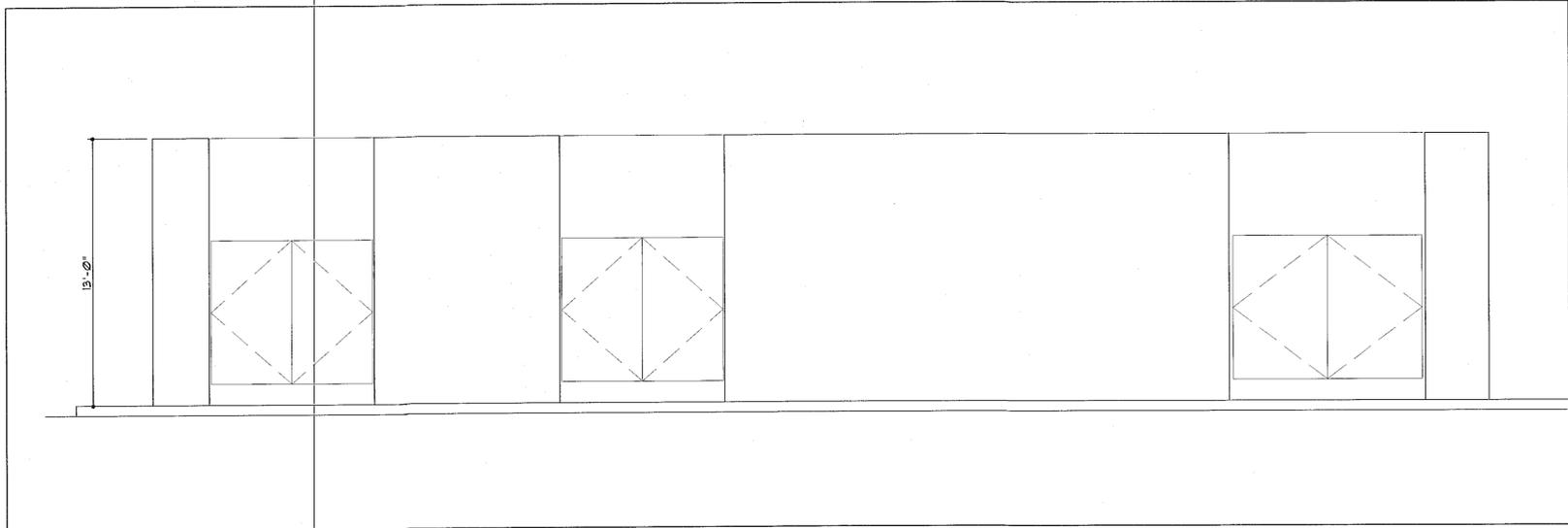
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##### 5.2 OPTION 2: New generator at City Hall

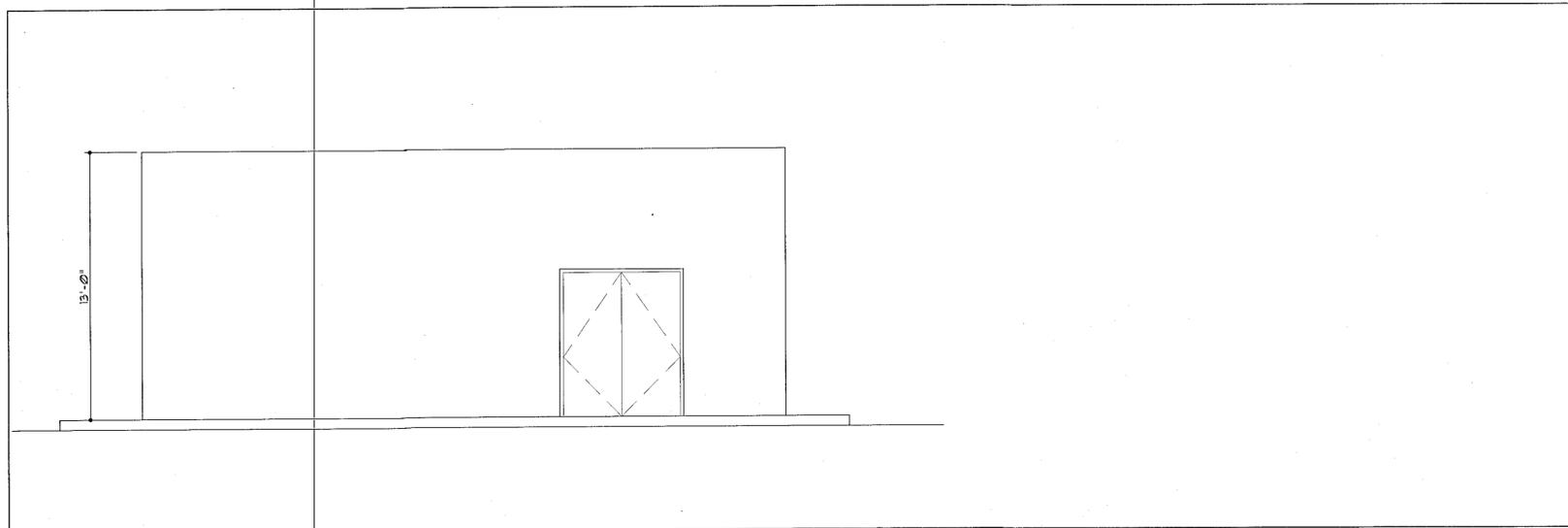
This option includes provision of a new generator to serve the City Hall building, and connection of the second chiller at the central energy plant to the existing generator.

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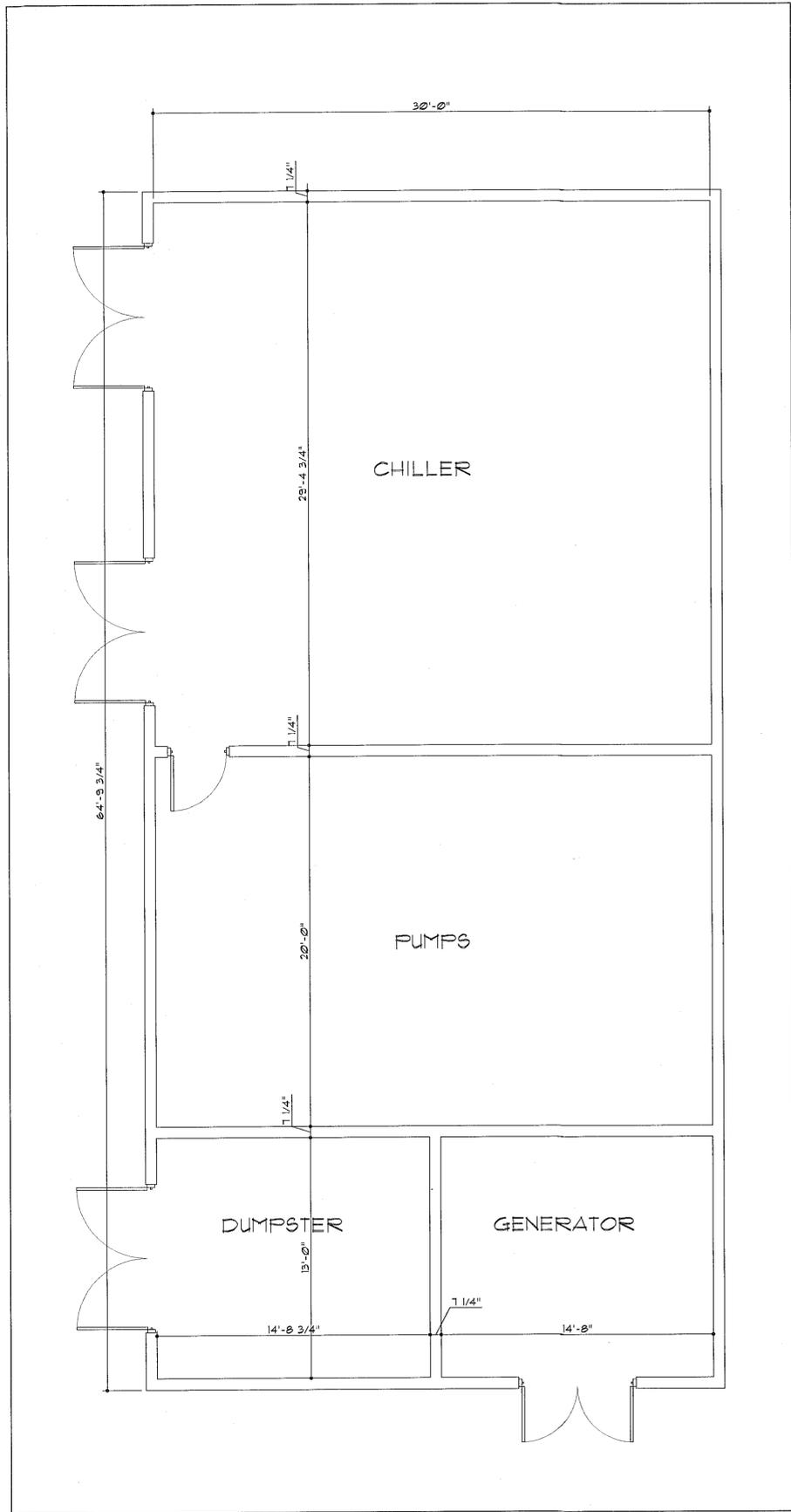




**West Elevation**



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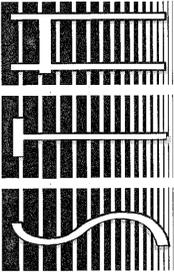


**Floor Plan**



**City Hall - Central Energy Plan & Dumpster**

**Scale: 1/4" = 1'-0"**



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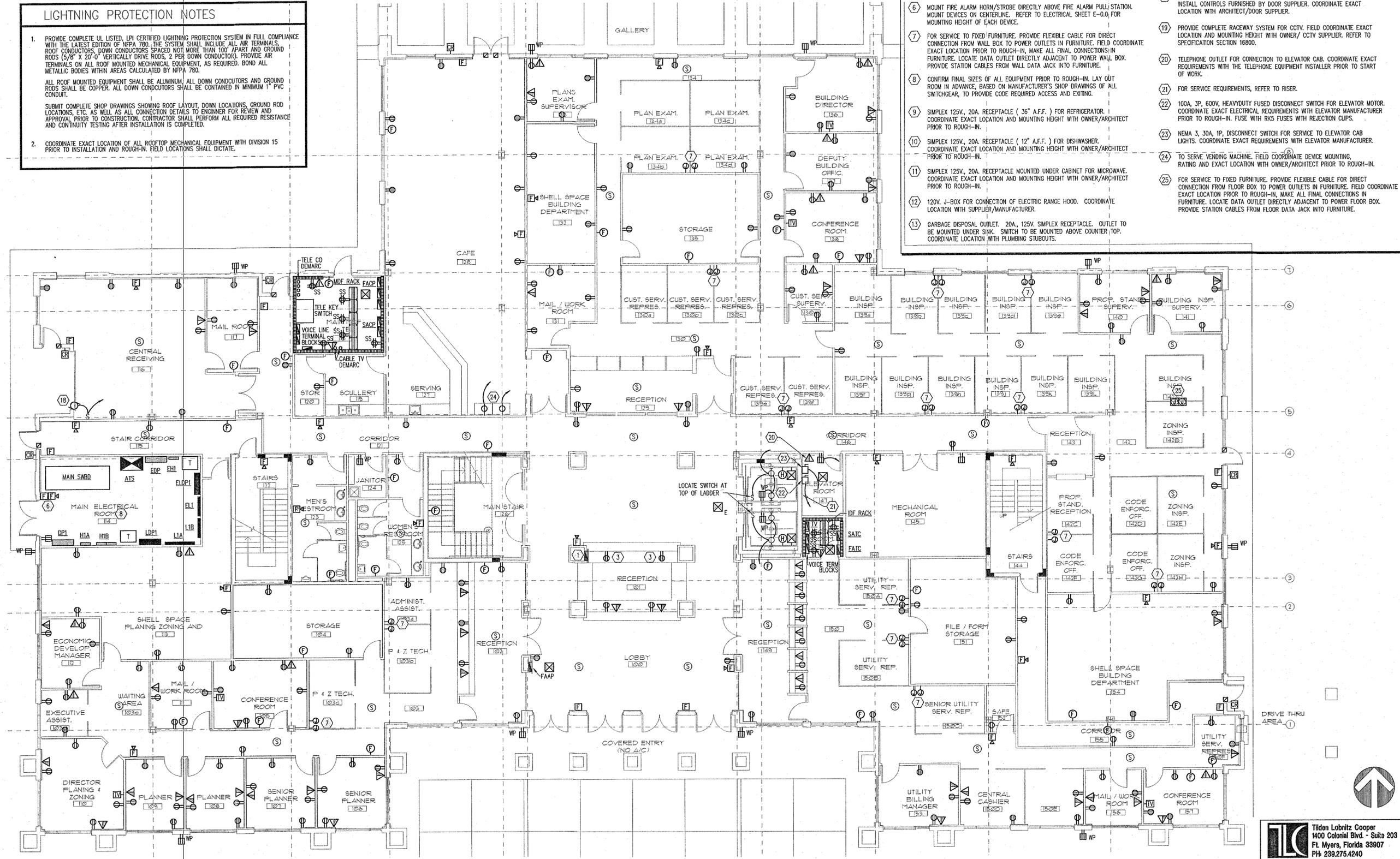
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2. ALL FLOOR BOX LOCATIONS SHALL BE COORDINATED WITH ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
3. ALL TELEVISION OUTLETS TO BE MOUNTED 18" AFF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

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**KEYNOTES**

1. GENERATOR REMOTE ANNUNCIATOR PANEL.
2. GASEOUS FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM CONTROL PANEL. FIELD COORDINATE ALL CONNECTIONS WITH FIRE SUPPRESSION CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN. PROVIDE INTERFACE WITH BUILDING FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.
3. DUPLEX RECEPTACLE-MOUNT 3'-9" AFF. COORDINATE RECEPTACLE BOX MOUNTING WITH CABINETS AND BACKSPLASH.
4. ELECTRIC WATER COOLER. THIS CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION AND CONNECTION DETAILS WITH PLUMBING CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN. THIS CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE FINAL CONNECTIONS.
5. CONTRACTOR SHALL RUN A SEPARATE NEUTRAL FOR EACH CIRCUIT FROM PANELBOARD NEUTRAL BAR. CONTRACTOR SHALL SIZE CONDUIT ACCORDINGLY TO ACCOMMODATE SEPARATE NEUTRAL FOR EACH CIRCUIT.
6. MOUNT FIRE ALARM HORN/STROBE DIRECTLY ABOVE FIRE ALARM PULL STATION. MOUNT DEVICES ON CENTERLINE. REFER TO ELECTRICAL SHEET E-00, FOR MOUNTING HEIGHT OF EACH DEVICE.
7. FOR SERVICE TO FIXED FURNITURE. PROVIDE FLEXIBLE CABLE FOR DIRECT CONNECTION FROM WALL BOX TO POWER OUTLETS IN FURNITURE. FIELD COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN. MAKE ALL FINAL CONNECTIONS IN FURNITURE. LOCATE DATA OUTLET DIRECTLY ADJACENT TO POWER WALL BOX. PROVIDE STATION CABLES FROM WALL DATA JACK INTO FURNITURE.
8. CONFIRM FINAL SIZES OF ALL EQUIPMENT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN. LAY OUT ROOM IN ADVANCE, BASED ON MANUFACTURER'S SHOP DRAWINGS OF ALL SWITCHGEAR, TO PROVIDE CODE REQUIRED ACCESS AND EXITING.
9. SIMPLEX 125V, 20A RECEPTACLE (36" A.F.F.) FOR REFRIGERATOR. COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION AND MOUNTING HEIGHT WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
10. SIMPLEX 125V, 20A RECEPTACLE (12" A.F.F.) FOR DISHWASHER. COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION AND MOUNTING HEIGHT WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
11. SIMPLEX 125V, 20A RECEPTACLE MOUNTED UNDER CABINET FOR MICROWAVE. COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION AND MOUNTING HEIGHT WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
12. 120V J-BOX FOR CONNECTION OF ELECTRIC RANGE HOOD. COORDINATE LOCATION WITH SUPPLIER/MANUFACTURER.
13. GARBAGE DISPOSAL OUTLET. 20A, 125V SIMPLEX RECEPTACLE. OUTLET TO BE MOUNTED UNDER SINK. SWITCH TO BE MOUNTED ABOVE COUNTER TOP. COORDINATE LOCATION WITH PLUMBING SUBOUTS.
14. ELECTRIC RANGE. PROVIDE 50A, 208V. SPECIAL PURPOSE RECEPTACLE. COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION AND MOUNTING HEIGHT WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
15. ELECTRIC ICE MACHINE. PROVIDE 20A, 208V. SPECIAL PURPOSE RECEPTACLE. COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION AND MOUNTING HEIGHT WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
16. TO SERVE UNDERCOUNTER REFRIGERATOR. FIELD COORDINATE DEVICE MOUNTING, RATING AND EXACT LOCATION WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
17. TO SERVE COPY MACHINE. MOUNT RECEPTACLE 24" AFF. FIELD COORDINATE DEVICE RATING AND EXACT LOCATION WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
18. MAKE ALL FINAL CONNECTIONS FROM DOOR OPERATOR TO CONTROL SWITCH. INSTALL CONTROLS FURNISHED BY DOOR SUPPLIER. COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION WITH ARCHITECT/DOOR SUPPLIER.
19. PROVIDE COMPLETE RACEWAY SYSTEM FOR CCTV. FIELD COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION AND MOUNTING HEIGHT WITH OWNER/CCTV SUPPLIER. REFER TO SPECIFICATION SECTION 16800.
20. TELEPHONE OUTLET FOR CONNECTION TO ELEVATOR CAB. COORDINATE EXACT REQUIREMENTS WITH THE TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT INSTALLER PRIOR TO START OF WORK.
21. FOR SERVICE REQUIREMENTS, REFER TO RISER.
22. 100A, 3P, 600V, HEAVYDUTY FUSED DISCONNECT SWITCH FOR ELEVATOR MOTOR. COORDINATE EXACT ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS WITH ELEVATOR MANUFACTURER PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN. FUSE WITH RK5 FUSES WITH REFLECTION CLIPS.
23. NEMA 3, 30A, 1P, DISCONNECT SWITCH FOR SERVICE TO ELEVATOR CAB LIGHTS. COORDINATE EXACT REQUIREMENTS WITH ELEVATOR MANUFACTURER.
24. TO SERVE VENDING MACHINE. FIELD COORDINATE DEVICE MOUNTING, RATING AND EXACT LOCATION WITH OWNER/ARCHITECT PRIOR TO ROUGH-IN.
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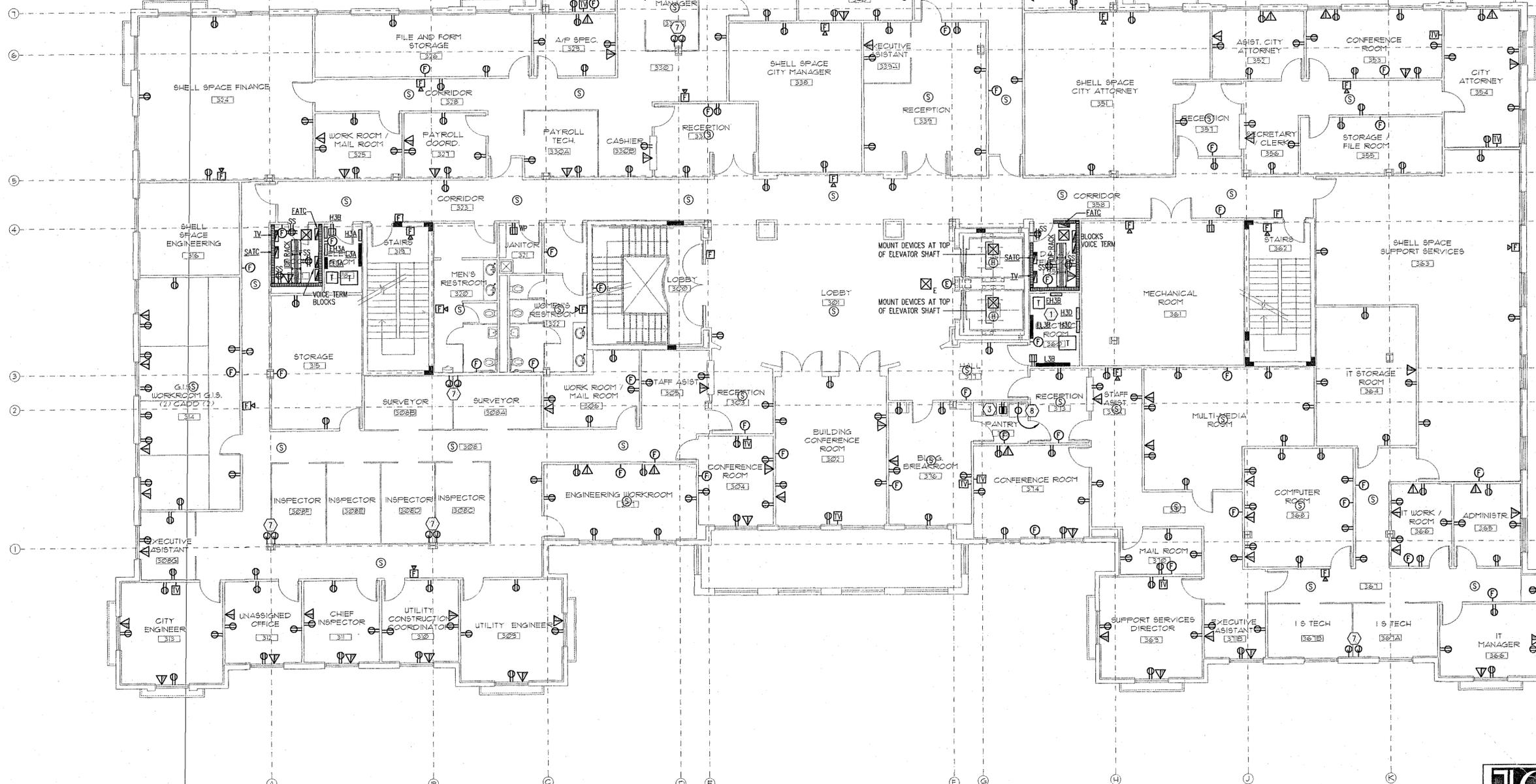
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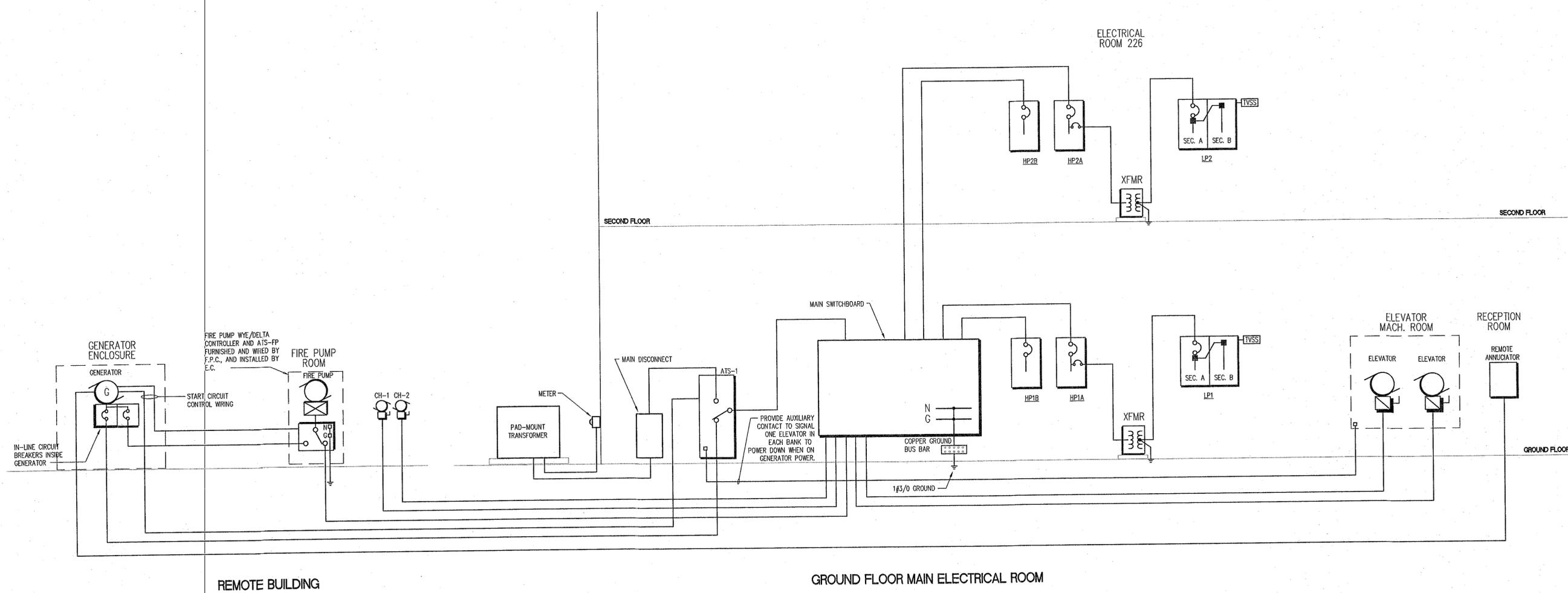
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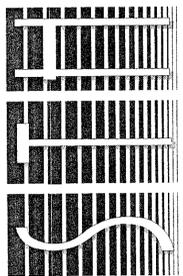
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Police Station - ELECTRICAL RISER DIAGRAM

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**PUBLIC NOTICE/ADVERTISEMENT**

Notice is hereby given that the City of North Port will receive sealed proposals from legal entities authorized to do business in the State of Florida for:

**RFP NO. 2020-12  
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF CITY HALL GENERATOR  
(HMGP AGREEMENT NO. H0131, PROJECT NO. 4337-28-R)**

It is the intent of the City of North Port to request proposals from experienced and qualified firms for professional Engineering services to design, permit, and provide bidding and construction services for the design of a new permanent Emergency generator system and supporting enclosed structure. The purpose is to supply City Hall with emergency power needed currently and, in the future, to operate the facility properly during a disaster situation.

**PROPOSAL DUE DATE:  
October 15, 2019 AT 2:00 P.M.  
City Hall, Room 337**

Proposals may be mailed, or hand delivered to Purchasing Division, City of North Port, 4970 City Hall Boulevard, Suite 337, North Port, Florida 34286, **NO LATER THAN 2:00 PM ON OCTOBER 15, 2019.** PROPOSALS RECEIVED AFTER THIS DATE AND TIME WILL BE REJECTED.

<b><i>PRE-PROPOSAL MEETING (Open to the Public)</i></b>	<b><i>SEPTEMBER 23, 2019 at 10:00 A.M. City Hall, Room 244</i></b>
<b><i>EVALUATION AND RANKING COMMITTEE MEETING (Open to the Public)</i></b>	<b><i>OCTOBER 25, 2019, at 2 P.M. City Hall, Room 244</i></b>

Information regarding this project may be viewed and downloaded from DemandStar’s website at [www.demandstar.com](http://www.demandstar.com) or through the link provided on the city web site at [www.cityofnorthport.com](http://www.cityofnorthport.com). Proposal documents are also posted on the City FTP site at <http://apps.cityofnorthport.com/ftpinfo/> and may be obtained by choosing Purchasing from the drop down menu; however, addendums are only posted on [www.demandstar.com](http://www.demandstar.com). If you have any questions, concerns, or problems accessing the proposal package using the link, please contact Ginny Duyn, CPPB, Senior Purchasing Administrator at 941.429.7174. Requests for additional information or clarification must be submitted in writing via facsimile to 941.429.7173 or emailed to [purchasing@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:purchasing@cityofnorthport.com). Responses will be provided to all known submitters in writing through the addenda process. No verbal requests will be honored. Responses will be provided to all known submitters in writing through the addenda process. No verbal requests will be honored. The last day for questions is **October 8, 2019 at 2:00 P.M.**

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**ATTACHMENTS:**

**A: FEMA (HMGP) Agreement No. H0131**

**STATEMENT OF NON-SUBMITTAL**

If you **do not** intend to submit a proposal on this service, please return this form to the above address immediately.

We the undersigned have declined to submit a proposal on the requested service for **RFP No. 2020-12: PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF CITY HALL GENERATOR** for the following reason(s):

- Insufficient time to respond to the solicitation.
- We do not offer this service.
- Our schedule would not permit us to perform.
- Unable to meet bond/insurance requirements.
- Specifications or Scope of Service are unclear (explain below).
- OTHER (please specify below).

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Remarks \_\_\_\_\_  
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SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** Statement of Non-Submittal may be faxed to 941.429.7173 or e-mailed to [purchasing@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:purchasing@cityofnorthport.com)

**PART I – GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

**1. PURPOSE:**

**A. Intent of RFP:** The City of North Port, FL hereinafter referred to as the “City” desires to contract for Professional Services. It is the intent of the City, to request proposals from professional engineering firms to design, permit, and provide bidding and construction phase services for the design of a new permanent Emergency generator system and supporting enclosed structure. The project shall include an evaluation of the existing building and facilities to determine the best path for the overall project.

