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## Agriculture and Markets

ANDREW M. CUOMO  
Governor

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Commissioner

FN 20 18-315

**READ & FILED**

Mikale Billard, Clerk  
Oneida County Board of Legislators  
County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

Dear Mr. Billard:

In accordance with Section 303-b of the Agriculture and Markets Law, the Oneida County Board of Legislators submitted to me, by Resolution No. 152 of 2018, a report and plan to modify Oneida County Agricultural Districts No. 2, No. 3, No. 4, No. 5, No. 6 and No. 7 by including predominantly viable agricultural land into the Districts.

Following review of the plan and its related documents, I hereby certify that the inclusion of predominantly viable agricultural land, as proposed, is feasible and shall serve the public interest by assisting in maintaining a viable agricultural industry within the Districts.

Signed and sealed at the Town of Colonie,  
County of Albany, New York,  
This 26th day of July, 2018.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Ball  
Commissioner

cc: Advisory Council on Agriculture  
Susan Hoskins, IRIS  
Brymer Humphreys, Chair, Oneida County AFPB  
Guy Sassaman, Oneida County Dept. of Planning  
Marty Broccoli, CCE of Oneida County



**PETITION BY ONEIDA COUNTY, N. Y., BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**  
for  
**MEMORIALIZING PETITION**

**A MEMORIALIZING PETITION RESOLVING TO BUILD AN INCLUSIVE COUNTY**

SPONSORS: BROWN

FN 20

18-316  
**READ & FILED**

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**WHEREAS**, Oneida County boasts a rich and diverse population with a long tradition of tolerance; and

**WHEREAS**, the overwhelming majority of the people in our county are kind and find wealth in the cultural variation the county brings; and

**WHEREAS**, recent news stories of racially insensitive symbols and materials are not reflective of this county, its character or its history; and

**WHEREAS**, while such views seek to divide us, they cannot be ignored and must be roundly and forcefully condemned; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators is a diverse body that takes pride in reflecting the needs and views of a welcoming citizenry,

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, The Oneida County Board of Legislators roundly condemns all bigotry and is resolute in its determination to push back against it. We will continue to serve and attract citizens of all races, creeds, genders, sexual orientation and religions. Through their collective contributions we will build a great place to live.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Petition shall be forwarded by mail or email to the following: New York State Governor Andrew Cuomo, New York State Senator Joseph A. Griffo, New York State Assembly Representative Anthony Brindisi, New York State Assembly Representative Brian Miller, County Executive Anthony Picente, Jr., and all others deemed necessary and proper.

Legislators Supporting Petition

Legislators Opposing Petition

Chad Dukes	
Philip M. Sacco	
Michael B...	
Richard Long	
Joseph F...	
Joseph M. Conventino	
William ...	
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The enclosed petition represents the opinion of those members of the Oneida County Board of Legislators signing the same regarding the contents or subject matter of the petition. Under the Rules of the Board, a Legislator may sign said petition or may, in the alternative, elect not to sign the petition. There are 23 members of the Oneida County Board of Legislators.

Date \_\_\_\_\_



ONEIDA COUNTY  
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
County Executive  
ce@ocgov.net

August 29, 2018

FN 20 18-317

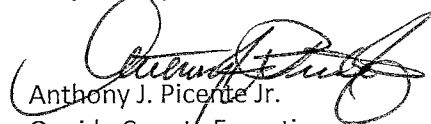
Board of Legislators  
Oneida County  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, NY 13501

**READ & FILED**

Dear Honorable Members,

In accordance with the terms of the Oneida County Charter, I wish to appear before you on Friday October 5, 2018 at 10:00 am to present the proposed Oneida County Operating Budget and Capital Project Plan for the year 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive



Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive



David Tomidy  
Director



**Oneida County Probation Department**  
321 Main Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Utica, New York 13501

Utica ~ Phone: (315) 798-5914 Fax: (315) 624-3684  
Rome ~ Juvenile: (315) 356-2900 Adult: (315) 356-2900  
E-mail: [probation@ocgov.net](mailto:probation@ocgov.net) · Web Site: [www.ocgov.net](http://www.ocgov.net)

Deputy Director  
Patrick Cady

Supervisors  
Holly Bolton  
Thomas Brognano  
Mark Joseph  
Holly Matthews  
John Sharrino

August 22, 2018

Mr. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue – 9<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 18-318

PUBLIC SAFETY

WAYS & MEANS

Re: JAG Grant

Dear Mr. Picente:

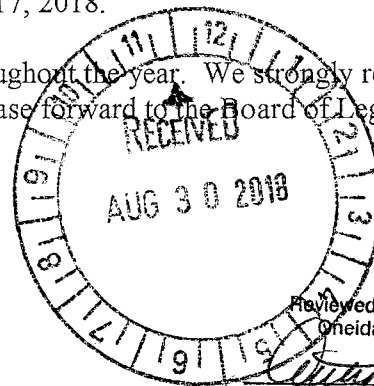
Attached is an Agreement proposed by the City of Utica to provide the Probation Department with part of the Utica Police Department's yearly Federal JAG Grant. This Agreement includes reimbursement for salaries and fringe benefits for our probation officers working overtime in participation in the Utica Police Department/Probation Juvenile Ride-Along Program.

For several years we have collaboratively participated in the Ride-Along Program supported by funds from this grant. Under this Program, Utica Police Department officers and Probation officers visit youth sentenced to Domicile Restriction as an alternative to costly and disruptive detention. By conducting home visits in the evening, we are able to meet with parents and significant others. This Program is an integral strategy of our Juvenile Alternative to Detention and Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Plan. Proposed dates of operation are from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019. This grant was not approved for UPD until June 28, 2018 and we did not get the proposed agreement until July 17, 2018.

Funds in the amount of \$5,775.00 are spread throughout the year. We strongly recommend your approval of this cost effective agreement. If you approve, please forward to the Board of Legislators for their consideration.

Very truly yours,

DAVID TOMIDY  
PROBATION DIRECTOR



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-29-18

DT:kas  
Attachments

Oneida Co. Department: Probation

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS  
CONTRACT SUMMARY

**Name & Address of Vendor:** City of Utica  
1 Kennedy Plaza  
Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Utica Police Ride-Along Project

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** 250 Juvenile Offenders

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Utica Police Department officers and County Probation officers ride together to visit and monitor juveniles enrolled in the Domicile Restriction Program as an alternative to detention.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** To ensure compliance with Court Orders and monitor Public Safety.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** Domicile Staff performing overtime function.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$5,775.00

**Account # A2379 (Revenue)**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$5,775.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** NYS JAG Grant Funds awarded to the City of Utica and shared with our Probation Department

**Cost Per Client Served:** 0

**Past Performance Data:** 95% completion of juveniles placed on Domicile Restriction.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** This is a highly successful and cost effective way to keep juveniles in their homes as opposed to detention. We strongly support this agreement.

**CONTRACT NO. 2017-H2288-NY-DJ**  
**Award #2017-DJ-BX-0655**

**INTERMUNICIPAL AGREEMENT**

**2017 BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) PROGRAM AWARD**

This Agreement is made and entered into on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018, by and between the CITY OF UTICA (the "CITY"), located at 1 Kennedy Plaza, Utica, New York, 13502, through the UTICA POLICE DEPARTMENT, located at 413 Oriskany Street West, Utica, NY 13501, and the COUNTY OF ONEIDA (the "COUNTY"), located at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501, through its PROBATION DEPARTMENT, located at 321 Main Street, Utica, NY 13501 (each individually referred to as a "Party" and collectively referred to as the "Parties").

**WHEREAS**, the CITY received an award for the BJA FY17 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant ("JAG Funds") in the amount of \$29,967.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parties believe it to be in the best interests of both to reallocate a portion of the JAG Funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the CITY agrees to provide the COUNTY \$5,775.00 from the FY17 JAG Funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parties find that the performance of this Agreement is in the best interests of both Parties, that the undertaking will benefit the public, and that the division of costs fairly compensates the COUNTY for its services under this Agreement;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the COUNTY and CITY agree as follows:

1. CITY agrees to provide COUNTY with a total of five thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$ 5,775.00) of JAG Funds.
2. COUNTY agrees to use the JAG Funds from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 to assist the COUNTY in their juvenile domicile restriction program, an alternative to detention. The PROBATION DEPARTMENT, in conjunction with the UTICA POLICE DEPARTMENT, shall visit juveniles on domicile restriction after hours. Home visits and drive-bys will be conducted in UTICA POLICE DEPARTMENT cars with both UTICA POLICE DEPARTMENT Officers and PROBATION DEPARTMENT Officers. The COUNTY will use the JAG Funds towards staff overtime expenses incurred by COUNTY.
3. Nothing in the performance of this Agreement shall impose any liability for claims against COUNTY other than claims for which liability may be imposed by the Federal Tort Claims Act, (FTCA) 28 USC §1346(b).
4. Nothing in the performance of this Agreement shall impose any liability for claims against CITY other than claims for which liability may be imposed by the Federal Tort



Claims Act, (FTCA) 28 USC §1346(b).

