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**CITY OF POMPANO BEACH
REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS
E-16-18**

**DESIGN AND CONSULTING SERVICES FOR FIVE
BRIDGES WITHIN CITY LIMITS**

**MANDATORY PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE:
OCTOBER 2, 2018, 3:00 P.M.
PUBLIC WORKS CONFERENCE ROOM
1201 NE 5TH AVENUE
POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA 33060**

**RFQ OPENING: OCTOBER 26, 2018, 2:00 P.M.
PURCHASING OFFICE
1190 N.E. 3RD AVENUE, BUILDING C (Front)
POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA 33060**

September 26, 2018

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Pursuant to Florida Statutes Chapter 287.055 "Consultants' Competitive Negotiation Act" the City of Pompano Beach invites professional firms to submit qualifications and experience for consideration to provide professional consulting services to the City for the planning and design of five bridges within City limits.

The City will receive sealed proposals until **2:00 p.m. (local), October 26, 2018**. Proposals must be submitted electronically through the eBid System on or before the due date/time stated above. Any proposal received after the due date and time specified, will not be considered. Any uncertainty regarding the time a proposal is received will be resolved against the Proposer.

MANDATORY PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE

A mandatory pre-proposal conference will be held on October 2 2018 beginning at 3:00 p.m. (local) in the Engineering Large Conference Room, 1201 N. E. 5th Avenue, Pompano Beach, Florida 33060. Proposals will not be accepted from firms that do not attend the pre-proposal conference.

Proposer must be registered on the City's eBid System in order to view the solicitation documents and respond to this solicitation. The complete solicitation document can be downloaded for free from the eBid System as a pdf at: <https://pompanobeachfl.ionwave.net/CurrentSourcingEvents.aspx>. The City is not responsible for the accuracy or completeness of any documentation the Proposer receives from any source other than from the eBid System. Proposer is solely responsible for downloading all required documents. A list of proposers will be read aloud in a public forum.

A. Scope Of Services

The City of Pompano Beach Engineering Department (CITY) has identified major projects and programs within the CITY boundaries with the goal to make the City more attractive to residents, visitors and tourists and promote economic growth and activity as detailed in the City's Strategic Plan.

The intent of this Request for Qualifications (RFQ) is to select the most qualified firm(s) based on selection committee recommendations and City Commission approved ranking, consisting of professional design and consulting services for bridges at SE 5th Avenue, Terramar Drive, McNabb Road, the Palm Aire bridge to the Herb Skolnick Center, and the Palm Aire bridge spanning the C-14 canal. Work to be accomplished under this contract is related, but not limited to design and replacement of multiple bridges in Pompano Beach for which combined design and construction costs are expected to exceed \$2,000,000.00 subject to Staff's recommendations and City Commission's approval.

The City intends to issue a single contract to an engineering, planning, architecture, landscape architecture firm to provide professional consulting services to the City for the planning and design of five bridges within City limits. The City reserves the right to issue multiple contracts and select more than one firm.

The CITY, as part of the City's Capital Improvement Program and Strategic Plan, are providing for the replacement and upgrade of bridges throughout the City. The proposed improvements include, but are not restricted to, demolition of existing structures; realignment of bridge approach; installation/upgrade/replacement of utilities (drainage, water, sewer and irrigation), if necessary; new decorative lighting on or near the bridges; American with Disabilities Act (ADA)-compliant walkways; pavement (driveways/access roads); landscaping (trees, palms, groundcovers, etc.); possible conversion of existing overhead utilities (e.g. electric, telephone and cable TV) to underground distribution; alarm system, if applicable; full structural design and construction administration services for the replacement of bridges; and, other improvements outlined in the final construction plans. The proposed improvements may not occur at the same time, and the City may wish to phase construction efforts as necessary.

The Scope of Services may include, but is not limited, to the following:

Prepare preliminary design reports, project schedules, feasibility analyses, site plans and/or design alternative recommendations and preliminary cost estimates. Identify any design restrictions resulting from lack of right-of-way or unusual roadway approach configurations. Confirm right-of-way availability to complete designs in accordance with desirable bridge and roadway cross-sections.

Identify any tests that may be necessary to carry out a sound design including soils, concrete strength, permeability/percolation, density, pot-holing, etc.

Prepare a detailed cost estimate at the 30%, 60% and 90% design intervals to confirm initial budget allocations and/or to seek City's advice before proceeding with final designs. The firm will be responsible for cost controls throughout the design and construction project except for design and construction elements added or deleted by an expressed City directive.

Conduct presentations to elected officials, advisory boards, staff, and the public.

Prepare all required bidding and construction documents for the projects. This will include preparing surveys, design plans, supplementary contract requirements, technical specifications, cost estimates, responses to requests for Information (RFIs). The firm(s) will be expected to provide Construction Administration services and certify the project(s).

Prepare plans for review and approval by Development Review Committee (DRC); Planning and Zoning (P&Z); Architectural Appearance Committee (AAC); City's Building Department; Broward County Traffic Engineering; Broward County Water Resources; Florida Department of Health (HRS); Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP); Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT); U. S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE); U.S. Coast Guard; and/or, any other government agency or City Department having jurisdiction or requiring plan review and approval.

Attendance at City Commission, Advisory Committee meetings, pre-design, design, bidding and bid award meetings will may be required.

Firms and/or any sub-consultants must have previous experience in infrastructure projects, and must be licensed to practice Professional Engineering, Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Electrical Engineering, and Irrigation in the State of Florida.

Compliance with all state and local codes, laws and ordinances, including but not limited to the CITY, OSHA, Federal and State ADA Standards for Accessible Design, Broward County Building Department, and the latest edition of the Florida Building Code, including the latest amendments to these codes is mandatory. Incorporation of the CITY's security and information technology requirements may be required.

B. Eligibility

Due to the requirement that the Contractor needs to be readily available for meetings, discussions and tours within the areas of responsibility, it will be necessary for any proposers to have an office physically located within the tri-county areas of Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach County. This office must be an active facility from which consultant services are routinely provided and not merely a post office box or other type of mail drop, nor can it be the office of simply a representative agent. The CITY reserves the right to inspect any facility designated by the proposer to insure that it complies with this section.

Each partner of joint ventures must individually meet the conditions of the Professional Designer's Evaluation. Designer's License may not have been suspended, put on probation or revoked at any time in the last five (5) years.

Limited Liability Corporations (LLC) will be required to comply with a Guaranty of Obligations.

C. Local Business Program

On March 13, 2018, the City Commission approved Ordinance 2018-112, establishing a Local Business Program, a policy to increase the participation of City of Pompano Beach businesses in the City's procurement process.