**B. Time and Due Date:** The City of North Port will accept **SEALED** proposals from qualified firms consisting of individuals, corporations, partnerships, and other legal entities authorized to conduct business in the State of Florida **no later than 2:00 pm October 15, 2019.**

**2. CONTRACT AWARD/TERM:** The City anticipates entering into one (1) contract with the firm who submits the proposal judged to be most advantageous to the City. The Proposer understands that this RFP does not constitute an agreement or a contract with the Proposer. A proposal is not binding until proposals are reviewed and accepted by the North Port City Commission and both parties execute a contract.

**3. DEVELOPMENT COSTS:** The City shall not be liable for any expense incurred in connection with preparation of a response to this Request for Proposal. Proposers should prepare a straightforward and concise description of the Proposer’s ability to meet the requirements of the RFP.

**4. DEFINITIONS:**

**AGREEMENT:** The term "Agreement" shall refer to the Agreement that may result from this Request For Proposal.

**CITY:** The term "City" shall refer to The City of North Port, Florida, or its City Commission, or City Manager or his Designee, as applicable.

**CONSULTANT:** The term “Consultant” shall refer after award, said Proposer/Firm will be referred to as the consultant.

**DUE DATE AND TIME:** The term “Due Date and Time” shall refer to the due date and time listed in the Notice of Availability and Timetable of this Solicitation.

**PROPOSAL/REPLY/SUBMITTAL:** The term "Proposal", “Reply” and “Submittal” shall refer to the complete response of the Proposer to the RFP, including properly completed forms and supporting documentation.

**PROPOSER:** The terms “Proposer” or “the Firm” or “the Broker of Record” shall refer to anyone submitting a Proposal in response to this Request for Proposal.

**PROPOSAL FORMS:** The term “Proposal Forms” shall mean the forms required to be submitted in accordance with this Request for Proposal.

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL:** The terms "Request for Proposal", “RFP”, or “Solicitation” shall mean this Request For Proposal, including all exhibits, attachments and addendums as approved by the City, and amendments or change orders issued by the Procurement Department.

**RESPONSIVE PROPOSAL/REPLY/SUBMITTAL:** Is a reply submitted by a responsive and responsible Respondent which conforms in all material respects to the solicitation.

**RESPONSIBLE RESPONDENT:** A person, company or entity which determined to have the capability in all respects to fully perform the agreement requirements and has the integrity and reliability which will assure good faith performance.

**SPECIFICATIONS:** The term "Specifications" shall mean any technical requirements specified in this Request For Proposal or any addendum or other document issued by the City specifying technical requirements of the Work/Service.

**SUBCONSULTANT/SUBCONTRACTOR:** The term "Subcontractor" and "Sub-consultant" shall refer to any person, firm, entity, or organization, other than the employees of the Successful Proposer, who contract with the Successful Proposer to furnish labor, or labor and materials, in connection with the Work or Services to the City, whether directly or indirectly, on behalf of the Successful Proposer.

After award of contract - Changes to the originally proposed project team (Consultant Key personnel, Sub-consultants, Sub-consultant Key personnel, Principal, etc.) shall be submitted to the City in writing. Acceptance of the change shall be the sole discretion of the City. In the event the City does not approve the amended project team, the City has the option to terminate the contract. The City will reimburse the awarded Consultant for the work completed up to the time of termination.

**TIME OF COMPLETION:** Time in which the entire work shall be completed.

**WORK:** The terms "Work", "Scope of Work", "Services", "Program", "Project", or "Engagement" shall refer to all matters and things that will be required to be done by the Successful Proposer in accordance with entirety of the scope of work required by this RFP including all terms and conditions of this Solicitation.

5. **INQUIRIES:** The City will not respond to oral inquiries. Proposers may submit written, e-mailed or faxed, inquiries regarding this RFP to the Purchasing fax number at 941.429.7173 or the Purchasing e-mail address at [Purchasing@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:Purchasing@cityofnorthport.com). The last day for questions is **October 8, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.**

The City will record its responses to inquiries and any supplemental instructions in the form of written addenda. All written addenda will be issued through DemandStar's website at [www.demandstar.com](http://www.demandstar.com). It shall be the responsibility of the Proposer, prior to submitting their proposal, to contact the Purchasing Office to determine if addenda were issued, acknowledging, and incorporating them into their proposal.

6. **PRE-PROPOSAL MEETING:** A pre-proposal meeting will be held on **Monday September 23, 2019 @ 10:00 am**, City Hall, Room 244 for this project.
7. **PROPOSAL SUBMISSION AND WITHDRAWAL:** The City will receive **SEALED** proposals at the following address in an envelope clearly marked on the outside: RFP NO. 2020-12 PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF CITY HALL GENERATOR addressed to:

**City of North Port**  
**Ginny Duyn, CPPB, Senior Purchasing Administrator**  
**4970 City Hall Boulevard, Suite 337**  
**North Port, Florida 34286**

Proposals received after the established deadline will not be opened. Proposers may withdraw their proposals by notifying the City in writing at any time prior to the due date. Proposals not so withdrawn shall, upon opening, constitute an irrevocable offer for a period of one hundred and eighty (180) calendar days to provide the City the services set forth in these specifications until one or more of the proposals have been accepted by the City Commissioners. Proposal documents are exempt from public record for a period of thirty days or a Notice of Intent to Award is issued whichever comes sooner per Chapter 119, as amended, of the Florida Statutes.

- 8. PRESENTATIONS/DISCUSSIONS:** The Selection Committee may conduct discussions with firms of the Committee's choosing, regarding their qualifications, approach to the project, and ability to furnish the required services. The City will not be liable for any costs incurred by the Respondents in connection with such interviews/presentations (i.e. travel, accommodations, etc.). The discussions/presentations/interviews are closed to the public per Chapter 286, as amended, of the Florida Statutes.
- 9. PROPOSAL RESTRICTIONS:** In order to control the cost of preparation, submittal will be restricted to the requirements as described in Part IV - "Rules and Instructions" for Preparing Proposals contained within this RFP.
- **EXAMINATION OF PROPOSAL DOCUMENTS/SITE:** Prior to proposal submission, Proposers shall carefully examine all provisions of this document, and all other related documents, including all modifications thereof, incorporated in the proposal package, plus fully informing themselves as to all existing conditions and limitations that affect the work to be performed under this contract.
  - Discrepancies, omissions, or questions about the intent of the documents should be submitted to the Purchasing Division in written form as a request for interpretation no later than five (5) days prior to Proposal due date (or shall be verbally addressed at the pre-proposal conference, if applicable).
  - It shall be the responsibility of the proposer, prior to submitting their response, to either visit [www.demandstar.com](http://www.demandstar.com) to view the solicitation and download all issued addenda or contact the City of North Port Purchasing Division to determine if addenda were issued.
  - Examination of Sites: Prior to submitting a proposal, each proposer shall examine the site and all conditions thereon. All proposals shall be presumed to include all such existing conditions as may affect any work to be done in this agreement. Failure to familiarize themselves with such conditions will in no way relieve the successful proposer from the necessity of furnishing any materials or performing any work that may be required to complete the work in accordance with the Specifications.
- 10. CONFLICTS WITHIN SOLICITATION:** Where there appears to be a conflict between any of the provisions in this solicitation or any addendum issued, the order of precedence shall be: the last addendum issued, Proposal Forms, Scope of Service, Plans, Permits, reports and then the General Terms and Conditions. It is incumbent upon the Proposer to identify such conflicts to the designated purchasing representative prior to the proposal response date.
- 11. DRUG FREE WORKPLACE:** The City of North Port is a Drug Free Workplace. It is strongly suggested that the attached Drug Free Workplace Form be signed and returned to this office with the reply. The City grants a preference (following local preference, if applicable) to a business with drug-free workplace program, whenever two (2) or more Proposals are tied in the evaluation and ranking process. The Drug-free Workplace Vendor shall have the burden of demonstrating that its program complies with Section 287.087 of the Florida Statutes, and any other applicable state law. All Proposers are strongly recommended to submit the form entitled "**DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE AFFIDAVIT**".

- 12. PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES STATEMENT:** In accordance with Florida Statutes §287.133(2)(a), “A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods/services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a Contractor, Supplier, Subcontractor, or Consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, for Category Two, for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.”
- 13. MINORITY, WOMEN, and VETERAN OWNED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (M/W/VBE):** M/W/VBEs are encouraged to participate in the reply process. All M/W/VBEs shall be certified as a Minority Business Enterprise by the State of Florida, Department of Management Services, Office of Supplier Diversity pursuant to Section 287.0943, Florida Statutes, or by statewide and interlocal agreement certification, as provided for by Section 287.09431, Florida Statutes. A State of Florida MBE Certificate or interlocal agreement from an agency having an interlocal agreement with the State of Florida must accompany the proposal submission and the Certificate must be issued to the prime Consultant/Contractor to claim M/W/VBE status.
- 14. REGULATIONS:** Violation of any local, state or federal law in the performance of this Agreement shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement.
- 15. CANCELLATION:** The City Manager or Designee shall have the right to unilaterally cancel, terminate, or suspend this Agreement, in whole or in part, by providing the firm thirty (30) calendar days written notice by certified mail.
- 16. FISCAL NON-FUNDING CLAUSE:** In the event sufficient funds are not budgeted for a new fiscal period, the City shall notify the successful Proposer of such occurrence and the Agreement shall terminate on the last day of the current fiscal year without penalty or expense to the City.
- 17. RESERVED RIGHTS:** The City reserves the right to accept or reject any and all submissions, to accept all or any part of the submission, to waive irregularities and technicalities, and to request resubmission, for whatever reason or for no reason, if it is deemed in the best interest of the City.
- The City, in its sole discretion, may expand the scope of work to include additional requirements. The City reserves the right to investigate, as it deems necessary, to determine the ability of any Respondent to perform the work or services requested. The Respondents upon request shall provide information the City deems necessary in order to make a determination.
- 18. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY CLAUSE:** The City of North Port, Florida, in accordance with the provisions of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the Department of Commerce (15 CFR, Part 8) issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all Respondents that it will ensure that in any Agreement entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit replies in response to this advertisement and will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color or national origin in consideration for an award.
- 19. PERFORMANCE EVALUATION:** At the end of the Agreement, the receiving department will evaluate the successful Proposer’s performance. This evaluation will become public record.
- 20. PAYMENTS:** The City shall pay the Consultant through payment issued by the Finance Department in accordance with the Local Government Prompt Payment Act of the Florida Statutes, Chapter 218, upon receipt of the Consultant’s invoice and written approval of same by the City’s Administrative Agent indicating that services have

been rendered in conformity with this Agreement. The Consultant shall submit an invoice for payment to the City for those specific tasks that were completed during that invoicing period. For those specific services that were partially completed, progress payments shall be paid in proportion to the percentage of completed work on those specific services approved in writing by the City's Administrative Agent based on the percentage of the amount for those specific services. The Consultant's invoices shall be in a form satisfactory to the City of North Port Finance Department, who shall initiate disbursements.

## 21. INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:

The successful firm shall be required to supply, at their cost, the following minimum insurance coverage:

A. Before performing any contract work, Consultant shall procure and maintain during the life of the Contract the insurance listed below, unless otherwise specified. The policies of insurance shall be primary and written on forms acceptable to the City and placed with insurance carriers approved and licensed by the Insurance Department in the State of Florida and meet a minimum financial AM Best and Company rating of no less than "Excellent." No changes are to be made to these specifications without prior written specific approval by the City Manager or designee. The City Manager or designee may alter the amounts or types of insurance policies required by this Contract upon agreement with Consultant.

i. **Workers Compensation:** Coverage to apply for all employees at the statutory limits provided by state and federal laws. The policy must include Employers' Liability with a limit of \$1,000,000 each accident; \$1,000,000 each employee; and \$1,000,000 policy limit for disease.

ii. **Comprehensive Commercial General Liability Insurance:** Occurrence form required. Aggregate must apply separately to this Contract. Minimum \$1,000,000 each occurrence; \$1,000,000 general aggregate; \$1,000,000 products and completed ops; and \$100,000 damage to rented premises.

iii. **Automobile Insurance:** To include all vehicles owned, leased, hired and non-owned vehicles with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per each accident and for property damage and bodily injury, with contractual liability coverage for all work performed under this Contract.

iv. **Professional Liability Insurance:** Professional liability or malpractice or errors and/or omissions insurance shall be purchased and maintained with a minimum \$1,000,000 per occurrence for this project with a \$1,000,000 policy term general aggregate. The City prefers all Professional Liability Insurance be written on an Occurrence Form; however, in the event that the professional liability insurance required by the Contract is written on a claims-made basis, Consultant warrants that any retroactive date under the policy shall precede the effective date of this Contract; and that either continuous coverage will be maintained for a period of two (2) years or an extended reporting period (ERP) with tail coverage will be obtained and maintained for a period of two (2) years beginning at the time work under this Contract is completed.

➤ **Professional Liability (Errors and Omissions Liability) for Subcontractors/Subconsultants** In addition to the insurance requirements for the Contractor, the contractor's registered subcontractors (including structural, civil, mechanical, plumbing, electrical engineering, landscape architecture, survey, geotechnical and materials testing) are required to carry Professional Liability insurance at the same levels and conditions as the Contractor.

v. **General requirements:** The City of North Port is to be named additional insured on the Comprehensive Commercial General Liability and Automobile Policy. Certification of same shall be

required. All certificates of insurance must be on file with and approved by the CITY before commencement of any work activities under this Contract.

Any and all deductibles to the above referenced policies are to be the responsibility of the Consultant. The Consultant's insurance is considered primary for any loss regardless of any insurance maintained by the City. The Consultant is responsible for all insurance policy premiums, deductibles, or SIR (self-insured retentions) or any loss or portion of any loss that is not covered by any available insurance policy.

All insurance policies must be issued by companies of recognized responsibility licensed to do business in Florida and must contain a provision that prohibits cancellation unless the City is provided notice as stated within the policy. It is the Consultant's responsibility to provide notice to the City.

B. WAIVER OF SUBROGATION: All required insurance policies are to be endorsed with a waiver of subrogation. The insurance companies, by proper endorsement or thru other means, agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the City, its officers, officials, employees and volunteers, and the City's insurance carriers, for losses paid under the terms of these policies that arise from the contractual relationship or work performed by the Consultant for the City. It is the Consultant's responsibility to notify their insurance company of the Waiver of Subrogation and request written authorization or the proper endorsement. Additionally, the Consultant, its officers, officials, agents, employees, volunteers, and any subcontractors, agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the City and its insurance carriers for any losses paid, sustained or incurred, but not covered by insurance, that arise from the contractual relationship or work performed. This waiver also applies to any deductibles or self-insured retentions the Consultant or its agents may be responsible for.

C. POLICY FORM

i. All policies, required by this Contract, with the exception of Workers Compensation, or unless specific approval is given by Risk Management through the City's Purchasing Office, are to be written on an occurrence basis, shall name the City of North Port, its Commissioners, officers, agents, employees and volunteers as additional insured as their interest may appear under this Contract. Insurer(s), with the exception of Workers Compensation, shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the City of North Port, its Commissioners, officers, agents, employees or volunteers.

ii. Insurance requirements itemized in this Contract, and required of the Consultant, shall be provided by or on behalf of all subcontractors to cover their operations performed under this Contract.

The Consultant shall be held responsible for any modifications, deviations, or omissions in these insurance requirements as they apply to subcontractors.

iii. Each insurance policy required by this Contract shall:

a. Apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made and suit is brought, except with respect to limits of the insurer's liability.

b. Be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be suspended, voided or cancelled by either party except after notice is delivered in accordance with the policy provisions. The Consultant is to notify the City Purchasing Office by written notice via certified mail, return receipt requested.

iv. The City shall retain the right to review, at any time, coverage, form, and amount of insurance.

v. The procuring of required policies of insurance shall not be construed to limit Consultant's liability nor to fulfill the indemnification provisions and requirements of this Contract. The extent of Consultant's

liability for indemnity of the City shall not be limited by insurance coverage or lack thereof, or unreasonably delayed for any reason, including but not limited to, insurance coverage disputes between the Consultant and its carrier.

vi. The Consultant shall be solely responsible for payment of all premiums for insurance contributing to the satisfaction of this Contract and shall be solely responsible for the payment of all deductibles and retentions to which such policies are subject, whether or not the City is an insured under the policy.

vii. Claims Made Policies will be accepted for hazardous materials and such other risks as are authorized by the City's Purchasing Office. All Claims Made Policies contributing to the satisfaction of the insurance requirements herein shall have an extended reporting period option or automatic coverage of not less than two (2) years. If provided as an option, the Consultant agrees to purchase the extended reporting period on cancellation or termination unless a new policy is affected with a retroactive date, including at least the last policy year.

viii. Certificates of Insurance evidencing Claims Made or Occurrences form coverage and conditions to this Contract, as well as the Contract number and description of work, are to be furnished to the City's Purchasing Office (4970 City Hall Boulevard, Suite 337, North Port, FL 34286) prior to commencement of work AND a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days prior to expiration of the insurance contract when applicable. All insurance certificates shall be received by the City's Purchasing Office before the Consultant will be allowed to commence or continue work. The Certificate of Insurance issued by the underwriting department of the insurance carrier shall certify compliance with the insurance requirements provided herein.

ix. Notices of Accidents (Occurrences) and Notices of Claims associated with work being performed under this Contract shall be provided to the Consultant's insurance company and the City's Purchasing Office as soon as practicable after notice to the insured.

**22. INDEMNITY:** The Consultant shall indemnify and hold harmless the City, its Commissioners, officers and employees, from all liabilities, damages, losses and costs (including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees and court costs, whether such fees and costs are incurred in negotiations, at the trial level or on appeal, or in the collection of attorneys' fees), to the extent caused by the negligence, recklessness, or intentionally wrongful conduct of the Consultant, or Consultant's officers, employees, agents, and other persons employed or utilized by the Consultant in the performance of, or the failure to perform, the Agreement.

In the event of a claim, the City shall promptly notify the Consultant in writing by prepaid certified mail (return receipt requested) or by delivery through any nationally recognized courier service (such as Federal Express or UPS) which provides evidence of delivery, at the address provided for receipt of notices in this Agreement. Such notification may also be provided by fax transmission.

The City shall provide all available information and assistance that the Consultant may reasonably require regarding any claim. This agreement for indemnification shall survive termination or completion of the Agreement. The insurance coverage and limits required in this Contract may or may not be adequate to protect the City and such insurance coverage shall not be deemed a limitation on the Consultant's liability under the indemnity provided in this section. In any proceedings between the parties arising out of or related to this Indemnity provision, the prevailing party shall be reimbursed all costs, expenses and reasonable attorney fees through all proceedings (at both trial and appellate levels).

Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to affect the rights, privileges and immunities of the City as set forth in Florida Statute § 768.28.

- 23. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST - CITY OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES OR BOARD MEMBERS:** The Florida Code of Ethics regulates the ability of the City to contract with its public officers (including board members), employees, and their immediate relatives. Respondents shall disclose any such potential conflicts on the provided Conflict of Interest Form. Respondents are responsible for reviewing Florida Statute §112.313 to determine whether they may have a conflict. If Respondent is in doubt as to their ability to contract with the City, they shall seek a conflict of interest opinion from the City Manager or their designated representative prior to submittal of a response.
- 24. DISCLOSURE FORM FOR CONSULTANT/ENGINEER/ARCHITECT:** The purpose of this disclosure form is to allow the City to identify actual or potential ‘financial’ or ‘other interests’ (as defined in the form) which may adversely affect, or have the appearance of adversely affecting, the City’s interest in the award of this contract. The City reserves the right to reject any proposal, terminate negotiations, or terminate any subsequent contract deemed to have an unacceptable conflict of interest.
- 25. COLLECTION OF FEES, ASSESSMENTS AND TAXES:** By acceptance of an Agreement, the Successful Contractor acknowledges compliance with the requirement that all delinquent and currently due fees, and taxes have been paid. The City may require verification and satisfaction of all delinquencies and currently due fees, assessment and taxes prior to submittal due date. City will conduct annual review for any fees, assessments and taxes.
- 26. NON-DISCRIMINATION:** The City of North Port does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, family or religious status in administration of its programs, activities or services. Pursuant to Subsection 287.134(2)(a), F.S., “ an entity or affiliate who has been placed on the discriminatory vendor list may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids, proposals, or replies on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or Contractor under a contract with any public entity; and may not transact business with any public entity.”
- 27. CONTACT PROHIBITION:** All prospective Proposers are hereby instructed NOT to contact any member of the City of North Port Commission, City Manager, or City of North Port staff member other than the authorized City contact person identified in this Solicitation, or their designated Procurement staff member, regarding this solicitation package, or their submittal package, City's Intent to Award, or City's Intent to Reject (if applicable) at any time prior to the formal award for this project. Any such contact shall be cause for rejection of your submittal.
- 28. STATE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:** Any Proposer required by Florida law to register to do business in this state shall either be registered or have applied for registration with the Florida Department of State in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 607, 608, 617, or 621, Florida Statutes, unless they are exempt. A copy of the registration/application will be required prior to award of an Agreement. Any partnership submitting a response to this solicitation shall have complied with the applicable provisions of Chapter 620, Florida Statutes
- 29. ASSIGNMENT:** The Contractor shall not assign any interest in this Agreement and shall not transfer any interest in same (whether by assignment or novation) without prior written consent of the City Manager or designee, except that claims for the money due or to become due the Contractor from the City under this Agreement may be assigned to a financial institution or to a trustee in bankruptcy without such approval from the City. Notice of such transfer or assignment due to bankruptcy shall be promptly given to the City.

**30. AMENDMENT:** This Agreement constitutes the sole and complete understanding between the parties and supersedes all agreements between them, whether oral or written with respect to the subject matter. No amendment, change or addendum to this Agreement is enforceable unless agreed to in writing by both parties and incorporated into this Agreement. The City Manager or designee may agree to amendments that do not increase compensation to Contractor.

**31. DECLARATION OF EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORD:** Pursuant to Florida Statute § 119.071 (1)(b)(2), all submittals are exempt from public record until such time as the City provides notice of an intended decision or until 30 days after opening the replies, whichever is earlier.

**FLORIDA PUBLIC RECORDS LAW.** In accordance with Chapter 119 of the Florida Statutes, and, except as may be provided by Chapter 119 of the Florida Statutes and other applicable State and Federal Laws, all Proposers should be aware that the Proposal and the responses thereto are in the public domain and are available for public inspection and copying. If the Proposer is asserting that certain information in its proposal is confidential and/or proprietary and/or exempt from public disclosure, then the Proposer is required to do the following: (1) identify, with specificity, the information which the Proposer asserts is confidential and/or proprietary and/or exempt from public disclosure, (2) place such information (including any applicable electronic media on which such information is contained) in a sealed envelope that is separate from the Proposer's other proposal documents, (3) clearly label the envelope that contains the confidential, proprietary and/or exempt information as follows: "EXEMPT FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE" with Proposer's name and the Bid number marked on the outside, and (4) specifically cite the applicable Florida Statute(s) that exempts such information from public disclosure - such citation must be placed on the sealed envelope and also on a separate document contained within the sealed envelope along with any relevant explanations. The envelope that contains the Proposer's confidential/proprietary/exempt information must be submitted with the Proposer's other proposal documents.

Proposer is advised that failure to follow the aforementioned instructions may result in Proposer's alleged confidential/proprietary/exempt information being disclosed to the public. All submittals received in response to this Bid will become the property of the City of North Port and will not be returned. In the event of an award, all documentation produced as part of the contract will become the exclusive property of the City.

Be aware that the designation of an item as exempt from public disclosure by a Proposer may be challenged in court by any person or entity. By designation of material in your Bid submittal as exempt from public disclosure, Bidder agrees to defend the City of North Port (and its employees, agents and elected and appointed officials) against all claims and actions (whether or not a lawsuit is commenced) related to Proposer's designation of material as exempt from public disclosure and to hold harmless the City of North Port (and its employees, agents and elected and appointed officials) for any award to a plaintiff for damages, costs and attorneys' fees, and for costs and attorneys' fees incurred by the City by reason of any claim or action related to you designation of material as exempt from public disclosure.

**32. PUBLIC RECORDS:** In accordance with Florida Statutes 119.0701, Contractor shall comply with all public records laws, and shall specifically:

1. Keep and maintain public records required by the CITY to perform the service.
  - a. The timeframes and classifications for records retention requirements must be in accordance with the General Records Schedule GS1-SL for State and Local Government Agencies. (See <http://dos.state.fl.us/library-archives/records-management/general-records-schedules/>).

- b. "Public records" means and includes those items specified in Florida Statutes 119.011(12), as amended from time to time, and currently defined as: All documents, papers, letters, maps, books, tapes, photographs, films, sound recordings, data processing software, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received pursuant to law or ordinance or in connection with the transaction of official business with the City. Contractor's records under this Agreement include but are not limited to, supplier/subcontractor invoices and contracts, project documents, meeting notes, emails and all other documentation generated during this Agreement.
2. Upon request from the City's custodian of public records, provide the CITY, at no cost, with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided for by law. All records kept electronically must be provided to the City, upon request from the City's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the City.
  3. Ensure that project records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the contract term and, if the Contractor does not transfer the records to City following completion of the contract, for the time period specified in General Records Schedule GS1-SL for State and Local Government Agencies.
  4. Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost, to the City all public records in Contractor's possession or keep and maintain public records required by the City to perform the service. If the Contractor transfers all public records to the City upon completion of the contract, the Contractor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Contractor keeps and maintains public records upon the completion of the contract, the Consultant shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records.
  5. **IF THE CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE CONSULTANT'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS, 4970 CITY HALL BOULEVARD, NORTH PORT, FLORIDA 34286, (941) 429-7056 OR HOTLINE 429-7270; EMAIL [Publicrecordsrequest@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:Publicrecordsrequest@cityofnorthport.com).**
  6. Failure of the Contractor to comply with these requirements shall be a material breach of this Agreement. Further, the Contractor may be subject to penalties under Florida Statutes 119.10.

**The Consultant acknowledges that they have read the above information and agrees to comply with all the above RFP requirements.**

**33. SUNSHINE LAW EXEMPTIONS:** The exemption under F.S. §286.0113 provides that for all "competitive solicitations:"

- Any portion of a meeting at which a negotiation with a vendor is conducted pursuant to a competitive solicitation,
- Any portion of a meeting at which a vendor makes an oral presentation as part of a competitive solicitation,

- Any portion of a meeting at which a vendor answers questions as part of a competitive solicitation, or
- Any portion of a team meeting at which negotiation strategies are discussed is exempt from s. [286.0113](#) and s. 24(b), Art. I of the State Constitution.

An exemption from the Sunshine law means that the meeting does not have to be noticed, open to the public or have minutes taken. The statute does provide that a verbatim recording of the meeting must be made. The recording and any records presented at the meeting are also exempt from public records disclosure until 30 days after opening of the bids, proposals or replies, or notice of an intended decision, whichever is earlier. The exemption does not apply to the evaluation/ranking portion of a Selection Committee meeting, the approval of a Respondent to negotiate with, or approval of the final Contract.

**34. REPLIES ARE SUBJECT TO PUBLIC INSPECTION:** Unless exempted by law, all public records are subject to public inspection and copying under Florida's Public Records Law, Chapter 119, F.S. A time-limited exemption from public inspection is provided for the contents of a reply pursuant to Section 119.071(1)(b), F.S. Once that exemption expires, all contents of a reply become subject to public inspection unless another exemption applies. Any claim of trade secret exemption for any information contained in a Respondent's reply to this solicitation will be waived upon opening of the reply by the Owner, unless the claimed trade secret information is submitted in accordance with this Section. This waiver includes any information included in the Respondent's reply outside of the separately bound document described below.

**35. NON-EXCLUSIVITY:** No guarantee of certain services, volume of work, or quantity of projects is implied. This contract does not entitle any firm to exclusive rights to City of North Port contracts. The City reserves the right to acquire professional services from other firms or perform "in-house" services for any purpose as it deems appropriate. The City may, in its sole discretion, procure the services of any consultants at any time for any project other than those selected.

**36. SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES:** A. As required by section 287.135(5), Florida Statutes, for contracts of \$1,000,000.00 or less, when submitting a bid or proposal, and prior to entering into a contract with the City, every person or entity shall certify on a form provided by the City, that it is not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to section 215.4725, Florida Statutes, and that it is not engaged in a boycott of Israel.

B. As required by section 287.135(5), Florida Statutes, for contracts of \$1,000,000.00 or more, when submitting a bid or proposal, and prior to entering into a contract with the City, every person or entity shall certify on a form provided by the City, that all of the following are true:

1. It is not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to section 215.4725, Florida Statutes, and that it is not engaged in a boycott of Israel; and
2. It is not on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan list or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Iran Petroleum Energy Sector list, created pursuant to section 215.473, Florida Statutes; and
3. It is not engaged in business operations in Cuba or Syria.