5. Each Party to this Agreement will be responsible for its own actions in providing services under this Agreement and shall not be liable for any civil liability that may arise from the furnishing of services by the other Party.

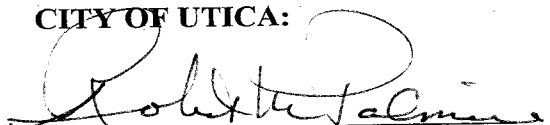
6. By entering into this Agreement, the Parties do not intend to create any obligations, express or implied, other than those set out herein. Further, this Agreement shall not create any rights in any party not a signatory hereto.

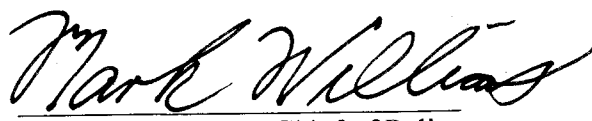
7. The CITY and the COUNTY are independent contractors, and the employees of each shall not be considered to be an employee of the other for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Parties agree that in accordance with their status as independent contractors, the employees of each shall not hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, officers or employees of the other and will not make any claim, demand, or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to such Party. Both Parties agree to comply with all Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

8. The terms of this Agreement constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the Parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No wavier, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the Parties sought to be bound.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the Parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized representatives as of the date first written above.


**CITY OF UTICA:**

  
Robert Palmieri, Mayor

  
Mark W. Williams, Chief of Police

**COUNTY OF ONEIDA:**

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

  
David Tomidy, Probation Director

**APPROVED:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Alison Stanulevich, Assistant County Attorney



ONEIDA COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES  
FIRE COORDINATOR  
911 CENTER

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
County Executive

KEVIN W. REVERE  
Director

120 Base Road ♦ Oriskany, New York 13424  
Phone: (315) 765-2526 ♦ Fax: (315) 765-2529

September 4, 2018

Hon. Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

2018-319  
PUBLIC SAFETY  
WAYS & MEANS

Dear County Executive Picente,

Attached is a letter and a grant from the New York State Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Services awarding Oneida County \$64,000.00 through its FY2017 Haz Mat Grant Program. This funding will be used to upgrade Haz Mat response equipment.

No County dollars will be necessary for this project.

I, therefore, request your approval and the Board's approval for the following:

- A.) Establishment of Capital Project H- 586 – Emergency Services –DHS FY 2017 HAZMAT Grant, and
- B.) Funding for Capital Project H – 586 as follows:

H-586 – State Aid.....\$64,000.00, and

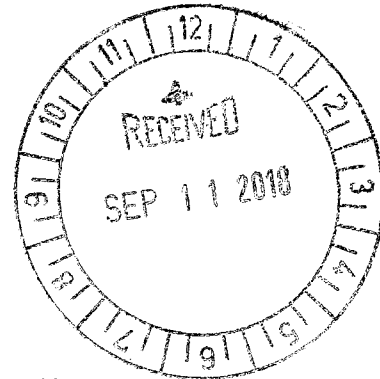
- C.) Approval of the attached grant.

If you have any questions, please advise me. Thanks for your help.

Sincerely,

Kevin W. Revere  
Director

Cc: Tom Keeler, Budget Director  
Sheryl Brown, Office of the Comptroller



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislator by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 9-10-18

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Oneida Co. Department: Emergency Services

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Grant

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** New York State Division of Homeland Security and  
Emergency Services  
1220 Washington Avenue  
Building 7A, Suite 710  
Albany, NY 12242

**Title of Activity or Service:** 2017 Haz Mat Grant

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** 8/1/18 – 8/31/2020

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County Residents

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:**

Funding is to upgrade Haz-Mat response equipment. This funding will cover upgrades to decontamination equipment and related items, portable generator and related items, personal protective equipment, and detection equipment, as well as maintenance and calibration of hazmat equipment.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

Upgrade Haz-Mat equipment and related items with grant funding.