For purposes of this solicitation, "Local Business" will be defined as follows:

- 1. TIER 1 LOCAL VENDOR. POMPANO BEACH BUSINESS EMPLOYING POMPANO BEACH RESIDENTS.** A business entity which has maintained a permanent place of business within the city limits and maintains a staffing level, within this local office, of at least ten percent who are residents of the City of Pompano Beach or includes subcontracting commitments to Local Vendors Subcontractors for at least ten percent of the contract value. The permanent place of business may not be a post office box. The business must be located in a non-residential zone, and must actually distribute goods or services from that location. The business must be staffed with full-time employees within the limits of the city. In addition, the business must have a current business tax receipt from the City of

Pompano Beach for a minimum of one year prior to the date of issuance of a bid or proposal solicitation.

2. **TIER 2 LOCAL VENDOR. BROWARD COUNTY BUSINESS EMPLOYING POMPANO BEACH RESIDENTS OR UTILIZING LOCAL VENDOR SUBCONTRACTORS.** A business entity which has maintained a permanent place of business within Broward County and maintains a staffing level, within this local office, of at least 15% who are residents of the City of Pompano Beach or includes subcontracting commitments to Local Vendors Subcontractors for at least 20% of the contract value. The permanent place of business may not be a post office box. The business must be located in a non- residential zone, and must actually distribute goods or services from that location. The business must be staffed with full-time employees within the limits of the city. In addition, the business must have a current business tax receipt from the respective Broward County municipality for a minimum of one year prior to the date of issuance of a bid or proposal solicitation.
3. **LOCAL VENDOR SUBCONTRACTOR. POMPANO BEACH BUSINESS.** A business entity which has maintained a permanent place of business within the city limits of the City of Pompano Beach. The permanent place of business may not be a post office box. The business must be located in a non-residential zone, and must actually distribute goods or services from that location. The business must be staffed with full-time employees within the limits of the city. In addition, the business must have a current business tax receipt from the City of Pompano Beach for a minimum of one year prior to the date of issuance of a bid or proposal solicitation.

You can view the list of City businesses that have a current Business Tax Receipt on the City's website, and locate local firms that are available to perform the work required by the bid specifications. The business information, sorted by business use classification, is posted on the webpage for the Business Tax Receipt Division: www.pompanobeachfl.gov by selecting the Pompano Beach Business Directory in the Shop Pompano! section.

The City of Pompano Beach is **strongly committed** to insuring the participation of City of Pompano Beach Businesses as contractors and subcontractors for the procurement of goods and services, including labor, materials and equipment. Failure to meet Local Vendor Goal commitments will result in "unsatisfactory" compliance rating. Unsatisfactory ratings may impact award of future projects if a sanction is imposed by the City Commission.

The required percentage for local sub-contractor participation will addressed in the construction phase each bridge project, but local preference percentage described below shall apply to this solicitation.

The city shall award a Local Vendor preference based upon vendors, contractors, or subcontractors who are local with a preferences follows:

1. For evaluation purposes, the Tier 1 and Tier 2 businesses shall be a criterion for award in this Request for Proposal (RFP). No business may qualify for more than one tier level.

2. For evaluation purposes, local vendors shall receive the following preferences:
 - a. Tier 1 business as defined by this subsection shall be granted a preference in the amount of five percent of total score.
 - b. Tier 2 business as defined by this subsection shall be granted a preference in the amount of two and one-half percent of total score.
3. It is the responsibility of the awarded vendor/contractor to comply with all Tier 1&2 guidelines. The awarded vendor/contractor must ensure that all requirements are met before execution of a contract.

D. Required Proposal Submittal

Submission/Format Requirements

Sealed proposals shall be submitted electronically through the eBid System on or before the due date/time stated above. Proposer shall upload response as one (1) file to the eBid System. The file size for uploads is limited to 100 MB. If the file size exceeds 100 MB the response must be split and uploaded as two (2) separate files.

Information to be included in the proposal: In order to maintain comparability and expedite the review process, it is required that proposals be organized in the manner specified below, with the sections clearly labeled:

Title page:

Show the "Request for Qualifications" project title, project number, the name of the Respondent firm, address, telephone number, name of contact person and date.

Table of Contents:

Clearly identify the section, topic, and page number.

Letter of Transmittal:

A Letter of Interest, signed by an authorized representative of your firm, expressing your understanding of the project and expressing a positive commitment to provide the services described herein. In the letter, include:

- complete corporate name of the primary firm responding
- applicable Federal Tax Identification Number
- address
- telephone and fax numbers
- name, title, and email of the person to contact regarding your submission

Please limit this section to two pages.

Technical Approach:

Firms or teams shall submit their technical approach to the tasks described in the scope, including details of how each phase of the project would be completed, and how their firm proposes to maintain time schedules and cost controls.

Schedule:

Proposer shall provide a timeline that highlights proposed tasks that will meet all applicable deadlines.

Project Team Form:

Submit a completed "Project Team" form. The purpose of this form is to identify the key members of your team, including any specialty subconsultants.

Organizational Chart:

Specifically identify the management plan (if needed) and provide an organizational chart for the team. The proposer must describe at a minimum, the basic approach to these projects, to include reporting hierarchy of staff and sub-consultants, clarify the individual(s) responsible for the co-ordination of separate components of the scope of services. State whether the organization is national, regional or local.

Statement of Skills and Experience of Project Team:

Describe the experience of the entire project team as it relates to the types of projects described in the Scope section of this RLI. Include the experience of the prime consultants as well as other members of the project team; i.e., additional personnel, sub-consultants, branch office, team members, and other resources anticipated to be utilized for this project. Name specific projects (successfully completed within the past five years) where the team members have performed similar projects previously.

Resumes of Key Personnel

Include resumes for key personnel for prime and subconsultants.

References:

References for past three projects in the tri-county area (Broward, Palm Beach, and Miami-Dade.) Describe the scope of each project in physical terms and by cost, describe the respondent's responsibilities, and provide the contact information (name, email, telephone number) of an individual in a position of responsibility who can attest to respondent's activities in relation to the project.

List any prior projects performed for the City of Pompano Beach.

Office Locations:

Identify the location of the office from which services will be rendered, and the number of professional and administrative staff at the prime office location. Also identify the location of office(s) of the prime and/or sub consultants that may be utilized to support any or all of the professional services listed above and the number of professional and administrative staff at the prime office location.

If firms are situated outside the local area, (Broward, Palm Beach, and Miami-Dade counties) include a brief statement as to whether or not the firm will arrange for a local office during the term of the contract, if necessary.