C. PENALTY:

1. If a false certification is submitted or the person or entity has been placed on one of the above-noted Lists of Scrutinized Companies or has engaged in business operations in Cuba or Syria, the person or entity will be in breach of the Contract terms and the City may terminate the Contract.

2. A person or entity that has been found to have provided a false certification may be subject to a civil penalty equal to the greater of \$2 million or twice the amount of the Contract, plus all reasonable attorney's fees and costs, including any costs for investigations that led to the finding of the false certification; and
3. A person or entity that has been found to have provided a false certification shall be ineligible to bid on any contract with the City for three (3) years after the date the City determined that a false certification has been submitted.

**37. JOINT VENTURES:** The joint venture must be in place at the time of submittal. Firms who submit a proposal as a "joint venture" must clearly indicate in their proposal the name of the "joint venture" and the individual participants. All documents must be executed/signed and notarized by all parties involved as participants in the "joint venture". A copy of the formal "joint venture" contract between all parties, indicating their respective roles, responsibilities (e.g., agreement of the joint venture relative to the type of work, the dollar levels of participation and percentage of total fees based on location, where applicable) shall be included with the "joint venture" proposal submittal. One firm will take the lead as point of contact and awardee; how you work it out with your partnering firm is up to you. The City contract is with one entity, and one check is issued.

**38. SUB-CONSULTANTS:** A Sub-Consultant is an individual or firm contracted by the Consultant or Consultant's firm to assist in the performance of services required under this RFP. A Sub-Consultant shall be paid through Consultant or Consultant's firm and not paid directly by the City. Sub-Consultants are allowed by the City in the performance of the services delineated within this RFP. Consultant must clearly reflect in its Proposal the major Sub-Consultant(s) to be utilized in the performance of required services. The City retains the right to accept or reject any Sub-Consultant proposed in the response of Successful Consultant(s) or prior to contract execution. Any and all liabilities regarding the use of a Sub-Consultant shall be borne solely by the successful consultant and insurance for each Sub-Consultant must be maintained in good standing and approved by the City throughout the duration of the Contract. Neither Successful Consultant nor any of its Sub-Consultants are considered to be employees or agents of the City. Failure to list all Sub-Consultants and provide the required information may disqualify any proposed Sub-Consultant from performing work under this RFP.

Consultants shall include in their responses the requested Sub-Consultant information and include all relevant information required of the Consultant. In addition, within five (5) working days after the identification of the award to the successful Consultant(s), the Consultant shall provide a list confirming the Sub-Consultant(s) that the Successful Consultant intends to utilize in the Contract, if applicable. The list shall include, at a minimum, the name, and location of the place of business for each Sub-Consultant, the services Sub-Consultant will provide relative to any contract that may result from this RFP, Sub-consultant's hourly rates or fees, any applicable licenses, references, ownership, and other information required of Consultant.

**39. PRIOR CITY WORK:** If your firm has prior experience working with the City **DO NOT** assume this prior work is known to the evaluation committee. All firms are evaluated solely on the information contained in their proposal, information obtained from references, interviews, or presentations if requested. All submittals must be prepared as if the evaluation committee has no knowledge of the firm, their qualifications or past projects. Prior work done for the City may be used as a reference submitted by the Respondent if it is submitted within their proposal and similar to the work being requested in this RFP.

**40. USE OF INFORMATION FROM OTHER SOURCES:** The City of North Port reserves the right to consider historic information and fact, whether gained from the submitted proposal, question and answer conferences, references, and/or other sources in the evaluation process.

The City reserves the right to conduct investigations as deemed necessary by the City to assist in the evaluation of any proposal and to establish the responsibility, qualifications and financial ability of Offerors, subcontractors, suppliers and other persons and organizations to perform and furnish the work in accordance with the documents.

- 41. DISCREPANCIES, ERRORS AND OMISSIONS:** Any discrepancies, errors, or ambiguities in the RFP or addenda (if any) should be reported in writing to the City's Purchasing Department. Should it be necessary, a written addendum will be incorporated to the RFP. The City will NOT be responsible for any oral instructions, clarifications, or other communications.
- 42. DISQUALIFICATION:** The City reserves the right to disqualify responses before or after the submission date, upon evidence of collusion with intent to defraud or other illegal practices on the part of the Consultant. It also reserves the right to waive any immaterial defect or informality in any Responses, to reject any or all Responses in whole or in part, or to reissue a Request for Qualifications.
- 43. RESPONSES / PROPOSAL RECEIPT:** Sealed Responses will be accepted in accordance with the schedule detailed on the cover of this RFP. After that date and time, Responses will not be accepted. The Consultant shall file all documents necessary to support its Proposal and shall include them with its Proposal. Consultants shall be responsible for the actual delivery of Responses during business hours to the exact address indicated on the cover and in the RFP.

**The Contractor acknowledges that they have read the above information and agrees to comply with all the above RFP requirements.**

**END OF PART I**

## PART II – SCOPE OF SERVICE

- 1.1 **Scope of Services:** The scope of work is a general guide to the work the City expects to be performed by the Consultant and is not a complete listing of all services that may be required or desired. The engineering services include designing, permitting, bidding assistance and providing construction phase services associated with an Emergency Generator to serve City Hall. The project will include the evaluation of the City Hall building to determine the best overall options for the City.
- 1.2 **Project Description:** The Respondent awarded this contract shall provide Building, Electrical Mechanical and Plumbing Engineering services including construction documents (signed and sealed plans and specifications) and required permitting for the new permanent generator and associated transfer switches and panel; plumbing design for fuel supply line design to the new generator and structural engineering for the new concrete slab for the generator and fuel tank and perimeter wall with flood vents for the generator. Scope of services will include: coordination meetings with City staff (as necessary), construction documents and specifications, permitting, responses to and Building Department reviews, construction administration services such as shop drawings reviews, requests for information, and visits to observation of work.
- 1.3 **Funding/ Grant information:** This project will be partially funded by FEMA and as such shall with all FEMA requirements as set forth within the Federally-Funded Subaward and Grant Agreement, Agreement Number H0131, Project Number 4337-28-R, and any subsequent grant agreement modifications (“Grant Agreement”) between the City of North Port and the State of Florida Division of Emergency Management. The grant agreement has been included within **Attachment A**. The Respondent must carefully review and become familiar with the Grant Agreement conditions that govern this contract. All state and federal requirements contained within the grant agreement are applicable to the respondent.

### **Compliance requirements with the following Federal Resources apply to this project:**

- 2 CFR Part 200 Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards
  - The Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Public Law 93-288, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 5121 et seq., and Related Authorities
  - Sections 1361(A) of the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 4104c, as amended by the National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994, Public Law 103-325 and the Bunning-Bereuter- Blumenauer Flood Insurance Reform Act of 2004, Public Law 108-264 31CFR Part 205 Rules and Procedures for Funds Transfer
- 1.4 **The intent of this RFP** is to invite Engineering firms (Consultants) to provide proposals for the design, surveying services, permitting, bidding assistance and construction phase services associated with the design of the City Hall Emergency Generator. Work includes but is not limited to the following:
- Kickoff meeting
  - Data request list
  - Attendance at progress meetings with the City Staff as needed
  - Evaluation of City Hall and current backup power center and recommendation to the City
  
  - Development of Specifications

- Review 30%, 60% and 90% plans and Specifications with City
- Engineer's Estimate of Probable Construction Cost
- Permit applications
- Final signed and sealed Plans, permits, detailed bid form, Technical Specifications and details
- Attend Pre-Bid meeting for construction
- Answer any requests for additional information during the bidding process for construction
- Construction phase services to include evaluation of submittals, RFIs, change orders, inspections, certifications, and record drawings.
- Make a recommendation based on bids received
- After construction, certification of construction and record drawings

1.5 **Project Requirements:** This work shall include the following engineering services for the design, permitting, and bidding assistance for the design of the Emergency Backup power facilities that will serve the City Hall complex.

- a. Preparation of all required drawings, engineering studies, analysis and associated reports and permit applications, as required, for the DOH, FDEP, SWFWMD, and City of North Port Staff Development Review.
- b. Prepare Specifications and Final Design plan documents and bid forms. This is to include but not limited to 100% complete construction documents.
- c. Prepare Engineer's opinion of probable construction cost.
- d. Bid phase services to include attending pre-bid meeting, response to bid questions and preparation of any needed bid addendum.
- e. Upon receiving bids conduct evaluation of bids and make recommendation to the City regarding the lowest responsive and responsible bidder unless other criteria are specified in the request for bids.
- f. Construction phase services to include review of submittals, construction inspections, certification of construction completion and record drawings.

The selected firm shall understand that time is of the essence for this project and shall complete the project on the following schedule. Although it is anticipated the City will respond sooner, the City shall have a minimum of ten business days to review and submit comments for each submittal. Design, permitting, final plans and specifications must be completed within 104 days of the written Notice to Proceed authorization.

Information provided in Part I, General Instructions, Paragraph 1, Purpose, of this RFP, is included in this Part II, Scope of Service, by reference.

**END OF PART II**

### PART III – EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

**EVALUATION METHOD AND CRITERIA:** All proposals will be subject to a review and evaluation process. It is the intent of the City that all proposers responding to this RFP, who meet the requirements, will be ranked in accordance with the criteria established in these documents. The City will consider all responsive and responsible proposals received in its evaluation and award process.

Proposals shall include all of the information solicited in this RFP, and any additional data that the Proposer deems pertinent to the understanding and evaluating of the proposal. Proposers should not withhold any information from the written response in anticipation of presenting the information orally or in a demonstration, since oral presentations or demonstrations **may not** be solicited.

During the evaluation process and at the sole discretion of the City, requests for clarification of one or more proposer submittals may be conducted. This request for clarification may be performed by the City in a written format, or through scheduled oral interviews. Such clarification request will provide proposers with an opportunity to answer any questions the City may have on a proposer’s submittal.

**AWARD CRITERIA:** Award will be made according to State of Florida statute 287.055 also known as the Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act (CCNA). Firms are ranked according to the evaluation criteria which will include, but shall not be limited to, considerations listed under Part II- THROUGH IV. The City shall be the sole judge as to the merits of the proposal(s), and the resulting agreement to the most qualified, responsive, and responsible proposer(s), who fulfills all requirements, and whose evaluation by the City indicates that the award will be in the best interest of the City. The City’s decision will be final. The City will initiate negotiations with the top ranked firm. If negotiations with the top ranked firm are not successful negotiations will begin with number two and then three if necessary.

**EVALUATION CRITERIA:** Proposals will be reviewed by staff from the City of North Port and evaluated based on the format and content outlined in this proposal as follows:

- Remarks:** The assigned value is judged on a scale of **0 through 5**
- 0=Information/documentation provided is not adequate for evaluation**
  - 1=Poor, Unacceptable, Needs major help to be acceptable**
  - 2=Marginal, Weak, Workable but needs clarifications**
  - 3=Good, No major weaknesses, Fully Acceptable as is**
  - 4=Excellent, Very good, Solid in all respects**
  - 5=Outstanding, out-of-the-box, Innovative**

<i>Evaluation Criteria</i>	<i>Value</i>	<i>Assigned Value</i>	<i>Weight 1-10</i>	<i>Score</i>
<b>QUALIFICATIONS OF FIRM</b>	<b>0-5</b>		<b>X 2</b>	= 10 max
<b>KEY PERSONNEL</b>	<b>0-5</b>		<b>X 4</b>	= 20 max
<b>PROJECT UNDERSTANDING &amp; APPROACH</b>	<b>0-5</b>		<b>X 3</b>	= 15 max
<b>PROFICIENCY IN SIMILAR PROJECTS</b>	<b>0-5</b>		<b>X 7</b>	= 35 max
<b>OVERALL IMPRESSION OF THE FIRM, ITS CAPABILITIES &amp; REFERENCES</b>	<b>0-5</b>		<b>X 4</b>	= 20 max
<b>SUB-TOTAL</b>				<b>= 100 max</b>

THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA WILL BE VERIFIED BY PURCHASING AND PROVIDED AT THE EVALUATION MEETING:				
<b>Litigation – have you been names as a defendant or co-defendant in a lawsuit in the past five years</b> <b>If so, describe circumstances and outcome, including Case Number, Case Name and Court</b>	<b>0 or 1</b>		<b>X 1</b>	= 1 max
MBE/WBE/VBE Certification A. Certified Minority Value of 3 B. Non-certified or N/A Value of 0	<b>0 or 3</b>		<b>X 1</b>	= 3 max
<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>				<b>104 Max</b>
<b>REMARKS:</b> Litigation has a point value of either <b>0 or 1</b> . Minority, Women, and Veteran Owned Business Enterprise have a point value of either <b>0 or 3</b> – applies only to prime consultant and certificate must be submitted with proposal.				

**SCORING:**

1. The Committee will score their evaluations independently through raw scores and the raw scores will be converted to ordinal score.
  - a) Committee member will score each Proposer 0 through 5 (5 being the highest score) on each criterion, unless the score for the criteria score is processed with a calculated formula.
  - b) The score will be multiplied by the criteria weight. The total raw score obtainable is 100 and bonus points (applicable preference points) will be added to the total points scored.
  - c) Each total raw score will be converted to an ordinal score.
  
2. Ordinal Scores are determined as the order of preference based on the individual member’s raw scores.
  - a) The highest raw score will receive an ordinal score of one, 2nd highest raw score will receive an ordinal score of 2, and so on.
  - b) The individual ordinal score for each proposer by each committee member are added together for a total ordinal score.
  
3. The lowest total ordinal score will be ranked as #1, 2nd lowest ranked as #2 and so on.
  
4. The Committee will meet in a public meeting to discuss the responses, scoring, ranking, and all issues related to the project. The committee members have the right to either:
  - a) Adjust their scoring based on committee discussion; or
  - b) Re-rank the proposers based on committee discussion; or
  - c) Determine a ranking by the consensus of the committee.
  
5. The Committee will hold a ‘closed’ meeting (telephone discussions) with each of the proposers to further clarify the City’s requirements and the Proposer’s proposals prior to the public ranking meeting.

**SELECTION – EVALUATIONS, RANKING AND TELEPHONE DISCUSSIONS:** The Selection Committee shall evaluate and rank the proposals submitted by all responsive firms. Telephone discussions will be held with all firms submitting prior to ranking. Discussions are **not** open to the public Please see schedule below and ensure that a representative of your firm will be available via telephone when called by the Selection Committee. Each of the firms will be contacted via e-mail and

informed of the time that the discussions will begin. The firms **may be** provided with additional information regarding the project requirements along with written questions from the selection committee. The discussions will be conducted with submitting firms in alphabetical order, with an anticipated time frame not to exceed 15 minutes with each firm being called consecutively.

As stated above, discussions will be held via telephone utilizing the telephone number listed on the signature page of the submittal form. It is each firm's responsibility to have the appropriate personnel at that telephone site or respond to the questions and/or clarification. Once the telephone discussions (are **not** "Open" to the public) are completed, the Selection Committee will commence the discussions, evaluations and ranking portion of the meeting (which **is** "Open" to the public).

The firm ranked number one by the Selection Committee will be the firm recommended for contract negotiations. In accordance with §287.055, Purchasing on behalf of the Selection committee shall forward their recommendation to the City Manager in rank order the response or responses of which the Selection Committee deems to be in the best interest of the City. Purchasing shall be request the City Manager to authorize staff to negotiate a contract with the number one (top) ranked consultant. Following the negotiations, a final contract will be presented for City Commission approval.

**If presentations are not requested:** Contract negotiations will then commence with the top ranked firm pending City Manager approval. The department will prepare the agenda item for the next available commission meeting and request the City Commission to approve the contract and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract with the top ranked, responsive and responsible firm.

**If presentations are requested** - Formal Oral Presentations: Purchasing will establish the schedule and proposers will be notified within a reasonable time period (date provided below), in advance of the date, time and place of the presentations. The specific format of each presentation will be provided to proposers with the notifications. Oral presentations will **NOT** be open to the public.

The City will allot equal time for each proposer. The format may consist of formal presentations, questions and answers, and discussion for clarification purposes. Oral presentations will provide an opportunity for the proposers to demonstrate their ability to use time efficiently, effectively and economically. The times allotted are maximums and no firm will be penalized for using less than the allotted time.

**Final Ranking (if presentations are requested) and Recommendation for Award:** Upon completion of the oral presentations, the Committee will rank the top three proposers on their oral presentations to determine the top ranked proposer considered to be the most capable of performing the required project in the best interest of the City. The Department will prepare the agenda item for the next available commission meeting requesting the City Commission approve the contract and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract with the top ranked, responsive and responsible firm.

Upon completion of the telephone discussions or oral presentations, the Committee will rank the proposals to determine the top ranked proposer. Committee recommendation will be submitted to the City Manager for approval to commence negotiations with the top ranked firm.

**SCHEDULE:** The anticipated schedule for this project is as follows:

Timeline of Events	Event Time	Event Date
Issuance of Proposal	8:00 AM	September 13, 2019
Pre-Proposal Meeting	10:00 AM	September 23, 2019
Deadline to submit questions/clarifications	2:00 PM	October 8, 2019
Submittal Due Date	2:00 PM	October 15, 2019
Telephone Discussions/Oral Presentations <b>(Closed to Public),</b>	9:00 AM	October 25, 2019
Evaluation and Ranking Committee Meeting <b>(Open to Public)</b>	2:00 PM CITY HALL, ROOM 244	October 25, 2019
Negotiations Team Meeting <b>(Closed to Public)</b>	1:00 PM	November 1, 2019
Contract to Commission	Commission Chambers - TBD	TBD

**END OF PART III**

## PART IV – RULES, FORMAT AND FORMS FOR PREPARING PROPOSALS

### 1. RULES FOR PROPOSALS

- A. The proposal must name all persons or entities interested in the proposals as principals of the Project Team. The proposal must declare it is made without collusion with any other person or entity submitting a proposal pursuant to this RFP.
- B. Any questions regarding a project or submittal shall be **directed to Purchasing**. There shall not be any contact between a Proposer and any member of the selection committee or negotiating committee or any member of the City Commission regarding the project or proposal submitted by any Proposer. Any Proposer contacting any committee member or member of the City Commission regarding a submitted proposal is subject to sanctions up to and including having the City disqualify that firm's submittal.
- C. The Proposal Forms shall be used when submitting a Proposal. Use of any other forms shall result in the Proposer's submittal being deemed "Non-Responsive."
- D. The Proposal will be typed. The Proposer's authorized agent will sign the Proposal Forms in **blue ink**, and all corrections made by the Proposer shall be initialed in ink by the authorized agent. The use of pencil or erasable ink or failure to comply with any of the foregoing may result in the rejection of the Proposal.
- E. Proposer Registration with either the City or DemandStar is **not** required. The City utilizes [www.DemandStar.com](http://www.DemandStar.com) for their vendor database system: planholder list, and notification availability (ie. Addenda, Sign-In Sheets, Notice of Intent, etc.). Registration with DemandStar is **not** required to submit a Proposal. The City does **not** require the Proposer to complete a registration application with DemandStar to be recommended for the award of any Agreement. DemandStar is the City's method of notification for formal solicitations including but not limited to, addenda, sign-in, plans, tabsheets, Notice of Intent and any other related documents. Registration with DemandStar is optional, at the sole discretion of the Proposer. Proposers may register on-line at [www.DemandStar.com](http://www.DemandStar.com) or by requesting a faxed registration form by calling 800. 711.1712. **Note: If you are already registered with DemandStar for either the City of North Port, you do NOT need to register again.**

### 2. PROPOSAL FORMAT/REQUIREMENTS

Proposers shall include the following information in their written proposal document and should use the following format when compiling their responses. Sections should be tabbed and labeled; pages should be sequentially numbered at the bottom of the page.

**TITLE PAGE:** Title Page shall show the request for proposal's subject, title and proposal number; the firm's legal name; points of contact information (name, telephone, cell, fax number and E-mail address).

**TABLE OF CONTENTS:** The Table of Contents shall provide listing of all major topics, their associated section number, and starting page. **(Maximum 1 page)**

**TAB 1 - TRANSMITTAL LETTER:** Provide a Letter of Interest indicating the project for which the firm is applying, and your firm's commitment to the project. The response shall contain a cover letter signed in **blue ink** by a person who is authorized to commit the firm to perform the work included in the proposal and should identify all materials and enclosures being forwarded in response to the RFP. **(Maximum 2 pages)**

**TAB 2 - QUALIFICATIONS OF THE FIRM:** Provide documentation that demonstrates the ability to satisfy all of the minimum qualification requirements. Indicate the firm's number of years of experience in providing the professional services as it relates specifically to the project. Indicate business structure, IE: Corp., Partnership, LLC. Firm should be registered as a legal entity in the State of Florida; Minority/Woman owned/Veteran Business (if applicable); Company address, phone number, fax number, E-Mail address, web site, contact person(s), etc. Relative size of the firm, including management, technical and support staff; licenses and any other pertinent information shall be submitted. **(Maximum 4 pages)**

**TAB 3 – KEY PERSONNEL/QUALIFICATIONS OF THE PROJECT TEAM:** List the members of the project team and include an organizational chart. Provide and identify the key designer on the project and a list of the personnel with their qualifications. A brief resume including education, experience, licenses and any other pertinent information shall be included for each team member, for each project, including subconsultants to be assigned to each project. Provide any other documentation that demonstrates their ability to satisfy all the minimum qualification requirements. Submittals that do not contain such documentation may be deemed non-responsive. **Provide a statement indicating the lead designer will not be substituted without the express permission of the City. (Maximum 5 pages)**

**TAB 4 - TEAM'S PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE/PROFICIENCY IN SIMILAR PROJECTS:** Include a description of relevant projects used to represent your firms' experience in similar projects. Include each representative project your firm has completed in the past 10 years but do not exceed 10 examples. Include information which indicates the involvement of those key personnel that may be assigned to this project. **(Maximum 5 pages)**

**TAB 5 – MANAGEMENT APPROACH/PROJECT CONTROL:** The firm shall demonstrate its capabilities in managing similar completed projects, and evidence of and adherence to time and budget constraints, on projects completed within the last ten (10) years. Also provide information on your firm's current workload and how this project will fit into your workload and the techniques that are planned to assure project schedules will be met. Describe available facilities, technological capabilities and other available resources and cost saving measures you can offer for the project. **(Maximum 5 pages)**

**TAB 6 – EXPERIENCES AND REFERENCES:** Include at least five (5) References within the last 10 years of projects with similar scope as listed in this RFP. The Project Manager and the key design engineer(s) in the proposed project team must show relevant experience in two (2) referenced similar projects. **(Maximum 5 pages)**

Information should include:

- Client Name, address, contact person, title, telephone and FAX numbers and **E-mail addresses**.
- Description of work.
- Project Manager Name /key design engineer
- Year the project was completed
- Total cost of the project.

Please do not include City of North Port employees as references.

***References – Consultant is to contact the references and advise his/her references that the City will be sending an e-mail and reference form which needs to be completed and e-mailed back to the City in a timely fashion.***

**TAB 7 - LITIGATION AND INSURANCE:** Have you been involved in litigation in the last five (5) years? If so, describe circumstances and outcome. The proposer shall advise the amount of liability insurance they carry. **(maximum 2 pages)**

**TAB 8 – ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Any other pertinent information the proposer chooses to provide. **(maximum 3 pages)**

**TAB 9 – SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND REQUIRED SUBMITTAL FORMS:** This checklist is provided to assist each Proposer in the preparation of their response. Included in this checklist are important requirements, which is the responsibility of each Proposer to submit with their response in order to make their response fully compliant.

**A. FORMAT GUIDELINES**

**NUMBER OF PAGES:**

- **shall not exceed (32) pages (one-sided) or (16) pages (two-sided) in length.**

- *(Title Page, Table of Contents, City Required Forms, Resumes and tabs **do not** count towards the 32-page total).*
- **Do not use three ring binders of any kind**

Place proposal with all the required items in a sealed envelope clearly marked for specification number, project name, name of proposer, and due date and time.

**PAPER/FONT SIZE:** 8.5"x11"/Font Calibri 11, PDF FORMAT.

**NUMBER OF ORIGINAL AND COPIES PROPOSALS:**

- **ORIGINAL:** One (1) original hard-copy **UNBOUND** (clearly marked "**ORIGINAL**" on the front page) and *signed* in blue ink.
- **COPIES:** three (3) hard-copies **BOUND** (marked "**COPY**"), signed identical copies.

**USB Flash Drive:** One (1) electronic version in Portable Document Format (PDF) **on a Flash Drive** containing the entire submittal. CDs are **not** acceptable.

Sealed package clearly marked on the outside

**RFP NO. 2020-12 PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF CITY HALL GENERATOR**

**Ginny Duyn, CPPB, Senior Purchasing Administrator  
City of North Port Finance Department/Purchasing Division  
4970 City Hall Boulevard, Suite 337  
North Port, Florida, 34286**

**B. REQUIRED SUBMITTAL FORMS: INCLUDE THIS CHECKLIST**

- Proposal Submittal Signature Form
- Statement of Organization Form
- References – Consultant is to contact the references and advise his/her references that the City will be sending an e-mail and reference form which needs to be completed and e-mailed back to the City in a timely fashion. This form may be used for Tab 6 above and also included with this section.
- Drug-Free Workplace (If Applicable)
- Public Entity Crime Information
- Non-Collusive Affidavit
- Lobbying Certification
- Conflict of Interest Form
- Disclosure Form (Consultant/Engineer/Architect)
- Scrutinized Companies
- Certification regarding debarment, suspension, ineligibility and voluntary exclusion
- State Registration Requirements (<http://www.sunbiz.org/search.html>)  
Proposer shall be registered with the State of Florida to perform the professional services required for this proposal. A copy of Registration must be included with submission.
  - Copy of Registration, Attached
  - State required license for Prime Firm Only (Not sub-consultants)
- SAMPLE INSURANCE CERTIFICATE:** Demonstrate your firm’s ability to comply with insurance requirements. Provide a previous certificate or other evidence listing the Insurance Companies names for both Professional Liability and General Liability and the dollar amounts of the coverage.
  - YES  NO Sample Insurance Certificate is included with the submittal
- MBE/WBE/VBE:** If claiming either Minority Business Enterprise/Women Business Enterprises/Veteran Business Enterprise, the Prime Firm (not sub-consultant) **shall be** certified as a Minority Business Enterprise by the State of Florida, Department of Management Services, Office of Supplier Diversity pursuant to Section 287.0943, Florida Statutes.
  - YES, CLAIMING STATUS AS PRIME ONLY
  - YES, I’VE ATTACHED THE CERTIFICATE OF MBE/WBE STATUS FROM THE STATE OF FLORIDA AS OUTLINED SECTION 1.
  - NOT CLAIMING MBE/WBE /VBE

**PROPOSAL SUBMITTAL SIGNATURE FORM**

The undersigned attests to his/her authority to submit this proposal and to bind the firm herein named to perform as per Agreement, if the firm is awarded the Agreement by the City.

The undersigned further certifies that he/she has read the Request for Proposal, Terms and Conditions, Insurance Requirements and any other documentation relating to this request and this proposal is submitted with full knowledge and understanding of the requirements and time constraints noted herein.

As addenda are considered binding as if contained in the original specifications, it is critical that the firm acknowledge receipt of same. The submittal may be considered void if receipt of an addendum is not acknowledged.

Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_      Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_  
Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_      Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_  
Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_      Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_

**Company Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone #** \_\_\_\_\_      **E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_      **Fax #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Main Office Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_      **State** \_\_\_\_\_      **Zip Code** \_\_\_\_\_

*Address of Office Servicing City of North Port, if different than above:*  SAME AS ABOVE

**Office Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_      **State** \_\_\_\_\_      **Zip Code** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone #** \_\_\_\_\_      **E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_      **Fax #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name & Title of Firm Representative** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_      **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Do you accept Visa?  YES  NO

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**STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION**  
**(Information Sheet for Transactions and Conveyances Corporation Identification)**

The following information will be provided to the City of North Port for incorporation in legal documents. It is, therefore, vital all information is accurate and complete. Please be certain all spelling, and capitalization is exactly as registered with the state or federal government.

**Name of Respondent:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DBA (if any):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Entity** (Sole Proprietor, Corporation, LLC, LLP, Partnership, etc): \_\_\_\_\_

**Business Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name and Title of person authorized to bind:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Federal Identification Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

Respondent shall submit proof that it is authorized to do business in the State of Florida unless registration is not required by law.

