

CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

**LANCASTER COUNTY
NEBRASKA**

**Annual Service
County Snow Removal - Truck Mounted Plow Services
Bid No. 19-032**

**K2 Construction (K2 Real Estate Development)
7701 Cornhusker Highway
Lincoln, NE 68462
(402) 467-2355**

**LANCASTER COUNTY
CONTRACT TERMS**

THIS CONTRACT, made and entered into by and between **K2 Construction (K2 Real Estate Development), 7701 Cornhusker Highway, Lincoln, NE 68462** hereinafter called "Contractor", and the County of Lancaster, Nebraska, a political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, hereinafter called the "County".

WHEREAS, the County has caused to be prepared, in accordance with law, Specifications, Plans, and other Contract Documents for the Work herein described, and has approved and adopted said documents and has caused to be published an advertisement for and in connection with said Work, to-wit:

For providing **County Snow Removal - Truck Mounted Plow Services, Bid No. 19-032**
and,

WHEREAS, the Contractor, in response to such advertisement, has submitted to the County, in the manner and at the time specified, a sealed Proposal/Supplier Response in accordance with the terms of said advertisement; and,

WHEREAS, the County, in the manner prescribed by law has publicly opened, read aloud, examined, and canvassed the Proposals/Supplier Responses submitted in response to such advertisement, and as a result of such canvass has determined and declared the Contractor to be the lowest responsible bidder for the said Work for the sum or sums named in the Contractor's Proposal/Supplier Responses, a copy thereof being attached to and made a part of this Contract;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sums to be paid to the Contractor and the mutual covenants herein contained, the Contractor and the County have agreed and hereby agree as follows:

1. The Contractor agrees to (a) furnish all tools, equipment, supplies, superintendence, transportation, and other accessories, services, and facilities; (b) furnish all materials, supplies, and equipment specified to be incorporated into and form a permanent part of the complete work; (c) provide and perform all necessary labor in a substantial and workmanlike manner and in accordance with the provisions of the Contract Documents; and (d) execute and complete all Work included in and covered by the County's award of this Contract to the Contractor, such award being based on the acceptance by the County of the Contractor's Proposal, or part thereof, as follows:

Agreement to Line Items 1 and 2 of Contractor's Proposal

2. The County agrees to pay to the Contractor for the performance of the Work embraced in this Contract, the Contractor agrees to accept as full compensation therefore, the following sums and prices for all Work covered by and included in the Contract award and designated above, payment thereof to be made in the manner provided by the County:
The County will pay for products/service, according to the Line Item pricing as listed in Contractors Proposal/Supplier Response, a copy thereof being attached to and made a part of this Contract. The County shall order on an as-needed basis for the duration of the contract. The estimated cost of products or services for County agencies shall not exceed \$10,000.00 during the contract term without approval by the Board of Commissioners.
3. Equal Employment Opportunity. In connection with the carrying out of this project, the contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, disability, age or marital status. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, disability, age or marital status. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship.

4. E-Verify. In accordance with Neb. Rev. Stat. 4-108 through 4-114, the contractor agrees to register with and use a federal immigration verification system, to determine the work eligibility status of new employees performing services within the state of Nebraska. A federal immigration verification system means the electronic verification of the work authorization program of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, 8 U.S.C. 1324 a, otherwise known as the E-Verify Program, or an equivalent federal program designated by the United States Department of Homeland Security or other federal agency authorized to verify the work eligibility status of a newly hired employee pursuant to the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. The Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment to be employed in the performance of this section pursuant to the requirements of state law and 8 U.S.C.A 1324b. The contractor shall require any subcontractor to comply with the provisions of this section.
5. Termination. This Contract may be terminated by the following:
 - 5.1) Termination for Convenience. Either party may terminate this Contract upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other party for any reason without penalty.
 - 5.2) Termination for Cause. The County may terminate the Contract for cause if the Contractor:
 - 5.2.1) Refuses or fails to supply the proper labor, materials and equipment necessary to provide services and/or commodities.
 - 5.2.2) Disregards Federal, State or local laws, ordinances, regulations, resolutions or orders.
 - 5.2.3) Otherwise commits a substantial breach or default of any provision of the Contract Document. In the event of a substantial breach or default the County will provide the Contractor written notice of said breach or default and allow the Contractor ten (10) days from the date of the written notice to cure such breach or default. If said breach or default is not cured within ten (10) days from the date of notice, then the contract shall terminate.
6. Independent Contractor. It is the express intent of the parties that this contract shall not create an employer-employee relationship. Employees of the Contractor shall not be deemed to be employees of the County and employees of the County shall not be deemed to be employees of the Contractor. The Contractor and the County shall be responsible to their respective employees for all salary and benefits. Neither the Contractor's employees nor the County's employees shall be entitled to any salary, wages, or benefits from the other party, including but not limited to overtime, vacation, retirement benefits, workers' compensation, sick leave or injury leave. Contractor shall also be responsible for maintaining workers' compensation insurance, unemployment insurance for its employees, and for payment of all federal, state, local and any other payroll taxes with respect to its employees' compensation.
7. Period of Performance. This Contract shall be effective upon execution by both parties. The term of the Contract shall be a one (1) year term with the option to renew for three (3) additional one (1) year terms.
8. Assignment. Contractor shall not assign its duties and responsibilities under this Contract without the express written permission of the County.
9. Notwithstanding anything contrary to the Contract Terms, the attached documents comprise the Contract, and consist of the following:
 1. Contract Terms
 2. Accepted Proposal/Supplier Response
 3. Insurance Certificate with Endorsements
 4. Maintenance District Map
 5. Special Provisions
 6. Specifications
 7. Instructions to Bidders
 8. Insurance Requirements
 9. Notice to Bidders
 10. Sales Tax Exemption Form 13

The herein above mentioned Contract Documents form this Contract and are a part of the Contract as if hereto attached. Said documents which are not attached to this document may be viewed at: lincoln.ne.gov - Keyword: Bid - Awarded or Closed bids.

This Contract contains the complete and entire Contract between the parties and may not be altered or amended except in writing executed, making specific references to this Contract, by a duly authorized officer of the Contractor and by a duly authorized official of the County.

The Contractor and the Owners hereby agree that all the terms and conditions of this Contract shall be binding upon themselves, and their heirs, administrators, executors, legal and personal representatives, successors, and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Contractor and the Owners do hereby execute this contract upon completion of signatures on:

Vendor Signature Page
Lancaster County Signature Page

Vendor Signature Page

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EXECUTION BY CONTRACTOR

IF A CORPORATION:

Attest:

Secretary Seal

Name of Corporation

Address

By: _____
Duly Authorized Official

Legal Title of Official

IF OTHER TYPE OF ORGANIZATION:

K2 CONSTRUCTION

Name of Organization

LLC

Type of Organization

7701 Cornhusker Hwy Lincoln, NE

Address 68507

By: J. R. H.

Member

By: _____
Member

IF AN INDIVIDUAL:

Name

Address

Signature

Lancaster County Signature Page

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EXECUTION BY LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Contract Approved as to Form:

The Board of County Commissioners of
Lancaster, Nebraska

Deputy Lancaster County Attorney

dated _____

City of Lincoln/Lancaster County (Lincoln Purchasing) Supplier Response

Bid Information		Contact Information		Ship to Information
Bid Creator	Sharon Mulder Asst Purchasing Agent	Address	Purchasing 440 S. 8th St. Lincoln, NE 68508	Address
Email	smulder@lincoln.ne.gov	Contact	Sharon R. Mulder Asst Purchasing Agent	Contact
Phone	(402) 441-7428			
Fax	(402) 441-6513			
Bid Number	19-032	Department		Department
Title	County Snow Removal - Truck Mounted Plow Services	Building	Suite 200	Building
Bid Type	Bid	Floor/Room		Floor/Room
Issue Date	1/16/2019 10:00 AM (CT)	Telephone	(402) 441-7428	Telephone
Close Date	1/30/2019 12:00:00 PM (CT)	Fax	(402) 441-6513	Fax
		Email	smulder@lincoln.ne.gov	Email

Supplier Information

Company	K2 Construction (K2 Real Estate Development)
Address	7701 Cornhusker Highway Lincoln, NE 68462
Contact	Tom Rogge
Department	
Building	
Floor/Room	
Telephone	(402) 467-2355
Fax	(402) 467-2055
Email	trogge@k1construction.biz
Submitted	1/30/2019 08:01:38 AM (CT)
Total	\$560.00

By submitting your response, you certify that you are authorized to represent and bind your company.

Signature Travis Sondgeroth

Email travis@k2construction.biz

Supplier Notes

Bid Notes

Bid Activities

Bid Messages

Bid Attributes

Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Instructions to Bidders	I acknowledge reading and understanding the Instructions to Bidders.	Yes
2	Sample Contract	I acknowledge reading and understanding the sample contract.	Yes
3	Specifications	I acknowledge reading and understanding the specifications.	Yes
4	Drawings	I acknowledge reading and understanding the Project Drawings.	Yes
5	Insurance Requirements and Endorsements	<p>Vendor agrees to provide insurance coverage for each checked box on the Insurance Clause document in the Bid Attachments including the submission of the Certificate of ACORD and the applicable endorsements.</p> <p>Insurance Certificate and required Endorsements are required at time of contract execution by the vendor.</p> <p>Vendors are strongly encouraged to send the insurance requirements and endorsement information to their insurance agent prior to bid close in order to expedite the contract execution process.</p>	Yes
6	Bid Documents	I acknowledge and accept that it is my responsibility as a Bidder to promptly notify the Purchasing Department Staff prior to the close of the bid of any ambiguity, inconsistency or error which I may discover upon examination of the bid documents including, but not limited to the Specifications.	Yes
7	Contact	Name of person submitting this bid:	Travis Sondgeroth
8	Renewal is an Option	Contract Extension Renewal is an option.	Yes
9	Special Provision Term Contract Provisions	I acknowledge reading and understanding the Special Provision Term Contract Provisions.	Yes
10	Term Clause of Contract	<p>I acknowledge that the term of the contract is for a one (1) year term with the option for three (3) additional one (1) year renewals from the date of the executed contract.</p> <p>(a) Are your bid prices firm for the first one (1) year contract period. YES or NO</p> <p>(b) Are your bid prices subject to escalation/de-escalation YES or NO</p> <p>(c) If (b), state period for which prices will remain firm: through _____</p>	Yes, Yes, December 2020
11	Bid award	<p>I acknowledge and understand that the City, County and/or Public Building Commission reserves the right to award bids item-by-item, with or without alternates/options, by groups, or "lump sum" such as shall best serve the requirements and interests of the City, County and/or Public Building Commission.</p> <p>If your pricing is based on an all-or-nothing basis, please indicate so in the Supplier Notes section of your E-Bid response.</p>	Yes