Minority Business Enterprises:

It is the intent of the City of Pompano Beach to encourage minority and women owned firms to participate in the process. The methods by which this is accomplished should be developed and presented by the respondents in their submissions.

For any member of your team that is a certified Minority Business Enterprise (as defined by the State of Florida) you must include copies of their certifications for them to be considered toward Item 5 in the evaluation criteria. Complete Exhibit I and include all certificates in your electronic submittal.

Litigation:

Disclose any litigation within the past five (5) years arising out your firm's performance, including status/outcome.

City Forms:

Responses should include Essential Requirements Questionnaire, Organization Performance/Declarations form, and all other City forms as stated above. Required forms must be completed and submitted electronically through the City's eBid System.

E. Insurance

CONTRACTOR shall not commence services under the terms of this Agreement until certification or proof of insurance detailing terms and provisions has been received and approved in writing by the CITY's Risk Manager. If you are responding to a bid and have questions regarding the insurance requirements hereunder, please contact the CITY's Purchasing Department at (954) 786-4098. If the contract has already been awarded, please direct any queries and proof of the requisite insurance coverage to CITY staff responsible for oversight of the subject project/contract.

CONTRACTOR is responsible to deliver to the CITY for timely review and written approval/disapproval Certificates of Insurance which evidence that all insurance required hereunder is in full force and effect and which name on a primary basis, the CITY as an additional insured on all such coverage.

Throughout the term of this Agreement, CITY, by and through its Risk Manager, reserve the right to review, modify, reject or accept any insurance policies required by this Agreement, including limits, coverages or endorsements. CITY reserves the right, but not the obligation, to review and reject any insurer providing coverage because of poor financial condition or failure to operate legally.

Failure to maintain the required insurance shall be considered an event of default. The requirements herein, as well as CITY's review or acceptance of insurance maintained by CONTRACTOR, are not intended to and shall not in any way limit or qualify the liabilities and obligations assumed by CONTRACTOR under this Agreement.

Throughout the term of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR and all subcontractors or other agents hereunder, shall, at their sole expense, maintain in full force and effect, the following insurance coverages and limits described herein, including endorsements.

A. Worker's Compensation Insurance covering all employees and providing benefits as required by Florida Statute, Chapter 440. CONTRACTOR further agrees to be responsible for employment, control and conduct of its employees and for any injury sustained by such employees in the course of their employment.

B. Liability Insurance.

(1) Naming the City of Pompano Beach as an additional insured as CITY's interests may appear, on General Liability Insurance only, relative to claims which arise from CONTRACTOR's negligent acts or omissions in connection with Contractor's performance under this Agreement.

(2) Such Liability insurance shall include the following checked types of insurance and indicated minimum policy limits.

Type of Insurance

Limits of Liability

GENERAL LIABILITY:

Minimum \$1,000,000 Per Occurrence and
\$2,000,000 Per Aggregate

* Policy to be written on a claims incurred basis

XX	comprehensive form	bodily injury and property damage
XX	premises - operations	bodily injury and property damage
—	explosion & collapse hazard	
—	underground hazard	
XX	products/completed operations hazard	bodily injury and property damage combined
XX	contractual insurance	bodily injury and property damage combined
XX	broad form property damage	bodily injury and property damage combined
XX	independent contractors	personal injury
XX	personal injury	

—	sexual abuse/molestation	Minimum \$1,000,000 Per Occurrence and Aggregate
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—	liquor legal liability	Minimum \$1,000,000 Per Occurrence and Aggregate
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AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY:

Minimum \$1,000,000 Per Occurrence and Aggregate.
Bodily injury (each person) bodily injury (each accident),
Property damage, bodily injury and property damage
combined.

XX	comprehensive form
XX	owned
XX	hired
XX	non-owned

REAL & PERSONAL PROPERTY

—	comprehensive form	Agent must show proof they have this coverage.
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EXCESS LIABILITY

Per Occurrence Aggregate

—	other than umbrella	bodily injury and property damage combined	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
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PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY

Per Occurrence Aggregate

XX	* Policy to be written on a claims made basis	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
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(3) If Professional Liability insurance is required, Contractor agrees the indemnification and hold harmless provisions set forth in the Agreement shall survive the termination or expiration of the Agreement for a period of four (4) years unless terminated sooner by the applicable statute of limitations.

CYBER LIABILITY

Per Occurrence Aggregate

___	* Policy to be written on a claims made basis	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
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___ Network Security / Privacy Liability

___ Breach Response / Notification Sublimit (minimum limit of 50% of policy aggregate)

___ Technology Products E&O - \$1,000,000 (only applicable for vendors supplying technology related services and or products)

___ Coverage shall be maintained in effect during the period of the Agreement and for not less than four (4) years after termination/ completion of the Agreement.

C. Employer's Liability. If required by law, CONTRACTOR and all subcontractors shall, for the benefit of their employees, provide, carry, maintain and pay for Employer's Liability Insurance in the minimum amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) per employee, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) per aggregate.

D. Policies: Whenever, under the provisions of this Agreement, insurance is required of the CONTRACTOR, the CONTRACTOR shall promptly provide the following:

(1) Certificates of Insurance evidencing the required coverage;

(2) Names and addresses of companies providing coverage;

(3) Effective and expiration dates of policies; and

(4) A provision in all policies affording CITY thirty (30) days written notice by a carrier of any cancellation or material change in any policy.

E. Insurance Cancellation or Modification. Should any of the required insurance policies be canceled before the expiration date, or modified or substantially modified, the issuing company shall provide thirty (30) days written notice to the CITY.

F. Waiver of Subrogation. CONTRACTOR hereby waives any and all right of subrogation against the CITY, its officers, employees and agents for each required policy. When required by the insurer, or should a policy condition not permit an insured to enter into a pre-loss agreement to waive subrogation without an endorsement, then CONTRACTOR shall notify the insurer and request the policy be endorsed with a Waiver of Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others, or its equivalent. This Waiver of Subrogation requirement shall not

apply to any policy which includes a condition to the policy not specifically prohibiting such an endorsement, or voids coverage should CONTRACTOR enter into such an agreement on a pre-loss basis.

F. Selection/Evaluation Process

A Selection/Evaluation Committee will be appointed to select the most qualified firm(s). The Selection/Evaluation Committee will present their findings to the City Commission.

The Committee will rank responses based upon the following criteria.