**(Please Check One)**

**Is this a Florida Corporation:**  Yes or  No

**If not a Florida Corporation,**

In what state was it created: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as spelled in that State: \_\_\_\_\_

**What kind of corporation is it:**  "For Profit" or  "Not for Profit"

**Is it in good standing:**  Yes or  No

**Authorized to transact business in Florida:**  Yes or  No

State of Florida Department of State Certificate of Authority Document No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**Does it use a registered fictitious name:**  Yes or  No

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**PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF CITY HALL GENERATOR**

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**Names of Officers:**

**President:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Secretary:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Vice President:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Treasurer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Director:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Director:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Corporation (As used in Florida):**

\_\_\_\_\_

(Spelled exactly as it is registered with the state or federal government)

**Corporate Address:**

Post Office Box: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ who  is personally known to me or  has produced his/her driver's license as identification.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public - State of Florida

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Commission No: \_\_\_\_\_

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### REFERENCES/CLIENT LISTING

(The firm shall provide a minimum of five (5) business related references for which they are currently providing or have provided within the last ten (10) years, services similar to the scope of services required by this RFP). Attach additional sheets if necessary.

1. Business/Customer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact Person/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone# \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of Contract or business relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Services Provided \_\_\_\_\_

2. Business/Customer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact Person/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone# \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of Contract or business relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Services Provided \_\_\_\_\_

3. Business/Customer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact Person/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone# \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of Contract or business relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Services Provided \_\_\_\_\_

**COMPANY NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Business/Customer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact Person/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone# \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of Contract or business relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Services Provided \_\_\_\_\_

5. Business/Customer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact Person/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone# \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of Contract or business relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Services Provided \_\_\_\_\_

1	Project Team Name and Title	Years of Experience	City of office the individual will work out of for this project	City individual's office is normally located	City of Individual's residence
<b>2</b>	<b>Magnitude of Company Operations</b>				
	<b>a. Total professional services fees received within last 12 months</b>			\$	
	<b>b. Number of similar projects started within last 12 months:</b>				

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	<b>c. Largest single project to date:</b>	<b>\$</b>		
<b>3</b>	<b>Magnitude of City of North Port Projects</b>			
	<b>a. Number of Current or scheduled County Projects</b>			
	<b>b. Payments received from the City over the past 24 months (based upon executed contracts with the City)</b>	<b>\$</b>		
<b>4.</b>	<b>Sub-Consultant(s) (if applicable)</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>%Of Work To Be Provided</b>	<b>Services to be Provided</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Disclosure of Interest or involvement: List below all private sector clients with whom you have an active pending contract and who have interest within the areas affected by this project. Also include any properties or interest held by your firm, or officers of your firm, within the areas affected by this project.</b>			
	<b>Firm:</b>	<b>Address:</b>		
	<b>Phone #:</b>	<b>E-mail:</b>		
	<b>Contact Name:</b>	<b>Start date &amp; End Date:</b>		
	<b>Project Name/Description:</b>			

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

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**DRUG FREE WORKPLACE FORM**

The undersigned Consultant in accordance with Florida Statute 287.087 hereby certifies that  
\_\_\_\_\_ does:

(Company Name)

1. Publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
2. Inform employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the business's policy of maintaining a drug free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
3. Give each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
4. In the statement specified in subsection (1), notify the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employee will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the employer of any conviction of, or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of Chapter 893 or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction.
5. Impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community, by any employee who is so convicted.
6. Make a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug free workplace through implementation of this section.

**Check one:**

- As the person authorized to sign this statement, I certify that this firm complies fully with above requirements.
- As the person authorized to sign this statement, this firm **does not** comply fully with the above requirements.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Offeror's Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

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**PUBLIC ENTITIY CRIME INFORMATION**

As provided by F.S. §287.133, a person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a Contractor, Supplier, Subcontractor, or Consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being an authorized representative of the Respondent,  
\_\_\_\_\_, located at \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_, have read and understand  
the contents above. I further certify that Respondent is not disqualified from replying to this solicitation because of F.S.  
§287.133.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax #: \_\_\_\_\_

Federal ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_  
who  is personally known to me or  has produced his/her driver's license as identification.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public - State of Florida

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Commission No: \_\_\_\_\_

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**NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT**

State of \_\_\_\_\_  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ } SS.

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared:  
\_\_\_\_\_ who, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that:

1. He/She is the \_\_\_\_\_ (Owner, Partner, Officer, Representative or Agent) of \_\_\_\_\_, the Respondent that has submitted the attached reply;
2. He/She is fully informed respecting the preparation and contents of the attached reply and of all pertinent circumstances respecting such reply;
3. Such reply is genuine and is not a collusive or sham reply;
4. Neither the said Respondent nor any of its officers, partners, owners, agents, representatives, employees or parties in interest, including this affiant, have in any way colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any other respondent, firm, or person to submit a collusive or sham reply in connection with the work for which the attached reply has been submitted; or have in any manner, directly or indirectly sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference with any respondent, firm, or person to fix the price or prices in the attached reply or of any other respondent, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost elements of the reply price or the reply price of any other respondent, or to secure through any collusion, conspiracy, connivance, or unlawful agreement any advantage against (Recipient), or any person interested in the reply work.

Signed, sealed and delivered this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed Name)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title)

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public - State of Florida  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Commission No: \_\_\_\_\_

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**LOBBYING CERTIFICATION**

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

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

This \_\_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_ of 2019

\_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he or she is the authorized representative of \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of the contractor, firm or individual), and that the vendor and any of its agents agree to have no contact or communication with, or discuss any matter related in any way to any active City of North Port solicitation, with any City of North Port elected officials, officers, their appointees or their agents or any other staff or outside individuals working with the city in respect to this request other than the designated Procurement Official Contact and to abide by the restrictions outlined in the General Terms and Conditions of the Solicitation. Technical questions directed to the project manager, is prohibited. These persons shall not be lobbied, either individually or collectively, regarding any questions for bid, proposal, qualification and/or any other solicitations released by the city. To do so is grounds for immediate disqualification from the selection process. The selection process is not considered final until such a time as the Commission has made a final and conclusive determination.

(a) No City 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 either directly or indirectly an officer or employee of the City, City Commission in connection with the awarding of any City Contract.

(b) If any funds other than City appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence a member of City Commission or an officer or employee of the City in connection with this contract, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-L “Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying”, in accordance with its instructions.

Signed, sealed and delivered this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed Name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title)

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019 by \_\_\_\_\_ who  is personally known to me or  has produced his/her driver's license as identification.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public - State of \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Commission No: \_\_\_\_\_

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**CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORM**

F.S. §112.313 places limitations on public officers (including advisory board members) and employees' ability to contract with the City either directly or indirectly. Therefore, please indicate if the following applies:

**PART I.**

- I am an employee, public officer or advisory board member of the City  
\_\_\_\_\_ (List Position Or Board)
- I am the spouse or child of an employee, public officer or advisory board member of the City  
**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_
- An employee, public officer or advisory board member of the City, or their spouse or child, is an officer, partner, director, or proprietor of Respondent or has a material interest in Respondent. "Material interest" means direct or indirect ownership of more than 5 percent of the total assets or capital stock of any business entity. For the purposes of [§112.313], indirect ownership does not include ownership by a spouse or minor child.  
**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_
- Respondent employs or contracts with an employee, public officer or advisory board member of the City  
**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_
- None Of The Above

**PART II:**

Are you going to request an advisory board member waiver?

- I will request an advisory board member waiver under §112.313(12)
- I will NOT request an advisory board member waiver under §112.313(12)
- N/A

The City shall review any relationships which may be prohibited under the Florida Ethics Code and will disqualify any vendors whose conflicts are not waived or exempt.

**COMPANY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**DISCLOSURE FORM**  
**FOR**  
**CONSULTANT/ENGINEER/ARCHITECT**

**Please select (only) one of the following three options:**

Our firm has no actual, potential, or reasonably perceived, **financial\*** or **other interest\*\*** in the outcome of the project.

Our firm has a potential or reasonably perceived **financial\*** or **other interest\*\*** in the outcome of the project as described here: \_\_\_\_\_.

Our firm proposes to mitigate the potential or perceived conflict according to the following plan:  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Our firm has an actual **financial\*** or **other interest\*\*** in the outcome of the project as described here:  
\_\_\_\_\_.

**\*What does “financial interest” mean?**

If your firm, or employee of your firm working on the project (or a member of the employee’s household), will/may be perceived to receive or lose private income depending on the government business choices based on your firm’s findings and recommendations, this must be listed as a financial interest. An example would be ownership in physical assets affected by the government business choices related to this project. The possibility of contracting for further consulting services is not included in this definition and is not prohibited.

**\*\*What does “other interest” mean?**

If your firm, or employee of your firm working on the project (or a member of the employee’s household), will/may be perceived to have political, legal or any other interests that will affect what goes into your firm’s findings and recommendations, or will be/may be perceived to be affected by the government business choices related to this project, this must be listed as another interest.

**BUSINESS NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME (PERSON AUTHORIZED TO BIND THE COMPANY):** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Scrutinized Company Certification Form**

Company Name: _____			
Authorized Representative Name and Title: _____			
Address: _____	City: _____	State: _____	ZIP: _____
Phone Number: _____	Email Address: _____		

A company is ineligible to, and may not, bid on, submit a proposal for, or enter into or renew a contract with the City of North Port for goods or services of any amount if, at the time of bidding on, submitting a proposal for, or entering into or renewing such contract, the company is on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to Florida Statutes, section 215.4725, or is engaged in a boycott of Israel.

A company is ineligible to, and may not, bid on, submit a proposal for, or enter into or renew a contract with the City of North Port for goods or services of \$1 million or more if, at the time of bidding on, submitting a proposal for, or entering into or renewing such contract, the company is on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List, the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, created pursuant to Florida Statutes, section 215.473, or with companies engaged in business operations in Cuba or Syria.

**CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING**

- This bid, proposal, contract or contract renewal is for goods or services of less than \$1 million. As the person authorized to sign on behalf of the above-named company, and as required by Florida Statutes, section 287.135(5), I hereby certify that the above-named company is not participating in a boycott of Israel.
  
- This bid, proposal, contract or contract renewal is for goods or services of \$1 million or more. As the person authorized to sign on behalf of the above-named company, and as required by Florida Statutes, section 287.135(5), I hereby certify that the above-named company is not participating in a boycott of Israel, is not on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, and it does not have business operations in Cuba or Syria.

I understand that pursuant to Florida Statutes, section 287.135, the submission of a false certification may result in the termination of the contract if one is entered into, and may subject the above-named company to civil penalties, attorney's fees and costs.	
Certified By: _____	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE
Print Name and Title: _____	
Date Certified: _____	

**Solicitation/Contract/PO Number (Completed by Purchasing):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Certification Regarding  
Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility  
And Voluntary Exclusion**

**Contractor Covered Transactions**

- (1) The prospective subcontractor of the Recipient, \_\_\_\_\_ certifies, by submission of this document, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- (2) Where the Recipient's subcontractor is unable to certify to the above statement, the prospective contract shall attach an explanation to this form.

**CONTRACTOR**

\_\_\_\_\_  
By: \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Name and Title**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Street Address**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**City, State, Zip**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

City of North Port

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Recipient's Name**

H0131

\_\_\_\_\_  
**DEM Contract umber**

4337-28-R

\_\_\_\_\_  
**FEMA Project Number**

**END OF PART IV**

## PART V. SAMPLE AGREEMENT

### AGREEMENT NO. 2020-12 PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF CITY HALL GENERATOR

**THIS AGREEMENT** ("Agreement") is made and entered by and between the CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA, a municipal corporation of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the "CITY" and XXXXXXXXXX, a XXXXXXXXX registered to conduct business in the State of Florida, with a local business address of XXXXX XXXXX, hereinafter referred to as "CONSULTANT."

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of their mutual agreements and promises hereinafter contained, the parties bind themselves, their partners, successors, assigns, and legal representatives to all covenants, agreements, and obligations contained in this Agreement and the bid documents submitted in response to Request for Proposal No. 2020-12 ("RFP"), and do hereby further agree as follows:

#### 1. CONSULTANT'S SERVICES

- A. CONSULTANT agrees to diligently and timely perform services for the CITY relating to Professional Engineering Services as identified in the RFP and CONSULTANT'S proposal submitted **October 15, 2019**. The overall Scope of Services is described in **Exhibit A** with detailed tasks and associated fees provided in **Exhibit B**, both exhibits are attached hereto and incorporated as if set forth fully herein.
- B. This Agreement shall commence immediately upon the execution of this Agreement by both the CITY and CONSULTANT and upon CONSULTANT'S receipt of a written Notice to Proceed from the CITY'S Purchasing office and shall continue through the completion of the project. The estimated completion date is **XXXXX XX, 202X (Bidding and construction services completion date to be determined)**.

#### 2. COMPENSATION AND PAYMENT FOR CONSULTANT'S SERVICES

##### A. COMPENSATION

1. CONSULTANT shall receive **XXXXXXXXXXXX DOLLARS AND XXX CENTS (\$XXXXXX)** as compensation for its services. This compensation shall include all profit, direct and indirect labor costs, personnel related costs, overhead and administrative costs, travel related out-of-pocket expenses and costs, and all other costs which are necessary to provide the services as outlined in this Agreement.
2. The parties acknowledge and agree that the obligations of CITY to fulfill financial obligations of any kind pursuant to any and all provisions of this Agreement, or any subsequent agreement entered into pursuant to this Agreement or referenced herein to which CITY is a party, are and shall remain subject to the provisions of Florida Statutes, Section 166.241, regardless of whether a particular obligation has been expressly so conditioned. CITY agrees to exercise all lawful and available authority to satisfy any financial obligations of CITY that may arise under this Agreement; however, since funds are appropriated annually by the City Commission on a fiscal year basis the CITY'S legal liability for the payment of any costs shall not arise unless and until appropriations for such costs are approved for the applicable fiscal year by the City Commission (nor shall such liability arise if a request for such appropriations is excluded from the budget approved by the City Commission). Notwithstanding the foregoing, no officer, employee, director, member or other natural person or agent of CITY shall have any personal liability in connection with the breach of the provisions of this Section or in the event of a default by CITY under this Section. This Agreement shall not constitute an indebtedness of

CITY nor shall it constitute an obligation for which CITY is obligated to levy or pledge any form of taxation or for which City has levied or pledged any form of taxation.

**B. METHOD OF PAYMENT**

1. The CITY shall pay CONSULTANT through payment issued by the Finance Department in accordance with the Florida Local Government Prompt Payment Act, Florida Statutes, Section 218.70, *et seq*, upon receipt of CONSULTANT'S invoice and written approval of same by the CITY'S Administrative Agent indicating that services have been rendered in conformity with this Agreement. CONSULTANT shall submit an invoice for payment to the CITY for those specific tasks as described in the Scope of Services that were completed during that invoicing period.
2. For those specific services that were partially completed, progress payments shall be paid in proportion to the percentage of completed work on those specific services approved in writing by the CITY'S Administrative Agent based on the percentage of the amount for those specific services.
3. CONSULTANT'S invoices shall be in a form satisfactory to the City of North Port Finance Department, who shall initiate disbursements.

**3. INDEMNIFICATION**

- A. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY FLORIDA LAW, THE CONSULTANT MUST INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE CITY, AND ITS OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES, FROM LIABILITIES, DAMAGES, LOSSES, AND COSTS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES, TO THE EXTENT CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE, RECKLESSNESS, OR INTENTIONALLY WRONGFUL CONDUCT OF THE CONSULTANT AND OTHER PERSONS EMPLOYED OR UTILIZED BY THE CONSULTANT IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THE AGREEMENT. THE AGREEMENT DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY OR CONSENT BY THE CITY OR ITS SUBDIVISIONS TO SUIT BY THIRD PARTIES.**
- B. THE CITY MUST PROVIDE ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE THAT THE CONSULTANT MAY REASONABLY REQUIRE REGARDING ANY CLAIM. IN THE EVENT OF A CLAIM, THE CITY MUST PROMPTLY NOTIFY THE CONSULTANT IN WRITING BY PREPAID CERTIFIED MAIL (RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED) OR BY DELIVERY THROUGH ANY NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED COURIER SERVICE (SUCH AS FEDERAL EXPRESS OR UPS) WHICH PROVIDES EVIDENCE OF DELIVERY, AT THE ADDRESS PROVIDED FOR RECEIPT OF NOTICES IN THIS AGREEMENT.**
- C. THIS AGREEMENT FOR INDEMNIFICATION SHALL SURVIVE TERMINATION OR COMPLETION OF THE AGREEMENT. THE INSURANCE COVERAGE AND LIMITS REQUIRED IN THIS AGREEMENT MAY OR MAY NOT BE ADEQUATE TO PROTECT THE CITY AND SUCH INSURANCE COVERAGE WILL NOT BE DEEMED A LIMITATION ON THE CONSULTANT'S LIABILITY UNDER THE INDEMNITY PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION. IN ANY PROCEEDINGS BETWEEN THE PARTIES ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THIS INDEMNITY PROVISION, THE PREVAILING PARTY SHALL BE REIMBURSED ALL COSTS, EXPENSES AND REASONABLE ATTORNEY FEES THROUGH ALL PROCEEDINGS (AT BOTH TRIAL AND APPELLATE LEVELS).**
- D. NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE DEEMED TO AFFECT THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES OF THE CITY AS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES, SECTION 768.28. THE TERMS OF THIS SECTION SURVIVE THE TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT.**
- F. FURTHER, THE CONSULTANT SHALL FULLY INDEMNIFY, DEFEND, AND HOLD HARMLESS THE CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA, FROM ANY SUITS, ACTIONS, DAMAGES, AND COSTS OF EVERY NAME AND DESCRIPTION, INCLUDING ATTORNEYS' FEES, ARISING FROM OR RELATING TO VIOLATION OR INFRINGEMENT OF A TRADEMARK, COPYRIGHT, PATENT, TRADE SECRET OR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT.**

#### 4. CONSULTANT'S INSURANCE

##### A. INSURANCE

Before performing any work, CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain, during the life of the Agreement, the insurance listed below, unless otherwise specified. The policies of insurance shall be primary and written on forms acceptable to the CITY and placed with insurance carriers approved and licensed by the Insurance Department of the State of Florida and meet a minimum financial AM Best and Company rating of no less than "Excellent." No changes are to be made to these specifications without the City Manager or designee's prior written approval. The City Manager or designee may alter the amounts or types of insurance policies required by this Agreement upon agreement with CONSULTANT.

1. Workers' Compensation and Employers' Liability Insurance: (PER CHAPTER 440, FLORIDA STATUTES): The CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain during the life of this Agreement workers' compensation insurance for all its employees to be engaged in work on the project under this Agreement and in case any such work is sublet, the CONSULTANT shall require the sub-contractor similarly to provide workers' compensation insurance for all of the latter's employees to be engaged in such work; unless such employees are covered by protection afforded by the CONSULTANT'S workers' compensation insurance. For additional information contact the Florida Department of Financial Services, Workers' Compensation Division at (850) 413-1601 or on the web at [www.fldfs.com](http://www.fldfs.com). In case any class of employees engaged in hazardous work on the project under this Agreement is not protected under the Workers' Compensation Statute, the CONSULTANT shall provide, and shall cause each sub-contractor to provide, employers' liability insurance for the protection of such of its employees. The minimum liability limits of such insurance shall not be less than herein specified or in that amount specified by law for that type of damage claim.

Proof of such insurance shall be filed by the CONSULTANT with the CITY within ten (10) days after the execution of this Agreement. Coverage is to apply for all employees in the statutory limits in compliance with the applicable state and federal laws. The policy must include employers' liability with a limit of \$1,000,000 for each accident; \$1,000,000 each employee; and \$1,000,000 policy limit for bodily injury or disease.

2. Professional Liability Insurance: Minimum \$1,000,000 per occurrence for this project, and with a \$1,000,000 policy term general aggregate. Coverage shall be extended beyond the policy year term either by a supplemental extended reporting period (ERP) with as great of duration as available, with no less coverage and reinstated aggregate limits, or by requiring that any new policy provide a retroactive date no later than the inception date of claims made. The CITY prefers all Professional Liability Insurance be written on an Occurrence Form; however, in the event that the professional liability insurance required by this Agreement is written on a claims-made basis, CONSULTANT warrants that any retroactive date under the policy shall precede the effective date of this Agreement; and that either continuous coverage will be maintained for a period of two (2) years or an extended reporting period (ERP) with tail coverage will be obtained and maintained for a period of two (2) years beginning at the time work under this Agreement is completed.
3. Comprehensive Commercial General Liability Insurance: (Occurrence Form CG 00 01): The CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain and require all sub-contractors to procure and maintain during the life of this Agreement, a comprehensive general liability policy, including but not limited to bodily injury, property damage, broad form contractual liability, and Explosion, Collapse and Underground (XCU) coverage. The general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this project/location or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit.

Proof of such insurance shall be filed by the CONSULTANT with the CITY within ten (10) days after the execution of this Agreement. The policy must include comprehensive general liability with a limit of \$1,000,000 for general aggregate; \$1,000,000 for each occurrence; \$1,000,000 for products and completed ops; \$100,000 for damage to rented premises; and \$100,000 for fire damage.

The policy shall be endorsed to include the following additional insured language: "City of North Port, Florida, and its commissioners, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be named as an additional insured with respect to liability arising out of the activities performed by, or on behalf of the Consultant."

4. **Business Automobile Liability**: The CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain and require all sub-contractors to procure and maintain during the life of this Agreement, business automobile liability insurance including on all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles. Automobile liability insurance must be written on a standard ISO form (CA 00 01) covering any auto (Code 1), or if CONSULTANT has no owned autos, hired (Code 8), and non-owned (Code 9) autos.

Proof of such insurance shall be filed by the CONSULTANT with the CITY within ten (10) days after the execution of this Agreement. The policy must include automobile liability with a limit of \$1,000,000 for Combined Single Limit (CSL) for each accident; \$1,000,000 for bodily Injury (per person); \$1,000,000 for bodily Injury (per accident); and \$1,000,000 for property damage (per accident).

The policy shall be endorsed to include the following additional insured language: "City of North Port, Florida, and its commissioner, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be named as an additional insured with respect to liability arising out of the activities performed by, or on behalf of the Consultant, including automobiles owned, leased, hired or borrowed by the Consultant."

#### B. WAIVER OF SUBROGATION

All required insurance policies are to be endorsed with a waiver of subrogation. The insurance companies, by proper endorsement or through other means, agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the CITY, its officers, officials, employees and volunteers, and the CITY'S insurance carriers, for losses paid under the terms of these policies that arise from the contractual relationship or work performed by CONSULTANT for the CITY. It is CONSULTANT'S responsibility to notify its insurance company of the waiver of subrogation and request written authorization or the proper endorsement. Additionally, CONSULTANT, its officers, officials, agents, employees, volunteers, and any subcontractors, agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the CITY and its insurance carriers for any losses paid, sustained or incurred, but not covered by insurance, that arise from the contractual relationship or work performed. This waiver also applies to any deductibles or self-insured retentions for which CONSULTANT or its agents may be responsible.

#### C. POLICY FORM

1. All policies required by this Agreement, with the exception of Professional Liability and Workers' Compensation, or unless Risk Management through the CITY'S Purchasing Office gives specific approval, are to be written on an occurrence basis and the Comprehensive Commercial General Liability Insurance shall name the City of North Port, Florida, and its Commissioners, officers, agents, employees, and volunteers as additional insured as their interest may appear under this Agreement. Claims Made Policies will be accepted for professional liability and hazardous materials and such other risks as are authorized by the CITY'S Purchasing Office. All Claims made policies contributing to the satisfaction of the insurance requirements herein shall have an extended reporting period option or automatic coverage of not less than two (2) years. If provided as an option, CONSULTANT agrees to purchase the extended reporting period on cancellation or termination unless a new policy is affected with a retroactive date, including at least the last policy year.

2. Insurance requirements itemized in this Agreement, and required of CONSULTANT, shall be provided by or in behalf of all subconsultants to cover their operations performed under this Agreement. CONSULTANT shall be held responsible for any modifications, deviations, or omissions in these insurance requirements as they apply to subconsultants.
3. Each insurance policy required by this Agreement shall:
  - c. Apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made and suit is brought, except with respect to limits of the insurer's liability.
  - d. Be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be suspended, voided or cancelled by either party except after notice is delivered in accordance with the policy provisions. CONSULTANT is to notify the CITY'S Purchasing Office by written notice via certified mail, return receipt requested.
4. The CITY shall retain the right to review, at any time, coverage, form, and amount of insurance.
5. **The procuring of required policies of insurance shall not be construed to limit CONSULTANT'S liability nor to fulfill the indemnification provisions and requirements of this Agreement. The extent of CONSULTANT'S liability for indemnity of the CITY shall not be limited by insurance coverage or lack thereof, or unreasonably delayed for any reason, including but not limited to, insurance coverage disputes between CONSULTANT and its carrier.**
6. CONSULTANT shall be solely responsible for payment of all premiums for insurance contributing to the satisfaction of this Agreement and shall be solely responsible for the payment of all deductibles and retentions to which such policies are subject, whether or not the CITY is an insured under the policy. CONSULTANT'S insurance is considered primary for any loss, regardless of any insurance maintained by the CITY. CONSULTANT is responsible for all insurance policy premiums, deductibles, SIR (self-insured retentions) or any loss or portion of any loss that is not covered by any available insurance policy.
7. All certificates of insurance must be on file with and approved by the CITY before commencement of any work under this Agreement. All certificates of insurance required herein must be accompanied by a copy of the additionally insured documents/endorsements (CG 20101185 or combination of CG 2010370704 and CG 20370704). Certificates of insurance evidencing claims made or occurrences form coverage and conditions to this Agreement, as well as the Agreement number and description of work, are to be furnished to the CITY'S Purchasing Office (4970 City Hall Boulevard, Suite 337, North Port, FL 34286) prior to commencement of work AND a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days prior to expiration of the insurance contract when applicable. All insurance certificates shall be received by the CITY'S Purchasing Office before CONSULTANT will be allowed to commence or continue work. The Certificate of insurance issued by the underwriting department of the insurance carrier shall certify compliance with the insurance requirements provided herein.
8. Notices of Accidents (Occurrences) and Notices of Claims associated with work being performed under this Agreement shall be provided to CONSULTANT'S insurer(s) and the CITY'S Purchasing Office as soon as practicable after notice to the insured.

## **5. RESPONSIBILITY OF CONSULTANT**

- A. CONSULTANT shall be responsible for the professional quality, technical accuracy, and the coordination of all reports, designs, specifications, other documents and data used or produced by or at the behest of CONSULTANT under this Agreement. CONSULTANT shall, without additional compensation, correct or revise any errors or deficiencies in its reports, designs, specifications, other documents and data.

- B. If CONSULTANT is comprised of more than one legal entity, each entity shall be jointly and severally liable hereunder.
- C. CONSULTANT warrants that it has not employed or retained any company or person (other than a bona fide employee working solely for CONSULTANT), to solicit or secure this Agreement and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any person, company, corporation, individual, or firm other than a bona fide employee working solely for CONSULTANT, any fee, commission, percentage, gift or any other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award of this Agreement.
- D. CONSULTANT shall perform its services in accordance with generally accepted industry standards and practices customarily utilized by competent consultant firms in effect at the time CONSULTANT'S services are rendered. CONSULTANT covenants and agrees that it and its employees shall be bound by the standards of conduct in Florida Statutes, Section 112.313, as it relates to work performed under this Agreement. CONSULTANT agrees to incorporate the provisions of this paragraph in any subcontract into which it might enter with reference to the work performed.
- E. CONSULTANT shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws, regulations and ordinances applicable to the work or payment for work thereof. The City of North Port, Florida, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, family or religious status in administration of its programs, activities or services. CONSULTANT shall not administer this Agreement in an unlawfully discriminatory manner, nor deny participation in or the benefits of same to any individual based on that individual's race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, family or religious status, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, or physical characteristic.
- F. CONSULTANT shall maintain books, records, documents, and other evidence directly pertaining to or connected with the services under this Agreement which shall be available and accessible at CONSULTANT'S offices for inspection, audit, and copying during normal business hours by the CITY, or any of its authorized representatives. Such records shall be retained for a minimum of three (3) years after completion of the services.
- G. Public Records Law: In accordance with Florida Statutes, Section 119.0701, CONSULTANT shall comply with all public records laws, and shall specifically:
1. Keep and maintain public records required by the City to perform the service.
    - a. The timeframes and classifications for records retention requirements must be in accordance with the General Records Schedule GS1-SL for State and Local Government Agencies.  
  
(See <http://dos.state.fl.us/library-archives/records-management/general-records-schedules/>).
    - b. "Public records" means and includes those items specified in Florida Statutes, Section 119.011(12), as amended from time to time, and currently defined as: All documents, papers, letters, maps, books, tapes, photographs, films, sound recordings, data processing software, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received pursuant to law or ordinance or in connection with the transaction of official business with the CITY. CONSULTANT'S records under this Agreement include but are not limited to, supplier/subcontractor invoices and contracts, project documents, meeting notes, e-mails and all other documentation generated during this Agreement.