**3) Program Design and Staffing:** N/A

**Total Funding Requested:** \$64,000.00

**Account #**H-586

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$64,000.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State Grant Funds

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

<p><b>STATE AGENCY</b>                  New York State Division of Homeland Security and                  Emergency Services                  1220 Washington Avenue                  Building 7A Suite 710                  Albany, NY 12242</p>	<p><b>NYS COMPTROLLER'S NUMBER:</b> C835079                  (Contract Number)</p> <p><b>ORIGINATING AGENCY CODE:</b> 01077</p>
<p><b>GRANTEE/CONTRACTOR:</b> (Name &amp; Address)                  Oneida County                  800 Park Avenue                  Utica, NY 13501</p>	<p><b>TYPE OF PROGRAMS:</b> WM2017 SHSP  <b>CFDA NUMBER:</b> 97.067  <b>DHSES NUMBERS:</b> WM17835079</p>
<p><b>FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NO:</b> 15-6000460  <b>MUNICIPALITY NO:</b> (if applicable) 300100000 000  <b>SFS VENDER NO:</b> 1000002595  <b>DUN &amp; BRADSTREET NO:</b> 075814186</p>	<p><b>INITIAL CONTRACT PERIOD:</b>                  FROM 08/01/2018 TO 08/31/2020  <b>FUNDING AMOUNT FOR INITIAL PERIOD:</b> \$64,000.00</p>
<p><b>STATUS:</b>                  Contractor is not a sectarian entry.                  Contractor is not a not-for-profit organization.</p>	<p><b>MULTI-YEAR TERM:</b> (if applicable)</p>
<p><b>CHARITIES REGISTRATION NUMBER:</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 20px; margin: 5px 0;"></div> <p>(Enter number of Exempt)                  if "Exempt" is entered above, reason for exemption.                  0 - not exempt</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Contractor has _____ has not _____ timely                  filed with the Attorney General's Charities                  Bureau all required periodic or annual written                  reports.</p> </div>	<p><b>APPENDIX ATTACHED AND PART OF THIS AGREEMENT</b></p> <p>___ APPENDIX A Standard Clauses required by the Attorney General for all State contracts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A1 Agency-specific Clauses</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX B Budget</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX C Payment and Reporting Schedule</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX D Program Workplan and Special Conditions</p> <p>___ APPENDIX X Modification Agreement Form (to accompany modified appendices                  for changes in terms or considerations on an existing period or for renewal periods)</p> <p>___ DHSES-55 Budget Amendment/Grant Extension Request</p> <p>___ Other - Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility                  and Voluntary Exclusion</p>
<p>IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have electronically executed or approved this AGREEMENT on the dates of their signatures.</p>	
<p>NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services                  BY: _____, Date: _____</p> <p><b>State Agency Certification:</b> "In addition to the acceptance of this contract, I also certify that original copies of this signature page will be attached to                  all other exact copies of this contract".</p> <p><b>GRANTEE:</b>                  BY: Hon. Anthony J. Picente jr., County Executive Date: _____</p>	
<p><b>ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE</b></p> <p>_____</p> <p>Title: _____</p> <p>Date: _____</p>	<p><b>COMPTROLLER'S SIGNATURE</b></p> <p>_____</p> <p>Title: _____</p> <p>Date: _____</p>

**Award Contract**

**SHSP**

**Project No.**

**Grantee Name**

09/04/2018

HM17-1016-D00

Oneida County

**Award Contract**

**SHSP**

**Project No.**

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Oneida County

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HM17-1016-D00

**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

09/04/2018

NEW YORK STATE  
DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES  
GRANT CONTRACT

## APPENDIX A-1

The Contract is hereby made by and between the State of New York, acting by and through the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES or State Agency) and the public or private entity ('Contractor' or 'Subrecipient') identified on the face page hereof (Face Page).

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the State has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services, design or the execution and performance of construction projects, as applicable and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services or work, as applicable; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor is ready, willing and able to provide such program services or the execution and performance of construction projects and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services or work, as applicable, required pursuant to the terms of the Contract;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities, and covenants herein, the State and the Contractor agree as follows:

## STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## I. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. Executory Clause: In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under the Contract to the Contractor, or to anyone else, beyond funds appropriated and available for the Contract.

B. Required Approvals: In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if the Contract is with the State University of New York (SUNY) or City University of New York (CUNY), Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if the Contract exceeds \$50,000 (or \$85,000 for contracts let by the Office of General Services, or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) for certain SUNY and CUNY contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount including, but not limited to, changes in amount, consideration, scope or contract term identified on the Face Page (Contract Term), it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the New York Attorney General Contract Approval Unit (AG) and OSC. If, by the Contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the AG and OSC.

Budget Changes: An amendment that would result in a transfer of funds among program activities or budget categories that does not affect the amount, consideration, scope or other terms of such contract may be subject to the approval of the Offices of the State Comptroller and Attorney General where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of less than five million dollars, or five percent for contracts of more than five million dollars; and, in addition, such amendment may be subject to prior approval by the applicable State Agency as detailed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

C. Contract Parts: This Contract incorporates the face pages attached, this Appendix and all of the marked Appendices identified on the face page hereof.