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| 12 | Disaster Plan | DISASTER PLAN PARTICIPATION: If awarded a contract, can the City of Lincoln call on your firm to participate in a disaster relief/cleanup plan with your company performing duties similar to those in the contract? YES or NO If YES, I understand that the terms and pricing will not deviate from the executed contract. | Yes |
| 13 | Employee Class Act EO | I acknowledge reading and understanding the Employee Classification Act, Executive Order 83319. | Yes |
| 14 | Employee Class Act Affidavit | I acknowledge if awarded the contract I will abide by the law, notarize and attach the Employee Classification Act Affidavit to my contract. | Yes |
| 15 | Electronic Signature | Please check here for your electronic signature. | Yes |

Line Items

#	Qty	UOM	Description	Response
1	1	Hour	Truck Mounted Snow Plow 1 - District 1; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services	\$280

Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 1

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Make	Make of Truck	Freightliner
2	Model	Model of Truck	FL70
3	Year	Year of Truck	2002
4	Moldboard	Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.	12'
5	Lift Height	Please provide the lift height from ground.	3'

2	1	Hour	Truck Mounted Snow Plow 2 - District 1; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services	\$280
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Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 1

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Make	Make of Truck	Freightliner
2	Model	Model of Truck	FL20
3	Year	Year of Truck	2002
4	Moldboard	Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.	12'
5	Lift Height	Please provide the lift height from ground.	3'

3	1	Hour	Truck Mounted Snow Plow 1 - District 2; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services	No Bid
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Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 2

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
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1	Make	Make of Truck
2	Model	Model of Truck
3	Year	Year of Truck
4	Moldboard	Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.
5	Life Height	Please provide the lift height from ground.

4 1 Hour Truck Mounted Snow Plow 2 - District 2; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services No Bid

Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 2

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Make	Make of Truck	
2	Model	Model of Truck	
3	Year	Year of Truck	
4	Moldboard	Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.	
5	Lift Height	Please provide the lift height from ground.	

5 1 Hour Truck Mounted Snow Plow 1 - District 3; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services No Bid

Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 3

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Make	Make of Truck	
2	Model	Model of Truck	
3	Year	Year of Truck	
4	Moldboard	Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.	
5	Lift Height	Please provide the lift height from ground.	

6 1 Hour Truck Mounted Snow Plow 2 - District 3; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services No Bid

Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 3

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Make	Make of Truck	
2	Model	Model of Truck	
3	Year	Year of Truck	
4	Moldboard	Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.	
5	Lift Height	Please provide the lift height from ground.	

7 1 Hour Truck Mounted Snow Plow 1 - District 4; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services No Bid

Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 4

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Make	Make of Truck	
2	Model	Model of Truck	
3	Year	Year of Truck	
4	Moldboard	Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.	
5	Lift Height	Please provide the lift height from ground.	

8 1 Hour Truck Mounted Snow Plow 2 - District 4; Cost per Hour for actual Snow Plowing Services No Bid

Item Notes: Per attached map, area marked District 4

Supplier Notes:

Item Attributes: Please review the following and respond where necessary

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Make	Make of Truck	

2 Model Model of Truck

3 Year Year of Truck

4 Moldboard Please provide the weight of the moldboard using per specifications, Section 3.

5 Lift Height Please provide the lift height from ground.

Response Total: \$560.00

Client#: 62527

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CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

2/01/2019

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

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer any rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER: INSPRO Insurance, P.O. Box 6847, Lincoln, NE 68506, 402 483-4500. CONTACT NAME: Lucas Stiel, PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 402-483-4500, FAX (A/C, No): 402-483-7977, E-MAIL ADDRESS: lsiel@insproins.com. INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE: INSURER A: Bituminous, INSURER B: Westchester Surplus Lines Ins Co, INSURER C, D, E, F.

COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: REVISION NUMBER:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

Table with columns: INSR LTR, TYPE OF INSURANCE, ADDL INSR, SUBR WVD, POLICY NUMBER, POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY), POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY), LIMITS. Rows include Commercial General Liability, Automobile Liability, Umbrella Liab, Workers Compensation, and Pollution Co.

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached If more space is required) City of Lincoln and Lancaster County and Lincoln-Lancaster County Public Building Commission are listed as an additional insured.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER: City of Lincoln, Lancaster County, and Lincoln-Lancaster County Public Building Commission, 555 S 10th St, Lincoln, NE 68508. CANCELLATION: SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE: [Signature]

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

UTILITY CONTRACTORS EXTENDED LIABILITY COVERAGE

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE FORM

It is agreed that the provisions listed below apply only upon the entry of an in the box next to the caption of such provision.

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| A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partnership and Joint Venture Extension | M. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Construction Project General Aggregate Limits |
| B. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contractors Automatic Additional Insured Coverage – Ongoing Operations | N. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fellow Employee Coverage |
| C. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Automatic Waiver of Subrogation | O. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Property Damage to the Named Insured's Work |
| D. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extended Notice of Cancellation, Nonrenewal | P. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Care, Custody or Control |
| E. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unintentional Failure to Disclose Hazards | Q. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Electronic Data Liability Coverage |
| F. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Broadened Mobile Equipment | R. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated Insurance Program Residual Liability Coverage |
| G. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal and Advertising Injury - Contractual Coverage | S. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Automatic Additional Insureds – Managers or Lessors of Premises |
| H. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nonemployment Discrimination | T. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Automatic Additional Insureds – State or Governmental Agency or Political Subdivisions – Permits or Authorizations |
| I. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Liquor Liability | U. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contractors Automatic Additional Insured Coverage – Completed Operations |
| J. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Broadened Conditions | V. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Additional Insured – Engineers, Architects or Surveyors |
| K. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Automatic Additional Insureds – Equipment Leases | |
| L. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insured Contract Extension - Railroad Property and Construction Contracts | |

A. PARTNERSHIP AND JOINT VENTURE EXTENSION

The following provision is added to **SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED:**

The last full paragraph which reads as follows:

No person or organization is an insured with respect to the conduct of any current or past partnership, joint venture or limited liability company that is not shown as a Named Insured in the Declarations.

is deleted and replaced with the following:

With respect to the conduct of any past or present joint venture or partnership not shown as a Named Insured in the Declarations and of which you are or were a partner or member, you are an insured, but only with respect to liability arising out of "your work" on behalf of any partnership or joint venture not shown as a Named Insured in the Declarations, provided no other similar liability

insurance is available to you for "your work" in connection with your interest in such partnership or joint venture.

B. CONTRACTORS AUTOMATIC ADDITIONAL INSURED COVERAGE – ONGOING OPERATIONS

SECTION II – WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include as an additional insured any person or organization who is required by written contract to be an additional insured on your policy, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by:

1. Your acts or omissions; or
2. The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf;

in the performance of your ongoing operations for the additional insured(s) at the project(s) designated in the written contract.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurring after:

1. All work, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection with such work, on the project (other than service, maintenance or repairs) to be performed by or on behalf of the additional insured(s) at the location of the covered operations has been completed; or
2. That portion of "your work" out of which the injury or damage arises has been put to its intended use by any person or organization other than another contractor or subcontractor engaged in performing operations for a principal as a part of the same project.

This insurance is excess of all other insurance available to the additional insured, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, unless the written contract requires this insurance to be primary. In that event, this insurance will be primary relative to insurance policy(s) which designate the additional insured as a Named Insured in the Declarations and we will not require contribution from such insurance if the written contract also requires that this insurance be non-contributory. But with respect to all other insurance under which the additional insured qualifies as an insured or additional insured, this insurance will be excess.

C. AUTOMATIC WAIVER OF SUBROGATION

Item **8.** of **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

- 8. Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others to Us and Automatic Waiver of Subrogation.**
 - a. If the insured has rights to recover all or part of any payment we have made under this Coverage Form, those rights are transferred to us. The insured must do nothing after loss to impair those rights. At our request, the insured will bring "suit" or transfer those rights to us and help us enforce them.
 - b. If required by a written contract executed prior to loss, we waive any right of recovery we may have against any person or organization because of payments we make for injury or damage arising out of "your work" for that person or organization.

D. EXTENDED NOTICE OF CANCELLATION, NONRENEWAL

Item **A.2.b.** of the **COMMON POLICY CONDITIONS**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

- A.2.b.** 60 days before the effective date of the cancellation if we cancel for any other reason.

Item 9. of **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

9. WHEN WE DO NOT RENEW

- a. If we choose to nonrenew this policy, we will mail or deliver to the first Named Insured shown in the Declarations written notice of the nonrenewal not less than 60 days before the expiration date.
- b. If we do not give notice of our intent to nonrenew as prescribed in a. above, it is agreed that you may extend the period of this policy for a maximum additional sixty(60) days from its scheduled expiration date. Where not otherwise prohibited by law, the existing terms, conditions and rates will remain in effect during that extension period. It is further agreed that so long as it is not otherwise prohibited by law, this one time sixty day extension is the sole remedy and liquidated damages available to the insured as a result of our failure to give the notice as prescribed in 9. a. above.

E. UNINTENTIONAL FAILURE TO DISCLOSE HAZARDS

Although we relied on your representations as to existing and past hazards, if unintentionally you should fail to disclose all such hazards at the inception date of your policy, we will not deny coverage under this Coverage Form because of such failure.

F. BROADENED MOBILE EQUIPMENT

Item 12.b. of **SECTION V - DEFINITIONS**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

- 12.b. Vehicles maintained for use solely on or next to premises, sites or locations you own, rent or occupy.

G. PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY - CONTRACTUAL COVERAGE

Exclusion 2.e. of **SECTION I, COVERAGE B** is deleted.

H. NONEMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION

Unless "personal and advertising injury" is excluded from this policy:

Item 14. of **SECTION V - DEFINITIONS**, is amended to include:

"Personal and advertising injury" also means embarrassment or humiliation, mental or emotional distress, physical illness, physical impairment, loss of earning capacity or monetary loss, which is caused by "discrimination."

SECTION V - DEFINITIONS, is amended to include:

"Discrimination" means the unlawful treatment of individuals based on race, color, ethnic origin, age, gender or religion.

Item 2. **Exclusions** of **SECTION I, COVERAGE B**, is amended to include:

"Personal and advertising injury" arising out of "discrimination" directly or indirectly related to the past employment, employment or prospective employment of any person or class of persons by any insured;

"Personal and advertising injury" arising out of "discrimination" by or at your, your agents or your "employees" direction or with your, your agents or your "employees" knowledge or consent;

"Personal and advertising injury" arising out of "discrimination" directly or indirectly related to the sale, rental, lease or sub-lease or prospective sale, rental, lease or sub-lease of any dwelling, permanent lodging or premises by or at the direction of any insured; or

Fines, penalties, specific performance or injunctions levied or imposed by a governmental entity, or governmental code, law, or statute because of "discrimination."

I. LIQUOR LIABILITY

Exclusion 2.c. of **SECTION I, COVERAGE A**, is deleted.

J. BROADENED CONDITIONS

Items **2.a.** and **2.b.** of **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS**, are deleted and replaced with the following:

2. Duties In The Event Of Occurrence, Offense, Claim Or Suit:

a. You must see to it that we are notified of an "occurrence" or an offense which may result in a claim as soon as practicable after the "occurrence" has been reported to you, one of your officers or an "employee" designated to give notice to us. Notice should include:

- (1)** How, when and where the "occurrence" or offense took place;
- (2)** The names and addresses of any injured persons and witnesses; and
- (3)** The nature and location of any injury or damage arising out of the "occurrence" or offense.

b. If a claim is made or "suit" is brought against any insured, you must:

- (1)** Record the specifics of the claim or "suit" and the date received as soon as you, one of your officers, or an "employee" designated to record such information is notified of it; and
- (2)** Notify us in writing as soon as practicable after you, one of your officers, your legal department or an "employee" you designate to give us such notice learns of the claims or "suit."

Item **2.e.** is added to **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS**:

2.e. If you report an "occurrence" to your workers compensation insurer which develops into a liability claim for which coverage is provided by the Coverage Form, failure to report such "occurrence" to us at the time of "occurrence" shall not be deemed in violation of paragraphs **2.a., 2.b., and 2.c.** However, you shall give written notice of this "occurrence" to us as soon as you are made aware of the fact that this "occurrence" may be a liability claim rather than a workers compensation claim.

K. AUTOMATIC ADDITIONAL INSURED - EQUIPMENT LEASES

SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include any person or organization with whom you agree in a written equipment lease or rental agreement to name as an additional insured with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, at least in part, by your maintenance, operation, or use by you of the equipment leased to you by such person or organization, subject to the following additional exclusions.

The insurance provided to the additional insured does not apply to:

- 1.** "Bodily injury" or "property damage" occurring after you cease leasing the equipment.

2. "Bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of the sole negligence of the additional insured.
3. "Property damage" to:
 - a. Property owned, used or occupied by or rented to the additional insured; or
 - b. Property in the care, custody or control of the additional insured or over which the additional insured is for any purpose exercising physical control.

This insurance is excess of all other insurance available to the additional insured, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, unless the written contract requires this insurance to be primary. In that event, this insurance will be primary relative to insurance policy(s) which designate the additional insured as a Named Insured in the Declarations and we will not require contribution from such insurance if the written contract also requires that this insurance be non-contributory. But with respect to all other insurance under which the additional insured qualifies as an insured or additional insured, this insurance will be excess.

L. INSURED CONTRACT EXTENSION - RAILROAD PROPERTY AND CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

Item 9. of **SECTION V - DEFINITIONS**, is deleted and replaced with the following.

9. "Insured Contract" means:
 - a. A contract for a lease of premises. However, that portion of the contract for a lease of premises that indemnifies any person or organization for damage by fire to premises while rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner is not an "insured contract";
 - b. A sidetrack agreement;
 - c. Any easement or license agreement;
 - d. An obligation, as required by ordinance, to indemnify a municipality, except in connection with work for a municipality;
 - e. An elevator maintenance agreement;
 - f. That part of any other contract or agreement pertaining to your business (including an indemnification of a municipality in connection with work performed for a municipality) under which you assume the tort liability of another party to pay for "bodily injury" or "property damage" to a third person or organization. Tort liability means a liability that would be imposed by law in the absence of any contract or agreement.

Paragraph f. does not include that part of any contract or agreement:

- (1) That indemnifies an architect, engineer or surveyor for injury or damage arising out of:
 - (a) Preparing, approving, or failing to prepare or approve, maps, shop drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, field orders, change orders or drawings and specifications; or
 - (b) Giving directions or instructions, or failing to give them, if that is the primary cause of the injury or damage; or
- (2) Under which the insured, if an architect, engineer or surveyor, assumes liability for an injury or damage arising out of the insured's rendering or failure to render professional services, including those listed in (1) above and supervisory, inspection, architectural or engineering activities.

M. CONSTRUCTION PROJECT GENERAL AGGREGATE LIMITS

This modifies **SECTION III - LIMITS OF INSURANCE**.

- A.** For all sums which can be attributed only to ongoing operations at a single construction project for which the insured becomes legally obligated to pay as damages caused by an "occurrence" under **SECTION I - COVERAGE A**, and for all medical expenses caused by accidents under **SECTION I - COVERAGE C**:
1. A separate Construction Project General Aggregate Limit applies to each construction project, and that limit is equal to the amount of the General Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations.
 2. The Construction Project General Aggregate Limit is the most we will pay for the sum of all damages under **COVERAGE A**, except damages because of "bodily injury" or "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard," and for medical expenses under **COVERAGE C** regardless of the number of:
 - a. Insureds;
 - b. Claims made or "suits" brought; or
 - c. Persons or organizations making claims or bringing "suits."
 3. Any payments made under **COVERAGE A** for damages or under **COVERAGE C** for medical expenses shall reduce the Construction Project General Aggregate Limit for that construction project. Such payments shall not reduce the General Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations nor shall they reduce any other Construction Project General Aggregate Limit for any other construction project.
 4. The limits shown in the Declarations for Each Occurrence, Fire Damage and Medical Expense continue to apply. However, instead of being subject to the General Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, such limits will be subject to the applicable Construction Project General Aggregate Limit.
- B.** For all sums which cannot be attributed only to ongoing operations at a single construction project for which the insured becomes legally obligated to pay as damages caused by an "occurrence" under **SECTION I - COVERAGE A**, and for all medical expenses caused by accidents under **SECTION I - COVERAGE C**:
1. Any payments made under **COVERAGE A** for damages or under **COVERAGE C** for medical expenses shall reduce the amount available under the General Aggregate Limit or the Products-Completed Operations Aggregate Limit, whichever is applicable; and
 2. Such payments shall not reduce any Construction Project General Aggregate Limit.
- C.** Payments for damages because of "bodily injury" or "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard" will reduce the Products-Completed Operations Aggregate Limit, and not reduce the General Aggregate Limit nor the Construction Project General Aggregate Limit.
- D.** If a construction project has been abandoned, delayed, or abandoned and then restarted, or if the authorized contracting parties deviate from plans, blueprints, designs, specifications or timetables, the project will still be deemed to be the same construction project.
- E.** The provisions of **SECTION III - LIMITS OF INSURANCE** not otherwise modified by this endorsement shall continue to be applicable.

N. FELLOW EMPLOYEE COVERAGE

Exclusion 2.e. Employers Liability of **SECTION I, COVERAGE A**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

2.e. "Bodily injury" to

- (1) An "employee" of the insured arising out of and in the course of:
 - (a) Employment by the insured; or
 - (b) Performing duties related to the conduct of the insured's business; or
- (2) The spouse, child, parent, brother or sister of that "employee" as a consequence of paragraph (1) above.

This exclusion applies:

- (1) Whether the insured may be liable as an employer or in any other capacity; and
- (2) To any obligation to share damages with or repay someone else who must pay damages because of the injury.

This exclusion does not apply to:

- (1) Liability assumed by the insured under an "insured contract"; or
- (2) Liability arising from any action or omission of a co-"employee" while that co-"employee" is either in the course of his or her employment or performing duties related to the conduct of your business.

Item **2.a. (1)(a)** of **SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

2.a. (1)(a) To you, to your partners or members (if you are a partnership or joint venture) or to your members (if you are a limited liability company), or to your "volunteer workers" while performing duties related to the conduct of your business.

O. PROPERTY DAMAGE TO THE NAMED INSURED'S WORK

Exclusion I of **SECTION I, COVERAGE A**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

I. Damage to Your Work

"Property damage" to "your work" arising out of it or any part of it and included in the "products completed operation hazard."

This exclusion applies only to that portion of any loss in excess of \$50,000 per occurrence if the damaged work and the work out of which the damage arises was performed by you.

This exclusion does not apply if the damaged work or the work out of which the damage arises was performed on your behalf by a subcontractor.

P. CARE, CUSTODY OR CONTROL

Exclusion 2.j.4 of **SECTION I, COVERAGE A**, is deleted and replaced with the following:

2.j.4 Personal property in the care, custody or control of the insured. However, for personal property in the care, custody or control of you or your "employees," this exclusion applies only to that portion of any loss in excess of \$25,000 per occurrence, subject to the following terms and conditions;

- (a) The most that we will pay under this provision as an annual aggregate is \$100,000, regardless of the number of occurrences.
- (b) This provision does not apply to "employee" owned property or any property that is missing where there is not physical evidence to show what happened to the property.
- (c) The aggregate limit for this coverage provision is part of the General Aggregate Limit and **SECTION III - LIMITS OF INSURANCE** is changed accordingly.
- (d) In the event of damage to or destruction of property covered by this exception, you shall, if requested by us, replace the property or furnish the labor and materials necessary for repairs thereto, at actual cost to you, exclusive of prospective profit or overhead charges of any nature.
- (e) \$2,500 shall be deducted from the total amount of all sums you became obligated to pay as damages on account of damage to or destruction of all property of each person or organization, including the loss of use of that property, as a result of each "occurrence." Our limit of liability under the endorsement as being applicable to each "occurrence" shall be reduced by the amount of the deductible indicated above; however, our aggregate limit of liability under this provision shall not be reduced by the amount of such deductible. The conditions of the policy, including those with respect to duties in the event of "occurrence," claims or "suit" apply irrespective of the application of the deductible amount. We may pay any part or all of the deductible amount to effect settlement of any claim or "suit" and, upon notification of the action taken, you shall promptly reimburse us for such part of the deductible amount as has been paid by us.