2. Upon request from the CITY'S custodian of public records, provide the CITY, at no cost, with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided for by law. All records kept electronically must be provided to the CITY, upon request from the CITY'S custodian of public records, in a format compatible with the information technology systems of the CITY.
3. Ensure that project records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the Agreement term and, if CONSULTANT does not transfer the records to the CITY following completion of the Agreement, for the time period specified in General Records Schedule GS1-SL for State and Local Government Agencies.
4. Upon completion of the Agreement, transfer, at no cost, to the CITY all public records in CONSULTANT'S possession or keep and maintain public records required by the CITY to perform the service. If CONSULTANT transfers all public records to the CITY upon completion of the Agreement, CONSULTANT shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If CONSULTANT keeps and maintains public records upon the completion of the Agreement, CONSULTANT shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records.
5. **IF CONSULTANT HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO CONSULTANT'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS, 4970 CITY HALL BOULEVARD, NORTH PORT, FLORIDA 34286, 941.429.7063 OR HOTLINE 941.429.7270; E-MAIL: [Publicrecordsrequest@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:Publicrecordsrequest@cityofnorthport.com)**
6. Failure of CONSULTANT to comply with these requirements shall be a material breach of this Agreement. Further, CONSULTANT may be subject to penalties under Florida Statutes, Section 119.10.

## **6. OWNERSHIP AND USE OF DOCUMENTS**

It is understood and agreed that all the documents, or reproducible copies, developed by CONSULTANT in connection with its services, including but not limited to reports, designs, specifications, and data, shall be delivered to, and shall become the property of the CITY as they are received by the CITY and when CONSULTANT has been fully compensated as set forth herein. CONSULTANT may keep copies of all work products for its records. CONSULTANT hereby assigns all its copyright and other proprietary interests in the products of this Agreement to the CITY. Specific written authority is required from the CITY'S Administrative Agent for CONSULTANT to use any of the work products of this Agreement on any non-CITY project. Notwithstanding the above, any reuse of the work products by the CITY on other projects will be at the risk of the CITY.

## **7. TIMELY PERFORMANCE OF CONSULTANT'S PERSONNEL**

The timely performance and completion of the required services is vitally important to the interest of the CITY. CONSULTANT shall assign a Project Manager, together with such other personnel as are necessary, to assure faithful prosecution and timely delivery of services pursuant to the requirements of this Agreement. CONSULTANT'S personnel assigned to perform the services of this Agreement shall comply with the information presented in the professional services response proposal made a part hereof by reference. CONSULTANT shall ensure that all key personnel, support personnel, and other agents are fully qualified and capable to perform their assigned tasks. Any change or substitution

to CONSULTANT'S key personnel must receive the CITY'S Administrative Agent's written approval before said changes or substitution can become effective.

- A. The services to be rendered by CONSULTANT shall commence within one (1) calendar week of CONSULTANT'S receipt of written Notice to Proceed from the CITY.
- B. CONSULTANT specifically agrees that all work performed under the terms and conditions of this Agreement shall be completed within the time limits as set forth, subject only to delays caused through no fault of CONSULTANT or the CITY. Time is of the essence in the performance of this Agreement.
- C. CONSULTANT agrees to provide to the CITY'S Administrative Agent, monthly written progress reports concerning the status of the work. The CITY'S Administrative Agent may determine the format for this progress report. The CITY shall be entitled at all times to be advised at its request, and in writing, as to the status of work to be performed by CONSULTANT.
- D. In the event unreasonable delays occur on the part of the CITY or regulatory agencies as to the approval of any plans, permits, reports or other documents submitted by CONSULTANT which delay the Project Schedule completion date, the CITY shall not unreasonably withhold the granting of an extension of the Project Schedule time limitation equal to the aforementioned delay. The Project Schedule is attached as **Exhibit C**, which is attached hereto and incorporated as if set forth fully herein.

## **8. OBLIGATIONS OF THE CITY**

- A. The CITY'S Administrative Agent is designated to serve as project coordinator and to do all things necessary to properly administer the terms and conditions of this Agreement. If necessary, the CITY may authorize a specific program manager to perform the responsibilities of the CITY'S Administrative Agent. The CITY shall designate any specific program manager in the Notice to Proceed. The responsibility of the CITY'S Administrative Agent shall include:
  - 1. Examination of all reports, sketches, drawings, estimates, proposals, and other documents presented by CONSULTANT, and render in writing, decisions pertaining thereto within a reasonable time.
  - 2. Transmission of instructions, receipt of information, interpretation and definition of the CITY'S policies and decisions with respect to design, materials, and other matters pertinent to the work covered by this Agreement.
  - 3. Review for approval or rejection all CONSULTANT'S documents and payment requests.
- B. The CITY shall, upon request, furnish CONSULTANT with all existing data, plans, studies and other information in the CITY'S possession which may be useful in connection with the work of this Project, all of which shall be and remain the property of the CITY and shall be returned to the CITY'S Administrative Agent upon completion of the services to be performed by CONSULTANT.
- C. The CITY'S Administrative Agent shall conduct periodic reviews of the work of CONSULTANT necessary for the completion of CONSULTANT'S services during the period of this Agreement, and may make other CITY personnel available, where required and necessary to assist CONSULTANT. The availability and necessity of said personnel to assist CONSULTANT shall be determined solely within the discretion of the CITY. The CITY'S technical obligations to this Project, if any, are stated in Specific Authorizations and Work Authorizations.

- D. The CITY shall not provide any services to CONSULTANT in connection with any claim brought on behalf of or against CONSULTANT.

## **9. TERMINATION**

- A. **TERMINATION WITH OR WITHOUT CAUSE:** The performance of work under this Agreement may be terminated with or without cause by the City Manager or designee in whole or in part or whenever the City Manager determines that termination is in the CITY'S best interest. Any such termination shall be effected by the delivery to the CONSULTANT of a written notice of termination at least thirty (30) days before the date of termination, specifying the extent to which performance of the work under the Agreement is terminated and the date upon which such termination becomes effective. Except as otherwise directed, the CONSULTANT shall stop work on the date of receipt of the notice of termination or other date specified in the notice; place no further orders or sub-contracts for material, services, or facilities except as necessary for completion of such portion of the work not terminated; terminate all vendors and sub-contracts; and settle all outstanding liabilities and claims. CONSULTANT will be paid only for such work performed and materials supplied up to the termination. Under no circumstances shall the CITY make any payment to CONSULTANT for services that have not been performed or that are performed subsequent to the termination date.
- B. Upon termination CONSULTANT shall deliver to the CITY all documents (including but not limited to reports, designs, specifications, and all other data) prepared or obtained by CONSULTANT in connection with its services. The CITY shall, upon receipt of the aforesaid documents, pay to CONSULTANT and CONSULTANT shall accept as full payment for its services, a sum of money equal to (1) the fee for each completed and accepted task as shown in Exhibit A – Scope of Services and Exhibit B – Consultant's Fee Schedule, plus (2) the percentage of the work completed in any commenced but uncompleted task, less (3) all previous payments made to CONSULTANT in accordance with Section 2 of this Agreement and any amounts withheld by the CITY to settle claims against or to pay indebtedness of CONSULTANT in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.
- C. **FUNDING IN SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEARS:** It is expressly understood by the CITY and CONSULTANT that funding for any subsequent fiscal year of the Agreement is contingent upon appropriation of monies by the City Commission, and the continuing receipt of state or federal grant funding, if applicable. In the event that funds are not available or appropriated, the CITY reserves the right to terminate the Agreement. The CITY will be responsible for payment of any outstanding invoices and work completed by CONSULTANT prior to such termination.
- D. In the event that CONSULTANT has abandoned performance under this Agreement, then the City Manager or designee may terminate this Agreement upon three (3) calendar days' written notice to CONSULTANT indicating its intention to do so. The written notice shall state the evidence indicating CONSULTANT'S abandonment.
- E. CONSULTANT shall have the right to terminate services only in the event of the CITY failing to pay CONSULTANT'S properly documented and submitted invoice within ninety (90) calendar days of the approval by the CITY'S Administrative Agent, or if the project is suspended by the CITY for a period greater than ninety (90) calendar days.
- F. The City Manager or designee reserves the right to terminate and cancel this Agreement in the event CONSULTANT is placed in either voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy, a receiver is appointed for CONSULTANT or an assignment is made for the benefit of creditors.
- G. In the event CONSULTANT breaches this Agreement, the CITY shall provide written notice of the breach and CONSULTANT shall have ten (10) calendar days from the date the notice is received to cure. If CONSULTANT fails to cure to the City's satisfaction within the ten (10) calendar days, the City Manager or designee shall have the

right to immediately terminate the Agreement and/or refuse to make any additional payment, in whole or in part, and, if necessary, may demand the return of a portion or the entire amount previously paid to CONSULTANT due to:

1. The quality of a portion or all of CONSULTANT'S work not being in accordance with the requirements of this Agreement;
  2. The quantity of CONSULTANT'S work not being as represented in CONSULTANT'S Payment Request, or otherwise;
  3. CONSULTANT'S rate of progress being such that, in the CITY'S opinion, substantial or final completion, or both, may be inexcusably delayed;
  4. CONSULTANT'S failure to use Agreement funds, previously paid CONSULTANT by the CITY, to pay CONSULTANT'S project related obligations including, but not limited to, subcontractors, laborers and material and equipment suppliers;
  5. Claims made, or likely to be made, against the CITY or its property;
  6. Loss caused by CONSULTANT; or
  7. CONSULTANT'S failure or refusal to perform any of the obligations to the CITY, after written notice and a reasonable opportunity to cure as set forth above.
- H. In the event that the CITY makes written demand upon CONSULTANT for amounts previously paid by the CITY as contemplated in the clause, CONSULTANT shall promptly comply with such demand. The CITY'S rights hereunder survive the term of this Agreement and are not waived by final payment and/or acceptance.

## **10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR**

CONSULTANT is and shall be, in the performance of all work services and activities under this Agreement, an independent contractor and not an employee, agent or servant of the CITY. All persons engaged in any of the work or services performed pursuant to this Agreement shall at all times and in all places be subject to CONSULTANT'S sole direction, supervision, and control. CONSULTANT shall exercise control over the means and manner in which it and its employees perform the work, and in all respects CONSULTANT'S relationship and the relationship of its employees to the CITY shall be that of an independent contractor and not as employees or agents of the CITY. CONSULTANT does not have the power or authority to bind the CITY in any promise, agreement or representation other than as specifically provided for in this Agreement. CONSULTANT shall not pledge the CITY'S credit or make it a guarantor of payment of surety for any contract, debt, obligation, judgment, lien or any form of indebtedness. CONSULTANT further warrants and represents that it has no obligation or indebtedness that would impair its ability to fulfill the terms of this Agreement.

## **11. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

This Agreement constitutes the sole and complete understanding between the parties and supersedes all agreements between them, whether oral or written with respect to the subject matter.

**12. AMENDMENT**

No amendment, change, or addendum to this Agreement is enforceable unless agreed to in writing by both parties and incorporated into this Agreement. For any increase in the compensation for the services, the City Commission for the CITY and the duly authorized representative for CONSULTANT shall agree in writing to this change. For all other changes, except as provided herein, the CITY'S Administrative Agent and CONSULTANT'S representative shall agree in writing to the change.

**13. ASSIGNMENT**

CONSULTANT shall not assign any interest in this Agreement and shall not transfer any interest in same (whether by assignment or novation) without prior written consent of the City Manager or designee, except that claims for the money due or to become due to CONSULTANT from the CITY under this Agreement may be assigned to a financial institution or to a trustee in bankruptcy without such approval from the CITY. Notice of any such transfer or assignment due to bankruptcy shall be promptly given to the CITY.

**14. WAIVER**

The exercise by either party of any rights or remedies provided herein shall not constitute a waiver of any other rights or remedies available under this Agreement or any applicable law.

**15. GOVERNING LAW, VENUE AND SEVERABILITY**

The rights, obligations and remedies of the parties under this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida and the exclusive venue for any legal or judicial proceedings in connection with the enforcement or interpretation of this Agreement are the Circuit Court of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit in and for Sarasota County, Florida and the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. If any term, condition or covenant of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the remaining provisions of this Agreement shall be valid and binding on each party.

**16. AUTHORITY**

The parties covenant and agree that each is duly authorized to enter into and perform this Agreement and those executing this Agreement have all requisite power and authority to bind the parties.

**17. NO HIRE**

CONSULTANT shall not hire any CITY employee associated with this project throughout the duration of the Agreement and for a period of one (1) year after completion.

**18. NOTICES**

Any notices, invoices, reports, or any other type of documentation required by this Agreement shall be sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, or via a recognized national courier service in a manner that provides for written or electronic record of delivery, to the addresses listed below:

**CONSULTANT'S REPRESENTATIVE:**

NAME  
COMPANY NAME  
ADDRESS

CITY, ST ZIP  
TEL  
FAX:  
EMAIL:

**THE CITY'S ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT:**

Derek Applegate  
Project Manager  
City of North Port  
4970 City Hall Blvd.  
North port, FL 34286  
TEL: 941.429.7028  
Email: [dapplegate@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:dapplegate@cityofnorthport.com)

**WITH COPIES OF NOTICES TO:**

City Attorney's Office  
4970 City Hall Boulevard  
North Port, FL 34286  
EMAIL: [northportcityattorney@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:northportcityattorney@cityofnorthport.com)

**19. PARAGRAPH HEADINGS**

Paragraph headings are for the convenience of the parties and for the reference purposes only and shall be given no legal effect.

**20. ATTORNEYS' FEES**

In any proceedings between the parties arising out of or related to this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be reimbursed all costs, expenses and reasonable attorney fees through all proceedings (at both trial and appellate levels).

**21. CONFLICTS**

In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Agreement and RFP No. 2020-12 or CONSULTANT'S response, which are made a part hereof by reference, the Agreement shall control.

**22. SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES**

- A. As required by Florida Statutes, Section 287.135(5), for contracts of \$1,000,000.00 or less, the CONSULTANT shall certify on a form provide by the CITY, that it is not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to Florida Statutes, Section 215.4725, and that it is not engaged in a boycott of Israel.
- B. As required by Florida Statutes, Section 287.135(5), for contracts of \$1,000,000.00 or more, the CONSULTANT shall certify on a form provided by the CITY, that all of the following are true:
  - 1. It is not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to Florida Statutes, Section 215.4725, and that it is not engaged in a boycott of Israel; and
  - 2. It is not on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan list or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Iran Petroleum Energy Sector list, created pursuant to Florida Statutes, Section 215.473; and

- 3. It is not engaged in business operations in Cuba or Syria.
- C. If the CONSULTANT provides a false certification, has been placed on one of the above-noted Lists of Scrutinized Companies, or has engaged in business operations in Cuba or Syria, the CONSULTANT will be in breach of this Agreement and the CITY may terminate the Agreement.
- D. PENALTY:
  - 1. A CONSULTANT that has been found to have provided a false certification may be subject to a civil penalty equal to the greater of \$2 million or twice the amount of the Agreement, plus all reasonable attorney's fees and costs, including any costs for investigations that led to the finding of the false certification; and
  - 2. Shall be ineligible to bid on any contract with the CITY for three (3) years after the date the CITY determined that the CONSULTANT submitted a false certification.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed the agreement as of the date first above written.

ATTEST:

CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Kathryn Wong, City Clerk

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Peter D. Lear, CPA, CGMA, City Manager

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Amber L. Slayton, City Attorney

CONSULTANT  
XXXXXXXXXXXX

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: XXXXXXX  
Title: XXXXXXX

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on \_\_\_\_\_, 2019, by \_\_\_\_\_, who is personally known to me or who produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

END OF PART V



STATE OF FLORIDA

**DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

Ron DeSantis  
Governor

Jared Moskowitz  
Director

March 19, 2019

Mr. Derek Applegate, Project Manager  
City of North Port  
4970 City Hall Boulevard  
North Port, Florida 34286



**Re: 4337-28-R, City of North Port, Generator Project**

Dear Mr. Applegate:

Enclosed is the executed Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) contract number H0131 between City of North Port and the Division of Emergency Management.

Andrea Horne, Project Manager  
Florida Division of Emergency Management  
2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

If you have any specific questions regarding the contract or the Request for Reimbursement form, please contact Andrea Horne at (850) 815-4579.

Respectfully,



Miles E. Anderson  
Bureau Chief, Mitigation  
State Hazard Mitigation Officer

MEA:vsa

Enclosure

Agreement Number:           H0131          

Project Number:           4337-28-R          

**FEDERALLY-FUNDED SUBAWARD AND GRANT AGREEMENT**

2 C.F.R. §200.92 states that a “subaward may be provided through any form of legal agreement, including an agreement that the pass-through entity considers a contract.”

As defined by 2 C.F.R. §200.74, “pass-through entity” means “a non-Federal entity that provides a subaward to a Sub-Recipient to carry out part of a Federal program.”

As defined by 2 C.F.R. §200.93, “Sub-Recipient” means “a non-Federal entity that receives a subaward from a pass-through entity to carry out part of a Federal program.”

As defined by 2 C.F.R. §200.38, “Federal award” means “Federal financial assistance that a non-Federal entity receives directly from a Federal awarding agency or indirectly from a pass-through entity.”

As defined by 2 C.F.R. §200.92, “subaward” means “an award provided by a pass-through entity to a Sub-Recipient for the Sub-Recipient to carry out part of a Federal award received by the pass-through entity.”

The following information is provided pursuant to 2 C.F.R. §200.331(a)(1):

Sub-Recipient’s name:	<u>City of North Port</u>
Sub-Recipient’s unique entity identifier:	<u>59-6072227</u>
Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN):	<u>FEMA-DR-4337-FL</u>
Federal Award Date:	<u>November 7, 2018</u>
Subaward Period of Performance Start and End Date:	<u>Upon Execution thru November 30, 2020</u>
Amount of Federal Funds Obligated by this Agreement:	<u>\$525,000.00</u>
Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated to the Sub-Recipient by the pass-through entity to include this Agreement:	<u>\$525,000.00</u>
Total Amount of the Federal Award committed to the Sub-Recipient by the pass-through entity	<u>\$525,000.00</u>
Federal award project description (see FFATA):	<u>City of North Port – Generator Project</u>
Name of Federal awarding agency:	<u>Federal Emergency Management Agency</u>
Name of pass-through entity:	<u>FL Division of Emergency Management</u>
Contact information for the pass-through entity:	<u>Andrea.horne@em.myflorida.com</u>
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number and Name:	<u>97.039 Hazard Mitigation Grant Program</u>
Whether the award is R&D:	<u>N/A</u>
Indirect cost rate for the Federal award:	<u>N/A</u>

THIS AGREEMENT is entered into by the State of Florida, Division of Emergency Management, with headquarters in Tallahassee, Florida (hereinafter referred to as the "Division"), and the City of North Port, (hereinafter referred to as the "Sub-Recipient").

For the purposes of this Agreement, the Division serves as the pass-through entity for a Federal award, and the Sub-Recipient serves as the recipient of a subaward.

THIS AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO BASED ON THE FOLLOWING REPRESENTATIONS:

A. The Sub-Recipient represents that it is fully qualified and eligible to receive these grant funds to provide the services identified herein;

B. The State of Florida received these grant funds from the Federal government, and the Division has the authority to subgrant these funds to the Sub-Recipient upon the terms and conditions outlined below; and,

C. The Division has statutory authority to disburse the funds under this Agreement.

THEREFORE, the Division and the Sub-Recipient agree to the following:

(1) APPLICATION OF STATE LAW TO THIS AGREEMENT

2 C.F.R. §200.302 provides: "Each state must expend and account for the Federal award in accordance with state laws and procedures for expending and accounting for the state's own funds." Therefore, section 215.971, Florida Statutes, entitled "Agreements funded with federal or state assistance", applies to this Agreement.

(2) LAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND POLICIES

a. The Sub-Recipient's performance under this Agreement is subject to 2 C.F.R. Part 200, entitled "Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards."

b. As required by Section 215.971(1), Florida Statutes, this Agreement includes:

i. A provision specifying a scope of work that clearly establishes the tasks that the Sub-Recipient is required to perform.

ii. A provision dividing the agreement into quantifiable units of deliverables that must be received and accepted in writing by the Division before payment. Each deliverable must be directly related to the scope of work and specify the required minimum level of service to be performed and the criteria for evaluating the successful completion of each deliverable.

iii. A provision specifying the financial consequences that apply if the Sub-Recipient fails to perform the minimum level of service required by the agreement.

iv. A provision specifying that the Sub-Recipient may expend funds only for allowable costs resulting from obligations incurred during the specified agreement period.

v. A provision specifying that any balance of unobligated funds which has been advanced or paid must be refunded to the Division.

vi. A provision specifying that any funds paid in excess of the amount to which the Sub-Recipient is entitled under the terms and conditions of the agreement must be refunded to the Division.

c. In addition to the foregoing, the Sub-Recipient and the Division shall be governed by all applicable State and Federal laws, rules and regulations, including those identified in Attachment B. Any express reference in this Agreement to a particular statute, rule, or regulation in no way implies that no other statute, rule, or regulation applies.

(3) CONTACT

a. In accordance with section 215.971(2), Florida Statutes, the Division's Grant Manager shall be responsible for enforcing performance of this Agreement's terms and conditions and shall serve as the Division's liaison with the Sub-Recipient. As part of his/her duties, the Grant Manager for the Division shall:

- i. Monitor and document Sub-Recipient performance; and,
- ii. Review and document all deliverables for which the Sub-Recipient requests payment.

b. The Division's Grant Manager for this Agreement is:

Andrea Horne, Project Manager  
Division of Emergency Management  
Bureau of Mitigation  
2702 Directors Row  
Orlando, Florida 32809-5631  
Telephone: (850) 815-4579  
Email: [Andrea.horne@em.myflorida.com](mailto:Andrea.horne@em.myflorida.com)

c. The name and address of the Representative of the Sub-Recipient responsible for the administration of this Agreement is:

Derek Applegate, Project Manager  
City of North Port  
4970 City Hall Boulevard  
North Port, Florida 34286  
Telephone: (941) 240-8189 ← R. Miller  
Email: [dapplegate@cityofnorthport.com](mailto:dapplegate@cityofnorthport.com)

d. In the event that different representatives or addresses are designated by either party after execution of this Agreement, notice of the name, title and address of the new representative will be provided to the other party.

(4) TERMS AND CONDITIONS

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties.

(5) EXECUTION

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, any one of which may be taken as an original.

(6) MODIFICATION

Either party may request modification of the provisions of this Agreement. Changes which are agreed upon shall be valid only when in writing, signed by each of the parties, and attached to the original of this Agreement.

(7) SCOPE OF WORK.

The Sub-Recipient shall perform the work in accordance with the Budget and Scope of Work, Attachment A of this Agreement.

(8) PERIOD OF AGREEMENT.

This Agreement shall begin upon execution by both parties and shall end on **November 30, 2020**, unless terminated earlier in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph (17) of this Agreement. Consistent with the definition of "period of performance" contained in 2 C.F.R. §200.77, the term "period of agreement" refers to the time during which the Sub-Recipient "may incur new obligations to carry out the work authorized under" this Agreement. In accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.309, the Sub-Recipient may receive reimbursement under this Agreement only for "allowable costs incurred during the period of performance." In accordance with section 215.971(1)(d), Florida Statutes, the Sub-Recipient may expend funds authorized by this Agreement "only for allowable costs resulting from obligations incurred during" the period of agreement.

(9) FUNDING

- a. This is a cost-reimbursement Agreement, subject to the availability of funds.
- b. The State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under this Agreement is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Legislature, and subject to any modification in accordance with either Chapter 216, Florida Statutes, or the Florida Constitution.
- c. The Division will reimburse the Sub-Recipient only for allowable costs incurred by the Sub-Recipient in the successful completion of each deliverable. The maximum reimbursement amount for each deliverable is outlined in Attachment A of this Agreement ("Budget and Scope of Work"). The maximum reimbursement amount for the entirety of this Agreement is **\$525,000.00**.
- d. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.415(a), any request for payment under this Agreement must include a certification, signed by an official who is authorized to legally bind the Sub-Recipient, which reads as follows: "By signing this report, I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the report is true, complete, and accurate, and the expenditures, disbursements and cash receipts are for the purposes and objectives set forth in the terms and conditions of the Federal award. I am aware that any

false, fictitious, or fraudulent information, or the omission of any material fact, may subject me to criminal, civil or administrative penalties for fraud, false statements, false claims or otherwise. (U.S. Code Title 18, Section 1001 and Title 31, Sections 3729-3730 and 3801-3812)."

e. The Division will review any request for reimbursement by comparing the documentation provided by the Sub-Recipient against a performance measure, outlined in Attachment A, that clearly delineates:

- i. The required minimum acceptable level of service to be performed; and,
- ii. The criteria for evaluating the successful completion of each deliverable.

f. The performance measure required by section 215.971(1)(b), Florida Statutes, remains consistent with the requirement for a "performance goal", which is defined in 2 C.F.R. §200.76 as "a target level of performance expressed as a tangible, measurable objective, against which actual achievement can be compared." It also remains consistent with the requirement, contained in 2 C.F.R. §200.301, that the Division and the Sub-Recipient "relate financial data to performance accomplishments of the Federal award."

g. If authorized by the Federal Awarding Agency, then the Division will reimburse the Sub-Recipient for overtime expenses in accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.430 ("Compensation—personal services") and 2 C.F.R. §200.431 ("Compensation—fringe benefits"). If the Sub-Recipient seeks reimbursement for overtime expenses for periods when no work is performed due to vacation, holiday, illness, failure of the employer to provide sufficient work, or other similar cause (*see* 29 U.S.C. §207(e)(2)), then the Division will treat the expense as a fringe benefit. 2 C.F.R. §200.431(a) defines fringe benefits as "allowances and services provided by employers to their employees as compensation in addition to regular salaries and wages." Fringe benefits are allowable under this Agreement as long as the benefits are reasonable and are required by law, Sub-Recipient-employee agreement, or an established policy of the Sub-Recipient. 2 C.F.R. §200.431(b) provides that the cost of fringe benefits in the form of regular compensation paid to employees during periods of authorized absences from the job, such as for annual leave, family-related leave, sick leave, holidays, court leave, military leave, administrative leave, and other similar benefits, are allowable if all of the following criteria are met:

- i. They are provided under established written leave policies;
- ii. The costs are equitably allocated to all related activities, including Federal awards; and,
- iii. The accounting basis (cash or accrual) selected for costing each type of leave is consistently followed by the non-Federal entity or specified grouping of employees.

h. If authorized by the Federal Awarding Agency, then the Division will reimburse the Sub-Recipient for travel expenses in accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.474. As required by the Reference Guide for State Expenditures, reimbursement for travel must be in accordance with section 112.061, Florida Statutes, which includes submission of the claim on the approved state travel voucher. If the Sub-Recipient seeks reimbursement for travel costs that exceed the amounts stated in section 112.061(6)(b),

Florida Statutes (\$6 for breakfast, \$11 for lunch, and \$19 for dinner), then the Sub-Recipient must provide documentation that:

- i. The costs are reasonable and do not exceed charges normally allowed by the Sub-Recipient in its regular operations as a result of the Sub-Recipient's written travel policy; and,
  - ii. Participation of the individual in the travel is necessary to the Federal award.
- i. The Division's grant manager, as required by section 215.971(2)(c), Florida Statutes, shall reconcile and verify all funds received against all funds expended during the grant agreement period and produce a final reconciliation report. The final report must identify any funds paid in excess of the expenditures incurred by the Sub-Recipient.
- j. As defined by 2 C.F.R. §200.53, the term "improper payment" means or includes:
- i. Any payment that should not have been made or that was made in an incorrect amount (including overpayments and underpayments) under statutory, contractual, administrative, or other legally applicable requirements; and,
  - ii. Any payment to an ineligible party, any payment for an ineligible good or service, any duplicate payment, any payment for a good or service not received (except for such payments where authorized by law), any payment that does not account for credit for applicable discounts, and any payment where insufficient or lack of documentation prevents a reviewer from discerning whether a payment was proper.