	Criteria	Point Range
1	Overall approach, methodology: Explain the firm's approach to these types of projects from initial involvement through the final construction phases. Include methods used during construction to monitor similar projects and resolve issues as well as methods of sequencing and coordination among the firm's trades to minimize conflict and errors.	0-20
2	Prior experience with projects of similar size and scope. Familiarity with City of Pompano Beach standards. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Number of similar projects b. Complexity of similar projects c. References from past projects d. Safety record 	0-40
3	Qualifications of personnel: The general and specific project related capability of the in-house office and field support, including previous experience with similar projects. This includes reasonable commitment from assigned personnel throughout the project. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Number of technical staff b. Qualifications of technical staff: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Number of licensed staff (2) Education of staff (3) Experience of staff 	0-25
4	Scheduling/Cost Control: A description of the Firm's general project management, scheduling, and cost controls indicating functions and capabilities, with emphasis on the Firm's ability to prevent cost overruns or change orders.	0-10
5	Is the firm a certified minority business enterprise as defined by the Florida Small and Minority Business Assistance Act of 1985? (include sub-consultants)	0-5

Total Points

0-100

Additional 0-5% for Tier1/Tier2 Local Business will be calculated on combined scoring totals of each company.

Value of Work Previously Awarded to Firm (Tie-breaker) - In the event of a tie, the firm with the lowest value of work as a prime contractor on City of Pompano Beach projects within the last five years will receive the higher ranking, the firm with the next lowest value of work shall receive the next highest ranking, and so on. The analysis of past work will be based on the City's Purchase Order and payment records.

The Committee has the option to use the above criteria for the initial ranking to short-list Proposers and to use an ordinal ranking system to score short-listed Proposers following presentations (if deemed necessary) with a score of "1" assigned to the short-listed Proposer deemed most qualified by the Committee.

Each firm should submit documentation that evidences the firm's capability to provide the services required for the Committee's review for short listing purposes. After an initial review of the Proposals, the City may invite Proposers for an interview to discuss the proposal and meet firm representatives, particularly key personnel who would be assigned to the project. Should interviews be deemed necessary, it is understood that the City shall incur no costs as a result of this interview, nor bear any obligation in further consideration of the submittal.

When more than three responses are received, the committee shall furnish the City Commission (for their approval) a listing, in ranked order, of no fewer than three firms deemed to be the most highly qualified to perform the service. If three or less firms respond to the RLI, the list will contain the ranking of all responses.

The City Commission has the authority to (including, but not limited to); approve the recommendation; reject the recommendation and direct staff to re-advertise the solicitation; or, review the responses themselves and/or request oral presentations and determine a ranking order that may be the same or different from what was originally presented to the City Commission.

G. Hold Harmless and Indemnification

Proposer covenants and agrees that it will indemnify and hold harmless the City and all of its officers, agents, and employees from any claim, loss, damage, cost, charge or expense arising out of any act, action, neglect or omission by the Proposer, whether direct or indirect, or whether to any person or property to which the City or said parties may be subject, except that neither the Proposer nor any of its subcontractors will be liable under this section for damages arising out of injury or damage to persons or property directly caused by or resulting from the sole negligence of the City or any of its officers, agents or employees.

H. Right to Audit

Contractor's records which shall include but not be limited to accounting records, written policies and procedures, computer records, disks and software, videos, photographs,

subcontract files (including proposals of successful and unsuccessful bidders), originals estimates, estimating worksheets, correspondence, change order files (including documentation covering negotiated settlements), and any other supporting evidence necessary to substantiate charges related to this contract (all the foregoing hereinafter referred to as "records") shall be open to inspection and subject to audit and/or reproduction, during normal working hours, by Owner's agent or its authorized representative to the extent necessary to adequately permit evaluation and verification of any invoices, payments or claims submitted by the contractor or any of his payees pursuant to the execution of the contract. Such records subject to examination shall also include, but not be limited to, those records necessary to evaluate and verify direct and indirect costs (including overhead allocations) as they may apply to costs associated with this contract.

For the purpose of such audits, inspections, examinations and evaluations, the Owner's agent or authorized representative shall have access to said records from the effective date of this contract, for the duration of the Work, and until 5 years after the date of final payment by Owner to Consultant pursuant to this contract.

Owner's agent or its authorized representative shall have access to the Contractor's facilities, shall have access to all necessary records, and shall be provided adequate and appropriate work space, in order to conduct audits in compliance with this article. Owner's agent or its authorized representative shall give auditees reasonable advance notice of intended audits.

Contractor shall require all subcontractors, insurance agents, and material suppliers (payees) to comply with the provisions of this article by insertion of the requirements hereof in any written contract agreement. Failure to obtain such written contracts which include such provisions shall be reason to exclude some or all of the related payees' costs from amounts payable to the Contractor pursuant to this contract.

I. Retention of Records

The City of Pompano Beach is a public agency subject to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. The Contractor shall comply with Florida's Public Records Law, as amended. Specifically, the Contractor shall:

- a. Keep and maintain public records required by the City in order to perform the service;
- b. Upon request from the City's custodian of public records, provide the City with a copy of 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 in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes or as otherwise provided by law;
- c. Ensure that public records that are exempt or that are confidential and exempt from public record requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law;
- d. Ensure that public 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 following completion of the contract if the Contractor does not transfer the records to the City; and

- e. Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost to the City, all public records in possession of the Contractor, 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 completion of the contract, the Contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored 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.

J. Communications

No negotiations, decisions, or actions shall be initiated or executed by the firm as a result of any discussions with any City employee. Only those communications, which are in writing from the City, may be considered as a duly authorized expression on behalf of the City. In addition, only communications from firms that are signed and in writing will be recognized by the City as duly authorized expressions on behalf of firms.

K. No Discrimination

There shall be no discrimination as to race, sex, color, age, religion, or national origin in the operations conducted under any contract with the City.

L. Independent Contractor

The selected firm will conduct business as an independent contractor under the terms of this contract. Personnel services provided by the firm shall be by employees of the firm and subject to supervision by the firm, and not as officers, employees, or agents of the City. Personnel policies, tax responsibilities, social security and health insurance, employee benefits, purchasing policies and other similar administrative procedures applicable to services rendered under this agreement shall be those of the firm.

M. Staff Assignment

The City of Pompano Beach reserves the right to approve or reject, for any reasons, Proposer's staff assigned to this project at any time. Background checks may be required.

N. Contract Terms

The contract resulting from this RFQ shall include, but not be limited to the following terms:

The contract shall include as a minimum, the entirety of this RFQ document, together with the successful Proposer's proposal. Contract shall be prepared by the City of Pompano Beach City Attorney.

If the City of Pompano Beach defends any claim, demand, cause of action, or lawsuit arising out of any act, action, negligent acts or negligent omissions, or willful misconduct of the contractor, its employees, agents or servants during the performance of the contract, whether directly or indirectly, contractor agrees to reimburse the City of Pompano Beach for all expenses, attorney's fees, and court costs incurred in defending such claim, cause of action or lawsuit.