Q. ELECTRONIC DATA LIABILITY COVERAGE

- 1. **Exclusion 2.p. Electronic Data of SECTION I, COVERAGE A**, is deleted and replaced with the following:
 - 2.p. Damages arising out of the loss of, loss of use of, damage to, corruption of, inability to access, or inability to manipulate "electronic data" that does not result from physical injury to tangible property.
- 2. The following definition is added to **SECTION V – DEFINITIONS**:

"Electronic data" means information, facts or programs stored as or on, created or used on, or transmitted to or from computer software (including systems and applications software), hard or floppy disks, CD-ROMS, tapes, drives, cells, data processing devices or any other media which are used with electronically controlled equipment.
- 3. For the purposes of this coverage, the definition of "property damage" in **SECTION V – DEFINITIONS** is replaced by the following:

"Property damage" means:

 - a. Physical injury to tangible property, including all resulting loss of use of that property. All such loss of use shall be deemed to occur at the time of the physical injury that caused it;
 - b. Loss of use of tangible property that is not physically injured. All such loss of use shall be deemed to occur at the time of the "occurrence" that caused it; or
 - c. Loss of, loss of use of, damage to, corruption of, inability to access, or inability to properly manipulate "electronic data", resulting from physical injury to tangible property. All such loss of "electronic data" shall be deemed to occur at the time of the "occurrence" that caused it.

For the purposes of this insurance, "electronic data" is not tangible property.

R. CONSOLIDATED INSURANCE PROGRAM RESIDUAL LIABILITY COVERAGE

With respect to "bodily injury", "property damage", or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of your ongoing operations; or operations included within the "products-completed operations hazard", the policy to which this coverage is attached shall apply as excess insurance over coverage available to "you" under a Consolidated Insurance Program (such as an Owner Controlled Insurance Program or Contractors Controlled Insurance Program).

Coverage afforded by this endorsement does not apply to any Consolidated Insurance Program involving a "residential project" or any deductible or insured retention, specified in the Consolidated Insurance Program.

The following is added to **Section V – Definitions**

"Residential project" means any project where 30% or more of the total square foot area of the structures on the project is used or is intended to be used for human residency. This includes but is not limited to single or multifamily housing, apartments, condominiums, townhouses, co-operatives or planned unit developments and appurtenant structures (including pools, hot tubs, detached garages, guest houses or any similar structures). A "residential project" does not include military owned housing, college/university owned housing or dormitories, long term care facilities, hotels, motels, hospitals or prisons.

All other terms, provisions, exclusions and limitations of this policy apply.

S. AUTOMATIC ADDITIONAL INSURED - MANAGERS OR LESSORS OR PREMISES

SECTION II – WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include:

Any person or organization with whom you agree in a written contract or written agreement to name as an additional insured but only with respect to liability arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of that part of the premises, designated in the written contract or written agreement, that is leased to you and subject to the following additional exclusions:

This insurance does not apply to:

1. Any "occurrence" which takes place after you cease to be a tenant in that premises.
2. Structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by or on behalf of the additional insured listed in the written contract or written agreement.

This insurance is excess of all other insurance available to the additional insured, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, unless the written contract requires this insurance to be primary. In that event, this insurance will be primary relative to insurance policy(s) which designate the additional insured as a Named Insured in the Declarations and we will not require contribution from such insurance if the written contract also requires that this insurance be non-contributory. But with respect to all other insurance under which the additional insured qualifies as an insured or additional insured, this insurance will be excess.

T. AUTOMATIC ADDITIONAL INSURED – STATE OR GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS – PERMITS OR AUTHORIZATIONS

SECTION II – WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include any state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision with whom you are required by written contract, ordinance, law or building code to name as an additional insured subject to the following provisions:

This insurance applies only with respect to operations performed by you or on your behalf for which the state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision has issued a permit or authorization.

This insurance does not apply to:

1. "Bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of operations performed for the federal government, state or municipality; or
2. "Bodily injury" or "property damage" included within the "products-completed operations hazard".

This insurance is excess of all other insurance available to the additional insured, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, unless the written contract requires this insurance to be primary. In that event, this insurance will be primary relative to insurance policy(s) which designate the additional insured as a Named Insured in the Declarations and we will not require contribution from such insurance if the written contract also requires that this insurance be non-contributory. But with respect to all other insurance under which the additional insured qualifies as an insured or additional insured, this insurance will be excess.

U. CONTRACTORS AUTOMATIC ADDITIONAL INSURED COVERAGE – COMPLETED OPERATIONS

SECTION II – WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include as an additional insured any person or organization who is required by written contract to be an additional insured on your policy for completed operations, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused, in whole or in part, by "your work" at the project designated in the contract, performed for that additional insured and included in the "products-completed operations hazard".

This insurance is excess of all other insurance available to the additional insured, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, unless the written contract requires this insurance to be primary. In that event, this insurance will be primary relative to insurance policy(s) which designate the additional insured as a Named Insured in the Declarations and we will not require contribution from such insurance if the written contract also requires that this insurance be non-contributory. But with respect to all other insurance under which the additional insured qualifies as an insured or additional insured, this insurance will be excess.

V. ADDITIONAL INSURED – ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS OR SURVEYORS

SECTION II – WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include as an additional insured any architect, engineer or surveyor who is required by written contract to be an additional insured on your policy, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by:

1. Your acts or omissions; or
2. The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf;

in the performance of your ongoing operations performed by you or on your behalf.

This includes such architect, engineer or surveyor, who may not be engaged by you, but is contractually required to be added as an additional insured to your policy.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusion applies:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the rendering of or the failure to render any professional services, including:

1. The preparing, approving, or failing to prepare or approve maps, drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, change orders, designs or specifications; or
2. Supervisory, inspection or engineering services.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

ADDITIONAL INSURED - SPECIFIC ENTITIES

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM

WHO IS AN INSURED is changed to include as an "insured" the person or organization named in this endorsement. However, the additional insured is an "insured" only for "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of work or operations performed by you or on your behalf for the additional insured and resulting from the ownership, maintenance or use of a "covered auto," by:

1. You, or
2. Any of your employees or agents; or
3. Anyone other than the additional insured or any employee or agent of the additional insured, while using with your permission a covered "auto" you own, hire or borrow.

ADDITIONAL INSURED:

ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION FOR WHOM THE NAMED INSURED HAS AGREED BY WRITTEN CONTRACT (INSURED CONTRACT) TO DESIGNATE AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED SUBJECT TO ALL THE PROVISIONS AND LIMITATIONS OF THIS POLICY.

THIS INSURANCE WILL BE PRIMARY AND/OR NON-CONTRIBUTORY ONLY IF YOU HAVE SO AGREED IN A WRITTEN CONTRACT OR WRITTEN AGREEMENT EXECUTED PRIOR TO ANY LOSS.

WAIVER OF OUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM OTHERS ENDORSEMENT

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

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

Schedule

ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION FOR WHOM YOU ARE PERFORMING OPERATIONS IF YOU AND SUCH PERSON OR ORGANIZATION HAVE AGREED TO A WAIVER OF SUBROGATION IN A WRITTEN CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT SIGNED BY YOU AND ALL OTHER PARTIES TO THAT WRITTEN CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT PRIOR TO ANY LOSS FOR WHICH A WAIVER IS REQUIRED"

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

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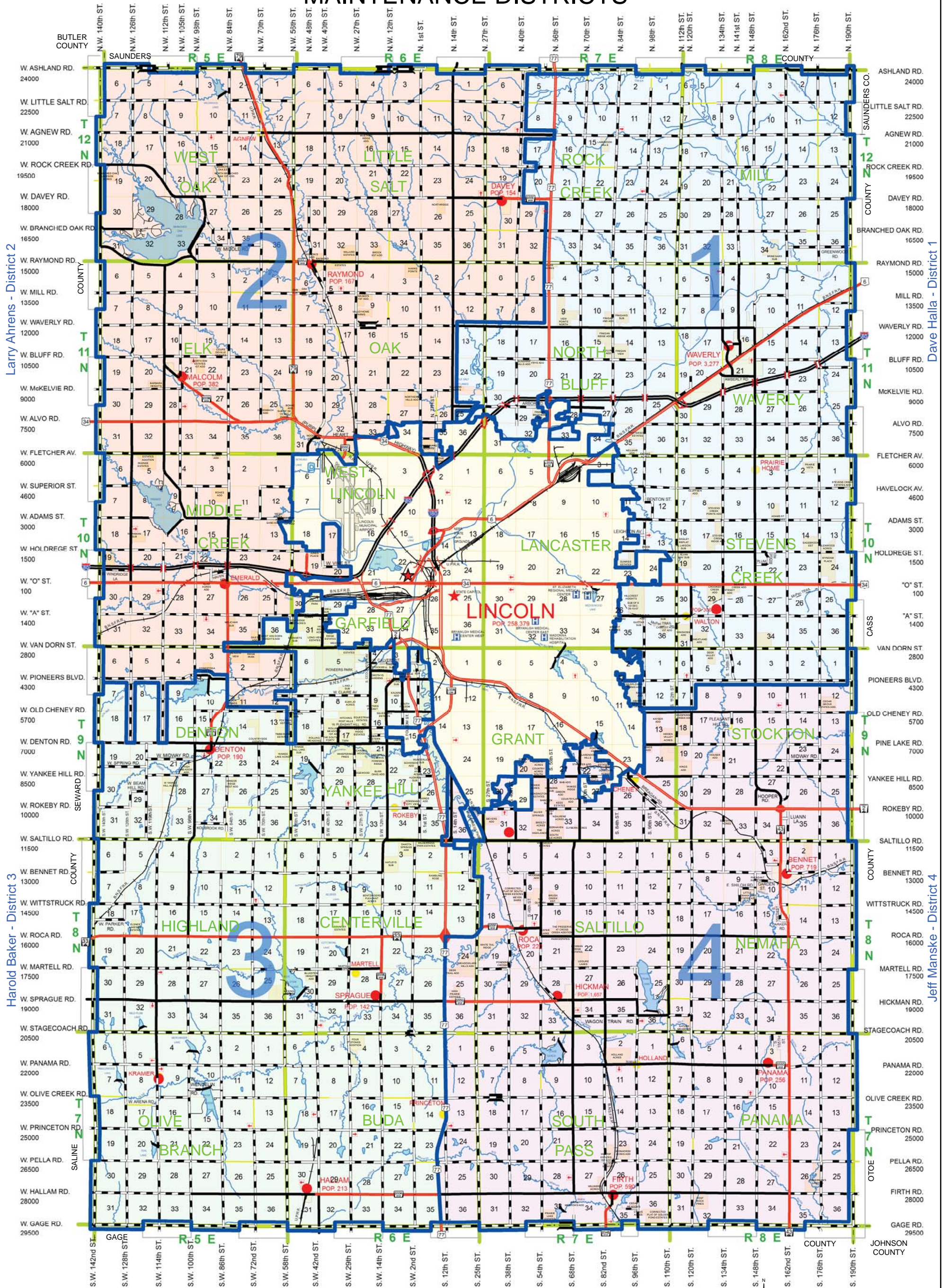
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Countersigned by _____