(10) RECORDS

a. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.336, the Federal awarding agency, Inspectors General, the Comptroller General of the United States, and the Division, or any of their authorized representatives, shall enjoy the right of access to any documents, papers, or other records of the Sub-Recipient which are pertinent to the Federal award, in order to make audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcripts. The right of access also includes timely and reasonable access to the Sub-Recipient's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion related to such documents. Finally, the right of access is not limited to the required retention period but lasts as long as the records are retained.

b. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.331(a)(5), the Division, the Chief Inspector General of the State of Florida, the Florida Auditor General, or any of their authorized representatives, shall enjoy the right of access to any documents, financial statements, papers, or other records of the Sub-Recipient which are pertinent to this Agreement, in order to make audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcripts. The right of access also includes timely and reasonable access to the Sub-Recipient's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion related to such documents.

c. As required by Florida Department of State's record retention requirements (Chapter 119, Florida Statutes) and by 2 C.F.R. §200.333, the Sub-Recipient shall retain sufficient records to show its compliance with the terms of this Agreement, as well as the compliance of all subcontractors or consultants paid from funds under this Agreement, for a period of five (5) fiscal years from the date of

completion of grant cycle or project. The following are the only exceptions to the five (5) year requirement:

i. If any litigation, claim, or audit is started before the expiration of the 5-year period, then the records must be retained until all litigation, claims, or audit findings involving the records have been resolved and final action taken.

ii. When the Division or the Sub-Recipient is notified in writing by the Federal awarding agency, cognizant agency for audit, oversight agency for audit, cognizant agency for indirect costs, or pass-through entity to extend the retention period.

iii. Records for real property and equipment acquired with Federal funds must be retained for 5 years after final disposition.

iv. When records are transferred to or maintained by the Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity, the 5-year retention requirement is not applicable to the Sub-Recipient.

v. Records for program income transactions after the period of performance. In some cases recipients must report program income after the period of performance. Where there is such a requirement, the retention period for the records pertaining to the earning of the program income starts from the end of the non-Federal entity's fiscal year in which the program income is earned.

vi. Indirect cost rate proposals and cost allocations plans. This paragraph applies to the following types of documents and their supporting records: indirect cost rate computations or proposals, cost allocation plans, and any similar accounting computations of the rate at which a particular group of costs is chargeable (such as computer usage chargeback rates or composite fringe benefit rates).

d. In accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.334, the Federal awarding agency must request transfer of certain records to its custody from the Division or the Sub-Recipient when it determines that the records possess long-term retention value.

e. In accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.335, the Division must always provide or accept paper versions of Agreement information to and from the Sub-Recipient upon request. If paper copies are submitted, then the Division must not require more than an original and two copies. When original records are electronic and cannot be altered, there is no need to create and retain paper copies. When original records are paper, electronic versions may be substituted through the use of duplication or other forms of electronic media provided that they are subject to periodic quality control reviews, provide reasonable safeguards against alteration, and remain readable.

f. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.303, the Sub-Recipient shall take reasonable measures to safeguard protected personally identifiable information and other information the Federal awarding agency or the Division designates as sensitive or the Sub-Recipient considers sensitive consistent with applicable Federal, state, local, and tribal laws regarding privacy and obligations of confidentiality.

g. Florida's Government in the Sunshine Law (Section 286.011, Florida Statutes) provides the citizens of Florida with a right of access to governmental proceedings and mandates three,

basic requirements: (1) meetings of public boards or commissions must be open to the public; (2) reasonable notice of such meetings must be given; and, (3) minutes of the meetings must be taken and promptly recorded. The mere receipt of public funds by a private entity, standing alone, is insufficient to bring that entity within the ambit of the open government requirements. However, the Government in the Sunshine Law applies to private entities that provide services to governmental agencies and that act on behalf of those agencies in the agencies' performance of their public duties. If a public agency delegates the performance of its public purpose to a private entity, then, to the extent that private entity is performing that public purpose, the Government in the Sunshine Law applies. For example, if a volunteer fire department provides firefighting services to a governmental entity and uses facilities and equipment purchased with public funds, then the Government in the Sunshine Law applies to board of directors for that volunteer fire department. Thus, to the extent that the Government in the Sunshine Law applies to the Sub-Recipient based upon the funds provided under this Agreement, the meetings of the Sub-Recipient's governing board or the meetings of any subcommittee making recommendations to the governing board may be subject to open government requirements. These meetings shall be publicly noticed, open to the public, and the minutes of all the meetings shall be public records, available to the public in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes.

h. Florida's Public Records Law provides a right of access to the records of the state and local governments as well as to private entities acting on their behalf. Unless specifically exempted from disclosure by the Legislature, all materials made or received by a governmental agency (or a private entity acting on behalf of such an agency) in conjunction with official business which are used to perpetuate, communicate, or formalize knowledge qualify as public records subject to public inspection. The mere receipt of public funds by a private entity, standing alone, is insufficient to bring that entity within the ambit of the public record requirements. However, when a public entity delegates a public function to a private entity, the records generated by the private entity's performance of that duty become public records. Thus, the nature and scope of the services provided by a private entity determine whether that entity is acting on behalf of a public agency and is therefore subject to the requirements of Florida's Public Records Law.

i. The Sub-Recipient shall maintain all records for the Sub-Recipient and for all subcontractors or consultants to be paid from funds provided under this Agreement, including documentation of all program costs, in a form sufficient to determine compliance with the requirements and objectives of the Budget and Scope of Work - Attachment A - and all other applicable laws and regulations.

#### (11) AUDITS

a. The Sub-Recipient shall comply with the audit requirements contained in 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Subpart F.

b. In accounting for the receipt and expenditure of funds under this Agreement, the Sub-Recipient shall follow Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP"). As defined by 2 C.F.R.

§200.49, GAAP "has the meaning specified in accounting standards issued by the Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB)."

c. When conducting an audit of the Sub-Recipient's performance under this Agreement, the Division shall use Generally Accepted Government Auditing Standards ("GAGAS"). As defined by 2 C.F.R. §200.50, GAGAS, "also known as the Yellow Book, means generally accepted government auditing standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, which are applicable to financial audits."

d. If an audit shows that all or any portion of the funds disbursed were not spent in accordance with the conditions of this Agreement, the Sub-Recipient shall be held liable for reimbursement to the Division of all funds not spent in accordance with these applicable regulations and Agreement provisions within thirty days after the Division has notified the Sub-Recipient of such non-compliance.

e. The Sub-Recipient shall have all audits completed by an independent auditor, which is defined in section 215.97(2)(i), Florida Statutes, as "an independent certified public accountant licensed under chapter 473." The independent auditor shall state that the audit complied with the applicable provisions noted above. The audit must be received by the Division no later than nine months from the end of the Sub-Recipient's fiscal year.

f. The Sub-Recipient shall send copies of reporting packages for audits conducted in accordance with 2 C.F.R. Part 200, by or on behalf of the Sub-Recipient, to the Division at the following address:

DEMSingle\_Audit@em.myflorida.com

OR

Office of the Inspector General  
2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2100

g. The Sub-Recipient shall send the Single Audit reporting package and Form SF-SAC to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse by submission online at:

<http://harvester.census.gov/fac/collect/ddeindex.html>

h. The Sub-Recipient shall send any management letter issued by the auditor to the Division at the following address:

DEMSingle\_Audit@em.myflorida.com

OR

Office of the Inspector General  
2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2100

(12)REPORTS

- a. Consistent with 2 C.F.R. §200.328, the Sub-Recipient shall provide the Division with quarterly reports and a close-out report. These reports shall include the current status and progress by the Sub-Recipient and all subcontractors in completing the work described in the Scope of Work and the expenditure of funds under this Agreement, in addition to any other information requested by the Division.
- b. Quarterly reports are due to the Division no later than 15 days after the end of each quarter of the program year and shall be sent each quarter until submission of the administrative close-out report. The ending dates for each quarter of the program year are March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31.
- c. The close-out report is due 60 days after termination of this Agreement or 60 days after completion of the activities contained in this Agreement, whichever first occurs.
- d. If all required reports and copies are not sent to the Division or are not completed in a manner acceptable to the Division, then the Division may withhold further payments until they are completed or may take other action as stated in Paragraph (16) REMEDIES. "Acceptable to the Division" means that the work product was completed in accordance with the Budget and Scope of Work.
- e. The Sub-Recipient shall provide additional program updates or information that may be required by the Division.
- f. The Sub-Recipient shall provide additional reports and information identified in Attachment F.

(13)MONITORING.

- a. The Sub-Recipient shall monitor its performance under this Agreement, as well as that of its subcontractors and/or consultants who are paid from funds provided under this Agreement, to ensure that time schedules are being met, the Schedule of Deliverables and Scope of Work are being accomplished within the specified time periods, and other performance goals are being achieved. A review shall be done for each function or activity in Attachment A to this Agreement, and reported in the quarterly report.
- b. In addition to reviews of audits, monitoring procedures may include, but not be limited to, on-site visits by Division staff, limited scope audits, and/or other procedures. The Sub-Recipient agrees to comply and cooperate with any monitoring procedures/processes deemed appropriate by the Division. In the event that the Division determines that a limited scope audit of the Sub-Recipient is appropriate, the Sub-Recipient agrees to comply with any additional instructions provided by the Division to the Sub-Recipient regarding such audit. The Sub-Recipient further agrees to comply and cooperate with any inspections, reviews, investigations or audits deemed necessary by the Florida Chief Financial Officer or Auditor General. In addition, the Division will monitor the performance and financial management by the Sub-Recipient throughout the contract term to ensure timely completion of all tasks.

(14)LIABILITY

a. Unless Sub-Recipient is a State agency or subdivision, as defined in section 768.28(2), Florida Statutes, the Sub-Recipient is solely responsible to parties it deals with in carrying out the terms of this Agreement; as authorized by section 768.28(19), Florida Statutes, Sub-Recipient shall hold the Division harmless against all claims of whatever nature by third parties arising from the work performance under this Agreement. For purposes of this Agreement, Sub-Recipient agrees that it is not an employee or agent of the Division, but is an independent contractor.

b. As required by section 768.28(19), Florida Statutes, any Sub-Recipient which is a state agency or subdivision, as defined in section 768.28(2), Florida Statutes, agrees to be fully responsible for its negligent or tortious acts or omissions which result in claims or suits against the Division, and agrees to be liable for any damages proximately caused by the acts or omissions to the extent set forth in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes. Nothing herein is intended to serve as a waiver of sovereign immunity by any Sub-Recipient to which sovereign immunity applies. Nothing herein shall be construed as consent by a state agency or subdivision of the State of Florida to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of any contract.

(15)DEFAULT.

If any of the following events occur ("Events of Default"), all obligations on the part of the Division to make further payment of funds shall terminate and the Division has the option to exercise any of its remedies set forth in Paragraph (16); however, the Division may make payments or partial payments after any Events of Default without waiving the right to exercise such remedies, and without becoming liable to make any further payment if:

a. Any warranty or representation made by the Sub-Recipient in this Agreement or any previous agreement with the Division is or becomes false or misleading in any respect, or if the Sub-Recipient fails to keep or perform any of the obligations, terms or covenants in this Agreement or any previous agreement with the Division and has not cured them in timely fashion, or is unable or unwilling to meet its obligations under this Agreement;

b. Material adverse changes occur in the financial condition of the Sub-Recipient at any time during the term of this Agreement, and the Sub-Recipient fails to cure this adverse change within thirty days from the date written notice is sent by the Division;

c. Any reports required by this Agreement have not been submitted to the Division or have been submitted with incorrect, incomplete or insufficient information; or,

d. The Sub-Recipient has failed to perform and complete on time any of its obligations under this Agreement.

(16)REMEDIES.

If an Event of Default occurs, then the Division shall, after thirty calendar days written notice to the Sub-Recipient and upon the Sub-Recipient's failure to cure within those thirty days, exercise any one or more of the following remedies, either concurrently or consecutively:

- a. Terminate this Agreement, provided that the Sub-Recipient is given at least thirty days prior written notice of the termination. The notice shall be effective when placed in the United States, first class mail, postage prepaid, by registered or certified mail-return receipt requested, to the address in paragraph (3) herein;
- b. Begin an appropriate legal or equitable action to enforce performance of this Agreement;
- c. Withhold or suspend payment of all or any part of a request for payment;
- d. Require that the Sub-Recipient refund to the Division any monies used for ineligible purposes under the laws, rules and regulations governing the use of these funds.
- e. Exercise any corrective or remedial actions, to include but not be limited to:
  - i. Request additional information from the Sub-Recipient to determine the reasons for or the extent of non-compliance or lack of performance,
  - ii. Issue a written warning to advise that more serious measures may be taken if the situation is not corrected,
  - iii. Advise the Sub-Recipient to suspend, discontinue or refrain from incurring costs for any activities in question or
  - iv. Require the Sub-Recipient to reimburse the Division for the amount of costs incurred for any items determined to be ineligible;
- f. Exercise any other rights or remedies which may be available under law.

Pursuing any of the above remedies will not stop the Division from pursuing any other remedies in this Agreement or provided at law or in equity. If the Division waives any right or remedy in this Agreement or fails to insist on strict performance by the Sub-Recipient, it will not affect, extend or waive any other right or remedy of the Division, or affect the later exercise of the same right or remedy by the Division for any other default by the Sub-Recipient.

#### (17)TERMINATION.

- a. The Division may terminate this Agreement for cause after thirty days written notice. Cause can include misuse of funds, fraud, lack of compliance with applicable rules, laws and regulations, failure to perform on time, and refusal by the Sub-Recipient to permit public access to any document, paper, letter, or other material subject to disclosure under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, as amended.
- b. The Division may terminate this Agreement for convenience or when it determines, in its sole discretion that continuing the Agreement would not produce beneficial results in line with the further expenditure of funds, by providing the Sub-Recipient with thirty calendar day's prior written notice.
- c. The parties may agree to terminate this Agreement for their mutual convenience through a written amendment of this Agreement. The amendment will state the effective date of the termination and the procedures for proper closeout of the Agreement.
- d. In the event that this Agreement is terminated, the Sub-Recipient will not incur new obligations for the terminated portion of the Agreement after the Sub-Recipient has received the

notification of termination. The Sub-Recipient will cancel as many outstanding obligations as possible. Costs incurred after receipt of the termination notice will be disallowed. The Sub-Recipient shall not be relieved of liability to the Division because of any breach of Agreement by the Sub-Recipient. The Division may, to the extent authorized by law, withhold payments to the Sub-Recipient for the purpose of set-off until the exact amount of damages due the Division from the Sub-Recipient is determined.

(18)PROCUREMENT

a. The Sub-Recipient shall ensure that any procurement involving funds authorized by the Agreement complies with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations, to include 2 C.F.R. §§200.318 through 200.326 as well as Appendix II to 2 C.F.R. Part 200 (entitled "Contract Provisions for Non-Federal Entity Contracts Under Federal Awards").

b. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.318(i), the Sub-Recipient shall "maintain records sufficient to detail the history of procurement. These records will include, but are not necessarily limited to the following: rationale for the method of procurement, selection of contract type, contractor selection or rejection, and the basis for the contract price."

c. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.318(b), the Sub-Recipient shall "maintain oversight to ensure that contractors perform in accordance with the terms, conditions, and specifications of their contracts or purchase orders." In order to demonstrate compliance with this requirement, the Sub-Recipient shall document, in its quarterly report to the Division, the progress of any and all subcontractors performing work under this Agreement.

d. Except for procurements by micro-purchases pursuant to 2 C.F.R. §200.320(a) or procurements by small purchase procedures pursuant to 2 C.F.R. §200.320(b), if the Sub-Recipient chooses to subcontract any of the work required under this Agreement, then the Sub-Recipient shall forward to the Division a copy of any solicitation (whether competitive or non-competitive) at least fifteen (15) days prior to the publication or communication of the solicitation. The Division shall review the solicitation and provide comments, if any, to the Sub-Recipient within three (3) business days. Consistent with 2 C.F.R. §200.324, the Division will review the solicitation for compliance with the procurement standards outlined in 2 C.F.R. §§200.318 through 200.326 as well as Appendix II to 2 C.F.R. Part 200. Consistent with 2 C.F.R. §200.318(k), the Division will not substitute its judgment for that of the Sub-Recipient. While the Sub-Recipient does not need the approval of the Division in order to publish a competitive solicitation, this review may allow the Division to identify deficiencies in the vendor requirements or in the commodity or service specifications. The Division's review and comments shall not constitute an approval of the solicitation. Regardless of the Division's review, the Sub-Recipient remains bound by all applicable laws, regulations, and agreement terms. If during its review the Division identifies any deficiencies, then the Division shall communicate those deficiencies to the Sub-Recipient as quickly as possible within the three (3) business day window outlined above. If the Sub-Recipient publishes a competitive solicitation after receiving comments from the Division that the solicitation is deficient, then the Division may:

- i. Terminate this Agreement in accordance with the provisions outlined in paragraph (17) above; and,
- ii. Refuse to reimburse the Sub-Recipient for any costs associated with that solicitation.

e. Except for procurements by micro-purchases pursuant to 2 C.F.R. §200.320(a) or procurements by small purchase procedures pursuant to 2 C.F.R. §200.320(b), if the Sub-Recipient chooses to subcontract any of the work required under this Agreement, then the Sub-Recipient shall forward to the Division a copy of any contemplated contract prior to contract execution. The Division shall review the unexecuted contract and provide comments, if any, to the Sub-Recipient within three (3) business days. Consistent with 2 C.F.R. §200.324, the Division will review the unexecuted contract for compliance with the procurement standards outlined in 2 C.F.R. §§200.318 through 200.326 as well as Appendix II to 2 C.F.R. Part 200. Consistent with 2 C.F.R. §200.318(k), the Division will not substitute its judgment for that of the Sub-Recipient. While the Sub-Recipient does not need the approval of the Division in order to execute a subcontract, this review may allow the Division to identify deficiencies in the terms and conditions of the subcontract as well as deficiencies in the procurement process that led to the subcontract. The Division's review and comments shall not constitute an approval of the subcontract. Regardless of the Division's review, the Sub-Recipient remains bound by all applicable laws, regulations, and agreement terms. If during its review the Division identifies any deficiencies, then the Division shall communicate those deficiencies to the Sub-Recipient as quickly as possible within the three (3) business day window outlined above. If the Sub-Recipient executes a subcontract after receiving a communication from the Division that the subcontract is non-compliant, then the Division may:

- i. Terminate this Agreement in accordance with the provisions outlined in paragraph (17) above; and,
- ii. Refuse to reimburse the Sub-Recipient for any costs associated with that subcontract.

f. The Sub-Recipient agrees to include in the subcontract that (i) the subcontractor is bound by the terms of this Agreement, (ii) the subcontractor is bound by all applicable state and federal laws and regulations, and (iii) the subcontractor shall hold the Division and Sub-Recipient harmless against all claims of whatever nature arising out of the subcontractor's performance of work under this Agreement, to the extent allowed and required by law.

g. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.318(c)(1), the Sub-Recipient shall "maintain written standards of conduct covering conflicts of interest and governing the actions of its employees engaged in the selection, award and administration of contracts."

h. As required by 2 C.F.R. §200.319(a), the Sub-Recipient shall conduct any procurement under this agreement "in a manner providing full and open competition." Accordingly, the Sub-Recipient shall not:

- i. Place unreasonable requirements on firms in order for them to qualify to do business;
  - ii. Require unnecessary experience or excessive bonding;
  - iii. Use noncompetitive pricing practices between firms or between affiliated companies;
  - iv. Execute noncompetitive contracts to consultants that are on retainer contracts;
  - v. Authorize, condone, or ignore organizational conflicts of interest;
  - vi. Specify only a brand name product without allowing vendors to offer an equivalent;
  - vii. Specify a brand name product instead of describing the performance, specifications, or other relevant requirements that pertain to the commodity or service solicited by the procurement;
  - viii. Engage in any arbitrary action during the procurement process; or,
  - ix. Allow a vendor to bid on a contract if that bidder was involved with developing or drafting the specifications, requirements, statement of work, invitation to bid, or request for proposals.
- i. “[E]xcept in those cases where applicable Federal statutes expressly mandate or encourage” otherwise, the Sub-Recipient, as required by 2 C.F.R. §200.319(b), shall not use a geographic preference when procuring commodities or services under this Agreement.
  - j. The Sub-Recipient shall conduct any procurement involving invitations to bid (i.e. sealed bids) in accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.320(c) as well as section 287.057(1)(a), Florida Statutes.
  - k. The Sub-Recipient shall conduct any procurement involving requests for proposals (i.e. competitive proposals) in accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.320(d) as well as section 287.057(1)(b), Florida Statutes.
  - l. For each subcontract, the Sub-Recipient shall provide a written statement to the Division as to whether that subcontractor is a minority business enterprise, as defined in Section 288.703, Florida Statutes. Additionally, the Sub-Recipient shall comply with the requirements of 2 C.F.R. §200.321 (“Contracting with small and minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms”).

(19)ATTACHMENTS

- a. All attachments to this Agreement are incorporated as if set out fully.
- b. In the event of any inconsistencies or conflict between the language of this Agreement and the attachments, the language of the attachments shall control, but only to the extent of the conflict or inconsistency.

- c. This Agreement has the following attachments:
- i. Exhibit 1 - Funding Sources
  - ii. Attachment A – Budget and Scope of Work
  - iii. Attachment B – Program Statutes and Regulations
  - iv. Attachment C – Statement of Assurances
  - v. Attachment D – Request for Advance or Reimbursement
  - vi. Attachment E – Justification of Advance Payment
  - vii. Attachment F – Quarterly Report Form
  - viii. Attachment G – Warranties and Representations
  - ix. Attachment H – Certification Regarding Debarment
  - x. Attachment I – Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act
  - xi. Attachment J – Mandatory Contract Provisions

(20)PAYMENTS

a. Any advance payment under this Agreement is subject to 2 C.F.R. §200.305 and, as applicable, section 216.181(16), Florida Statutes. All advances are required to be held in an interest-bearing account. If an advance payment is requested, the budget data on which the request is based and a justification statement shall be included in this Agreement as Attachment E. Attachment E will specify the amount of advance payment needed and provide an explanation of the necessity for and proposed use of these funds. No advance shall be accepted for processing if a reimbursement has been paid prior to the submittal of a request for advanced payment. After the initial advance, if any, payment shall be made on a reimbursement basis as needed.

b. Invoices shall be submitted at least quarterly and shall include the supporting documentation for all costs of the project or services. The final invoice shall be submitted within sixty (60) days after the expiration date of the agreement. An explanation of any circumstances prohibiting the submittal of quarterly invoices shall be submitted to the Division grant manager as part of the Sub-Recipient's quarterly reporting as referenced in Paragraph (12) of this Agreement.

c. If the necessary funds are not available to fund this Agreement as a result of action by the United States Congress, the federal Office of Management and Budgeting, the State Chief Financial Officer or under subparagraph (9)b. of this Agreement, all obligations on the part of the Division to make any further payment of funds shall terminate, and the Sub-Recipient shall submit its closeout report within thirty days of receiving notice from the Division.

(21)REPAYMENTS

a. All refunds or repayments due to the Division under this Agreement are to be made payable to the order of "Division of Emergency Management", and mailed directly to the following address:

Division of Emergency Management  
Cashier  
2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee FL 32399-2100

b. In accordance with Section 215.34(2), Florida Statutes, if a check or other draft is returned to the Division for collection, Sub-Recipient shall pay the Division a service fee of \$15.00 or 5% of the face amount of the returned check or draft, whichever is greater.

(22)MANDATED CONDITIONS

a. The validity of this Agreement is subject to the truth and accuracy of all the information, representations, and materials submitted or provided by the Sub-Recipient in this Agreement, in any later submission or response to a Division request, or in any submission or response to fulfill the requirements of this Agreement. All of said information, representations, and materials are incorporated by reference. The inaccuracy of the submissions or any material changes shall, at the option of the Division and with thirty days written notice to the Sub-Recipient, cause the termination of this Agreement and the release of the Division from all its obligations to the Sub-Recipient.

b. This Agreement shall be construed under the laws of the State of Florida, and venue for any actions arising out of this Agreement shall be in the Circuit Court of Leon County. If any provision of this Agreement is in conflict with any applicable statute or rule, or is unenforceable, then the provision shall be null and void to the extent of the conflict, and shall be severable, but shall not invalidate any other provision of this Agreement.

c. Any power of approval or disapproval granted to the Division under the terms of this Agreement shall survive the term of this Agreement.

d. The Sub-Recipient agrees to comply with the Americans With Disabilities Act (Public Law 101-336, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq.), which prohibits discrimination by public and private entities on the basis of disability in employment, public accommodations, transportation, State and local government services, and telecommunications.

e. Those who have been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime or on the discriminatory vendor list may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with a public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in

excess of \$25,000.00 for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list or on the discriminatory vendor list.

f. Any Sub-Recipient which is not a local government or state agency, and which receives funds under this Agreement from the federal government, certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:

i. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by a federal department or agency;

ii. Have not, within a five-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under 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;

iii. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any offenses enumerated in paragraph (22) f. ii. of this certification; and,

iv. Have not within a five-year period preceding this Agreement had one or more public transactions (federal, state or local) terminated for cause or default.

g. If the Sub-Recipient is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, then the Sub-Recipient shall attach an explanation to this Agreement.

**h. In addition, the Sub-Recipient shall send to the Division (by email or by facsimile transmission) the completed "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility And Voluntary Exclusion" (Attachment H) for each intended subcontractor which Sub-Recipient plans to fund under this Agreement. The form must be received by the Division before the Sub-Recipient enters into a contract with any subcontractor.**

i. The Division reserves the right to unilaterally cancel this Agreement if the Sub-Recipient refuses to allow public access to all documents, papers, letters or other material subject to the provisions of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, which the Sub-Recipient created or received under this Agreement.

j. If the Sub-Recipient is allowed to temporarily invest any advances of funds under this Agreement, any interest income shall either be returned to the Division or be applied against the Division's obligation to pay the contract amount.

k. The State of Florida will not intentionally award publicly-funded contracts to any contractor who knowingly employs unauthorized alien workers, constituting a violation of the employment provisions contained in 8 U.S.C. Section 1324a(e) [Section 274A(e) of the Immigration and Nationality Act ("INA")]. The Division shall consider the employment by any contractor of unauthorized aliens a violation of Section 274A(e) of the INA. Such violation by the Sub-Recipient of the employment provisions

contained in Section 274A(e) of the INA shall be grounds for unilateral cancellation of this Agreement by the Division.

i. All unmanufactured and manufactured articles, materials and supplies which are acquired for public use under this Agreement must have been produced in the United States as required under 41 U.S.C. 10a, unless it would not be in the public interest or unreasonable in cost.

(23) LOBBYING PROHIBITION

a. 2 C.F.R. §200.450 prohibits reimbursement for costs associated with certain lobbying activities.

b. Section 216.347, Florida Statutes, prohibits "any disbursement of grants and aids appropriations pursuant to a contract or grant to any person or organization unless the terms of the grant or contract prohibit the expenditure of funds for the purpose of lobbying the Legislature, the judicial branch, or a state agency."

c. No funds or other resources received from the Division under this Agreement may be used directly or indirectly to influence legislation or any other official action by the Florida Legislature or any state agency.

d. The Sub-Recipient certifies, by its signature to this Agreement, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief:

i. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Sub-Recipient, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with 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.

ii. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement, the Sub-Recipient shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities."

iii. The Sub-Recipient shall require that this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all Sub-Recipients shall certify and disclose.

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

(24) COPYRIGHT, PATENT AND TRADEMARK

**EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BELOW, ANY AND ALL PATENT RIGHTS ACCRUING UNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT ARE HEREBY RESERVED TO THE STATE OF FLORIDA; AND, ANY AND ALL COPYRIGHTS ACCRUING UNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT ARE HEREBY TRANSFERRED BY THE SUB-RECIPIENT TO THE STATE OF FLORIDA.**

a. If the Sub-Recipient has a pre-existing patent or copyright, the Sub-Recipient shall retain all rights and entitlements to that pre-existing patent or copyright unless the Agreement provides otherwise.

b. If any discovery or invention is developed in the course of or as a result of work or services performed under this Agreement, or in any way connected with it, the Sub-Recipient shall refer the discovery or invention to the Division for a determination whether the State of Florida will seek patent protection in its name. Any patent rights accruing under or in connection with the performance of this Agreement are reserved to the State of Florida. If any books, manuals, films, or other copyrightable material are produced, the Sub-Recipient shall notify the Division. Any copyrights accruing under or in connection with the performance under this Agreement are transferred by the Sub-Recipient to the State of Florida.

c. Within thirty days of execution of this Agreement, the Sub-Recipient shall disclose all intellectual properties relating to the performance of this Agreement which he or she knows or should know could give rise to a patent or copyright. The Sub-Recipient shall retain all rights and entitlements to any pre-existing intellectual property which is disclosed. Failure to disclose will indicate that no such property exists. The Division shall then, under Paragraph (24) b., have the right to all patents and copyrights which accrue during performance of the Agreement.

d. If the Sub-Recipient qualifies as a state university under Florida law, then, pursuant to section 1004.23, Florida Statutes, any invention conceived exclusively by the employees of the Sub-Recipient shall become the sole property of the Sub-Recipient. In the case of joint inventions, that is inventions made jointly by one or more employees of both parties hereto, each party shall have an equal, undivided interest in and to such joint inventions. The Division shall retain a perpetual, irrevocable, fully-paid, nonexclusive license, for its use and the use of its contractors of any resulting patented, copyrighted or trademarked work products, developed solely by the Sub-Recipient, under this Agreement, for Florida government purposes.

(25) LEGAL AUTHORIZATION.

The Sub-Recipient certifies that it has the legal authority to receive the funds under this Agreement and that its governing body has authorized the execution and acceptance of this Agreement. The Sub-Recipient also certifies that the undersigned person has the authority to legally execute and bind Sub-Recipient to the terms of this Agreement.