D. Order of Precedence: In the event of a conflict among (i) the terms of the Contract (including any and all Appendices and amendments) or (ii) between the terms of the Contract and the original request for proposal, the program application or other Appendix that was completed and executed by the Contractor in connection with the Contract, the order of precedence is as follows:

1. Appendix A-1<sup>1</sup>

2. Modifications to the Face Page

3. Modifications to Appendices B, C and D

4. The Face Page

5. Appendices B, C and D

6. Other attachments, including, but not limited to, the request for proposal or program application

E. Governing Law: This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

F. Funding: Funding for the entire Contract Period shall not exceed the funding amount specified as 'Funding Amount for the Initial Period' on the Face Page hereof or as subsequently revised to reflect an approved renewal or cost amendment. Funding for the initial and subsequent periods of the Contract shall not exceed the applicable amounts specified in the applicable Appendix B form (Budget).

G. Contract Period: The period of this Contract shall be as specified on the face page hereof.

H. Contract Performance: The Contractor shall perform all services or work, as applicable, and comply with all provisions of the Contract to the satisfaction of the State. The Contractor shall provide services or work, as applicable, and meet the program objectives summarized in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions) in accordance with the provisions of the Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative, program and fiscal guidelines, and where applicable, operating certificate for facilities or licenses for an activity or program. For federally-funded grants, DHSES will conduct an evaluation to determine risks posted by Contractors in managing federal awards. Consistent with 2 CFR §200.331, the results of the evaluation may result in the imposition special conditions to this Contract including but not limited to increased monitoring, suspension of reimbursements and cancellation of the Contract.

I. Modifications: To modify the Contract, the parties shall revise or complete the appropriate appendix form(s). Any change in the amount of consideration to be paid, change in scope, or change in the term, is subject to the approval of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller. Any other modifications shall be processed in accordance with DHSES guidelines as stated in this Contract.

J. Severability: Any provision of the Contract that is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be ineffective only to the extent of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability, without affecting in any way the remaining provisions hereof; provided, however, that the parties to the Contract shall attempt in good faith to reform the Contract in a manner consistent with the intent of any such ineffective provision for the purpose of carrying out such intent. If any provision is held void, invalid or unenforceable with respect to particular circumstances, it shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect in all other circumstances.

K. Interpretation: The headings in the Contract are inserted for convenience and reference only and do not modify or restrict any of the provisions herein. All personal pronouns used herein shall be considered to be gender neutral. The Contract has been made under the laws of the State of New York, and the venue for resolving any disputes hereunder shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

L. Notice:

1. All notices, except for notices of termination, shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:

a. by certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;

b. by facsimile transmission;

c. by personal delivery;

d. by expedited delivery service; or

e. by e-mail.

2. Notices to the State shall be addressed to the Program Office.

3. Notices to the Contractor shall be addressed to the Contractor's designee.

4. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery services or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in



the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or e-mail, upon receipt.

5. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different e-mail address, facsimile number or address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under the Contract by giving fifteen (15) calendar days prior written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of receiving notices under the Master Contract. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation, administration, billing and resolving issues and/or disputes.

M. Service of Process: In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules (CPLR), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. The Contractor shall have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

N. Set-Off Rights: The State shall have all of its common law, equitable, and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold, for the purposes of set-off, any moneys due to the Contractor under the Contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to the Contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of the Contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies, or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of setoff pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by DHSES, its representatives, or OSC.

O. Indemnification: The Contractor shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the Contractor or its subcontractors pursuant to this Contract. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the State and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and cost of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to the Contract.

P. Non-Assignment Clause: In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, the Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet, or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so shall be considered to be null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract, let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law, may be waived at the discretion of DHSES and with the concurrence of OSC, where the original contract was subject to OSC's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger, or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that the merged contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless the Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

Q. Legal Action: No litigation or regulatory action shall be brought against the federal government, the State of New York, DHSES or against any county or other local government entity with the funds provided under the Contract. The term 'litigation' shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from any of the federal government, the State of New York, DHSES or any county or other local government entity. The term 'regulatory action' shall include commencing or threatening to commence a regulatory proceeding, or requesting any regulatory relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity.