O. Waiver

It is agreed that no waiver or modification of the contract resulting from this RLI, or of any covenant, condition or limitation contained in it shall be valid unless it is in writing and duly executed by the party to be charged with it, and that no evidence of any waiver or modification shall be offered or received in evidence in any proceeding, arbitration, or litigation between the parties arising out of or affecting this contract, or the right or obligations of any party under it, unless such waiver or modification is in writing, duly executed as above. The parties agree that the provisions of this paragraph may not be waived except by a duly executed writing.

P. Survivorship Rights

This contract resulting from this RFQ shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the respective parties and their executors, administrators, heirs, personal representative, successors and assigns.

Q. Termination

The contract resulting from this RFQ may be terminated by the City of Pompano Beach without cause upon providing contractor with a least sixty (60) days prior written notice.

Should either party fail to perform any of its obligations under the contract resulting from this RFQ for a period of thirty (30) days after receipt of written notice of such failure, the non-defaulting part will have the right to terminate the contract immediately upon delivery of written notice to the defaulting part of its election to do so. The foregoing rights of termination are in addition to any other rights and remedies that such party may have.

R. Manner of Performance

Proposer agrees to perform its duties and obligations under the contract resulting from this RFQ in a professional manner and in accordance with all applicable local, federal and state laws, rules and regulations.

Proposer agrees that the services provided under the contract resulting from this RFQ shall be provided by employees that are educated, trained and experienced, certified and licensed in all areas encompassed within their designated duties. Proposer agrees to furnish the City of Pompano Beach with all documentation, certification, authorization,

license, permit, or registration currently required by applicable laws or rules and regulations. Proposer further certifies that it and its employees are now in and will maintain good standing with such governmental agencies and that it and its employees will keep all license, permits, registration, authorization or certification required by applicable laws or regulations in full force and effect during the term of this contract. Failure of Proposer to comply with this paragraph shall constitute a material breach of contract.

S. Acceptance Period

Proposals submitted in response to this RFQ must be valid for a period no less than ninety (90) days from the closing date of this solicitation.

T. RFQ Conditions and Provisions

The completed proposal (together with all required attachments) must be submitted electronically to City on or before the time and date stated herein. All Proposers, by electronic submission of a proposal, shall agree to comply with all of the conditions, requirements and instructions of this RFQ as stated or implied herein. All proposals and supporting materials submitted will become the property of the City.

Proposer's response shall not contain any alteration to the document posted other than entering data in spaces provided or including attachments as necessary. By submission of a response, Proposer affirms that a complete set of bid documents was obtained from the eBid System or from the Purchasing Division only and no alteration of any kind has been made to the solicitation. Exceptions or deviations to this solicitation may not be added after the submittal date.

All Proposers are required to provide all information requested in this RFQ. Failure to do so may result in disqualification of the proposal.

The City reserves the right to postpone or cancel this RFQ, or reject all proposals, if in its sole discretion it deems it to be in the best interest of the City to do so.

The City reserves the right to waive any technical or formal errors or omissions and to reject all proposals, or to award contract for the items herein, in part or whole, if it is determined to be in the best interests of the City to do so.

The City shall not be liable for any costs incurred by the Proposer in the preparation of proposals or for any work performed in connection therein.

U. Standard Provisions

a. Governing Law

Any agreement resulting from this RFQ shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida, and the venue for any legal action relating to such agreement will be in Broward County, Florida.

b. Licenses

In order to perform public work, the successful Proposer shall:

Be licensed to do business in Florida, if an entity, and hold or obtain such Contractor' and Business Licenses if required by State Statutes or local ordinances.

c. Conflict Of Interest

For purposes of determining any possible conflict of interest, each Proposer must disclose if any Elected Official, Appointed Official, or City Employee is also an owner, corporate officer, or an employee of the firm. If any Elected Official, Appointed Official, or City Employee is an owner, corporate officer, or an employee, the Proposer must file a statement with the Broward County Supervisor of Elections pursuant to §112.313, Florida Statutes.

d. Drug Free Workplace

The selected firm(s) will be required to verify they will operate a "Drug Free Workplace" as set forth in Florida Statute, 287.087.

e. Public Entity Crimes

A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for public entity crime may not submit a proposal on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a proposal on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit proposals on leases of real property to 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 Florida Statute, Section 287.017, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

f. Patent Fees, Royalties, And Licenses

If the selected Proposer requires or desires to use any design, trademark, device, material or process covered by letters of patent or copyright, the selected Proposer and his surety shall indemnify and hold harmless the City from any and all claims for infringement by reason of the use of any such patented design, device, trademark, copyright, material or process in connection with the work agreed to be performed and shall indemnify the City from any cost, expense, royalty or damage which the City may be obligated to pay by reason of any infringement at any time during or after completion of the work.

g. Familiarity With Laws

It is assumed the selected firm(s) will be familiar with all federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations that may affect its services pursuant to this RFQ. Ignorance on the part of the firm will in no way relieve the firm from responsibility.

h. Withdrawal Of Proposals

A firm may withdraw its proposal without prejudice no later than the advertised deadline for submission of proposals by written communication to the General Services Department, 1190 N.E. 3rd Avenue, Building C, Pompano Beach, Florida 33060.

i. Composition Of Project Team

Firms are required to commit that the principals and personnel named in the proposal will perform the services throughout the contractual term unless otherwise provided for by way of a negotiated contract or written amendment to same executed by both parties. No diversion or substitution of principals or personnel will be allowed unless a written request that sets forth the qualifications and experience of the proposed replacement(s) is submitted to and approved by the City in writing.

j. Invoicing/Payment

All invoices should be sent to City of Pompano Beach, Accounts Payable, P.O. Drawer 1300, Pompano Beach, Florida, 33061. In accordance with Florida Statutes, Chapter 218, payment will be made within 45 days after receipt of a proper invoice.

k. Public Records

1. The City of Pompano Beach is a public agency subject to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. The Contractor shall comply with Florida's Public Records Law, as amended. Specifically, the Contractor shall:
 - a. Keep and maintain public records required by the City in order to perform the service;
 - b. Upon request from the City's custodian of public records, provide the City with a copy of 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 in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes or as otherwise provided by law;
 - c. Ensure that public 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 following completion of the contract if the Contractor does not transfer the records to the City; and
 - d. Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost to the City, all public records in possession of the Contractor, 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 completion of the contract, the Contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored 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.

2. Failure of the Contractor to provide the above described public records to the City within a reasonable time may subject Contractor to penalties under 119.10, Florida Statutes, as amended.

