



**DANE COUNTY DEPT. OF
PUBLIC WORKS, HIGHWAY &
TRANSPORTATION**

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Public Works Solid Waste Division

ADDENDUM

APRIL 18, 2018

ATTENTION ALL REQUEST FOR BID (RFB) HOLDERS

RFB NO. 318006 - ADDENDUM NO. 1

REFUSE HAULING AND COLLECTION FROM COUNTY FACILITIES

BIDS DUE: TUESDAY, MAY 15, 2018, 2:00 PM. DUE DATE AND
TIME **ARE NOT** CHANGED BY THIS ADDENDUM.

This Addendum is issued to modify, explain or clarify the original Request for Bid (RFB) and is hereby made a part of the RFB. Please attach this Addendum to the RFB.

PLEASE MAKE THE FOLLOWING CHANGES:

1. Sample Purchase of Services Agreement

Remove current Sample Purchase of Services Agreement; replace with new Sample Purchase of Services Agreement, issued with this Addendum. Changes include the following:

- A. Section XII, Living Wage has been removed,
- B. Section XIII, Domestic Partner Equal Benefits has been removed, and
- C. Subsequent renumbering.

2. Conditions of Contract

Remove current Conditions of Contract; replace with new Conditions of Contract, issued with this Addendum. Changes include the following:

- A. Section 11, Domestic Partnership Benefits has been removed.

3. Equal Benefits Compliance Payment Certification Form

Certification form is no longer required for final payment.

If any additional information about this Addendum is needed, please call John Welch at 608/516-4154, Welch@countyofdane.com.

Sincerely,
John Welch
Project Manager

Enclosures:
Sample Purchase of Services Agreement
Conditions of Contract

COUNTY OF DANE
Purchase of Services Agreement

Number of Pages, including schedules: _____

Agreement No. _____

Expiration Date: _____

Authority: Res. _____, 2017-2018

Department: _____

Maximum Cost: _____

Registered Agent: _____

Address: _____

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into, by and between the County of Dane (hereafter referred to as "COUNTY") and _____ (hereafter, "PROVIDER"),

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS COUNTY, whose address is _____,
desires to purchase services from PROVIDER for the purpose of _____
_____ ; and

WHEREAS PROVIDER, whose address is _____,
is able and willing to provide such services;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the above premises and the mutual covenants of the parties hereinafter set forth, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by each party for itself, COUNTY and PROVIDER do agree as follows:

- I. **TERM.** The term of this Agreement shall commence as of the date by which all parties have executed this Agreement and shall end as of the EXPIRATION DATE set forth on page 1 hereof, unless sooner agreed to in writing by the parties. PROVIDER shall complete its obligations under this Agreement not later than the EXPIRATION DATE. Upon failure of PROVIDER to complete its obligation set forth herein by the EXPIRATION DATE, COUNTY may invoke the penalties, if any, set forth in this document and its attachments.
- II. **SERVICES.**
 - A. PROVIDER agrees to provide the services detailed in the bid specifications, if any; the request for proposals (RFP) and PROVIDER's response thereto, if any; and on the attached Schedule A, which is fully incorporated herein by reference. In the event of a conflict between or among the bid specifications, the RFP or responses thereto, or the terms of Schedule A or any of them, it is agreed that the terms of Schedule A, to the extent of any conflict, are controlling.
 - B. PROVIDER shall commence, carry on and complete its obligations under this Agreement with all deliberate speed and in a sound, economical and efficient manner, in accordance with this Agreement and all applicable laws. In providing services under this Agreement,

PROVIDER agrees to cooperate with the various departments, agencies, employees and officers of COUNTY.

- C. PROVIDER agrees to secure at PROVIDER's own expense all personnel necessary to carry out PROVIDER's obligations under this Agreement. Such personnel shall not be deemed to be employees of COUNTY nor shall they or any of them have or be deemed to have any direct contractual relationship with COUNTY.

III. ASSIGNMENT/TRANSFER: PROVIDER shall neither assign nor transfer any interest or obligation in this Agreement, without the prior written consent of COUNTY unless otherwise provided herein, provided that claims for money due or to become due PROVIDER from COUNTY under this Agreement may be assigned to a bank, trust company or other financial institution without such approval if and only if the instrument of assignment contains a provision substantially to the effect that it is agreed that the right of the assignee in and to any moneys due or to become due to PROVIDER shall be subject to prior claims of all persons, firms and corporations for services rendered or materials supplied for the performance of the work called for in this Agreement. PROVIDER shall promptly provide notice of any such assignment or transfer to COUNTY.

IV. TERMINATION.

- A. Failure of PROVIDER to fulfill any of its obligations under this Agreement in a timely manner, or violation by PROVIDER of any of the covenants or stipulations of this Agreement, shall constitute grounds for COUNTY to terminate this Agreement by giving a thirty (30) day written notice to PROVIDER.

- B. The following shall constitute grounds for immediate termination:

1. violation by PROVIDER of any State, Federal or local law, or failure by PROVIDER to comply with any applicable States and Federal service standards, as expressed by applicable statutes, rules and regulations.
2. failure by PROVIDER to carry applicable licenses or certifications as required by law.
3. failure of PROVIDER to comply with reporting requirements contained herein.
4. inability of PROVIDER to perform the work provided for herein.