(26)EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYMENT

a. In accordance with 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), the Sub-Recipient hereby agrees that it will incorporate or cause to be incorporated into any contract for construction work, or modification thereof, as defined in the regulations of the Secretary of Labor at 41 CFR Chapter 60, which is paid for in whole or in part with funds obtained from the Federal Government or borrowed on the credit of the Federal Government pursuant to a grant, contract, loan insurance, or guarantee, or undertaken pursuant to any Federal program involving such grant, contract, loan, insurance, or guarantee, the following equal opportunity clause:

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

i. The contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

ii. The contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive considerations for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

iii. The contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers' representatives of the contractor's commitments under this section, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

iv. The contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.

v. The contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.

vi. In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the contractor may be declared

ineligible for further Government contracts or federally assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.

vii. The contractor will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance: provided, however, that in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the administering agency the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

b. The Sub-Recipient further agrees that it will be bound by the above equal opportunity clause with respect to its own employment practices when it participates in federally assisted construction work: provided, that if the applicant so participating is a State or local government, the above equal opportunity clause is not applicable to any agency, instrumentality or subdivision of such government which does not participate in work on or under the contract.

c. The Sub-Recipient agrees that it will assist and cooperate actively with the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor in obtaining the compliance of contractors and subcontractors with the equal opportunity clause and the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor, that it will furnish the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor such information as they may require for the supervision of such compliance, and that it will otherwise assist the administering agency in the discharge of the agency's primary responsibility for securing compliance.

d. The Sub-Recipient further agrees that it will refrain from entering into any contract or contract modification subject to Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, with a contractor debarred from, or who has not demonstrated eligibility for, Government contracts and federally assisted construction contracts pursuant to the Executive order and will carry out such sanctions and penalties for violation of the equal opportunity clause as may be imposed upon contractors and subcontractors by the administering agency or the Secretary of Labor pursuant to Part II, Subpart D of the Executive order. In addition, the Sub-Recipient agrees that if it fails or refuses to comply with these undertakings, the administering agency may take any or all of the following actions: cancel, terminate, or suspend in whole or in part this grant (contract, loan, insurance, guarantee); refrain from extending any further assistance to the Sub-Recipient under the program with respect to which the failure or refund occurred until satisfactory

assurance of future compliance has been received from such Sub-Recipient; and refer the case to the Department of Justice for appropriate legal proceedings.

(27) COPELAND ANTI-KICKBACK ACT

The Sub-Recipient hereby agrees that, unless exempt under Federal law, it will incorporate or cause to be incorporated into any contract for construction work, or modification thereof, the following clause:

- i. Contractor. The contractor shall comply with 18 U.S.C. § 874, 40 U.S.C. § 3145, and the requirements of 29 C.F.R. pt. 3 as may be applicable, which are incorporated by reference into this contract.
- ii. Subcontracts. The contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clause above and such other clauses as the FEMA may by appropriate instructions require, and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for the compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with all of these contract clauses.
- iii. Breach. A breach of the contract clauses above may be grounds for termination of the contract, and for debarment as a contractor and subcontractor as provided in 29 C.F.R. § 5.12.

(28) CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS

If the Sub-Recipient, with the funds authorized by this Agreement, enters into a contract that exceeds \$100,000 and involves the employment of mechanics or laborers, then any such contract must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5). Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation.

(29) CLEAN AIR ACT AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT

If the Sub-Recipient, with the funds authorized by this Agreement, enters into a contract that exceeds \$150,000, then any such contract must include the following provision:

Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387), and will report violations to FEMA and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

(30)SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT

If the Sub-Recipient, with the funds authorized by this Agreement, enters into a contract, then any such contract must include the following provisions:

- i. This contract is a covered transaction for purposes of 2 C.F.R. pt. 180 and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000. As such the contractor is required to verify that none of the contractor, its principals (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.995), or its affiliates (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.905) are excluded (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.940) or disqualified (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.935).
- ii. The contractor must comply with 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C and must include a requirement to comply with these regulations in any lower tier covered transaction it enters into.
- iii. This certification is a material representation of fact relied upon by the Division. If it is later determined that the contractor did not comply with 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C, in addition to remedies available to the Division, the Federal Government may pursue available remedies, including but not limited to suspension and/or debarment.
- iv. The bidder or proposer agrees to comply with the requirements of 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C while this offer is valid and throughout the period of any contract that may arise from this offer. The bidder or proposer further agrees to include a provision requiring such compliance in its lower tier covered transactions.

(31)BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT

If the Sub-Recipient, with the funds authorized by this Agreement, enters into a contract, then any such contract must include the following clause:

Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment, 31 U.S.C. § 1352 (as amended). Contractors who apply or bid for an award of \$100,000 or more shall file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Each tier shall also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the recipient.

(32)CONTRACTING WITH SMALL AND MINORITY BUSINESSES, WOMEN'S BUSINESS ENTERPRISES, AND LABOR SURPLUS AREA FIRMS

a. If the Sub-Recipient, with the funds authorized by this Agreement, seeks to procure goods or services, then, in accordance with 2 C.F.R. §200.321, the Sub-Recipient shall take the following affirmative steps to assure that minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used whenever possible:

- i. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- ii. Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- iii. Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises;
- iv. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises;
- v. Using the services and assistance, as appropriate, of such organizations as the Small Business Administration and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce; and
- vi. Requiring the prime contractor, if subcontracts are to be let, to take the affirmative steps listed in paragraphs i. through v. of this subparagraph.

b. The requirement outlined in subparagraph a. above, sometimes referred to as "socioeconomic contracting," does not impose an obligation to set aside either the solicitation or award of a contract to these types of firms. Rather, the requirement only imposes an obligation to carry out and document the six affirmative steps identified above.

c. The "socioeconomic contracting" requirement outlines the affirmative steps that the Sub-Recipient must take; the requirements do not preclude the Sub-Recipient from undertaking additional steps to involve small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises.

d. The requirement to divide total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises, does not authorize the Sub-Recipient to break a single project down into smaller components in order to circumvent the micro-purchase or small purchase thresholds so as to utilize streamlined acquisition procedures (e.g. "project splitting").

(33)ASSURANCES.

The Sub-Recipient shall comply with any Statement of Assurances incorporated as Attachment C.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement.

SUB-RECIPIENT: City of North Port

By: 

Name and Title: Peter D. Lear, CPA, CGMA, City Manager

Date: 2-12-19

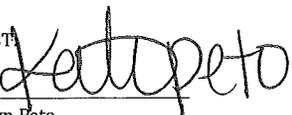
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STATE OF FLORIDA  
DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

By: 

Name and Title: Jared Moskowitz, Director.

Date: 20 March 2019

ATTEST  
By:   
Kathryn Peto  
City Clerk

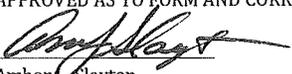
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Amber L. Slayton  
City Attorney

EXHIBIT – 1

THE FOLLOWING FEDERAL RESOURCES ARE AWARDED TO THE SUB-RECIPIENT UNDER THIS AGREEMENT:

*NOTE: If the resources awarded to the Sub-Recipient are from more than one Federal program, provide the same information shown below for each Federal program and show total Federal resources awarded. Delete text before finalizing agreement.*

Federal Program

Federal agency: Federal Emergency Management Agency: Hazard Mitigation Grant

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance title and number: 97.039

Award amount: \$ 525,000.00

THE FOLLOWING COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS APPLY TO THE FEDERAL RESOURCES AWARDED UNDER THIS AGREEMENT:

- 2 CFR Part 200 Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards
- The Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Public Law 93-288, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 5121 et seq., and Related Authorities
- Sections 1361(A) of the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 4104c, as amended by the National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994, Public Law 103-325 and the Bunning-Bereuter-Blumenauer Flood Insurance Reform Act of 2004, Public Law 108-264
- 31 CFR Part 205 Rules and Procedures for Funds Transfers

Federal Program:

1. Sub-Recipient is to use funding to perform the following eligible activities:
  - Retrofitting of existing buildings and facilities
2. Sub-Recipient is subject to all administrative and financial requirements as set forth in this Agreement, or will be in violation of the terms of the Agreement.

**Attachment A**  
**Budget and Scope of Work**

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:**

The purpose of this Scope of Work (SOW) is to provide protection to North Port City Hall in North Port, Sarasota County, Florida; funded through the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) DR-4337-28-R, as approved by the Florida Division of Emergency Management (Division) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The project is for the purchase and installation of an emergency generator system to reduce and/or mitigate the damage that might otherwise occur from severe weather or other hazards.

The Sub-Recipient, The City of North Port agrees to administer and complete the project per scope of work as submitted by the Sub-Recipient and subsequently approved by the Division and FEMA. The Sub-Recipient shall complete the work in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local Laws, Regulations, and Codes.

**PROJECT OVERVIEW:**

As a Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) project, the Sub-Recipient, the City of North Port, shall purchase and install a permanent generator, located at 4970 City Hall Boulevard, North Port, Florida 34286 (27.076292, -82.207285).

The HMGP project shall provide protection to the facility and shall be accomplished by the installation of a permanent 750kW generator, which will match the electrical needs of the critical facility, and be sufficient to power the supporting equipment. The City of North Port will also install a transfer switch, sized to match the electrical loads and ensure continuity in the provisions of power. An enclosure for the generator will be installed.

The project shall provide protection against a 500-year storm event. Activities shall be completed in strict compliance with Federal, State and Local applicable Rules and Regulations.

**TASKS & DELIVERABLES:**

**A) Tasks:**

- 1) The Sub-Recipient shall procure the services of a qualified and licensed Florida contractor and execute a contract with the selected bidder to complete the scope of work as approved by the Division and FEMA. The Sub-Recipient shall select the qualified, licensed Florida contractor in accordance with the Sub-Recipient's procurement policy as well as all Federal and State Laws and Regulations. All procurement activities shall contain sufficient source documentation and be in accordance with all applicable regulations.

The Sub-Recipient shall be responsible for furnishing or contracting all labor, materials, equipment, tools, transportation and supervision and for performing all work per sealed engineering designs and construction plans presented to the Division by the Sub-Recipient and subsequently approved by the Division and FEMA.

The Sub-Recipient and contractor shall be responsible for maintaining a safe and secure worksite for the duration of the work. The contractor shall maintain all work staging areas in a neat and presentable condition.

The Sub-Recipient shall ensure that no contractors or subcontractors are debarred or suspended from participating in federally funded projects.

The selected contractor shall have a current and valid occupational license/business tax receipt issued for the type of services being performed.

The Sub-Recipient shall provide documentation demonstrating the results of the procurement process. This shall include a rationale for the method of procurement and selection of contract type, contractor selection and/or rejection and bid tabulation and listing, and the basis of contract price.

The Sub-Recipient shall provide an executed "Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, Voluntary Exclusion Form" for each contractor and/or subcontractor performing services under this agreement.

Executed contracts with contractors and/or subcontractors shall be provided to the Division by the Sub-Recipient within 10 days of execution.

The Sub-Recipient shall provide copies of professional licenses for contractors selected to perform services. The Sub-Recipient shall provide a copy of a current and valid occupational license or business tax receipt issued for the type of services to be performed by selected contractor.

- 2) The Sub-Recipient shall monitor and manage the procurement and installation of all products in accordance with the HMGP application and associated documentation as presented to the Division by the Sub-Recipient and subsequently approved by the Division and FEMA. The Sub-Recipient shall ensure that all applicable State, Local and Federal Laws and Regulations are followed and documented, as appropriate.

The Sub-Recipient shall fully perform the approved project, as described in the application, in accordance with the approved scope of work indicated herein, the estimate of costs indicated herein, the allocation of funds indicated herein, and all applicable terms and conditions. The Sub-Recipient shall not deviate from the approved project terms and conditions.

Upon completion of the work, the Sub-Recipient shall schedule and participate in a final inspection of the completed project by the local municipal or county building department (official), or other approving official, as applicable. The official shall inspect and certify that all installation was in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications. Any deficiencies found during this final inspection shall be corrected by the Sub-Recipient prior to Sub-Recipient's submittal of the final inspection request to the Division.

Upon completion of Task 2, the Sub-Recipient shall submit the following documents with sufficient supporting documentation, and provide a summary of all contract scope of work and scope of work changes, if any. Additional documentation shall include:

- a) Copy of permit(s), notice of commencement.
  - b) Local Building Official Inspection Report and Final Approval.
  - c) A copy of electrical designs, specifications and/or drawings elaborated to complete the scope.
  - d) Signed and Sealed copy of the As-built plans, as applicable.
  - e) Certified Letter of Completion, as applicable –
    1. Affirming that the project has been completed in conformance with the approved project drawings, specifications, and scope.
    2. Certify Compliance with all applicable codes.
  - f) All Product Specifications / Data Sheet(s) (technical standards) satisfying protection requirements on all products utilized.
  - g) Proof of compliance with Project Requirements and Conditions contained herein.
- 3) During the course of this agreement the Sub-Recipient shall submit requests for reimbursement. Adequate and complete source documentation shall be submitted to support all costs (federal share and local share) related to the project. In some cases, all project activities may not be fully complete prior to requesting reimbursement of costs incurred in completion of this scope of work; however, a partial reimbursement may be requested.

The Sub-Recipient shall submit an Affidavit signed by the Sub-Recipient's project personnel with each reimbursement request, attesting to the completion of the work, disbursements or payments

were made in accordance with all agreement and regulatory conditions, and that reimbursement is due and has not been previously requested.

The Sub-Recipient shall maintain accurate time records. The Sub-Recipient shall ensure invoices are accurate and any contracted services were rendered within the terms and timelines of this agreement. All supporting documentation shall agree with the requested billing period. All costs submitted for reimbursement shall contain adequate source documentation which may include but not be limited to: cancelled checks, bank statements, Electronic Funds Transfer, paid bills and invoices, payrolls, time and attendance records, contract and subcontract award documents.

**Construction Expense:** The Sub-Recipient shall pre-audit bills, invoices, and/or charges submitted by the contractors and subcontractors and pay the contractors and subcontractors for approved bills, invoices, and/or charges. Sub-Recipient shall ensure that all contractor/subcontractor bills, invoices, and/or charges are legitimate and clearly identify the activities being performed and associated costs.

**Project Management Expenses:** The Sub-Recipient shall pre-audit source documentation such as payroll records, project time sheets, attendance logs, etc. Documentation shall be detailed information describing tasks performed, hours devoted to each task, and the hourly rate charged for each hour including enough information to calculate the hourly rates based on payroll records. Employee benefits shall be clearly shown.

The Division shall review all submitted requests for reimbursement for basic accuracy of information. Further, the Division shall ensure that no unauthorized work was completed prior to the approved project start date by verifying vendor and contractor invoices. The Division shall verify that reported costs were incurred in the performance of eligible work, that the approved work was completed, and that the mitigation measures are in compliance with the approved scope of work prior to processing any requests for reimbursement.

Review and approval of any third party in-kind services, if applicable, shall be conducted by the Division in coordination with the Sub-Recipient. Quarterly Reports shall be submitted by the Sub-Recipient and received by the Division at the times provided in this agreement prior to the processing of any reimbursement.

The Sub-Recipient shall submit to the Division requests for reimbursement of actual construction and managerial costs related to the project as identified in the project application, and plans. The requests for reimbursement shall include:

- a) Contractor, subcontractor, and/or vendor invoices which clearly display dates of services performed, description of services performed, location of services performed, cost of services performed, name of service provider and any other pertinent information;
- b) Proof of payment from the Sub-Recipient to the contractor, subcontractor, and/or vendor for invoiced services;
- c) Clear identification of amount of costs being requested for reimbursement as well as costs being applied against the local match amount;

The Sub-Recipient's final request for reimbursement shall include the final construction project cost. Supporting documentation shall show that all contractors and subcontractors have been paid.

## **B) Deliverables:**

Mitigation Activities consist of providing protection to the North Port City Hall, located at 4970 City Hall Boulevard, North Port, Florida 34286, by installation of a permanent 750kW generator, which will match the electrical needs of the critical facility, and be sufficient to power the supporting equipment. The City of North Port will also install a transfer switch, sized to match the electrical loads and ensure continuity in the provisions of power. An enclosure for the generator will be installed.

The project shall provide protection against a 500-year storm event. Activities shall be completed in strict compliance with Federal, State and Local applicable Rules and Regulations. Provided the Sub-

Recipient performs in accordance with the Scope of Work outlined in this Agreement, the Division shall reimburse the Sub-Recipient based on the percentage of overall project completion.

**PROJECT CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS:**

**C) Engineering:**

- 1) The Sub-Recipient shall submit to the Division an official letter stating that the project is 100% complete and ready for the Division's Final Inspection of the project.
- 2) The Sub-Recipient shall provide a copy of the Notice of Commencement, and any local official Inspection Report and/or Final approval; as applicable.
- 3) The Sub-Recipient shall submit a final copy of the completed project's As-built drawings and all necessary supporting documentation, and provide a summary of all contract scope of work changes, as applicable.
- 4) The Sub-Recipient shall submit a final copy of any electrical designs, specifications and/or drawings elaborated to complete the job.
- 5) The Sub-Recipient shall submit a certified letter of completion from Engineer of Record, as applicable. The Sub-Recipient's Engineer of Record shall provide a formal certificate or letter affirming that the project has been completed in conformance with the approved project drawings, specifications, scope, and applicable codes
- 6) The Sub-Recipient shall submit all Product Specifications / Data Sheet(s) (technical standards) satisfying protect requirements on all products utilized.
- 7) All installations shall be done in strict compliance with the Florida Building Code or Miami Dade Specifications. All materials shall be certified to exceed the wind and impact standards of the current local codes.
- 8) The Sub-Recipient shall follow all applicable State, Local and Federal Laws Regulations and requirements, and obtain (before starting project work) and comply with all required permits and approvals. Failure to obtain all appropriate Federal, State, and Local permits and clearances may jeopardize federal funding.

**D) Environmental:**

- 1) The Sub-Recipient shall follow all applicable state, local and federal laws regulations and requirements, and obtain (before starting project work) and comply with all required permits and approvals. Failure to obtain all appropriate federal, state, and local environmental permits and clearances may jeopardize federal funding. If project is delayed for a year or more after the date of the categorical exclusion (CATEX), then coordination with and project review by regulatory agencies must be redone.
- 2) Any change addition or supplement to the approved mitigation measure or scope of work that alters the project (including other work not funded by FEMA, but done substantially at the same time) shall require resubmission to the Division and FEMA for reevaluation of compliance with the National Environmental Protection Act (NEPA) and Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) prior to initiation of any work. Non-compliance with these requirements may jeopardize FEMA's ability to fund this project. A change in the scope of work shall be approved by the Division and FEMA in advance regardless of the budget implications.
- 3) If any ground disturbance activities occur during construction, the Sub-Recipient shall monitor ground disturbance during construction, and if any potential archeological resources are discovered, shall immediately cease construction in that area and notify the Division and FEMA.
- 4) Construction vehicles and equipment used for this project shall be maintained in good working order to minimize pollutant emissions.

**E) Programmatic:**

- 1) The Sub-Recipient must notify the Division as soon as significant developments becomes known, such as delays or adverse conditions that might raise costs or delay completion, or favorable conditions allowing lower costs or earlier completion.
- 2) The Division and FEMA shall approve a change in the scope of work in advance, regardless of the budget implementations.
- 3) The Sub-Recipient must "obtain prior written approval for any budget revision which would result in a need for additional funds" [44 CFR 13(c)], from the Division and FEMA.
- 4) Any extension of the Period of Performance shall be submitted to FEMA, 60 days prior to the expiration date. Therefore, any request for a Period of Performance Extension shall be in writing and submitted along with substantiation of new expiration date, and a new schedule of work, to the Division a minimum of seventy (70) days prior to the expiration date, for Division processing to FEMA.
- 5) The Sub-Recipient must avoid duplication of benefits between the HMGP and any other form of assistance, as required by Section 312 of the Stafford Act, and further clarification in 44 CFR 206.191.
- 6) A copy of the executed subcontract agreement must be forwarded to the Division within 10 days of execution.
- 7) Project approval is with the condition that the tasks, deliverables, and conditions be accomplished and submitted 30-days prior to the Period of Performance date, for review and approval by the Division, for submittal to FEMA for Closeout.

This is FEMA project number **4337-28-R**, is funded under HMGP; FEMA-4337-Irma-DR-FL; and must adhere to all program guidelines established for the HMGP in accordance with the PAS Operational Agreement for Disaster 4337.

FEMA awarded this project on November 7, 2018; this Agreement shall begin upon execution by both parties, and the Period of Performance for this project shall end on **November 30, 2020**.

**F) FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCES:**

If the Sub-Recipient fails to comply with any term of the award, the Division shall take one or more of the following actions, as appropriate in the circumstances:

- 1) Temporarily withhold cash payments pending correction of the deficiency by the Sub-Recipient;
- 2) Disallow all or part of the cost of the activity or action not in compliance;
- 3) Wholly or partly suspend or terminate the current award for the Sub-Recipient's program;
- 4) Withhold further awards for the program; or
- 5) Take other remedies that may be legally available.

**SCHEDULE OF WORK**

State and Local Contracting:	3 Months
Design / Permitting:	3 Months
Bidding and Contracting:	3 Months
Construction / Installation:	12 Months
State and Local Inspection	2 Months
Closeout:	1 Month
<b>Total Period of Performance:</b>	<b>24 Months</b>

**BUDGET**

**Line Item Budget\***

	<u>Project Cost</u>	<u>Federal Share</u>	<u>Non-Federal Share</u>
Materials:	\$310,000.00	\$232,500.00	\$77,500.00
Labor:	\$385,000.00	\$288,750.00	\$96,250.00
Fees:	\$5,000.00	\$3,750.00	\$1,250.00
<b>Initial Agreement Amount:</b>	<b>\$700,000.00</b>	<b>\$525,000.00</b>	<b>\$175,000.00</b>
***Contingency Funds:	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Project Total:</b>	<b>\$700,000.00</b>	<b>\$525,000.00</b>	<b>\$175,000.00</b>

*\*Any line item amount in this Budget may be increased or decreased 10% or less without an amendment to this Agreement being required, so long as the overall amount of the funds obligated under this Agreement is not increased.*

**Funding Summary**

Federal Share:	\$525,000.00	(75%)
Non-Federal Share:	\$175,000.00	(25%)
<b>Total Project Cost:</b>	<b>\$700,000.00</b>	<b>(100%)</b>

**Attachment B**  
**Program Statutes and Regulations**

The parties to this Agreement and the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) are generally governed by the following statutes and regulations:

- (1) The Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act;
- (2) 44 CFR Parts 7, 9, 10, 13, 14, 17, 18, 25, 206, 220, and 221, and any other applicable FEMA policy memoranda and guidance documents;
- (3) State of Florida Administrative Plan for the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program;
- (4) Hazard Mitigation Assistance Guidance- February 27, 2015 Update; and
- (5) All applicable laws and regulations delineated in Attachment C of this Agreement.

In addition to the above statutes and regulations, the Sub-recipient must comply with the following:

The Sub-recipient shall fully perform the approved hazard mitigation project, as described in the Application and Attachment A (Budget and Scope of Work) attached to this Agreement, in accordance with approved scope of work indicated therein, the estimate of costs indicated therein, the allocation of funds indicated therein, and the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The Sub-recipient shall not deviate from the approved project and the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The Sub-recipient shall comply with any and all applicable codes and standards in performing work funded under this Agreement, and shall provide any appropriate maintenance and security for the project.

Any development permit issued by, or development activity undertaken by, the Sub-recipient and any land use permitted by or engaged in by the Sub-recipient, shall be consistent with the local comprehensive plan and land development regulations prepared and adopted pursuant to Chapter 163, Part II, Florida Statutes. Funds shall be expended for, and development activities and land uses authorized for, only those uses which are permitted under the comprehensive plan and land development regulations. The Sub-recipient shall be responsible for ensuring that any development permit issued and any development activity or land use undertaken is, where applicable, also authorized by the Water Management District, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, the Florida Department of Health, the Florida Game and Fish Commission, and any Federal, State, or local environmental or land use permitting authority, where required. The Sub-recipient agrees that any repair or construction shall be in accordance with applicable standards of safety, decency, and sanitation, and in conformity with applicable codes, specifications and standards.

The Sub-recipient will provide and maintain competent and adequate engineering supervision at the construction site to ensure that the completed work conforms with the approved plans and specifications and will furnish progress reports and such other information to HMGP as may be required.

If the hazard mitigation project described in Attachment A includes an acquisition or relocation project, then the Sub-recipient shall ensure that, as a condition of funding under this Agreement, the owner of the affected real property shall record in the public records of the county where it is located the following covenants and restrictions, which shall run with and apply to any property acquired, accepted, or from which a structure will be removed pursuant to the project.

- (1) The property will be dedicated and maintained in perpetuity for a use that is compatible with open space, recreational, or wetlands management practices;

- (2) No new structure will be erected on property other than:
  - a. a public facility that is open on all sides and functionally related to a designed open space;
  - b. a restroom; or
- (3) A structure that the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency approves in writing before the commencement of the construction of the structure;
- (4) After the date of the acquisition or relocation no application for disaster assistance for any purpose will be made to any Federal entity and no disaster assistance will be provided for the property by any Federal source; and
- (5) If any of these covenants and restrictions is violated by the owner or by some third party with the knowledge of the owner, fee simple title to the Property described herein shall be conveyed to the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund of the State of Florida without further notice to the owner, its successors and assigns, and the owner, its successors and assigns shall forfeit all right, title and interest in and to the property.

HMGP Contract Manager will evaluate requests for cost overruns and submit to the regional Director written determination of cost overrun eligibility. Cost overruns shall meet Federal regulations set forth in 44 CFR 206.438(b).

The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) stipulates that additions or amendments to a HMGP Sub-Recipient Scope of Work (SOW) shall be reviewed by all State and Federal agencies participating in the NEPA process.

As a reminder, the Sub-recipient must obtain prior approval from the State, before implementing changes to the approved project Scope of Work (SOW). Per the Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments:

- (1) For Construction projects, the grantee must "obtain prior written approval for any budget revision which result in a need for additional funds" (44 CFR 13(c));
- (2) A change in the Scope of Work must be approved by FEMA in advance regardless of the budget implications; and
- (3) The Sub-recipient must notify the State as soon as significant developments become known, such as delays or adverse conditions that might raise costs or delay completion, or favorable conditions allowing lower cost or earlier completion. Any extensions of the period of performance must be submitted to FEMA sixty days prior to the project expiration date.