R. No Arbitration: Disputes involving the Contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

S. Secular Purpose: Services performed pursuant to the Contract are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

T. Partisan Political Activity and Lobbying: Funds provided pursuant to the Contract shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that attempt to influence legislation or election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

U. Reciprocity and Sanctions Provisions: The Contractor is hereby notified that if its principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state, or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services it offers shall be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that it be denied contracts which it would otherwise obtain.<sup>2</sup>

V. Reporting Fraud and Abuse: Contractor acknowledges that it has reviewed information on how to prevent, detect, and report fraud, waste and abuse of public funds, including information about the federal False Claims Act, the New York State False Claims Act and whistleblower protections.

W. Non-Collusive Bidding: By submission of this bid, the Contractor and each person signing on behalf of the Contractor certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive binding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

X. Federally Funded Grants: All of the specific federal requirements that are applicable to the Contract are identified in Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix. To the extent that the Contract is funded in whole or part with federal funds, (i) the provisions of the Contract that conflict with federal rules, federal regulations, or federal program specific requirements shall not apply and (ii) the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable federal rules, regulations and program specific requirements including, but not limited to, those provisions that are set forth in Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix. To the extent that section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) conflict with any other provisions of the Contract, the federal requirements of Section V shall supersede all other provisions of the Contract where required.

Y. The Contractor must meet the program objectives summarized in the Program Work Plan and Special Conditions (Appendix D) to the satisfaction of DHSES in accordance with provisions of the Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative and fiscal guidelines and, where applicable, operating certificates for facilities or license for an activity or program.

## II. TERM, TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

A. Term: The term of the Contract shall be as specified on the Face Page, unless terminated sooner as provided herein.

### B. Renewal:

1. General Renewal: The Contract may consist of successive periods on the same terms and conditions, as specified within the Contract (a 'Simplified Renewal Contract'). Each additional or superseding period shall be on the forms specified by the State and shall be incorporated in the Contract.

### 2. Renewal Notice to Not-for-Profit Contractors:

a. Pursuant to State Finance Law §179-t, if the Contract is with a not-for-profit Contractor and provides for a renewal option, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Contract no later than ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Contract, unless funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation. If funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Contract the later of: (1) ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Contract, and (2) thirty (30) calendar days after the necessary appropriation becomes law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the State is unable to comply with the time frames set forth in this paragraph due to unusual circumstances beyond the control of the State ('Unusual Circumstances'), no payment of interest shall be due to the not-for-profit Contractor. For purposes of State Finance Law §179-t, 'Unusual Circumstances' shall not mean the failure by the State to (i) plan for implementation of a program, (ii) assign sufficient staff resources to implement a program, (iii) establish a schedule for the implementation of a program or (iv) anticipate any other reasonably foreseeable circumstance.

b. Notification to the not-for-profit Contractor of the State's intent to not renew the Contract must be in writing in the form of a letter, with the reason(s) for the non-renewal included. If the State does not provide notice to the not-for-profit Contractor of its intent not to renew the Contract as required in this Section and State Finance Law §179-t, the Contract shall be deemed continued until the date the State provides the necessary notice to the Contractor, in accordance with State Finance Law §179-t. Expenses incurred by the not-for-profit Contractor during such extension shall be reimbursable under the terms of the Contract.

### C. Termination:

#### 1. Grounds:

a. Mutual Consent: The Contract may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the State and the Contractor.

b. Cause: The State may terminate the Contract immediately, upon written notice of termination to the Contractor, if the

Contractor fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of the Contract and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies, or procedures that are applicable to the Contract.

c. **Non-Responsibility:** In accordance with the provisions of this Contract, the State may make a final determination that the Contractor is non-responsible (Determination of Non-Responsibility). In such event, the State may terminate the Contract at the Contractor's expense, complete the contractual requirements in any manner the State deems advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

d. **Convenience:** The State may terminate the Contract in its sole discretion upon thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice.

e. **Lack of Funds:** If for any reason the State or the Federal government terminates or reduces its appropriation to the applicable State Agency entering into the Contract or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of one or more programs funded under this Contract, the Contract may be terminated or reduced at DHSES's discretion, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor where funds are available to DHSES for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Contract, all remaining funds paid to the Contractor that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor shall be returned to DHSES. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by the State (including DHSES) beyond monies available for the purposes of the Contract. The Contractor acknowledges that any funds due to DHSES or the State of New York because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be the Contractor's responsibility.

f. **Force Majeure:** The State may terminate or suspend its performance under the Contract immediately upon the occurrence of a 'force majeure'. For purposes of the Contract, 'Force majeure' shall include, but not be limited to, natural disasters, war, rebellion, insurrection, riot, strikes, lockout and any unforeseen circumstances and acts beyond the control of the State which render the performance of its obligations impossible.