- C. Failure of the Dane County Board of Supervisors or the State or Federal Governments to appropriate sufficient funds to carry out COUNTY's obligations hereunder, shall result in automatic termination of this Agreement as of the date funds are no longer available, without notice.

- D. In the event COUNTY terminates this Agreement as provided herein, all finished and unfinished documents, services, papers, data, products, and the like prepared, produced or made by PROVIDER under this Agreement shall at the option of COUNTY become the property of COUNTY, and PROVIDER shall be entitled to receive just and equitable compensation, subject to any penalty, for any satisfactory work completed on such documents, services, papers, data, products or the like. Notwithstanding the above, PROVIDER shall not be relieved of liability to COUNTY for damages sustained by COUNTY by virtue of any breach of this Agreement by PROVIDER, and COUNTY may withhold any payments to PROVIDER for the purpose of offset.

V. PAYMENT. COUNTY agrees to make such payments for services rendered under this Agreement as and in the manner specified herein and in the attached Schedule B, which is fully incorporated herein by reference. Notwithstanding any language to the contrary in this Agreement or its attachments, COUNTY shall never be required to pay more than the sum set forth on page 1 of this Agreement under the heading MAXIMUM COST, for all services rendered by PROVIDER under this Agreement.

- VI. REPORTS. PROVIDER agrees to make such reports as are required in the attached Schedule C, which is fully incorporated herein by reference. With respect to such reports it is expressly understood that time is of the essence and that the failure of PROVIDER to comply with the time limits set forth in said Schedule C shall result in the penalties set forth herein.
- VII. DELIVERY OF NOTICE. Notices, bills, invoices and reports required by this Agreement shall be deemed delivered as of the date of postmark if deposited in a United States mailbox, first class postage attached, addressed to a party's address as set forth above. It shall be the duty of a party changing its address to notify the other party in writing within a reasonable time.
- VIII. INSURANCE.

A. PROVIDER shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend COUNTY, its boards, commissions, agencies, officers, employees and representatives against any and all liability, loss (including, but not limited to, property damage, bodily injury and loss of life), damages, costs or expenses which COUNTY, its officers, employees, agencies, boards, commissions and representatives may sustain, incur or be required to pay by reason of PROVIDER's furnishing the services or goods required to be provided under this Agreement, provided, however, that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to liabilities, losses, charges, costs, or expenses caused by or resulting from the acts or omissions of COUNTY, its agencies, boards, commissions, officers, employees or representatives. The obligations of PROVIDER under this paragraph shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

B. In order to protect itself and COUNTY, its officers, boards, commissions, agencies, agents, volunteers, employees and representatives under the indemnity provisions of the subparagraph above, PROVIDER shall, at PROVIDER's own expense, obtain and at all times during the term of this Agreement keep in full force and effect the insurance coverages, limits, and endorsements listed below. When obtaining required insurance under this Agreement and otherwise, PROVIDER agrees to preserve COUNTY's subrogation rights in all such matters that may arise that are covered by PROVIDER's insurance. Neither these requirements nor the COUNTY's review or acceptance of PROVIDER's certificates of insurance is intended to limit or qualify the liabilities or obligations assumed by the PROVIDER under this Agreement. The County expressly reserves the right to require higher or lower insurance limits where County deems necessary.

Commercial General Liability.

PROVIDER agrees to maintain Commercial General Liability insurance at a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Coverage shall include, but not be limited to, Bodily Injury and Property Damage to Third Parties, Contractual Liability, Personal Injury and Advertising Injury Liability, Premises-Operations, Independent PROVIDERs and Subcontractors, and Fire Legal Liability. The policy shall not exclude Explosion, Collapse, and Underground Property Damage Liability Coverage. The policy shall list DANE COUNTY as an Additional Insured.

Commercial/Business Automobile Liability.

PROVIDER agrees to maintain Commercial/Business Automobile Liability insurance at a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence. PROVIDER further agrees coverage shall include liability for Owned, Non-Owned & Hired automobiles. In the event PROVIDER does not own automobiles, PROVIDER agrees to maintain coverage for Hired & Non-Owned Auto Liability, which may be satisfied by way of endorsement to the Commercial General Liability policy or separate Business Auto Liability policy.

Environmental Impairment (Pollution) Liability

PROVIDER agrees to maintain Environmental Impairment (Pollution) Liability insurance at a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, property damage, and environmental cleanup costs caused by pollution conditions, both sudden and non-sudden. This requirement can be satisfied by either a separate environmental liability

policy or through a modification to the Commercial General Liability policy. Evidence of either must be provided.

Workers' Compensation.

PROVIDER agrees to maintain Workers Compensation insurance at Wisconsin statutory limits.

Umbrella or Excess Liability.

PROVIDER may satisfy the minimum liability limits required above for Commercial General Liability and Business Auto Liability under an Umbrella or Excess Liability policy. There is no minimum Per Occurrence limit of liability under the Umbrella or Excess Liability; however, the Annual Aggregate limit shall not be less than the highest "Each Occurrence" limit for the Commercial General Liability and Business Auto Liability. PROVIDER agrees to list DANE COUNTY as an "Additional Insured" on its Umbrella or Excess Liability policy.