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- INTERSTATE HIGHWAY
- U.S. HIGHWAY
- STATE HIGHWAY
- PAVED ROAD
- GRAVEL ROAD
- DIRT ROAD
- DAM WITH ROAD ON TOP
- ROAD MAINTAINED BY ADJOINING COUNTY
- RAILROAD
- MOPAC TRAIL
- COUNTY PATROL STATIONS

- COUNTY BOUNDARY
- TOWNSHIP LINE
- SECTION LINE
- UNINCORPORATED VILLAGE
- INCORPORATED VILLAGE OR CITY
- SUBDIVISION
- MAJOR PARKS
- RIVER OR CREEK
- LAKE OR POND
- RESERVOIR WITH DAM
- WETLANDS
- COUNTY MAINTENANCE HEADQUARTERS

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 Lancaster County Records, Lancaster County Engineering Department
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**SPECIAL PROVISIONS
FOR
TERM CONTRACTS**

**PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
CITY OF LINCOLN/LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA**

1. ESTIMATED QUANTITIES

- 1.1 The quantities set forth in the line items and specification document are approximate and represent the estimated requirements for the contract period.
- 1.2 Items listed may or may not be an inclusive requirements for this category.
- 1.3 Category items not listed, but distributed by bidder are to be referred to as kindred items. Kindred items shall receive the same percentage of discount or pricing structure as items listed in the specification document.
- 1.4 The unit prices and the extended total prices shall be used as a basis for the evaluation of bids. The actual quantity of materials necessary may be more or less than the estimates listed in the specification document, but the City/County shall be neither obligated nor limited to any specified amount. If possible, the Owners will restrict increases/decreases to 20% of the estimated quantities listed in the specification document.

2. CONTRACT PERIOD

- 2.1 The material shall be delivered as ordered during the contract period, beginning from the date of contract execution and ending as indicated in the specifications or in the Attribute Section of the bid.
- 2.2 Bidder must indicate in the Bid, if extension renewals are an option.
- 2.3 By mutual consent of both parties it is understood and agreed that the contract may be renewed at the same prices and/or under the same conditions governing the original contract.

3. BID PRICES

- 3.1 Bidders must state in the Attribute Section if the bid prices will remain firm for the full contract period; or if the bid prices will be subject to escalation/de-escalation.
- 3.2 Escalation/De-escalation Clause: In the event that prevailing market conditions warrant an adjustment in bid prices contained in the contract, the following escalation/de-escalation clause shall be the only clause applicable or acceptable:
 1. Contractor shall give written notice to the Purchasing Agent of any proposed changes from contract prices not less than thirty (30) calendar days prior to the effective date of said price changes.
 2. Such notice must be accompanied by a certified copy of the supplier's advisory or notification to the contractor of price changes.
 3. No price escalation will be authorized in excess of the amount of the increase referred to on the supplier's notice.
 4. Purchasing shall issue a contract Addendum with revised pricing upon receipt and approval. The Addendum will be executed by both parties for the remaining term of the contract.
 5. The approved price change shall be honored for all orders received by the contractor after the effective date of such price change.
 6. Approved price changes are not applicable to orders already issued and in process at time of price change.

7. Purchasing reserves the right to audit and/or examine any pertinent books, documents, papers, records or invoices relating directly to the contract transaction in question after reasonable notice and during normal business hours.
8. The Purchasing Agent retains the right to determine whether or not such proposed price changes are in the best interests of the City/County.
9. If in the opinion of the Purchasing Agent any proposed increase is found unacceptable, the Purchasing Agent reserves the right to cancel the contract upon thirty (30) calendar days written notice.
10. Contractors must tie any price change clause to an industry-wide or otherwise nationally recognized index, or some other form of verifiable document. Contractor will put the Purchasing Agent on the mailing lists for such publication so that the Purchasing Agent can monitor said changes. Such membership will be no cost to the Owners.

4. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION

- 4.1 The Purchasing Division will issue a Contract to all successful bidders. Such contract will incorporate the specifications and all other forms used during the bid process.
- 4.2 Orders for materials will be made as needed by the various Agencies following execution by all parties.
- 4.3 Contractor may be asked to assist the Purchasing Agent with the development of a list of repetitively purchased commodities, to periodically update such list, and to assist in the development of a list of suitable substitutions.
- 4.4 Contractor shall provide technical advice upon request, and assist in the evaluation of new products.
- 4.5 Contractor shall monitor orders to ensure the highest possible fill rate and minimize back-orders.

5. QUARTERLY REPORT

- 5.1 Upon request, the contractor shall provide to the Purchasing Agent a quarterly report, showing all purchases made under the terms and conditions of the contract.
- 5.2 Such quarterly report shall itemize the following information:
 1. Each ordering department.
 2. Items and quantities purchased by department.
 3. Total dollar amount of purchases by department.

SPECIFICATIONS

SNOW REMOVAL - TRUCK MOUNTED SNOWPLOW SERVICES

1. SCOPE

- 1.1 Lancaster County is requesting bids from Contractors to assist in snow removal from County Roads using Truck Mounted Snowplow.
- 1.2 Contractor shall furnish truck(s) with Snowplow and operator(s) for the purpose of plowing snow for the County during the winter season beginning on or about November 15 and ending on or about May 1.
 - 1.2.1 Services may be required outside of these dates and Contractor agrees to provide services as needed.
- 1.3 The County intends to enter into a contract for a one (1) year term with the option to renew for up to three (3) additional one (1) year terms.
 - 1.3.1 If the Contractor agrees to renewal, number and type of trucks will be verified each year at time of renewal.
 - 1.3.2 Pricing must remain firm during the initial contract term.
- 1.4 Bidder shall submit bid documents and all supporting material via e-bid.
 - 1.4.1 Contractor may bid as many trucks that meet the requirements of this specification; however, a new Line Item must be completed for each truck proposed.
- 1.5 Vendor must submit their bid and all attachments via the City/County e-bid system.
 - 1.5.1 To submit a bid, Vendor must be registered with the City of Lincoln/Lancaster County Purchasing Dept.
 - 1.5.2 To register, go to the City of Lincoln website; lincoln.ne.gov
type bid in search box
click on "supplier registration"
follow instructions to completion
- 1.6 All inquiries regarding these specifications shall be directed via e-mail or faxed written request to Sharon Mulder, Asst. Purchasing Agent (smulder@lincoln.ne.gov).
 - 1.6.1 These inquiries and/or responses shall be distributed to prospective bidders electronically as an addenda
 - 1.6.2 The Purchasing Office shall only reply to written inquiries received within five (5) calendar days of bid opening.
 - 1.6.3 No direct contact is allowed between Vendor and other County staff throughout the bid process.
 - 1.6.3.1 Failure to comply with this directive may result in Vendor bid being rejected.
- 1.7 Annual Training is a mandatory requirement for all Truck Mounted Snowplow Service operators.
 - 1.7.1 Operators who fail to attend training class will not be allowed to plow snow until their training is made up.
 - 1.7.1.1 Training shall be monitored by the County.
 - 1.7.2 All contractors awarded shall be notified the details of the training class/es by the County Engineering Department.
- 1.8 Vendor may bid on one (1) line or all lines.
 - 1.8.1 Award(s) will be made per District.

2. CONTRACTOR INSURANCE

- 2.1 The awarded Vendor shall furnish the Owners with a Certificate of Insurance ACORD and associated endorsements in the kinds and minimum amounts as detailed in the attached "Insurance Requirements for all Contracts" at time of award.
- 2.2 All certificates of insurance ACORD and endorsements shall be filed with the Owners showing specific limits of insurance coverage required and ACORD showing City of Lincoln as "Named Additional Insured" as pertains to these services.

- 2.3 **Vendors are strongly encouraged to send the insurance requirements and endorsement information to their Insurance Agent during the bid process in order to ensure contract execution within 5 days of award notice.**

3. MINIMUM TRUCK SPECIFICATION

- 3.1 The Contractor shall furnish truck-mounted reversible snow plows for such purpose that meet or exceed the following specifications:
- 3.1.1 (Truck Power Unit)
- 3.1.1.1 ENGINE: Gasoline or Diesel powered, 350 cubic inch minimum displacement.
 - 3.1.1.2 HORSEPOWER: 150 minimum net.
 - 3.1.1.3 GVWR: 27,500 lbs. minimum.
 - 3.1.1.4 FRONT AXLE: 10,000 lbs. minimum.
 - 3.1.1.5 CAB TO AXLE: 84 inches minimum.
 - 3.1.1.6 FUEL TANK: Not less than 50 U.S. gallons.
 - 3.1.1.7 Truck must be of dump design, capable of transporting sufficient ballast during plowing operations to provide for proper traction and stability without exceeding GVW ratings.
 - 3.1.1.8 LIGHTS: All lights required by FMVSS 108 plus a revolving or strobe type beacon.
- 3.1.2 (SNOWPLOW AND HITCH)
- 3.1.2.1 10 ft. hydraulically reversible snowplow with attaching hitch.
 - 3.1.2.2 LENGTH: 10 ft. straight blade minimum @ 0°.
- 3.1.3 PATH CLEARING
- 3.1.3.1 9' 10" @ 10°.
 - 3.1.3.2 9' 5" @ 20°.
 - 3.1.3.3 8' 8" @ 30°.
 - 3.1.3.4 8' 0" @ 37°.
- 3.1.4 HEIGHT: 39 inches minimum.
- 3.1.5 10 USS gauge minimum.
- 3.1.6 Approximate weight of moldboard 1700 lbs.
(Note: Please state weight of moldboard in the item attribute provided.)
- 3.1.7 Minimum lift height from ground 14 inches.
(Note: Please state lift height from ground in the item the attribute provided.)
- 3.1.8 BLADE: High carbon steel 5/8" x 8" x 10'.
- 3.1.9 HITCH: Must be of sufficient construction and strength to safely carry, lift and push the snowplow.
- 3.1.10 The County reserves the right to inspect all snowplow units bid to insure that they are of sufficient design and construction to safely and efficiently remove snow from County roads.

4. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

- 4.1 Contractor shall be responsible for all fuel, lubricants, repair and maintenance of the truck, plow and hitch.
- 4.2 The Contractor is an independent Contractor, and neither the Contractor nor his/her employees or agents shall be considered for any purpose to be employees of the County.
- 4.2.1 Contractor shall be responsible to provide qualified operator(s) for the truck plows.
 - 4.2.2 Any such operator shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of age, shall hold a valid Nebraska commercial motor vehicle operator's license, and shall be skilled in operation of the Contractor's equipment for snow-plowing purposes.
- 4.3 Contractor shall respond for the purpose of plowing snow from County roads in accordance with the Lancaster County Ice and Snow Control Plan within a maximum of

two (2) hours after being called by the County Engineering or his/her designated representative.

4.3.1 The County will make every attempt to give a 12-hour notice.

4.4 Contractor shall notify the County of any mechanical failure to the truck plow that prevents its use for snow-plowing.

4.4.1 As soon as the mechanical failure is repaired, Contractor shall notify the County that the unit is again available.

4.4.2 No hourly rate of payment shall be made to the Contractor for his/her maintenance and repair during this "downtime" and the hourly rate will not resume until the equipment is back in use in the field.

5. COUNTY RESPONSIBILITIES

5.1 The County will provide to the Contractor assigned district(s) for snow plowing, including maps showing the district boundaries and the roads within the districts.

5.1.1 More than one Contractor may be assigned to districts and they will be expected to work together as a team.

5.2 Upon completion of snow removal within contractors assigned district, contractor shall report to the assigned district shop for reassignment or release by the district supervisor.

5.3 If snow plowing is required for an extended period of time, Contractor must make shift changes at a location in the same area that plowing is being conducted.

5.4 The County has the option of installing a temporary GPS Tracking System in the truck to track the progress of snow removal.

5.4.1 The County will be responsible for the installation and removal of Tracking System.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

PURCHASING DIVISION

E-Bid

1. **BIDDING PROCEDURE**

- 1.1 Sealed bid, (formal and informal), subject to Instructions and General Conditions and any special conditions set forth herein, will be received in the office of the Purchasing Division, 440 So. 8th St., Lincoln, NE 68508, until the bid closing date and time indicated for furnishing Lancaster County, hereinafter referred to as "County", the materials, supplies, equipment or services shown in the electronic bid request.
- 1.2 Bidders shall use the electronic bid system for submitting bids and must complete all required fields. If you do not care to bid, please respond to the bid request and note your reason.
- 1.3 Identify the item you will furnish by brand or manufacturer's name and catalog numbers. Also furnish specifications and descriptive literature if not bidding the specific manufacturer or model as listed in the specifications.
- 1.4 Any person submitting a bid for a firm, corporation, or other organization must show evidence of his authority so to bind such firm, corporation, or organization.
- 1.5 Bids received after the time and date established for receiving bids will be rejected.
- 1.6 The Bidders and public are invited, but not required, to attend the formal opening of bids. At the opening, prices will be displayed electronically and/or read aloud to the public. The pricing is also available for immediate viewing on-line. No decisions related to an award of a contract or purchase order will be made at the opening.

2. **BID SECURITY**

- 2.1 Bid security, as a guarantee of good faith, in the form of a certified check, cashier's check, or Bidder's bond, may be required to be submitted with this bid document, as indicated on the bid.
 - 2.1.1 Bid security, if required, shall be in the amount specified on the bid. The bid security must be scanned and attached to the "Response Attachments" section of your response or it can be faxed to the Purchasing office at 402-441-6513. The original bid security should then be sent or delivered to the office of the Purchasing Division, 440 S. 8th St., Ste. 200, Lincoln, NE 68508 within three (3) days of bid closing.
 - 2.1.2 If bid security is not received in the Purchasing Division as stated above, the vendor may be determined to be non-responsive.
- 2.2 If alternate bids are submitted, only one bid security will be required, provided the bid security is based on the amount of the highest gross bid.
- 2.3 Such bid security will be returned to the unsuccessful Bidders when the award of bid is made.
- 2.4 Bid security will be returned to the successful Bidder(s) as follows:
 - 2.4.1 For single order bids with specified quantities: upon the delivery of all equipment or merchandise, and upon final acceptance by the County.
 - 2.4.2 For all other contracts: upon approval by the County of the executed contract and bonds.
- 2.5 County shall have the right to retain the bid security of Bidders to whom an award is being considered until either:
 - 2.5.1 A contract has been executed and bonds have been furnished.
 - 2.5.2 The specified time has elapsed so that the bids may be withdrawn.
 - 2.5.3 All bids have been rejected.
- 2.6 Bid security will be forfeited to the County as full liquidated damages, but not as a penalty, for any of the following reasons, as pertains to this bidding document:
 - 2.6.1 If the Bidder fails or refuses to enter into a contract on forms provided by the County, and/or if the Bidder fails to provide sufficient bonds or insurance within the time period as established in this bidding document.

3. **BIDDER'S REPRESENTATION**

- 3.1 Each Bidder by electronic signature and submitting a bid, represents that the Bidder has read and understands the bidding documents, the bid attributes, the bid attachments, and the bid has been submitted in accordance therewith.
- 3.2 Each Bidder for services further represents that the Bidder has examined and is familiar with the local conditions under which the work is to be done and has correlated the observations with the requirements of the bid documents.

4. **INDEPENDENT PRICE DETERMINATION**

- 4.1 By submitting this bid, the Bidder certifies that the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently, without consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other Bidder or with any competitor; unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the Bidder prior to bid opening directly or indirectly to any other Bidder or to any competitor; no attempt has been made, or will be made, by the Bidder to induce any person or firm to submit, or not to submit, a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

5. CLARIFICATION OF SPECIFICATION DOCUMENTS

- 5.1 Bidders shall promptly notify the Purchasing Agent or designee of any ambiguity, inconsistency or error which they may discover upon examination of the bidding documents.
- 5.2 Bidders desiring clarification or interpretation of the bidding documents for formal bids shall make a written request which must reach the Purchasing Agent or designee at least five (5) calendar days prior to the date and time for receipt of formal bids.
- 5.3 Changes made to the bidding documents will be issued electronically. All vendors registered for that bid will be notified of the addendum. Subsequent Bidders will only receive the bid with the addendum included.
- 5.4 Oral interpretations or changes to the bidding documents made in any manner other than written form, will not be binding on the County; and Bidders shall not rely upon such interpretations or changes.

6. ADDENDA

- 6.1 Addenda are instruments issued by the County prior to the date for receipt of bids which modify or interpret the bidding document by addition, deletion, clarification or correction.
- 6.2 Addenda notification will be made available to all registered vendors immediately via e-mail for inspection on-line.
- 6.3 No formal bid addendums will be issued later than forty-eight (48) hours prior to the date and time for receipt of formal bids, except an addendum withdrawing the invitation to bid, or an addendum which includes postponement of the bid.

7. ANTI-LOBBYING PROVISION

- 7.1 During the period between the advertised date and the contract award, Bidders, including their agents and representatives, shall not directly discuss or promote their bid with any member of the County Board or County staff except in the course of County-sponsored inquiries, briefings, interviews, or presentations, unless requested by the County.

8. BRAND NAMES

- 8.1 Wherever in the specifications or bid that brand names, manufacturer, trade name, or catalog numbers are specified, it is for the purpose of establishing a grade or quality of material only; and the term "or equal" is deemed to follow.
- 8.2 It is the Bidder's responsibility to identify any alternate items offered in the bid, and prove to the satisfaction of the County that said item is equal to, or better than, the product specified.
- 8.3 Bids for alternate items shall be stated in the appropriate space on the E-Bid form. Bidders MUST attach to its bid documents in the Vendor Attachment Section of the E-Bid, a statement identifying the manufacturer and brand name of each proposed alternate, plus a complete description of the alternate items including illustrations, performance test data and any other information necessary for an evaluation.
- 8.4 The Bidder must indicate any variances and explain by item number from the bidding document no matter how slight.
- 8.5 If variations are not stated in the bid, it will be assumed that the item being bid fully complies with the County's bidding documents.

9. DEMONSTRATIONS/SAMPLES

- 9.1 Bidders shall demonstrate the exact item(s) proposed within seven (7) calendar days from receipt of such request from the County.
- 9.2 Such demonstration can be at the County delivery location or a surrounding community.
- 9.3 If items are small and mailable, and the Bidder is proposing an alternate product, the Bidder shall supply a sample of the exact item. Samples will be returned at Bidder's expense after receipt by the County of acceptable goods. The Bidder must indicate how samples are to be returned.

10. DELIVERY (Non-Construction)

- 10.1 Each Bidder shall state on the bid the date upon which it can make delivery of all equipment or merchandise. Time required for delivery is hereby made an essential element of the bid.
- 10.2 The County reserves the right to cancel orders, or any part thereof, without obligation, if delivery is not made within the time(s) specified on the bid.
- 10.3 All bids shall be based upon **inside** delivery of the equipment or merchandise F.O.B. to the County at the location specified by the County, with all transportation charges paid.
- 10.4 At the time of delivery, a designated Lancaster County employee will sign the invoice/packing slip. The signature will only indicate that the order has been received and the items actually delivered agree with the delivery invoice. This signature does not indicate all items meet specifications, were received in good condition and/or that there is not possible hidden damage or shortages.