## 2. Notice of Termination:

a. **Service of notice:** Written notice of termination shall be sent by:

- i. personal messenger service; or
- ii. certified mail, return receipt requested and first class mail.

b. **Effective date of termination:** The effective date of the termination shall be the later of (i) the date indicated in the notice and (ii) the date the notice is received by the Contractor, and shall be established as follows:

- i. if the notice is delivered by hand, the date of receipt shall be established by the receipt given to the Contractor or by affidavit of the individual making such hand delivery attesting to the date of delivery; or
- ii. if the notice is delivered by registered or certified mail, by the receipt returned from the United States Postal Service, or if no receipt is returned, five (5) business days from the date of mailing of the first class letter, postage prepaid, in a depository under the care and control of the United States Postal Service.

## 3. Effect of Notice and Termination on State's Payment Obligations:

a. Upon receipt of notice of termination, the Contractor agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the State.

b. The State shall be responsible for payment on claims for services or work provided and costs incurred pursuant to the terms of the Contract. In no event shall the State be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the requirements of the Contract after its termination date.

## 4. Effect of Termination Based on Misuse or Conversion of State or Federal Property:

Where the Contract is terminated for cause based on Contractor's failure to use some or all of the real property or equipment purchased pursuant to the Contract for the purposes set forth herein, the State may, at its option, require:

- a. the repayment to the State of any monies previously paid to the Contractor; or
- b. the return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of the Contract; or
- c. an appropriate combination of clauses (a) and (b) of Section II(C)(4) herein.

Nothing herein shall be intended to limit the State's ability to pursue such other legal or equitable remedies as may be available.

D. Suspension: The State may, in its discretion, order the Contractor to suspend performance for a reasonable period of time. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given a formal written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor shall comply with the particulars of the notice. The State shall have no obligation to reimburse Contractor's expenses during such suspension period. Activities may resume at such time as the State issues a formal written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

### III. PAYMENT AND REPORTING

#### A. Terms and Conditions:

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, DHSES agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page.
2. The State has no obligation to make payment until all required approvals, including the approval of the AG and OSC, if required, have been obtained. Contractor obligations or expenditures that precede the start date of the Contract shall not be reimbursed.
3. The Contractor must provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the State in order to receive payment. Provided, however, the State may, at its discretion, automatically generate a voucher in accordance with an approved contract payment schedule. Billing invoices submitted to the State must contain all information and supporting documentation required by Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein. The State may require the Contractor to submit billing invoices electronically.
4. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the head of DHSES, in the sole discretion of the head of such State Agency, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with OSC's procedures and practices to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), by email at [epunit@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epunit@osc.state.ny.us), or by telephone at (518) 474-4032. Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any vouchers submitted under this Contract if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Director has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.
5. If travel expenses are an approved expenditure under this Contract, travel expenses shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Contractor, the OSC guidelines, or United States General Services Administration rates. No out-of-state travel costs shall be permitted unless specifically detailed and pre-approved by the State.
6. Timeliness of advance payments or other claims for reimbursement, and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment, shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.
7. Article 11-B of the State Finance Law sets forth certain time frames for the Full Execution of contracts or renewal contracts with not-for-profit organizations and the implementation of any program plan associated with such contract. For purposes of this section, 'Full Execution' shall mean that the contract has been signed by all parties thereto and has obtained the approval of the AG and OSC. Any interest to be paid on a missed payment to the Contractor based on a delay in the Full Execution of the Master Contract shall be governed by Article 11-B of the State Finance Law.

#### B. Advance Payment and Recoupment:

1. Advance payments, which the State in its sole discretion may make to not-for-profit grant recipients, shall be made and recouped in accordance with State Finance Law Section 179(u), this Section and the provisions of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).
2. Advance payments made by the State to not-for-profit grant recipients shall be due no later than thirty (30) calendar days, excluding legal holidays, after the first day of the Contract Term or, if renewed, in the period identified on the Face Page.
3. For subsequent contract years in multi-year contracts, Contractor will be notified of the scheduled advance payments for the upcoming contract year no later than 90 days prior to the commencement of the contract year. For simplified renewals, the payment schedule (Appendix C) will be modified as part of the renewal process.
4. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting the percentage of subsequent claims listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein and such claims shall be reduced until the

advance is fully recovered within the Contract Term. Any unexpended advance balance at the end of the Contract Term shall be refunded by the Contractor to the State.