The Sub-recipient assures that it will comply with the following statutes and regulations to the extent applicable:

- (1) 53 Federal Register 8034
- (2) Federal Acquisition Regulations 31.2
- (3) Section 1352, Title 31, US Code
- (4) Chapter 473, Florida Statutes
- (5) Chapter 215, Florida Statutes
- (6) Section 768.28, Florida Statutes
- (7) Chapter 119, Florida Statutes
- (8) Section 216.181(6), Florida Statutes
- (9) Cash Management Improvement Act of 1990
- (10) American with Disabilities Act
- (11) Section 112.061, Florida Statutes
- (12) Immigration and Nationality Act
- (13) Section 286.011, Florida Statutes

- (14) 2 CFR, Part 200 – Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards
- (15) Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisitions Act of 1970
- (16) Title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968
- (17) Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act, or the Victims of Crime Act
- (18) Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended
- (19) Victims of Crime Act (as appropriate)
- (20) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended
- (21) Subtitle A, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) (1990)
- (22) Department of Justice regulations on disability discrimination, 28 CFR, Part 35 and Part 39
- (23) 42 U.S.C. 5154a

## Attachment C

### Statement of Assurances

To the extent the following provisions apply to this Agreement, the Sub-recipient certifies that:

- (a) It possesses legal authority to enter into this Agreement and to carry out the proposed program;
- (b) Its governing body has duly adopted or passed as an official act of resolution, motion or similar action authorizing the execution of the hazard mitigation agreement with the Division of Emergency Management (DEM), including all understandings and assurances contained in it, and directing and authorizing the Sub-recipient's chief administrative officer or designee to act in connection with the application and to provide such additional information as may be required;
- (c) No member of or delegate to the Congress of the United States, and no Resident Commissioner, shall receive any share or part of this Agreement or any benefit. No member, officer, or employee of the Sub-recipient or its designees or agents, no member of the governing body of the locality in which this program is situated, and no other public official of the locality or localities who exercises any functions or responsibilities with respect to the program during his tenure or for one year after, shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract, or the proceeds, for work to be performed in connection with the program assisted under this Agreement. The Sub-recipient shall incorporate, in all contracts or subcontracts a provision prohibiting any interest pursuant to the purpose stated above;
- (d) All Sub-recipient contracts for which the State Legislature is in any part a funding source, shall contain language to provide for termination with reasonable costs to be paid by the Sub-recipient for eligible contract work completed prior to the date the notice of suspension of funding was received by the Sub-recipient. Any cost incurred after a notice of suspension or termination is received by the Sub-recipient may not be funded with funds provided under this Agreement unless previously approved in writing by the Division. All Sub-recipient contracts shall contain provisions for termination for cause or convenience and shall provide for the method of payment in such event;
- (e) It will comply with:
  - (1) Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act of 1962, 40 U.S.C. 327 et seq., requiring that mechanics and laborers (including watchmen and guards) employed on federally assisted contracts be paid wages of not less than one and one-half times their basic wage rates for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in a work week; and
  - (2) Federal Fair Labor Standards Act, 29 U.S.C. Section 201 et seq., requiring that covered employees be paid at least minimum prescribed wage, and also that they be paid one and one-half times their basic wage rates for all hours worked in excess of the prescribed work-week.
- (f) It will comply with
  - (1) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352), and the regulations issued pursuant thereto, which provides that no person in the United States shall on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Sub-recipient received Federal financial assistance and will immediately take any measures necessary to effectuate this assurance. If any real property or structure thereon is provided or improved with the aid of Federal financial assistance extended to the Sub-recipient, this assurance shall obligate the Sub-recipient, or in the case of any transfer of such property, any transferee, for the period during which the real property or structure is

used for a purpose for which the Federal financial assistance is extended, or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits;

- (2) Any prohibition against discrimination on the basis of age under the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. 6101-6107) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age or with respect to otherwise qualified handicapped individuals as provided in Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973;
  - (3) Executive Order 11246, as amended by Executive Orders 11375 and 12086, and the regulations issued pursuant thereto, which provide that no person shall be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, religion, sex or national origin in all phases of employment during the performance of federal or federally assisted construction contracts; affirmative action to insure fair treatment in employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff/termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and election for training and apprenticeship;
- (g) It will establish safeguards to prohibit employees from using positions for a purpose that is or gives the appearance of being motivated by a desire for private gain for themselves or others, particularly those with whom they have family, business, or other ties pursuant to Section 112.313 and Section 112.3135, Florida Statutes;
- (h) It will comply with the Anti-Kickback Act of 1986, 41 U.S.C. Section 51 which outlaws and prescribes penalties for "kickbacks" of wages in federally financed or assisted construction activities;
- (i) It will comply with the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 594, 598, 600-605 (further known as the Hatch Act) which limits the political activities of employees;
- (j) It will comply with the flood insurance purchase and other requirements of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 4002-4107, including requirements regarding the purchase of flood insurance in communities where such insurance is available as a condition for the receipt of any Federal financial assistance for construction or acquisition purposes for use in any area having special flood hazards. The phrase "Federal financial assistance" includes any form of loan, grant, guaranty, insurance payment, rebate, subsidy, disaster assistance loan or grant, or any other form of direct or indirect Federal assistance;

For sites located within Special Flood Hazard Areas (SFHA), the Sub-recipient must include a FEMA Model Acknowledgement of Conditions of Mitigation of Property in a Special Flood Hazard Area with FEMA Grant Funds executed by the title holder with the closeout request verifying that certain SFHA requirements were satisfied on each of the properties. The Model Acknowledgement can be found at [www.fema.gov/governmenta/grant/sfha\\_conditions.shtml](http://www.fema.gov/governmenta/grant/sfha_conditions.shtml)

- (k) It will require every building or facility (other than a privately owned residential structure) designed, constructed, or altered with funds provided under this Agreement to comply with the "Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards," (AS) which is Appendix A to 41 CFR Section 101-19.6 for general type buildings and Appendix A to 24 CFR, Part 40 for residential structures. The Sub-recipient will be responsible for conducting inspections to ensure compliance with these specifications by the contractor;
- (l) It will, in connection with its performance of environmental assessments under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (U.S.C. 470), Executive Order 11593, 24 CFR, Part 800, and the Preservation of Archaeological and Historical Data Act of 1966 (16 U.S.C. 469a-1, et seq.) by:
- (1) Consulting with the State Historic Preservation Office to identify properties listed in or eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places that are subject to adverse effects (see 36 CFR, Section 800.8) by the proposed activity; and

- (2) Complying with all requirements established by the State to avoid or mitigate adverse effects upon such properties.
- (3) Abiding by the terms and conditions of the **“Programmatic Agreement Among the Federal Emergency Management Agency, the Florida State Historic Preservation Office, the Florida Division of Emergency Management and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, (PA)”** which addresses roles and responsibilities of Federal and State entities in implementing Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), 16 U.S.C. 470(f), and implementing regulations in 36 CFR, Part 800.
- (4) When any of the Sub-recipient's projects funded under this Agreement may affect a historic property, as defined in 36 CFR, Part 800 (2)(e), the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) may require the Sub-recipient to review the eligible scope of work in consultation with the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) and suggest methods of repair or construction that will conform with the recommended approaches set out in the **Secretary of Interior’s Standards for Rehabilitation and Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings 1992 (Standards)**, the **Secretary of the Interior’s Guidelines for Archeological Documentation (Guidelines)** (48 Federal Register 44734-37), or any other applicable Secretary of Interior standards. If FEMA determines that the eligible scope of work will not conform with the **Standards**, the Sub-recipient agrees to participate in consultations to develop, and after execution by all parties, to abide by, a written agreement that establishes mitigation and recondition measures, including but not limited to, impacts to archeological sites, and the salvage, storage, and reuse of any significant architectural features that may otherwise be demolished.
- (5) The Sub-recipient agrees to notify FEMA and the Division if any project funded under this Agreement will involve ground disturbing activities, including, but not limited to: subsurface disturbance; removal of trees; excavation of footings and foundations, and installation of utilities (such as water, sewer, storm drains, electrical, gas, leach lines and septic tanks) except where these activities are restricted solely to areas previously disturbed by the installation, replacement or maintenance of such utilities. FEMA will request the SHPO’s opinion on the potential that archeological properties may be present and be affected by such activities. The SHPO will advise the Sub-recipient on any feasible steps to be accomplished to avoid any National Register eligible archeological property or will make recommendations for the development of a treatment plan for the recovery or archeological data from the property.

If the Sub-recipient is unable to avoid the archeological property, develop, in consultation with SHPO, a treatment plan consistent with the **Guidelines** and take into account the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (Council) publication “Treatment of Archeological Properties”. The Sub-recipient shall forward information regarding the treatment plan to FEMA, the SHPO and the Council for review. If the SHPO and the Council do not object within 15 calendar days of receipt of the treatment plan, FEMA may direct the Sub-recipient to implement the treatment plan. If either the Council or the SHPO object, Sub-recipient shall not proceed with the project until the objection is resolved.

- (6) The Sub-recipient shall notify the Division and FEMA as soon as practicable: (a) of any changes in the approved scope of work for a National Register eligible or listed property; (b) of all changes to a project that may result in a supplemental DSR or modify a HMGP project for a National Register eligible or listed property; (c) if it appears that a project funded under this Agreement will affect a previously unidentified property that may be eligible for inclusion in the National Register or affect a known historic property in an unanticipated manner. The Sub-recipient acknowledges that FEMA may require the Sub-recipient to stop construction in the vicinity of the discovery of a previously unidentified property that may be eligible for inclusion in the National Register or upon learning that construction may affect a known historic property in an unanticipated manner. The Sub-recipient further acknowledges that FEMA may require the Sub-recipient to take all

reasonable measures to avoid or minimize harm to such property until FEMA concludes consultation with the SHPO. The Sub-recipient also acknowledges that FEMA will require, and the Sub-recipient shall comply with, modifications to the project scope of work necessary to implement recommendations to address the project and the property.

- (7) The Sub-recipient acknowledges that, unless FEMA specifically stipulates otherwise, it shall not receive funding for projects when, with intent to avoid the requirements of the PA or the NHPA, the Sub-recipient intentionally and significantly adversely affects a historic property, or having the legal power to prevent it, allowed such significant adverse effect to occur.
- (m) It will comply with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. 1681-1683 and 1685-1686) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex;
- (n) It will comply with the Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation Act of 1970, (42 U.S.C. 4521-45-94) relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism;
- (o) It will comply with 523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. 290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records;
- (p) It will comply with Lead-Based Paint Poison Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. 4821 et seq.) which prohibits the use of lead based paint in construction of rehabilitation or residential structures;
- (q) It will comply with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (P.L. 94-163; 42 U.S.C. 6201-6422), and the provisions of the State Energy Conservation Plan adopted pursuant thereto;
- (r) It will comply with the Laboratory Animal Welfare Act of 1966, (7 U.S.C. 2131-2159), pertaining to the care, handling, and treatment of warm blooded animals held for research, teaching, or other activities supported by an award of assistance under this Agreement;
- (s) It will comply with Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, (42 U.S.C 2000c and 42 U.S.C. 3601-3619), as amended, relating to non-discrimination in the sale, rental, or financing of housing, and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin;
- (t) It will comply with the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 7401-7642;
- (u) It will comply with the Clean Water Act of 1977, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 7419-7626
- (v) It will comply with the endangered Species Act of 1973, 16 U.S.C. 1531-1544;
- (w) It will comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970, 42 U.S.C. 4728-4763;
- (x) It will assist the awarding agency in assuring compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, 16 U.S.C. 270;
- (y) It will comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, 42 U.S.C. 4321-4347;
- (z) It will assist the awarding agency in assuring compliance with the Preservation of Archeological and Historical Preservation Act of 1966, 16 U.S.C. 469a, et seq.;
- (aa) It will comply with the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 504, 29 U.S.C. 794, regarding non-discrimination;

- (bb) It will comply with the environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, 42 U.S.C. 300f-300j, regarding the protection of underground water sources;
- (cc) It will comply with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, 42 U.S.C. 4621-4638, which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of Federal or Federally assisted programs;
- (dd) It will comply with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968, 16 U.S.C. 1271-1287, related to protecting components or potential components of the national wild and scenic rivers system;
- (ee) It will comply with the following Executive Orders: EO 11514 (NEPA); EO 11738 (violating facilities); EO 11988 (Floodplain Management); EO 11990 (Wetlands); and EO 12898 (Environmental Justice);
- (ff) It will comply with the Coastal Barrier Resources Act of 1977, 16 U.S.C. 3510;
- (gg) It will assure project consistency with the approved State program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, 16 U.S.C. 1451-1464; and
- (hh) It will comply with the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act of 1958, 16 U.S.C. 661-666.
- (ii) With respect to demolition activities, it will:
  - (1) Create and make available documentation sufficient to demonstrate that the Sub-recipient and its demolition contractor have sufficient manpower and equipment to comply with the obligations as outlined in this Agreement.
  - (2) Return the property to its natural state as though no improvements had ever been contained thereon.
  - (3) Furnish documentation of all qualified personnel, licenses and all equipment necessary to inspect buildings located in the Sub-recipient's jurisdiction to detect the presence of asbestos and lead in accordance with requirements of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and the County Health Department.
  - (4) Provide documentation of the inspection results for each structure to indicate:
    - a. Safety Hazard Present
    - b. Health Hazards Present
    - c. Hazardous Materials Present
  - (5) Provide supervision over contractors or employees employed by the Sub-recipient to remove asbestos and lead from demolished or otherwise applicable structures.
  - (6) Leave the demolished site clean, level and free of debris.
  - (7) Notify the Division promptly of any unusual existing condition which hampers the contractor's work.
  - (8) Obtain all required permits.
  - (9) Provide addresses and marked maps for each site where water wells and septic tanks are to be closed along with the number of wells and septic tanks located on each site. Provide documentation of closures.
  - (10) Comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the State Energy Conservation Plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Public Law 94-163).

- (11) Comply with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 112 and 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857h), Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency regulations (40 CFR, Part 15 and 61). This clause shall be added to any subcontracts.
- (12) Provide documentation of public notices for demolition activities.

**Attachment D**

**DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

**REQUEST FOR ADVANCE OR REIMBURSEMENT OF  
HAZARD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FUNDS**

SUB-RECIPIENT: City of North Port

REMIT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PROJECT TYPE: Generator Project PROJECT #: 4337-28-R

PROGRAM: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program CONTRACT #: H0131

APPROVED BUDGET: \_\_\_\_\_ FEDERAL SHARE: \_\_\_\_\_ MATCH: \_\_\_\_\_

ADVANCED RECEIVED: \_\_\_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT: \_\_\_\_\_ SETTLED? \_\_\_\_\_

Invoice Period: \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_ Payment #: \_\_\_\_\_

Eligible Amount 100% (Current Request)	Obligated Federal Amount ___%	Obligated Non- Federal ___%	Division Use Only	
			Approved	Comments

TOTAL CURRENT REQUEST: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this report, I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the report is true, complete, and accurate, and the expenditures, disbursements and cash receipts are for the purposes and objectives set forth in the terms and conditions of the Federal award. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent information, or the omission of any material fact, may subject me to criminal, civil or administrative penalties for fraud, false statements, false claims or otherwise. (U.S. Code Title 18, Section 1001 and Title 31, Sections 3729-3730 and 3801-3812.

SUB-RECIPIENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME / TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE DIVISION	
APPROVED PROJECT TOTAL	\$ _____
ADMINISTRATIVE COST	\$ _____
APPROVED FOR PAYMENT	\$ _____
	GOVERNOR'S AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE _____
	DATE _____

**SUMMARY OF DOCUMENTATION IN SUPPORT OF AMOUNT  
CLAIMED FOR ELIGIBLE DISASTER WORK UNDER THE  
HAZARD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

SUB-RECIPIENT: City of North Port PAYMENT #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 PROJECT TYPE: Generator Project PROJECT #: 4337-28-R  
 PROGRAM: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program CONTRACT #: H0131

	REF NO <sup>2</sup>	DATE <sup>3</sup>	DOCUMENTATION <sup>4</sup>	(Check) AMOUNT	ELIGIBLE COSTS (100%)
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					
8					
9					
<b>This payment represents</b> <u>    </u> % <b>completion of the project.</b>				<b>TOTAL</b>	

<sup>2</sup> Recipient's internal reference number (e.g., Invoice, Receipt, Warrant, Voucher, Claim Check, or Schedule #)

<sup>3</sup> Date of delivery of articles, completion of work or performance services. (per document)

<sup>4</sup> List Documentation (Recipient's payroll, material out of recipient's stock, recipient owned equipment and name of vendor or contractor) by category (Materials, Labor, Fees) and line item in the approved project line item budget. Provide a brief description of the articles or services. List service dates per each invoice.

**Attachment E  
JUSTIFICATION OF ADVANCE PAYMENT**

**SUB-RECIPIENT:** City of North Port

If you are requesting an advance, indicate same by checking the box below.

<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>ADVANCE REQUESTED</b></p> <p>Advance payment of \$ _____ is requested. Balance of payments will be made on a reimbursement basis. These funds are needed to pay staff, award benefits to clients, duplicate forms and purchase start-up supplies and equipment. We would not be able to operate the program without this advance.</p>
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If you are requesting an advance, complete the following chart and line item justification below.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Calculate your estimated expenses at 100% of your expected needs for 90 days. Submit Attachment D with the cost share breakdown along with Attachment E and all supporting documentation.

**ESTIMATED EXPENSES**

BUDGET CATEGORY/LINE ITEMS (list applicable line items)	20__-20__ Anticipated Expenditures for First Three Months of Contract
<u>For example</u> ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS (Include Secondary Administration.)	
<u>For example</u> PROGRAM EXPENSES	
TOTAL EXPENSES	

**LINE ITEM JUSTIFICATION** (For each line item, provide a detailed justification explaining the need for the cash advance. The justification must include supporting documentation that clearly shows the advance will be expended within the first ninety (90) days of the contract term. Support documentation should include quotes for purchases, delivery timelines, salary and expense projections, etc. to provide the Division reasonable and necessary support that the advance will be expended within the first ninety (90) days of the contract term. Any advance funds not expended within the first ninety (90) days of the contract term as evidenced by copies of invoices and cancelled checks as required by the Budget and Scope of work showing 100% of expenditures for the 90 day period shall be returned to the Division Cashier, 2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, within thirty (30) days of receipt, along with any interest earned on the advance.

Attachment F

DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT  
HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM  
QUARTERLY REPORT FORM

*Instructions: Complete and submit this form to the appropriate Project Manager within 15 days of each quarter's end date.*

SUB-RECIPIENT: City of North Port PROJECT #: 4337-28-R  
PROJECT TYPE: Generator Project CONTRACT #: H0131  
PROGRAM: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program QUARTER ENDING: \_\_\_\_\_

**Advance Payment Information:**

Advance Received  N/A  Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Advance Settled? Yes  No

Provide reimbursement **Projections** for this project (*projections may change*):

Jul-Sep 20\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Oct-Dec 20\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Jan-Mar 20\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Apr-Jun 20\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Target Dates:**

Contract Initiation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Contract Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Project Completion Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Proceeding on **Schedule**?  Yes  No (*If No, please describe under **Issues** below*)

**Percentage** of Work Completed (*may be confirmed by state inspectors*): \_\_\_\_\_%

Describe **Milestones** achieved during this quarter:

Provide a **Schedule** for the remainder of work to project completion: (*Milestones from Contract with estimated dates*)

<u>Milestone</u>	<u>Date</u>

Describe **Issues** or circumstances affecting completion date, milestones, scope of work, and/or cost:

**Cost Status:**  Cost Unchanged  Under Budget  Over Budget

Additional **Comments/Elaboration:**

*NOTE: Division of Emergency Management (DEM) staff may perform interim inspections and/or audits at any time. Events may occur between quarterly reports, which have significant impact upon your project(s), such as anticipated overruns, changes in scope of work, etc. Please contact the Division as soon as these conditions become known, otherwise you may be found non-compliant with your sub grant award.*

Person Completing Form: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**~ To be completed by Division staff ~**

Date Reviewed: \_\_\_\_\_ Reviewer: \_\_\_\_\_

Actions: \_\_\_\_\_

**Attachment G**  
**Warranties and Representations**

Financial Management

The Sub-Recipient's financial management system must comply with 2 C.F.R. §200.302.

Procurements

Any procurement undertaken with funds authorized by this Agreement must comply with the requirements of 2 C.F.R. §200, Part D—Post Federal Award Requirements—Procurement Standards (2 C.F.R. §§200.317 through 200.326).

Business Hours

The Sub-Recipient shall have its offices open for business, with the entrance door open to the public, and at least one employee on site, from: **8:00 AM - 5:00 PM, Monday Thru Friday, as applicable.**

Licensing and Permitting

All subcontractors or employees hired by the Sub-Recipient shall have all current licenses and permits required for all of the particular work for which they are hired by the Sub-Recipient.

Attachment H

**Certification Regarding  
Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility  
And Voluntary Exclusion**

**Subcontractor Covered Transactions**

- (1) The prospective subcontractor, \_\_\_\_\_, of the Sub-Recipient certifies, by submission of this document, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- (2) Where the Sub-Recipient's subcontractor is unable to certify to the above statement, the prospective subcontractor shall attach an explanation to this form.

**SUBCONTRACTOR**

\_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title

\_\_\_\_\_

Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

**City of North Port**  
Sub-Recipient's Name

**H0131**  
DEM Contract Number

**4337-28-R**  
FEMA Project Number

**Attachment I**  
**Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act**  
**Instructions and Worksheet**

**PURPOSE:** The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA) was signed on September 26, 2006. The intent of this legislation is to empower every American with the ability to hold the government accountable for each spending decision. The FFATA legislation requires information on federal awards (federal assistance and expenditures) be made available to the public via a single, searchable website, which is <http://www.usaspending.gov/>.

The FFATA Sub-award Reporting System (FSRS) is the reporting tool the Florida Division of Emergency Management ("FDEM" or "Division") must use to capture and report sub-award and executive compensation data regarding first-tier sub-awards that obligate \$25,000 or more in Federal funds (excluding Recovery funds as defined in section 1512(a) (2) of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. 111-5).

Note: This "Instructions and Worksheet" is meant to explain the requirements of the FFATA and give clarity to the FFATA Form distributed to sub-awardees for completion. All pertinent information below should be filled out, signed, and returned to the project manager.

**ORGANIZATION AND PROJECT INFORMATION**

The following information must be provided to the FDEM prior to the FDEM's issuance of a sub-award (Agreement) that obligates \$25,000 or more in federal funds as described above. Please provide the following information and return the signed form to the Division as requested.

PROJECT #: 4337-28-R

FUNDING AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency

AWARD AMOUNT: \$525,000.00

OBLIGATION/ACTION DATE: November 7, 2018

SUBAWARD DATE (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

DUNS#: 039567821

DUNS# +4: \_\_\_\_\_

\*If your company or organization does not have a DUNS number, you will need to obtain one from Dun & Bradstreet at 866-705-5711 or use the web form (<http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform>). The process to request a DUNS number takes about ten minutes and is free of charge.

BUSINESS NAME: City of North Port  
DBA NAME (IF APPLICABLE): \_\_\_\_\_  
PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS ADDRESS: 4970 City Hall Boulevard  
ADDRESS LINE 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS LINE 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS LINE 3: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY North Port STATE FL ZIP CODE+4\*\* 34286-4100

PARENT COMPANY DUNS# (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_  
CATALOG OF FEDERAL DOMESTIC ASSISTANCE (CFDA#): 97.039

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT (Up to 4000 Characters)

As a Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) project, the Sub-Recipient, the City of North Port, shall purchase and install a permanent generator, located at 4970 City Hall Boulevard, North Port, Florida 34286 (27.076292, -82.207285).

The HMGP project shall provide protection to the facility and shall be accomplished by the installation of a permanent 750kW generator, which will match the electrical needs of the critical facility, and be sufficient to power the supporting equipment. The City of North Port will also install a transfer switch, sized to match the electrical loads and ensure continuity in the provisions of power. An enclosure for the generator will be installed.

The project shall provide protection against a 500-year storm event. Activities shall be completed in strict compliance with Federal, State and Local applicable Rules and Regulations.

*Verify the approved project description above, if there is any discrepancy, please contact the project manager.*

**PRINCIPAL PLACE OF PROJECT PERFORMANCE (IF DIFFERENT THAN PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS):** \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS LINE 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS LINE 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS LINE 3: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE+4\*\* \_\_\_\_\_

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT FOR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF PROJECT PERFORMANCE:

\*\*Providing the Zip+4 ensures that the correct Congressional District is reported.

**EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION INFORMATION:**

1. In your business or organization's previous fiscal year, did your business or organization (including parent organization, all branches, and all affiliates worldwide) receive (a) 80 percent or more of your annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal

financial assistance (e.g. loans, grants, subgrants, and/or cooperative agreements, etc.) subject to the Transparency Act, as defined at 2 CFR 170.320; , (b) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from U.S. Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance (e.g. loans, grants, subgrants, and/or cooperative agreements, etc.) subject to the Transparency Act?

Yes  No

***If the answer to Question 1 is "Yes," continue to Question 2. If the answer to Question 1 is "No", move to the signature block below to complete the certification and submittal process.***

2. Does the public have access to information about the compensation of the executives in your business or organization (including parent organization, all branches, and all affiliates worldwide) through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) Section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986?

Yes  No

**If the answer to Question 2 is "Yes," move to the signature block below to complete the certification and submittal process. [Note: Securities Exchange Commission information should be accessible at <http://www.sec.gov/answers/excomp.htm>. Requests for Internal Revenue Service (IRS) information should be directed to the local IRS for further assistance.]**

**If the answer to Question 2 is "No" FFATA reporting is required. Provide the information required in the "TOTAL COMPENSATION CHART FOR MOST RECENTLY COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR" appearing below to report the "Total Compensation" for the five (5) most highly compensated "Executives", in rank order, in your organization. For purposes of this request, the following terms apply as defined in 2 CFR Ch. 1 Part 170 Appendix A:**

**"Executive"** is defined as "officers, managing partners, or other employees in management positions".

**"Total Compensation"** is defined as the cash and noncash dollar value earned by the executive during the most recently completed fiscal year and includes the following:

- i. Salary and bonus.
- ii. Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect to the fiscal year in accordance with the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123 (Revised 2004) (FAS 123R), Shared Based Payments.
- iii. Earnings for services under non-equity incentive plans. This does not include group life, health, hospitalization or medical reimbursement plans that do not discriminate in favor of executives, and are available generally to all salaried employees.
- iv. Change in pension value. This is the change in present value of defined benefit and actuarial pension plans.
- v. Above-market earnings on deferred compensation which is not tax-qualified.
- vi. Other compensation, if the aggregate value of all such other compensation (e.g. severance, termination payments, value of life insurance paid on behalf of the employee, perquisites or property) for the executive exceeds \$10,000.

**TOTAL COMPENSATION CHART FOR MOST RECENTLY COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR**

(Date of Fiscal Year Completion \_\_\_\_\_)

Rank (Highest to Lowest)	Name (Last, First, MI)	Title	Total Compensation for Most Recently Completed Fiscal Year
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			

THE UNDERSIGNED CERTIFIES THAT ON THE DATE WRITTEN BELOW, THE INFORMATION PROVIDED HEREIN IS ACCURATE.

SIGNATURE: 

NAME AND TITLE: Peter D. Lear, CPA, CGMA, City Manager

DATE: 3-1-19

**Attachment J**  
**Mandatory Contract Provisions**

Provisions:

Any contract or subcontract funded by this Agreement must contain the applicable provisions outlined in Appendix II to 2 C.F.R. Part 200. It is the responsibility of the sub-recipient to include the required provisions. The Division provides the following list of sample provisions that may be required:

(D) Davis-Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 3141-3148). When required by Federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-Federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5, "Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction"). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-Federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (40 U.S.C. 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 3, "Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States"). The Act provides that each contractor or subcontractor must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency.

(E) Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-Federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5). Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or

materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.

(F) Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement. If the Federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 CFR §401.2 (a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement," the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 CFR Part 401, "Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements," and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency.

(G) Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387), as amended—Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 must contain a provision that requires the non-Federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

(H) Mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6201).

(I) Debarment and Suspension (Executive Orders 12549 and 12689)—A contract award (see 2 CFR 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the governmentwide Excluded Parties List System in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR Part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR Part 1989 Comp., p. 235). "Debarment and Suspension." The Excluded Parties List System in SAM contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.

(J) Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)—Contractors that apply or bid for an award of \$100,000 or more must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any

other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

(K) See §200.322 Procurement of recovered materials.

APPENDIX III TO PART 200—INDIRECT (F&A) COSTS IDENTIFICATION AND ASSIGNMENT, AND RATE DETERMINATION FOR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION (IHEs)

A. GENERAL

This appendix provides criteria for identifying and computing indirect (or indirect (F&A)) rates at IHEs (institutions). Indirect (F&A) costs are those that are incurred for common or joint objectives and therefore cannot be identified readily and specifically with a particular sponsored project, an instructional activity, or any other institutional activity. See subsection B.1, Definition of Facilities and Administration, for a discussion of the components of indirect (F&A) costs.

1. Major Functions of an Institution

Refers to instruction, organized research, other sponsored activities and other institutional activities as defined in this section:

a. *Instruction* means the teaching and training activities of an institution. Except for research training as provided in subsection b, this term includes all teaching and training activities, whether they are offered for credits toward a degree or certificate or on a non-credit basis, and whether they are offered through regular academic departments or separate divisions, such as a summer school division or an extension division. Also considered part of this major function are departmental research, and, where agreed to, university research.

(1) *Sponsored instruction and training* means specific instructional or training activity established by grant, contract, or cooperative agreement. For purposes of the cost principles, this activity may be considered a major function even though an institution's accounting treatment may include it in the instruction function.

(2) *Departmental research* means research, development and scholarly activities that are not organized research and, consequently, are not separately budgeted and accounted for. Departmental research, for purposes of this document, is not considered as a major function, but as a part of the instruction function of the institution.

b. *Organized research* means all research and development activities of an institution that are separately budgeted and accounted for. It includes:

(1) *Sponsored research* means all research and development activities that are sponsored by Federal and non-Federal agencies and organizations. This term includes activities involving the training of individuals in research techniques (commonly called research training) where such activities utilize the same facilities as other research and development activities and where such activities are not included in the instruction function.

(2) *University research* means all research and development activities that are separately budgeted and accounted for by the institution under an internal application of institutional funds. University research, for purposes of this document, must be combined with sponsored research under the function of organized research.

c. *Other sponsored activities* means programs and projects financed by Federal and non-Federal agencies and organizations which involve the performance of work other than instruction and organized research. Examples of such programs and projects are health service projects and community service programs. However, when any of these activities are undertaken by the institution without outside support, they may be classified as other institutional activities.

d. *Other institutional activities* means all activities of an institution except for instruction, departmental research, organized research, and other sponsored activities, as defined in this section; indirect (F&A) cost activities identified in this Appendix paragraph B, Identification and assignment of indirect (F&A) costs; and specialized services facilities described in §200.468 Specialized service facilities of this Part.

Examples of other institutional activities include operation of residence halls, dining halls, hospitals and clinics, student unions, intercollegiate athletics, bookstores, faculty housing, student apartments, guest houses, chapels, theaters, public museums, and other similar auxiliary enterprises. This definition also includes any other categories of activities, costs of which are "unallowable" to Federal awards, unless otherwise indicated in an award.

2. Criteria for Distribution

a. *Base period.* A base period for distribution of indirect (F&A) costs is the period during which the costs are incurred. The base period normally should coincide with the fiscal year established by the institution, but in any event the base period should be so selected as to avoid inequities in the distribution of costs.

b. *Need for cost groupings.* The overall objective of the indirect (F&A) cost allocation process is to distribute the indirect (F&A) costs described in Section B, Identification and assignment of indirect (F&A) costs, to