PUBLIC RECORDS CUSTODIAN

IF THE CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:

CITY CLERK

100 W. Atlantic Blvd., Suite 253

Pompano Beach, Florida 33060

(954) 786-4611

RecordsCustodian@copbfl.com

V. Questions and Communication

All questions regarding the RFQ are to be submitted using the Questions feature in the eBid System. Questions must be received at least seven (7) calendar days before the scheduled solicitation opening. Oral and other interpretations or clarifications will be without legal effect. Addenda will be posted to the RFQ solicitation in the eBid System, and it is the Proposer's responsibility to obtain all addenda before submitting a response to the solicitation.

W. Addenda

The issuance of a written addendum or posting of an answer in response to a question submitted using the Questions feature in the eBid System are the only official methods whereby interpretation, clarification, or additional information can be given. If any addenda are issued to this RFQ solicitation the addendum will be issued via the eBid System. It shall be the responsibility of each Proposer, prior to submitting their response, to contact the City Purchasing Office at (954) 786-4098 to determine if

addenda were issued and to make such addenda a part of their proposal. Addenda will be posted to the RFQ solicitation in the eBid System.

X. Contractor Performance Report

The City will utilize the Contractor Performance Report to monitor and record the successful proposer's performance for the work specified by the contract. The Contractor Performance Report has been included as an exhibit to this solicitation.

COMPLETE THE PROJECT TEAM FORM ON THE ATTACHMENTS TAB IN THE EBID SYSTEM. PROPOSERS ARE TO COMPLETE FORM IN ITS ENTIRETY AND INCLUDE THE FORM IN YOUR PROPOSAL THAT MUST BE UPLOADED TO THE RESPONSE ATTACHMENTS TAB FOR THE RLI IN THE EBID SYSTEM.

PROJECT TEAM

RFQ NUMBER _____

Federal I.D.# _____

PRIME

Role	Name of Individual Assigned to Project	Number of Years Experience	Education, Degrees
Principal-In-Charge	_____	_____	_____
Project Manager	_____	_____	_____
Asst. Project Manager	_____	_____	_____
Other Key Member	_____	_____	_____
Other Key Member	_____	_____	_____

SUB-CONSULTANT

Role	Company Name and Address of Office Handling This Project	Name of Individual Assigned to the Project
Surveying	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Landscaping	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Engineering	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Other Key Member	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Other Key Member	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Other Key Member	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Other Key Member	_____	_____
	_____	_____

(use attachments if necessary)

Exhibit – Contractor Performance Report



**City of Pompano Beach, Purchasing Division
1190 N.E. 3rd Avenue, Building C
Pompano Beach, Florida, 33060**

**CITY OF POMPANO BEACH
CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE REPORT**

- 1. Report Period: from _____ to _____
- 2. Contract Period: from _____ to _____
- 3. Bid# & or P.O.#: _____
- 4. Contractor Name: _____
- 5. City Department: _____
- 6. Project Manager: _____
- 7. Scope of Work (Service Deliverables): _____

Exhibit – Contractor Performance Report

CATEGORY	RATING	COMMENTS
1. Quality Assurance/Quality Control - Product/Services of high quality - Proper oversight - Communication	Poor =1 Satisfactory =2 Excellent =3	
2. Record Keeping -Accurate record keeping -Proper invoicing -Testing results complete	Poor =1 Satisfactory =2 Excellent =3	
3. Close-Out Activities - Restoration/Cleanup - Deliverables met - Punch list items addressed	Poor =1 Satisfactory =2 Excellent =3	
4. Customer Service - City Personnel and Residents - Response time - Communication	Poor =1 Satisfactory =2 Excellent =3	
5. Cost Control - Monitoring subcontractors - Change-orders - Meeting budget	Poor =1 Satisfactory =2 Excellent =3	
6. Construction Schedule - Adherence to schedule - Time-extensions - Efficient use of resources	Poor =1 Satisfactory =2 Excellent =3	
SCORE	_____	ADD ABOVE RATINGS/DIVIDE TOTAL BY NUMBER OF CATEGORIES BEING RATED

RATINGS

Poor Performance (1.0 – 1.59): Marginally responsive, effective and/or efficient; delays require significant adjustments to programs; key employees marginally capable; customers somewhat satisfied.

Satisfactory Performance (1.6 – 2.59): Generally responsive, effective and/or efficient; delays are excusable and/or results in minor program adjustments; employees are capable and satisfactorily providing service without intervention; customers indicate satisfaction.

Excellent Performance (2.6 – 3.0): Immediately responsive; highly efficient and/or effective; no delays; key employees are experts and require minimal direction; customers expectations are exceeded.

Would you select/recommend this contractor again? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please attach any supporting documents to this report to substantiate the ratings that have been provided.

Ratings completed by (print name)

Ratings completed by signature

Date

Department Head (print name)

Department Head Signature

Date _____

Vendor Representative (print name)

Contractor Representative Signature

Date _____

Comments, corrective actions etc., use additional page if necessary:

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ORGANIZATION, HISTORY, ORGANIZATIONAL PERFORMANCE, COMPLIANCE WITH CIVIL AND CRIMINAL LAWS

A. Current Organization and Structure of the Business

For Firms That Are Corporations:

1a. Date Incorporated: _____

1b. Under the laws of what state: _____

1c. Provide all the following information for each person who is either (a) an officer of the corporation (president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer), or (b) the owner of at least ten per cent of the corporation's stock.

Name: _____

Position: _____

Years with Company: _____

% Ownership: _____

Social Security #: _____

1d. Identify every construction firm that any person listed above has been associated with (as owner, general partner, limited partner or officer) at any time during the last five years.

NOTE: For this question, "owner" and "partner" refer to ownership of ten percent or more of the business, or 10 percent or more of its stock, if the business is a corporation.

Person's Name: _____

Construction Firm: _____

Dates of Person's Participation with Firm: _____

For Firms That Are Partnerships:

1a. Date of formation: _____

1b. Under the laws of what state: _____

1c. Provide all the following information for each partner who owns 10 per cent or more of the firm.

Name: _____

Position: _____

Years with Company: _____

% Ownership: _____

Social Security #: _____

1d. Identify every construction company that any partner has been associated with (as owner, general partner, limited partner or officer) at any time during the last five years.

NOTE: For this question, "owner" and "partner" refer to ownership of ten per cent or more of the business, or ten per cent or more of its stock, if the business is a corporation.

Person's Name: _____

Construction Firm: _____

Dates of Person's Participation with Firm: _____

For Firms That Are Sole Proprietorships:

1a. Date of commencement of business.

1b. Social security number of company owner.

1c. Identify every construction firm that the business owner has been associated with (as owner, general partner, limited partner or officer) at any time during the last five years.