- C. Upon execution of this Agreement, PROVIDER shall furnish COUNTY with a Certificate of Insurance listing COUNTY as an additional insured and, upon request, certified copies of the required insurance policies. If PROVIDER's insurance is underwritten on a Claims-Made basis, the Retroactive Date shall be prior to or coincide with the date of this Agreement, the Certificate of Insurance shall state that professional malpractice or errors and omissions coverage, if the services being provided are professional services coverage is Claims-Made and indicate the Retroactive Date, PROVIDER shall maintain coverage for the duration of this Agreement and for six (6) years following the completion of this Agreement. PROVIDER shall furnish COUNTY, annually on the policy renewal date, a Certificate of Insurance as evidence of coverage. It is further agreed that PROVIDER shall furnish the COUNTY with a 30-day notice of aggregate erosion, in advance of the Retroactive Date, cancellation, or renewal. It is also agreed that on Claims-Made policies, either PROVIDER or COUNTY may invoke the tail option on behalf of the other party and that the Extended Reporting Period premium shall be paid by PROVIDER. In the event any action, suit or other proceeding is brought against COUNTY upon any matter herein indemnified against, COUNTY shall give reasonable notice thereof to PROVIDER and shall cooperate with PROVIDER's attorneys in the defense of the action, suit or other proceeding. PROVIDER shall furnish evidence of adequate Worker's Compensation Insurance. In case of any sublet of work under this Agreement, PROVIDER shall furnish evidence that each and every subcontractor has in force and effect insurance policies providing coverage identical to that required of PROVIDER. In case of any sublet of work under this Agreement, PROVIDER shall furnish evidence that each and every subcontractor has in force and effect insurance policies providing coverage identical to that required of PROVIDER.
- D. The parties do hereby expressly agree that COUNTY, acting at its sole option and through its Risk Manager, may waive any and all requirements contained in this Agreement, such waiver to be in writing only. Such waiver may include or be limited to a reduction in the amount of coverage required above. The extent of waiver shall be determined solely by COUNTY's Risk Manager taking into account the nature of the work and other factors relevant to COUNTY's exposure, if any, under this Agreement.
- IX. NO WAIVER BY PAYMENT OR ACCEPTANCE. In no event shall the making of any payment or acceptance of any service or product required by this Agreement constitute or be construed as a waiver by COUNTY of any breach of the covenants of this Agreement or a waiver of any default of PROVIDER and the making of any such payment or acceptance of any such service or product by COUNTY while any such default or breach shall exist shall in no way impair or prejudice the right of COUNTY with respect to recovery of damages or other remedy as a result of such breach or default.
- X. NON-DISCRIMINATION. During the term of this Agreement, PROVIDER agrees not to discriminate on the basis of age, race, ethnicity, religion, color, gender, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, national origin, cultural differences, ancestry, physical appearance, arrest record or conviction record, military participation or membership in the national guard, state

defense force or any other reserve component of the military forces of the United States, or political beliefs against any person, whether a recipient of services (actual or potential) or an employee or applicant for employment. Such equal opportunity shall include but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment, advertising, layoff, termination, training, rates of pay, and any other form of compensation or level of service(s). PROVIDER agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to all employees, service recipients and applicants for employment and services, notices setting forth the provisions of this paragraph. The listing of prohibited bases for discrimination shall not be construed to amend in any fashion state or federal law setting forth additional bases, and exceptions shall be permitted only to the extent allowable in state or federal law.

XI. CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLIANCE.

- A. If PROVIDER has 20 or more employees and receives \$20,000 in annual contracts with COUNTY, the PROVIDER shall submit to COUNTY a current Civil Rights Compliance Plan (CRC) for Meeting Equal Opportunity Requirements under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title VI and XVI of the Public Service Health Act, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981 and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990. PROVIDER shall also file an Affirmative Action (AA) Plan with COUNTY in accordance with the requirements of chapter 19 of the Dane County Code of Ordinances. PROVIDER shall submit a copy of its discrimination complaint form with its CRC/AA Plan. The CRC/AA Plan must be submitted prior to the effective date of this Agreement and failure to do so by said date shall constitute grounds for immediate termination of this Agreement by COUNTY. If an approved plan has been received during the previous CALENDAR year, a plan update is acceptable. The plan may cover a two-year period. Providers who have less than twenty employees, but who receive more than \$20,000 from the COUNTY in annual contracts, may be required to submit a CRC Action Plan to correct any problems discovered as the result of a complaint investigation or other Civil Rights Compliance monitoring efforts set forth herein below. If PROVIDER submits a CRC/AA Plan to a Department of Workforce Development Division or to a Department of Health and Family Services Division that covers the services purchased by COUNTY, a verification of acceptance by the State of PROVIDER's Plan is sufficient.
- B. PROVIDER agrees to comply with the COUNTY's civil rights compliance policies and procedures. PROVIDER agrees to comply with civil rights monitoring reviews performed by the COUNTY, including the examination of records and relevant files maintained by the PROVIDER. PROVIDER agrees to furnish all information and reports required by the COUNTY as they relate to affirmative action and non-discrimination. PROVIDER further agrees to cooperate with COUNTY in developing, implementing, and monitoring corrective action plans that result from any reviews.
- C. PROVIDER shall post the Equal Opportunity Policy, the name of PROVIDER's designated Equal Opportunity Coordinator and the discrimination complaint process in conspicuous places available to applicants and clients of services, applicants for employment and employees. The complaint process will be according to COUNTY's policies and procedures and made available in languages and formats understandable to applicants, clients and employees. PROVIDER shall supply to COUNTY's Contract Compliance Officer upon request a summary document of all client complaints related to perceived discrimination in service delivery. These documents shall include names of the involved persons, nature of the complaints, and a description of any attempts made to achieve complaint resolution.
- D. PROVIDER shall provide copies of all announcements of new employment opportunities to COUNTY's Contract Compliance Officer when such announcements are issued.
- E. If PROVIDER is a government entity having its own compliance plan, PROVIDER'S plan shall govern PROVIDER's activities.