11. WARRANTIES, GUARANTEES AND MAINTENANCE

- 11.1 Copies of the following documents, if requested, shall accompany the bid proposal for all items being bid:
 - 11.1.1 Manufacturer's warranties and/or guarantees.
 - 11.1.2 Bidder's maintenance policies and associated costs.
- 11.2 As a minimum requirement of the County, the Bidder will guarantee in writing that any defective components discovered within a one (1) year period after the date of acceptance shall be replaced at no expense to the County. Replacement parts of defective components shall be shipped at no cost to the County. Shipping costs for defective parts required to be returned to the Bidder shall be paid by the Bidder.

12. ACCEPTANCE OF MATERIAL

- 12.1 All components used in the manufacture or construction of materials, supplies and equipment, and all finished materials, shall be new, the latest make/model, of the best quality, and the highest grade workmanship.
- 12.2 Material delivered under this bid shall remain the property of the Bidder until:
 - 12.2.1 A physical inspection and actual usage of the material is made and found to be acceptable to the County; and
 - 12.2.2 Material is determined to be in full compliance with the bidding documents and accepted bid.
- 12.3 In the event the delivered material is found to be defective or does not conform to the bidding documents and accepted bid, the County reserves the right to cancel the order upon written notice to the Bidder and return materials to the Bidder at Bidder's expense.
- 12.4 Awarded Bidder shall be required to furnish title to the material, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, issued in the name of the Lancaster County, Nebraska, as required by the bidding documents or purchase orders.
- 12.5 Awarded Bidder's advertising decals, stickers or other signs shall not be affixed to equipment. Vehicle mud flaps shall be installed blank side out with no advertisements. Manufacturer's standard production forgings, stampings, nameplates and logos are acceptable.

13. BID EVALUATION AND AWARD

- 13.1 The electronic signature shall be considered an offer on the part of the Bidder. Such offer shall be deemed accepted upon issuance by the County of purchase orders, contract award notifications, or other contract documents appropriate to the work.
- 13.2 No bid shall be modified or withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) calendar days after the time and date established for receiving bids, and each Bidder so agrees in submitting the bid.
- 13.3 In case of a discrepancy between the unit prices and their extensions, the unit prices shall govern.
- 13.4 The bid will be awarded to the lowest responsive, responsible Bidder whose bid will be most advantageous to the County, and as the County deems will best serve the requirements and interests of the County.
- 13.5 The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids; to request rebids; to award bids item-by-item, with or without alternates, by groups, or "lump sum"; to waive irregularities and technicalities in bids; such as shall best serve the requirements and interests of the County.
- 13.6 In order to determine if the Bidder has the experience, qualification, resources and necessary attributes to provide the quality workmanship, materials and management required by the plans and specifications, the Bidder may be required to complete and submit additional information as deemed necessary by the County. Failure to provide the information requested to make this determination may be grounds for a declaration of non-responsive with respect to the Bidder.
- 13.7 The County reserves the right to reject irregular bids that contain unauthorized additions, conditions, alternate bids, or irregularities that make the bid incomplete, indefinite or ambiguous.
- 13.8 Any governmental agency may piggyback on any contract entered into from this bid.

14. INDEMNIFICATION

- 14.1 The Bidder shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent allowed by law, the County, its agents, officers, employees and representatives from and against all claims, demands, suits, actions, payments, liability, judgements and expenses (including court-ordered attorney's fees), arising out of or resulting from the performance of the contract that results in bodily injury, sickness, disease, death, civil rights liability, or injury to or destruction of tangible property, including the loss of use resulting therefrom, and that are caused in whole or in part by the Bidder, its employees, agents, any subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable. This section will not require the Bidder to indemnify or hold harmless the County for any losses, claims, damages and expenses arising out of or resulting from the sole negligence of the County, its agents, employees, or representatives.
- 14.2 In any and all claims against the County or any of its members, officers or employees by an employee of the Bidder, any subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or by anyone for whose acts made by any of them may be liable, the indemnification obligation under paragraph 14.1 shall not be limited in any way by any limitation of the amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for the Bidder or any subcontractor under worker's compensation acts, disability benefit acts or other employee benefit acts.

15. TERMS OF PAYMENT

- 15.1 Unless stated otherwise, the County will begin processing payment within thirty (30) calendar days after all labor has been performed and all equipment or other merchandise has been delivered, and all such labor and equipment and other materials have met all contract specifications.

16. LAWS

- 16.1 The laws of the State of Nebraska shall govern the rights, obligations, and remedies of the parties under this bid and any contract reached as a result of this process.
- 16.2 Bidder agrees to abide by all applicable local, state and federal laws and regulations concerning the handling and disclosure of private and confidential information concerning individuals and corporations as to inventions, copyrights, patents and patent rights.
- 16.3 The Bidder agrees to hold the County harmless from any claims resulting from the Bidder's unlawful disclosure or use of private or confidential information.

17. EQUIPMENT TAX ASSESSMENT

- 17.1 Any bid for public improvement shall comply with Nebraska Revised Statutes 77-1323 and 77-1324. Indicating; every person, partnership, limited liability company, association or corporation furnishing labor or material in the repair, alteration, improvement, erection, or construction of any public improvement shall sign a certified statement which will accompany the contract. The certified statement shall state, stating that all equipment to be used on the project, except that acquired since the assessment date, has been assessed for taxation for the current year, giving the county where assessed.

18. AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

- 18.1 Each Bidder agrees that it will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, disability, age, or marital status.
- 18.2 The successful Bidder will be required to comply with the provisions of the County's Affirmative Action Policy.
- 18.3 The Equal Opportunity Officer will determine compliance or non-compliance with the County's Affirmative Action Policy upon a complete and substantial review of successful Bidder's equal opportunity policies, procedures and practices.
- 18.4 The County provides equal opportunity for all Bidders and encourages minority businesses, women's businesses and locally owned business enterprises to participate in our bidding process.

19. INSURANCE

- 19.1 All Bidders shall take special notice of the insurance provisions required for all County contracts (see *Insurance Clause for All County Contracts*).

20. EXECUTION OF CONTRACT

- 20.1 Depending on the type of service provided, one of the following methods will be employed. The method applicable to this contract will be checked below:
 - a. **PURCHASE ORDER**, unless otherwise noted.
 - 1. This contract shall consist of a Lancaster County Purchase Order.
 - 2. A copy of the Bidder's bid response (or referenced bid number) attached and that the same, in all particulars, becomes the contract between the parties hereto: that both parties thereby accept and agree to the terms and conditions of said bid documents.
 - b. **CONTRACT**, unless otherwise noted.
 - 1. County will furnish of the Contract to the successful Bidder who shall prepare attachments as required. Insurance as evidenced by a Certificate of Insurance (as required), surety bonds properly executed (as required), and Contract signed and dated.
 - 2. The prepared documents shall be returned to the Purchasing Office within 10 days (unless otherwise noted).
 - 3. The County will sign and date the Contract and submit the Contract to the County Board of Commissioners for approval and signature.
 - 4. Upon approval and signature, the County will return one copy to the successful Bidder.

21. TAXES AND TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE

- 21.1 The County is generally exempt from any taxes imposed by the State or Federal Government. A Tax Exemption Certificate will be provided as applicable.

22. E-VERIFY

- 22.1 In accordance with Neb. Rev. Stat. 4-108 through 4-114, the contractor agrees to register with and use a federal immigration verification system, to determine the work eligibility status of new employees performing services within the state of Nebraska. A federal immigration verification system means the electronic verification of the work authorization program of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, 8 U.S.C. 1324 a, otherwise known as the E-Verify Program, or an equivalent federal program designated by the United States Department of Homeland Security or other federal agency authorized to verify the work eligibility status of a newly hired employee pursuant to the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. The Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment to be employed in the performance of this section pursuant to the requirements of state law and 8 U.S.C.A 1324b. The contractor shall require any subcontractor to comply with the provisions of this section. For information on the E-Verify Program, go to www.uscis.gov/everify.

INSURANCE CLAUSE FOR ALL CITY OF LINCOLN, LANCASTER COUNTY AND PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION CONTRACTS

Insurance coverage on this Contract will be required for the entities selected below

City of Lincoln Lancaster County Public Building Commission

Vendors must provide coverage & documents related to the items with a check mark in Sections 1 – 1.9.

This includes proof of coverage and waivers as required below.

All Vendors must comply with Sections 2-8.

THE REQUIREMENTS HEREIN APPLY TO CONTRACTS TO BE ISSUED BY THE CITY OF LINCOLN, LANCASTER COUNTY, AND THE LINCOLN-LANCASTER COUNTY PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION. FOR PURPOSES OF CERTIFICATES, ENDORSEMENTS AND OTHER PROOF REQUIRED HEREIN, ONLY INCLUDE THE ENTITY ISSUING THE CONTRACT.

FAILURE OF THE APPROPRIATE ENTITY (CITY, COUNTY, OR PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION) TO OBJECT TO THE FORM OF THE CERTIFICATE OR ENDORSEMENT OR TO DEMAND SUCH PROOF AS IS REQUIRED HEREIN SHALL NOT CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF ANY OF THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH BELOW.

Insurance; Coverage Information

The Contractor shall, prior to beginning work, provide proof of insurance coverage in a form satisfactory to the City/County/PBC, which shall not withhold approval unreasonably. The coverages and minimum levels required by this Contract are set forth below and shall be in effect for all times that work is being done pursuant to this Contract. No work on the Project or pursuant to this Contract shall begin until all insurance obligations herein are met to the satisfaction of the City/County/PBC, which shall not unreasonably withhold approval. Self-insurance shall not be permitted unless consent is given by the City/County/PBC prior to execution of the Contract and may require submission of financial information for analysis. Deductible levels shall be provided in writing from the Contractor's insurer and will be no more than \$25,000 per occurrence or as may be approved by the City or County as appropriate. Said insurance shall be written on an **OCCURRENCE** basis, and shall be **PRIMARY, with any insurance coverage maintained by the City/County/PBC being secondary or excess.**

Certificates

The Contractor shall provide certificates of insurance and such other proof, such as endorsements, as may be acceptable to the City or County (as appropriate) evidencing compliance with these requirements. The Contractor shall provide a Certificate of Insurance demonstrating the coverage required herein and the necessary endorsements or other proof and waivers described herein and below before being permitted to begin the work or project pursuant to this Contract.