NOTE: For this question, "owner" and "partner" refer to ownership of ten per cent or more of the business, or ten per cent or more of its stock, if the business is a corporation.

Person's Name: _____

Construction Firm: _____

Dates of Person's Participation with Firm: _____

For Firms That Intend to Make a Bid as Part of a Joint Venture:

1a. Date of commencement of joint venture.

1b. Provide all of the following information for each firm that is a member of the joint venture that expects to bid on one or more projects:

Name of firm: _____

% Ownership of Joint Venture: _____

B. History of the Business and Organizational Performance

1. Has there been any change in ownership of the firm at any time during the last three years?

NOTE: A corporation whose shares are publicly traded is not required to answer this question.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page.

2. Is the firm a subsidiary, parent, holding company or affiliate of another construction firm?

NOTE: Include information about other firms if one firm owns 50 percent or more of another, or if an owner, partner, or officer of your firm holds a similar position in another firm.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page.

3. Are any corporate officers, partners or owners connected to any other construction firms?

NOTE: Include information about other firms if an owner, partner, or officer of your firm holds a similar position in another firm.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page.

4. State your firm's gross revenues for each of the last three calendar years:

2017 _____ 2016 _____ 2015 _____

5. How many years has your organization been in business in Florida as a contractor under your present business name and license number? ____ years

6. Is your firm currently the debtor in a bankruptcy case?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," please attach a copy of the bankruptcy petition, showing the case number, and the date on which the petition was filed.

7. Was your firm in bankruptcy at any time during the last five years? (This question refers only to a bankruptcy action that was not described in answer to question 7, above)

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," please attach a copy of the bankruptcy petition, showing the case number and the date on which the petition was filed, and a copy of the Bankruptcy Court's discharge order, or of any other document that ended the case, if no discharge order was issued.

C. Licenses

1. List all Florida construction license numbers, classifications and expiration dates of the Florida contractor licenses held by your firm:

2. If any of your firm's license(s) are held in the name of a corporation or partnership, list below the names of the qualifying individual(s) listed on the Contractors State Licensing Board (CSLB) records who meet(s) the experience and examination requirements for each license.

3. Has your firm changed names or license number in the past five years?

____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page, including the reason for the change.

4. Has any owner, partner or (for corporations) officer of your firm operated a construction firm under any other name in the last five years?

____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page, including the reason for the change.

5. Has a State of Florida license(s) held by your firm been suspended within the last five years?
____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," please explain on a separate signed sheet.

D. Disputes

1. At any time in the last five years has your firm been assessed and paid liquidated damages after completion of a project under a construction contract with either a public or private owner?

____ Yes ____ No

If yes, explain on a separate signed page, identifying all such projects by owner, owner's address, and the date of completion of the project, amount of liquidated damages assessed and all other information necessary to fully explain the assessment of liquidated damages.

2. In the last five years has your firm, or any firm with which any of your company's owners, officers or partners was associated, been debarred, disqualified, removed or otherwise prevented from bidding on, or completing, any government agency or public works project for any reason?

NOTE: "Associated with" refers to another construction firm in which an owner, partner or officer of your firm held a similar position, and which is listed in response to question 1c or 1d on this form.

____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page. State whether the firm involved was the firm applying for pre-qualification here or another firm. Identify by name of the company, the name of the person within your firm who was associated with that company, the year of the event, the owner of the project, the project and the basis for the action.

3. In the last five years has your firm been denied an award of a public works contract based on a finding by a public agency that your company was not a responsible bidder?

____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page. Identify the year of the event, the owner, the project and the basis for the finding by the public agency.

NOTE: The following two questions refer only to disputes between your firm and the owner of a project. You need not include information about disputes between your firm and a supplier, another contractor, or subcontractor.

4. In the past five years has any claim against your firm concerning your firm's work on a construction project been filed in court or arbitration?

____Yes ____No

If "yes," on separate signed sheets of paper identify the claim(s) by providing the project name, date of the claim, name of the claimant, a brief description of the nature of the claim, the court in which the case was filed and a brief description of the status of the claim (pending or, if resolved, a brief description of the resolution).

5. In the past five years has your firm made any claim against a project owner concerning work on a project or payment for a contract and filed that claim in court or arbitration?

____Yes ____No

If "yes," on separate signed sheets of paper identify the claim by providing the project name, date of the claim, name of the entity (or entities) against whom the claim was filed, a brief description of the nature of the claim, the court in which the case was filed and a brief description of the status of the claim (pending, or if resolved, a brief description of the resolution).

6. At any time during the past five years, has any surety company made any payments on your firm's behalf as a result of a default, to satisfy any claims made against a performance or payment bond issued on your firm's behalf, in connection with a construction project, either public or private?

____Yes ____No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page the amount of each such claim, the name and telephone number of the claimant, the date of the claim, the grounds for the claim, the present status of the claim, the date of resolution of such claim if resolved, the method by which such was resolved if resolved, the nature of the resolution and the amount, if any, at which the claim was resolved.

7. In the last five years has any insurance carrier, for any form of insurance, refused to renew the insurance policy for your firm?

____Yes ____No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page. Name the insurance carrier, the form of insurance and the year of the refusal.

E. Criminal Matters and Related Civil Suits

1. Has your firm or any of its owners, officers or partners ever been found liable in a civil suit or found guilty in a criminal action for making any false claim or material misrepresentation to any public agency or entity?

____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page, including identifying who was involved, the name of the public agency, the date of the investigation and the grounds for the finding.

2. Has your firm or any of its owners, officers or partners ever been convicted of a crime involving any federal, state, or local law related to construction?

____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," explain on a separate signed page, including identifying who was involved, the name of the public agency, the date of the conviction and the grounds for the conviction.

3. Has your firm or any of its owners, officers or partners ever been convicted of a federal or state crime of fraud, theft, or any other act of dishonesty?

____ Yes ____ No

If "yes," identify on a separate signed page the person or persons convicted, the court (the City if a state court, the district or location of the federal court), the year and the criminal conduct.

F. Bonding

1. Bonding capacity: Provide documentation from your surety identifying the following:

Name of bonding company/surety: _____

Name of surety agent, address and
telephone number: _____

2. If your firm was required to pay a premium of more than one percent for a performance and payment bond on any project(s) on which your firm worked at any time during the last three years, state the percentage that your firm was required to pay. You may provide an explanation for a percentage rate higher than one percent, if you wish to do so.

3. List all other sureties (name and full address) that have written bonds for your firm during the last five years, including the dates during which each wrote the bonds:

4. During the last five years, has your firm ever been denied bond coverage by a surety company, or has there ever been a period of time when your firm had no surety bond in place during a public construction project when one was required?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, provide details on a separate signed sheet indicating the date when your firm was denied coverage and the name of the company or companies, which denied coverage; and the period during which you had no surety bond in place.