XII. COMPLIANCE WITH FAIR LABOR STANDARDS.

- A. Reporting of Adverse Findings. During the term of this Agreement, PROVIDER shall report to the County Contract Compliance Officer, within ten (10) days, any allegations to, or findings by the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) or Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission (WERC) that PROVIDER has violated a statute or regulation regarding labor standards or relations,. If an investigation by the Contract Compliance Officer results in a final determination that the matter adversely affects PROVIDER'S responsibilities under this Agreement, and which recommends termination, suspension or cancellation of this agreement, the County may take such action.
- B. Appeal Process. PROVIDER may appeal any adverse finding by the Contract Compliance Officer as set forth in sec. 25.015(11)(c) through (e).
- C. Notice Requirement. PROVIDER shall post the following statement in a prominent place visible to employees: "As a condition of receiving and maintaining a contract with Dane County, this employer shall comply with federal, state and all other applicable laws prohibiting retaliation for union organizing."

XIII. MISCELLANEOUS.

- A. Registered Agent. PROVIDER warrants that it has complied with all necessary requirements to do business in the State of Wisconsin, that the persons executing this Agreement on its behalf are authorized to do so, and, if a corporation, that the name and address of PROVIDER's registered agent is as set forth opposite the heading REGISTERED AGENT on page 1 of this Agreement. PROVIDER shall notify COUNTY immediately, in writing, of any change in its registered agent, his or her address, and PROVIDER's legal status. For a partnership, the term 'registered agent' shall mean a general partner.
- B. Controlling Law and Venue. It is expressly understood and agreed to by the parties hereto that in the event of any disagreement or controversy between the parties, Wisconsin law shall be controlling. Venue for any legal proceedings shall be in the Dane County Circuit Court.
- C. Limitation Of Agreement. This Agreement is intended to be an agreement solely between the parties hereto and for their benefit only. No part of this Agreement shall be construed to add to, supplement, amend, abridge or repeal existing duties, rights, benefits or privileges of any third party or parties, including but not limited to employees of either of the parties.
- D. Entire Agreement. The entire agreement of the parties is contained herein and this Agreement supersedes any and all oral agreements and negotiations between the parties relating to the subject matter hereof. The parties expressly agree that this Agreement shall not be amended in any fashion except in writing, executed by both parties.
- E. Counterparts. The parties may evidence their agreement to the foregoing upon one or several counterparts of this instrument, which together shall constitute a single instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, COUNTY and PROVIDER, by their respective authorized agents, have caused this Agreement and its Schedules to be executed, effective as of the date by which all parties hereto have affixed their respective signatures, as indicated below.

FOR PROVIDER:

Date Signed: _____

Date Signed: _____

* * *

FOR COUNTY:

Date Signed: _____
JOSEPH T. PARISI, County Executive

Date Signed: _____
SCOTT MCDONELL, County Clerk

* [print name and title, below signature line of any person signing this document]

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SCHEDULE A

- I. Pursuant to RFB 318006, Refuse Hauling and Collection from County Facilities and all subsequent addenda.
- II. Pricing pursuant to RFB 318006, Bid Form dated by PROVIDER on [REDACTED].

SAMPLE

SCHEDULE B

- I. PROVIDER shall be paid on the basis of work completed, when completed at the following rates:
 - a. Base Bid in the lump sum of \$[] per month,
 - b. Additional service fees shall be paid according to the Bid Form, dated by PROVIDER on [], and
 - c. Alternate Bid in the lump sum of \$[] for Alternate Bid (if applicable).

- II. If PROVIDER is timely with respect to all its obligations under this AGREEMENT, the COUNTY shall make payments due within 30 days of the dates of completion of PROVIDER'S obligations or of billing, as appropriate. If PROVIDER fails to meet time limits, COUNTY'S payments will be delayed an additional 30 days.

SCHEDULE C

- I. PROVIDER shall supply reasonable verification that waste is being delivered to Dane County Landfill Site No.2. If this policy is violated, PROVIDER shall be responsible to pay the County 150% of the Dane County Landfill Site No. 2 disposal fee for the volume of waste take elsewhere.