1. Commercial General Liability

The Contractor shall provide proof of Commercial General Liability Insurance with a minimum limit of not less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate. These minimum limits can be met by primary and umbrella liability policies. Coverage shall include: Premises-Operations, Products/ Completed Operations, Contractual, Broad Form Property Damage, and Personal Injury. Such coverage shall be endorsed for the general aggregate to be on a **PER PROJECT** basis, and the Contractor shall provide an additional insured endorsement acceptable to the City/County/PBC. The required insurance must include coverage for all projects and operations of Contractor or similar language that meets the approval of the City/County/PBC, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld.

1.1 Additional Insured (Requires an Endorsement Form)

All Contractors shall provide an Additional Insured Endorsement form or other proof showing the City/County/PBC as additional insured for commercial general liability, auto liability and such other coverages as may be required by the City/County/PBC. The form or other proof shall be as is acceptable to the City/County Attorney.

1.2 Automobile Liability

The Contractor shall provide proof of Automobile Liability coverage, which shall include: Owned, Hired and Non-Owned. Bodily Injury and Property Damage Combined Single Limit shall be at least \$1,000,000 Per Accident.

1.3 Garage Keepers / Garage Liability

The Contractor shall provide garage insurance, if required. Coverage shall include Garage Liability and Garage Keepers on a Direct Primary Basis, including Auto Physical Damage, with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 each accident Bodily Injury and Property Damage combined liability and Actual Cash Value auto physical damage. Coverage symbol(s) 30 and 21 shall be provided, where applicable.

1.4 Workers' Compensation; Employers' Liability

The Contractor shall provide proof of workers' compensation insurance of not less than minimum statutory requirements under the laws of the State of Nebraska and any other applicable State. Employers' Liability coverage with limits of not less than \$500,000 each accident or injury shall be included. The Contractor shall provide the City/County/PBC with an endorsement for waiver of subrogation or other proof of such waiver as may be acceptable to the City or County. The Contractor shall also be responsible for ensuring that all subcontractors have workers' compensation insurance for their employees before and during the time any work is done pursuant to this Contract.

1.5 Builder's Risk Insurance

The Contractor shall purchase and maintain builder's risk property insurance for all sites upon which construction is occurring as provided by Contract and all storage sites where equipment, materials, and supplies of any kind purchased pursuant to the Contract are being held or stored unless the Contractor receives notice that the City/County/PBC has obtained a builder's risk policy for itself. Except to the extent recoverable by Contractor from another subcontractor, deductibles shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. This coverage is required whenever the work under contract involves construction or repair of a building structure or bridge.

1.5.1 Waiver of Builder's Risk Insurance Carrier's Subrogation Rights

The Contractor and its subcontractor(s) waive all rights of action and subrogation that the insurance company providing the builder's risk policy may have against each of them and/or the City/County/PBC, Architect, and the officers, agents and employees of any of them, for all claims, damages, injuries and losses, to the extent covered by such property insurance. Such waiver of subrogation shall be effective for such persons even though such persons would otherwise have a duty of indemnification or contribution, contractual or otherwise, and even though such persons did not pay the insurance premium directly or indirectly, and whether or not such persons had an insurable interest in any property damaged. The Contractor or subcontractor shall provide proof of such waiver.

1.6 Pollution Liability

Contractors shall provide proof of pollution liability insurance arising out of all operations of the Contractors and subcontractors, due to discharge, dispersal, release, or escape of contaminants or pollutants into or upon land, the atmosphere or any watercourse or body of water with bodily injury and property damage limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate for:

- 1) Bodily injury, sickness, disease, mental anguish or shock sustained by any person, including death;
- 2) Property damage including physical injury to or destruction of tangible property including the resulting loss of use thereof, clean-up costs, and the loss of use of tangible property that has not been physically injured or destroyed;
- 3) Defense including loss adjustment costs, charges and expenses incurred in the investigation, adjustment or defense of claims for such compensatory damages;
- 4) Definition of pollution conditions shall include asbestos, lead, and mold so that these risks are covered if caused by Contractor/successful candidate's work or operations.
- 5) Coverage is required on an occurrence form.

1.7 Errors and Omissions; Professional Liability

Errors and Omissions or Professional Liability insurance, as may be required, covering damages arising out of negligent acts, errors, or omissions committed by Contractor in the performance of this Contract, with a liability limit of not less than \$1,000,000 each claim. Contractor shall maintain this policy for a minimum of two (2) years after completion of the work or shall arrange for a two year extended discovery (tail) provision if the policy is not renewed. The intent of this policy is to provide coverage for claims arising out of the performance of professional Services under this contract and caused by any error, omission, breach or negligent act, including infringement of intellectual property (except patent and trade secret) of the Contractor. This coverage is required whenever the Contractor or service provider is required to be certified, licensed or registered by a regulatory entity and/or where the provider's judgment in planning and design could result in economic loss to City/County/PBC.

1.8 Railroad Contractual Liability Insurance

If work is to be performed within 50 feet of any railroad property and affecting any railroad bridge or trestle, tracks, road beds, tunnel, underpass or railroad crossing, the Contractor must provide proof acceptable to the City or County that any exception for such work in the Contractor's commercial general liability policy has been removed or deleted.

1.8.1 Railroad Protective Liability

If work is to be performed within 50 feet of any railroad property and affecting any railroad bridge or trestle, tracks, road beds, tunnel, underpass or crossing or otherwise required by the Special Provisions or applicable requirements of an affected railroad, the Contractor shall provide Railroad Protective Liability Insurance naming the affected railroad/s as insured with minimum limits for bodily injury and property damage of \$2,000,000 per occurrence, \$6,000,000 aggregate, or such other limits as required in the Special Provisions or by the affected railroad. The original of the policy shall be furnished to the railroad and a certified copy of the same furnished to the City/County/PBC Purchasing Department prior to any related construction or entry upon railroad premises by the Contractor or for work related to the Contract.

1.9 Cyber Insurance

The Contractor shall maintain network risk and cyber liability coverage (including coverage for unauthorized access, failure of security, breach of privacy perils, as well as notification costs and regulatory defense) in an amount of not less than \$1,000,000. Such insurance shall be maintained in force at all times during the term of the Contract and for a period of two years thereafter for services completed during the term of the Contract.

2. **Cancellation Notice**

All Contractors shall include an endorsement to provide for at least thirty (30) days' firm written notice in the event of cancellation during the term of the Contract and during the period of any required continuing coverages. The Contractor shall provide, prior to expiration of the policies, certificates and endorsement forms evidencing renewal insurance coverages. The parties agree that the failure of City/County/PBC to object to the form of a certificate and/or additional insured endorsement or endorsement forms provided shall not constitute a waiver of this requirement.

3. **Risk of Loss**

Except to the extent covered by the builder's risk insurance, the Contractor shall have the sole responsibility for the proper storage and protection of, and assumes all risk of loss of, any subcontractor's Work and tools, materials, equipment, supplies, facilities, offices and other property at or off the Project site. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for ensuring each subcontractor shall take every reasonable precaution in the protection of all structures, streets, sidewalks, materials and work of other subcontractors. Contractor shall protect its Work from damage by the elements or by other trades working in the area.

4. **Umbrella or Excess Liability**

The Contractor may use an Umbrella, Excess Liability, or similar coverage to supplement the primary insurance stated above in order to meet or exceed the minimum coverage levels required by this Contract.

5. **Minimum Scope of Insurance**

All Liability Insurance policies shall be written on an "Occurrence" basis only. All insurance coverage are to be placed with insurers authorized to do business in the State of Nebraska and must be placed with an insurer that has an A.M. Best's Rating of no less than A:VII unless specific approval has been granted otherwise.

6. **Indemnification**

To the fullest extent permitted by law the Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Owner, its elected officials, officers, employees, agents, consultants, and employees of any of them from and against claims, damages, losses and expenses, including but not limited to attorney fees, arising out of or resulting from performance of the Work, provided that such claim, damage, loss or expense is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible or intangible property, including the Work itself, but only to the extent caused by the negligent, wrongful, or intentional acts or omissions of the Contractor, a subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them or anyone for whose acts they may be liable, regardless of whether or not such claim, damage, loss

or expense is caused in part by the negligence of a party indemnified hereunder. In the event the claim, damage, loss or expense is caused in part by the negligence of a party indemnified hereunder, the indemnification by the Contractor shall be prorated based on the extent of the liability of the party indemnified hereunder. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge, or reduce obligations of indemnity which would otherwise exist as to a party or person described in this Section. Nothing herein shall be construed to be a waiver of sovereign immunity by the Owner.

7. **Reservation of Rights**

The City/County/PBC reserves the right to require a higher limit of insurance or additional coverages when the City/County/PBC determines that a higher limit or additional coverage is required to protect the City/County/PBC or the interests of the public. Such changes in limits or coverages shall be eligible for a change order or amendment to the Contract.

8. **Sovereign Immunity**

Nothing contained in this clause or other clauses of this Contract shall be construed to waive the Sovereign Immunity of the City/County/PBC.

9. **Further Contact**

For further information or questions concerning coverage or acceptable forms, Contractors may contact the Purchasing Division or the department that issued the bid or the request for proposal.

For general questions regarding Insurance Requirements, please contact Risk Management for the City or County.

Advertise 2 times
Wednesday, January 16, 2019
Wednesday, January 23, 2019

City of Lincoln/Lancaster County
Purchasing Division
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Purchasing Agent of the City of Lincoln/Lancaster County, Nebraska BY ELECTRONIC BID PROCESS until: **12:00 pm, Wednesday, January 30, 2019** for providing the following:

County Snow Removal – Truck Mounted Plow Services
Bid No. 19-032

Bidders must be registered on the City/County's E-Bid site in order to respond to the above Bid. To register go to: lincoln.ne.gov (type: e-bid - in search box, then click "Supplier Registration").

Questions concerning this bid process may be directed to City/County Purchasing at (402) 441-8103 or purchasing@lincoln.ne.gov.