G. Compliance with Occupational Safety and Health Laws and with Other Labor Legislation Safety

1. Has the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) cited and assessed penalties against your firm for any "serious," "willful" or "repeat" violations of its safety or health regulations in the past five years?

NOTE: If you have filed an appeal of a citation, and the Occupational Safety and Health Appeals Board has not yet ruled on your appeal, you need not include information about it.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," attach a separate signed page describing the citations, including information about the dates of the citations, the nature of the violation, the project on which the citation(s) was or were issued, the amount of penalty paid, if any. If the citation was appealed to the Occupational Safety and Health Appeals Board and a decision has been issued, state the case number and the date of the decision.

2. Has the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration cited and assessed penalties against your firm in the past five years?

NOTE: If you have filed an appeal of a citation and the Appeals Board has not yet ruled on your appeal, or if there is a court appeal pending, you need not include information about the citation.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," attach a separate signed page describing each citation.

3. Has the state or federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) or any Air Quality Management District or any Regional Water Quality Control Board cited and assessed penalties against either your firm or the owner of a project on which your firm was the contractor, in the past five years?

NOTE: If you have filed an appeal of a citation and the Appeals Board has not yet ruled on your appeal, or if there is a court appeal pending, you need not include information about the citation.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," attach a separate signed page describing each citation.

4. How often do you require documented safety meetings to be held for construction employees and field supervisors during the course of a project?

5. Within the last five years has there ever been a period when your firm had employees but was without workers' compensation insurance or state-approved self-insurance?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," please explain the reason for the absence of workers' compensation insurance on a separate signed page. If "No," please provide a statement by your current workers' compensation insurance carrier that verifies periods of workers' compensation insurance coverage for the last five years. (If your firm has been in the construction business for less than five years, provide a statement by your workers' compensation insurance carrier verifying continuous workers' compensation insurance coverage for the period that your firm has been in the construction business).

H. Prevailing Wage and Apprenticeship Compliance Record

1. Has there been more than one occasion during the last five years in which your firm was required to pay either back wages or penalties for your own firm's failure to comply with the state's prevailing wage laws?

NOTE: This question refers only to your own firm's violation of prevailing wage laws, not to violations of the prevailing wage laws by a subcontractor.

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes," attach a separate signed page or pages, describing the nature of each violation, identifying the name of the project, the date of its completion, the public agency for

which it was constructed; the number of employees who were initially underpaid and the amount of back wages and penalties that you were required to pay.

SURETY AND BONDING REQUIREMENTS

A. Attach a notarized statement from the bonding company your firm proposes to use indicating their commitment to provide a Performance and Payment Bond for the full amount of the contract.

B. List the names of the Bonding firms utilized by your organization in the last five (5) years, for projects over \$3,000,000.

Name of Bonding Company No. 1

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Contact Name: _____

Project Name: _____

Amount Bonded: _____ % _____

Completed _____

Name of Bonding Company No. 2

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Contact Name: _____

Project Name: _____

Amount Bonded: _____ % _____

Completed _____

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Each policy of insurance carried by the successful bidder for this project shall be issued by an insurance company licensed to do business in the State of Florida with a rating of "A" or better and a financial size category of "V" or better according to the latest edition of "Bests".

A. Attach a notarized statement from the Worker's Compensation carrier specifying organization's current Experience Modification rating for Worker's Compensation in the State of Florida.

B. List the names of the insurance firms utilized by your organization in the last five (5) years, for projects over \$3,000,000.

Name of Insurance Company No.

1

Address: _____

Contact Name: _____ Telephone _____

Project Name: _____

Amount Bonded: _____ % _____

Completed _____

Name of Insurance Company No. 2

Address: _____

Contact Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Project Name: _____

Amount Bonded: _____ % _____

Completed _____

Failure to provide all these attachments may be cause for disqualification for this project.

Attachment 1 – Certificate of Accountant Attachment 1A General Statement of Bank Credit

Attachment 2 – Notarized Statement from Bonding Company

Attachment 3 – Notarized Statement from Worker’s Compensation Insurance Carrier

Attachment 4 – Current Copy of Organization’s Florida Contractor’s License(s)

Attachment 5 – Certification declaring that the applying Organization has not had a surety company finish work on any project within the last five (5) years.

Attachment 6 – Certification declaring that the applying Organization, in the last five (5) years has not been found by a judge, arbitrator, jury, or a nolo contendere plea to have submitted a false or fraudulent claim to a public agency

Attachment 7 – Certification declaring that the applying Organization has not been disqualified, removed, or otherwise prevented from bidding on, or completing a federal, state, or local government project because of violations of law or a safety regulation, pursuant to Public Contract Code section 10162

DECLARATION

1. Acknowledgement and Release. By signature and date on this page, prospective bidder authorizes any financial institution, credit reporting agency and/or service, legal firm or any other type of business, agency or individual named within this document to release to the City (or City’s designated representative) any and all information as that information relates, or could relate, to their ability to evaluate the background, stability and general worthiness of this bidder to perform current or future construction activities if Pre-Qualified and awarded a contract by the City.

- a. A photocopy of this page shall be deemed as valid as an original document.
- b. This Acknowledgement and Release shall remain in effect until such time as the bidder, in writing, requests that the City cease any attempt to evaluate himself/herself/themselves as potential Pre-Qualified bidder for construction work on City of Pompano Beach properties.
- c. Reserved Right. The City reserves the right, for the sole purpose of evaluating a potential Pre-Qualification candidate (bidder), to make other inquiries as permitted by law. Furthermore, the City reserves the right to reject any or all Pre-qualification applications.

AFFIDAVIT

I, the undersigned, certify and declare that I have read all the foregoing answers to this prequalification questionnaire and know their contents. The matters stated in the questionnaire answers are true of my own knowledge and belief, except as to those matters stated on information and belief, and as to those matters I believe them to be true. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Florida, that the foregoing is correct.

Dated: _____

(Signature)

REQUESTED INFORMATION BELOW IS ON THE MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION FORM ON THE BID ATTACHMENTS TAB. BIDDERS ARE TO COMPLETE FORM IN ITS ENTIRITY AND UPLOAD COMPLETED FORM TO THE EBID SYSTEM

EXHIBIT A

MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION

RFQ #_____

List all members of your team that are a certified Minority Business Enterprise (as defined by the State of Florida.) You must include copies of the MBE certificates for each firm listed with your electronic submittal.

Name of Firm	Certificate Included?