SAMPLE

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

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1. BIDS AND QUOTATIONS

- A. **Addressing of Bids.** Bids shall be addressed to attention of Public Works Solid Waste Division and received at Dane County Department of Public Works, Highway & Transportation, 1919 Alliant Energy Center Way, Madison, WI 53713, on or before local time and date specified herein for Bid Due Date. Seal all bids in envelopes and clearly mark front with bid number and reference to specified contents of bid. All uses of term “County” in Construction Documents shall mean Dane County.
- B. **Only One Copy Required.** Unless otherwise specified, only one copy of bid or quotation on prescribed Bid Form will be required.
- C. **Additional Data with Bid.** Bidder may submit, on firm’s letterhead only, additional data and information deemed advantageous to County. County shall hold optional consideration of such data and information.
- D. **More than One Bid.** Bidders desiring to submit more than one bid may do so provided such additional bid or bids are properly submitted on Dane County Department of Public Works, Highway & Transportation’s Bid Form. Obtain extra sets of Construction Documents from Dane County Department of Public Works, Highway & Transportation. All uses of term “Department” in Construction Documents shall mean Department of Public Works, Highway & Transportation, which is Dane County government unit.
- E. **Withdrawal or Late Bids.** County will not accept formal bids, amendments thereto, or requests for withdrawal of bid or any part thereof, after time of Bid Due Date.
- F. **Preparation and Submission.** All written bids, unless otherwise provided for, must be submitted on and in accordance with forms provided by County properly signed in ink. Bids not signed by hand are not accepted. Bidders must register in advance with Purchasing Division.
- G. **Products by Name.** Intention of Specifications of products by name is to be descriptive of quality, workmanship, finish, function and approximate characteristics desired; intention is not necessarily restriction. Consideration of products substitution for those named is possible, provided substitute offered is, in opinion of Dane County Public Works Project

Manager, equal or superior in quality, workmanship, finish, function and approximate characteristics to that specified in Project Manual Specifications listed herein.

- H. **Visitation of Sites.** Bidder shall visit site(s) that will receive intended work or installation, and in so doing, be held responsible for job deemed satisfactory by County after completion of the Work or installation. No additional compensation shall be allowed for any condition of which bidder could have been informed.
- I. **Completeness.** Supply all information required by Construction Documents to constitute regular bid. This shall include:
 - 1. Completed Bid Form.
 - 2. Completed Fair Labor Practices Certification.
- J. **Bids Binding Sixty (60) Calendar Days.** Unless otherwise specified all formal bids submitted shall be binding for sixty (60) calendar days following Bid Due Date.
- K. **Conditional Bids.** Qualified bids are subject to complete rejection, or partial rejection.
- L. **All or Part.** Bids or quotations may be considered and award made for all or any part of total quantities as specified in Construction Documents.
- M. **Errors.** Unit bid price shall govern when extending total prices has errors. Carelessness in quoting prices or in preparation of bid otherwise, will not relieve bidder. Explain all erasures in bids and include signature of bidder.
- N. **Regulation by State Statutes.** Bidding and letting of contracts are subject to provisions of Wisconsin Statutes 59.52(29) and 66.0901 and all subsequent sections and amendments thereof.
- O. **Bidders Present.** Bid Due Date is time fixed for opening of formal bids. Bids' contents will be made public for information of bidders and others properly interested, who may be present either in person or by representative. Bidders are encouraged to attend all openings, and to offer constructive suggestions for improvements to bid format or ways in which County can realize greater savings.
- P. **Taxes.** Contractor shall pay applicable State and local sales taxes.

2. GUARANTEE AND BOND

- A. **Guarantor Liability.** When guarantee is required, failure of bidder to furnish acceptable Performance Bond (Article 2.B.) within twenty (20) business days after receipt of notice of award shall render guarantor liable to County. Bids covered by certified check or bond such security shall become absolute property of County and shall be deposited with County Treasurer for benefit of County as liquidated damages. County shall forthwith proceed to collect on Bid Bond.
- B. **Performance / Payment Bond.** When required, file guarantee that successful bidder will faithfully perform obligations of bid as accepted. Such guarantee must be bond complying with Wisconsin Statute 779.14 with corporate surety authorized to do business in this State, and that Contractor or subcontractors will be responsible for all claims for injuries to persons or damages to property or premises arising out of or in connection with their operations prior to acceptance of finished work or supplies, and that they will promptly make payments to all

persons supplying them with labor or materials in execution of the Work provided for in Contract; guarantee to indemnify, hold harmless and defend Dane County, its boards, commissions, agencies, officers, employees and representatives from all costs, damages and expenses growing out of or by reason of successful bidder's failure to comply and perform the Work and complete Contract in accordance with Construction Documents; attach thereto a warrant of attorney authorizing confession of judgment thereon for benefit of County.

3. SHOP DRAWINGS, PRODUCT DATA AND SAMPLES

- A. Not Applicable

4. AWARDS

- A. **Lowest Responsible Bidder.** Award will be to lowest responsible bidder conforming to Construction Documents or on most advantageous bid to County.
- B. **Other Considerations.** Quantities involved, time of delivery, purpose for which required, competency of bidder, ability to render satisfactory service and past performance will be considered in determining responsibility.
- C. **Rejection of Bids.** County reserves right to reject any or all bids or quotations in whole or in part and to award by items, parts of items, or by any aggregate group of items specified. County also reserves right to waive technical defects when in its judgment best interests of County thereby will be served.
- D. **Notice of Acceptance.** Sufficient notification of acceptance of bid will be written notice of award to bidder in form of Purchase Order or similar, mailed or delivered to address shown on Bid Form.
- E. **Tie Bids.** If two or more bidders submit identical bids, decision of County to make award to one or more of such bidders shall be final. Cash discount will be taken into consideration in determining award. Also, see Article 7.A. IDENTICAL BIDDING, Antitrust Laws.
- F. **Qualifying Bidders.** Prior to solicitation and / or awarding of bid, County may require submission by bidder of complete financial statement and questionnaire describing bidder's financial ability and experience in performance of similar work. Refer to Instructions to Bidders.
- G. **Disqualification.** Awards will not be made to any person, firm or company in default of Contract with County, or to any bidder having as its sales agent or representative or as member of firm, any individual previously in default or guilty of misrepresentation.
- H. **Bid Results.** Bidders may secure information pertaining to results of bids by visiting Public Works' website, bids-pwht.countyofdane.com/.

5. CONTRACT PROVISIONS

- A. **Acceptance Constitutes Contract.** Written acceptance by Public Works Project Manager of proposal for services shall constitute Contract, which shall bind bidder to perform the Work as detailed in Construction Documents, for bid amount and in accordance with all conditions of said accepted bid. Formal Contract containing all provisions of Contract signed by both parties shall be used when required by Public Works Project Manager.

- B. **Local Restrictions and Permits.** All work shall be done according to applicable laws, ordinances and codes. Contractor shall procure and pay for all required permits for permanent or temporary work.
- C. **Payment of Invoices.**
1. See Section 5(L), Payments to Contractor.
- D. **Contract Alterations.** No alterations or variables in terms of contract shall be valid or binding upon County unless made in writing and signed by Purchasing Agent or authorized agent.
- E. **Assignments.** No contract may be assigned, sublet or transferred without written consent of Public Works Project Manager.
- F. **Cancellations.** Contract may be canceled or voided by Public Works Project Manager upon non-performance or violation of contract provisions, and award made to next low bidder or articles specified may be purchased on open market. In either event, defaulting contractor (or their surety) shall be liable to Dane County for costs to County in excess of defaulting contractor's contract prices.
- G. **Right of Department to Terminate Contract.**
1. In event that Contractor or any subcontractors violate any provisions of this Contract, County may serve written notice upon Contractor and Surety of its intention to terminate Contract. Such notice to contain reasons for such intention to terminate Contract, and unless within ten (10) business days after serving of such notice upon Contractor, such violation or delay shall cease and satisfactory arrangement or correction be made, Contract shall, upon expiration of said ten (10) business days, cease and terminate.
 2. In event of any such termination, County shall immediately serve notice thereof upon Surety and Contractor, and Surety shall have right to take over and perform Contract subject to County's approval. However, if Surety does not commence performance thereof within ten (10) business days from date of mailing to such Surety of notice of termination, County may take over the Work and prosecute same to completion by Contract or by force account for account and at expense of Contractor. Contractor and Surety shall be liable to County for any excess cost occasioned County thereby, and in such event County may take possession of and utilize in completing the Work, such equipment, materials and / or supplies as may be on site of the Work and therefore necessary.
- H. **Non-Liability.** Contractor shall not be liable in damages for delay in shipment or failure to deliver when such delay or failure is result of fire, flood, strike, transporting carrier, act of God, act of government, act of alien enemy or by any other circumstances which, in Public Works Project Manager's opinion, is beyond control of Contractor. Under such circumstances, however, Public Works Project Manager may in discretion, cancel Contract.
- I. **Quality Assurance.** Inspection of equipment, materials and / or supplies shall be made by or at direction of County or Agency to which goods are delivered, and any articles supplied that are defective, or fails in any way to meet Specifications or other requirements of Contract, will be rejected. Public Works Project Manager shall direct all required laboratory tests. Decision of Public Works Project Manager on acceptance shall be final.
- J. **Time for Completion.** Contractor agrees that the Work shall be prosecuted regularly and diligently and complete entire project as stated in Construction Documents.

K. Changes in the Work.

1. Except in cases of emergency, no changes in the Work covered by approved Construction Documents shall be made without having prior written approval of Department. Charges or credits for work covered by approved change shall be determined by one of these methods:
 - a) Unit bid prices previously approved.
 - b) Agreed lump sum based on actual cost of:
 - 1) Labor, including foremen, and all fringe benefits that are associated with their wages;
 - 2) Materials entering permanently into the Work;
 - 3) Ownership or rental cost of construction plant and equipment during time of use on extra work;
 - 4) Power and consumable supplies for operation of construction or power equipment;
 - 5) Workmen's Compensation Insurance, Contractor's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance, and Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance;
 - 6) Social Security, pension and unemployment contributions;
 - 7) To cost under K.1.b), there shall be added fixed fee to be agreed upon, but not to exceed fifteen percent (15%) of actual cost of the Work performed with their own labor force; fee shall be compensation to cover cost of supervision, overhead, bond, profit and any other general expense;
 - 8) On that portion of work under K.1.b) done under subcontract, Contractor may include not over seven and one-half percent (7½%) for supervision, overhead, bond, profit and any other general expense; and
 - 9) Contractor shall keep and present in such form as directed, correct amount of cost together with such supporting vouchers as may be required by Department.
 - c) Cost-Plus Work, with not-to-exceed dollar limit, based on actual cost of:
 - 1) Labor, including foremen, and all fringe benefits that are associated with their wages;
 - 2) Materials entering permanently into the Work;
 - 3) Ownership or rental cost of construction plant and equipment during time of use on extra work. (Rental cost cannot exceed fifty percent (50%) replacement value of rented equipment);
 - 4) Power and consumable supplies for operation of construction or power equipment;
 - 5) Workmen's Compensation, Contractor's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance, and Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance;
 - 6) Social Security, pension and unemployment contributions;
 - 7) To cost under K.1.c) there shall be added fixed fee to be agreed upon, but not to exceed fifteen percent (15%) of actual cost of the Work performed with their own labor force; fee shall be compensation to cover cost of supervision, overhead, bond, profit, and any other general expense;
 - 8) On that portion of work under K.1.c) done under subcontract, Contractor may include not over seven and one-half percent (7½%) for supervision, overhead, bond, profit, and any other general expense; and
 - 9) Contractor shall keep and present in such form as directed, correct amount of cost together with such supporting vouchers as may be required by Department.
2. If Contractor claims that by any instructions given by Public Works Project Manager, Department, by drawings or otherwise, regarding performance of the Work or furnishing of material under Contract, involves extra cost, Contractor shall give Department written notice thereof within two weeks after receipt of such instructions and in any event before

proceeding to execute work, unless delay in executing work would endanger life or property.

3. No claim for extra work or cost shall be allowed unless same was done in pursuance of written order of Public Works Project Manager, Department, as previously mentioned, and claim presented with payment request submitted after changed or extra work is completed.
4. Negotiation of cost for change in the Work shall not be cause for Contractor to delay prosecution of the Work if Contractor has been authorized in writing by Public Works Project Manager to proceed.

L. Payments to Contractor.

1. Contractor shall submit monthly invoices by the 10th of the month following the month billed for. All invoices shall be sent to:

Department of Public Works, Highway & Transportation: Solid Waste Division
ATTN: John Welch
1919 Alliant Energy Center Way
Madison, Wisconsin 53713

In no instance shall the Bidder invoice the County for more than is authorized by the County on the issued Purchase of Services Agreement or Purchase Order. The County's normal payment terms are net 30 days.

M. Withholding of Payments.

1. County, after having served written notice on said Contractor, may either pay directly any unpaid bills of which Department has written notice, or withhold from Contractor's unpaid compensation, sum of money deemed reasonably sufficient to pay any and all such lawful claims until satisfactory evidence is furnished that all liabilities have been fully discharged. Then payment to Contractor shall be resumed in accordance with terms of this Contract, but in no event shall these provisions be construed to impose any obligations upon County to either Contractor or Contractor's Surety.
2. In paying any unpaid bills of Contractor, County shall be deemed Agent of Contractor, and any payment so made by County, shall be considered as payment made under Contract by County to Contractor and County shall not be liable to Contractor for any such payment made in good faith.
3. Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend Dane County, its boards, commissions, agencies, officers, employees and representatives from all claims growing out of lawful demands of subcontractors, laborers, workmen, mechanics, material men, and furnishers of machinery and parts thereof, equipment, power tools, and all supplies, including commissary, incurred in performance of this Contract.
4. At Department's request, Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence that all obligations of nature designated above have been paid, discharged or waived.

N. Acceptance of Final Payment as Release.

1. Making of final payment shall constitute waiver of all claims by County except those arising from:
 - a) Unsettled lien;
 - b) Faulty or defective work appearing after substantial completion;
 - c) Failure of the Work to comply with requirements of Construction Documents; or

- d) Terms of any special guarantees required by Construction Documents.
- 2. Acceptance of final payment shall constitute waiver of all claims by Contractor.
- O. **Lien Waivers.** Contractor warrants that title to all work covered by application for Payment will pass to County no later than time of payment. Contractor further warrants that upon submittal of Application for Payment all work for which Certificates for Payment have been previously issued and payments received from County shall, to best of Contractor's knowledge, information and belief, be free and clear of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances in favor of Contractor, subcontractor, material suppliers, or other persons or entities making claim by reason of having provide labor, materials and equipment related to the Work.
- P. **Use and Occupancy Prior to Acceptance.**
 - 1. Not Applicable.
- Q. **Correction of Work.**
 - 1. Not Applicable.

6. GENERAL GUARANTEE

- A. Not Applicable

7. IDENTICAL BIDDING

- A. **Antitrust Laws.** All identical bids submitted to County because of advertised procurement for materials, supplies, equipment or services exceeding \$1,000,000.00 in total amount shall be reported to Attorney Generals of the United States and State of Wisconsin for possible violation and enforcement of antitrust laws.

8. BINDING CONTRACTS

- A. **Contract Commitment.** Any contracts resulting from this bid shall be binding on successful bidder(s) to its conclusion and on its assigns, heirs, executors, administrators or successors.

9. AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROVISION AND MINORITY / WOMEN / DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES

- A. **Affirmative Action Provisions.** During term of its Contract, Contractor agrees not to discriminate on basis of race, religion, color, sex, handicap, age, sexual preference, marital status, physical appearance, or national origin against any person, whether recipient of services (actual or potential), employee, or applicant for employment. Such equal opportunity shall include, but not be limited to following: employment, upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment, advertising, layoff, termination, training, rates of pay, and any other form of compensation or level of service(s). Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to all employees, service recipients and applicants for this paragraph. Listing of prohibited bases for discrimination shall no be construed to amend in any fashion state or federal law setting forth additional bases and exceptions shall be permitted only to extent allowable in state or federal law.
- B. Contractor is subject to this paragraph only if Contractor has ten (10) or more employees and receives \$10,000.00 or more in annual aggregate contracts with County. Contractor shall file

Affirmative Action Plan with Dane County Contract Compliance Officer in accord with Chapter 19 of Dane County Code of Ordinances. Contractor must file such plan within fifteen (15) business days of effective date of this Contract and failure to do so by that date shall constitute grounds for immediate termination of Contract. During term of this Contract, Contractor shall also provide copies of all announcements of employment opportunities to County's Contract Compliance Office, and shall report annually number of persons, by race, sex and handicap status, which apply for employment and, similarly classified, number hired and number rejected.

- C. Contact Dane County Contract Compliance Officer at Dane County Contract Compliance Office, 210 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Room 421, Madison, WI 53703, 608/266-4114.
- D. In all solicitations for employment placed on Contractor's behalf during term of this Contract, Contractor shall include statement to effect that Contractor is "Equal Opportunity Employer."
- E. Contractor agrees to furnish all information and reports required by County's Contract Compliance Officer as same relate to affirmative action and nondiscrimination, which may include any books, records, or accounts deemed appropriate to determine compliance with Chapter 19, Dane County Code of Ordinances, and provision of this Contract.
- F. **Minority / Women / Disadvantaged / Emerging Small Business Enterprises.** Chapter 19.508 of Dane County Code of Ordinances is official policy of Dane County to utilize Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs), Women Business Enterprises (WBEs), Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs) and Emerging Small Business Enterprises (ESBEs) fully.
- G. Contractor may utilize MBEs / WBEs / DBEs / ESBEs as subcontractors or suppliers. List of subcontractors will be required of low bidder as stated in this Contract. List shall indicate which subcontractors or suppliers are MBEs / WBEs / DBEs / ESBEs and what percentage of subcontract is awarded, shown as percentage of total dollar amount of bid.

10. COMPLIANCE WITH FAIR LABOR STANDARDS

- A. During term of this Contract, Contractor shall report to County Contract Compliance Officer, within ten (10) business days, any allegations to, or findings by National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) or Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission (WERC) that Contractor has violated statute or regulation regarding labor standards or relations. If investigation by Contract Compliance Officer results in final determination that matter adversely affects Contractor's responsibilities under this Contract, and which recommends termination, suspension or cancellation of this Contract, County may take such action.
- B. Contractor may appeal any adverse finding by Contract Compliance Officer as set forth in Dane County Ordinance 25.015(11)(c) through (e).
- C. Contractor shall post this statement in prominent place visible to employees: "As condition of receiving and maintaining contract with Dane County, this employer shall comply with federal, state and all other applicable laws prohibiting retaliation or union organizing."

11. DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP BENEFITS

- A. Not Applicable

12. INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend Dane County, its boards, commissions, agencies, officers, employees and representatives from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses including attorneys' fees arising out of or resulting from performance of the Work, provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property (other than the Work itself) including loss of use resulting there from, and is caused in whole or in part by any act or omission of Contractor, any subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, regardless of whether or not it is caused in part by a part indemnified hereunder.
- B. In any and all claims against Dane County, its boards, commissions, agencies, officers, employees and representatives or by any employee of Contractor, any subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, indemnification obligation under this Contract shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for Contractor or any subcontractor under worker's compensation acts, disability benefits or other employee benefit acts.
- C. County shall not be liable to Contractor for damages or delays resulting from work by third parties or by injunctions or other restraining orders obtained by third parties.
- D. **Contractor Carried Insurance.** In order to protect itself and County, Contractor shall not commence work under this Contract until obtaining all required insurance and County has approved such insurance. Contractor shall not allow any subcontractor to commence work on subcontract until insurance required of subcontractor has been so obtained and approved.
1. **Worker's Compensation Insurance**
Contractor shall procure and shall maintain during life of this Contract, Worker's Compensation Insurance as required by statute for all of its employees engaged in work at site of project under this Contract and, in case of such work sublet, Contractor shall require subcontractor similarly to provide Worker's Compensation Insurance for all of latter's employees to be engaged in such work unless such employees are covered by protection afforded by Contractor's Worker's Compensation Insurance.
 2. **Contractor's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance**
Contractor shall procure and maintain during life of this Contract, Contractor's Public Liability Insurance and Contractor's Property Damage Insurance in amount not less than \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence for bodily injury and death, and Contractor's Property Damage Insurance in amount not less than \$1,000,000.00 and shall be primary with Dane County as "Additional Insured".
 3. **Auto Liability Insurance**
Contractor shall procure and maintain during life of this Contract, Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance covering owned, non-owned and hired automobiles for limits of not less than \$1,000,000.00 and shall be primary with Dane County as "Additional Insured".
- E. Contractor either (1) shall require each subcontractors to procure and to maintain during life of subcontract, subcontractor's Public Liability Property Damage Insurance, and Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance of type and in same amount specified in preceding paragraphs; or (2) insure that activities of subcontractors in their own policy.

- F. Contractor shall furnish County with certificates showing type, amount, class of operations covered, effective dates and dates of expiration of policies. Such certificates shall also contain substantially this statement: "Insurance covered by this certificate will not be canceled or materially altered, except after ten (10) business days written notice has been received by County."