5. If for any reason the amount of any claim is not sufficient to cover the proportionate advance amount to be recovered, then subsequent claims may be reduced until the advance is fully recovered.

#### C. Claims for Reimbursement:

1. The Contractor shall submit claims for the reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the State under the Contract in accordance with this Section and the applicable claiming schedule in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the applicable Appendix B form (Budget) and during the Contract Term. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: (i) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and (ii) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program. Requirement (ii) does not apply to grants funded pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation.

2. Consistent with the selected reimbursement claiming schedule in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the appropriate following provisions:

a. Quarterly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES quarterly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

b. Monthly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES monthly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

c. Biannual Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES biannually voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

d. Milestone/Performance Reimbursement:<sup>3</sup> Requests for payment based upon an event or milestone may be either severable or cumulative. A severable event/milestone is independent of accomplishment of any other event. If the event is cumulative, the successful completion of an event or milestone is dependent on the previous completion of another event. Milestone payments shall be made to the Contractor when requested in a form approved by the State, and at frequencies and in amounts stated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). DHSES shall make milestone payments subject to the Contractor's satisfactory performance.

e. Fee for Service Reimbursement:<sup>4</sup> Payment shall be limited to only those fees specifically agreed upon in the Contract and shall be payable no more frequently than monthly upon submission of a voucher by the contractor.

f. Rate Based Reimbursement:<sup>5</sup> Payment shall be limited to rate(s) established in the Contract. Payment may be requested no more frequently than monthly.

g. Scheduled Reimbursement:<sup>6</sup> DHSES shall generate vouchers at the frequencies and amounts as set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

h. Interim Reimbursement: DHSES may generate vouchers on an interim basis and the amounts requested by the Contract as set forth in Attachment C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

i. Fifth Quarter Payments:<sup>7</sup> Fifth quarter payment shall be paid to the Contractor at the conclusion of the final scheduled payment period of the preceding contract period. DHSES shall use a written directive for fifth quarter financing. DHSES shall generate a voucher in the fourth quarter of the current contract year to pay the scheduled payment for the next contract year.

3. The Contractor shall also submit supporting fiscal documentation for the expenses claimed.

4. The State reserves the right to withhold up to fifteen percent (15%) of the total amount of the Contract as security for the faithful completion of services or work, as applicable, under the Contract. This amount may be withheld in whole or in part from any single payment or combination of payments otherwise due under the Contract. In the event that such withheld

funds are insufficient to satisfy Contractor's obligations to the State, the State may pursue all available remedies, including the right of setoff and recoupment.

5. The State shall not be liable for payments on the Contract if it is made pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation if insufficient monies are available pursuant to Section 99-d of the State Finance Law.

6. All vouchers submitted by the Contractor pursuant to the Contract shall be submitted to DHSES no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the end date of the period for which reimbursement is claimed. In no event shall the amount received by the Contractor exceed the budget amount approved by DHSES, and, if actual expenditures by the Contractor are less than such sum, the amount payable by DHSES to the Contractor shall not exceed the amount of actual expenditures.

7. All obligations must be incurred prior to the end date of the contract. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section III(C)(6) above, with respect to the final period for which reimbursement is claimed, so long as the obligations were incurred prior to the end date of the contract, the Contractor shall have up to ninety (90) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures; provided, however, that if the Contract is funded in whole or in part with federal funds, the Contractor shall have up to sixty (60) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures.

#### D. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification:

1. Every voucher or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a State Agency by the Contractor, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property, must include the Contractor's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System, and any or all of the following identification numbers: (i) the Contractor's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the Contractor's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) DUNS number. Failure to include such identification number or numbers may delay payment by the State to the Contractor. Where the Contractor does not have such number or numbers, the Contractor, on its voucher or Claim for Payment, must provide the reason or reasons for why the Contractor does not have such number or numbers.

2. The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of DHSES contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by the Contract. This information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York, 12236.

#### E. Refunds:

1. In the event that the Contractor must make a refund to the State for Contract-related activities, including repayment of an advance or an audit disallowance, payment must be made payable as set forth in this Appendix. The Contractor must reference the contract number with its payment and include a brief explanation of why the refund is being made. Refund payments must be submitted to the Office address listed in Appendix C.

2. If at the end or termination of the Contract, there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under the Contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall make payment within forty-five (45) calendar days of the end or termination of the Contract. In the event that the Contractor fails to refund such balance the State may pursue all available remedies.

F. Outstanding Amounts Owed to the State: Prior period overpayments (including, but not limited to, contract advances in excess of actual expenditures) and/or audit recoveries associated with the Contractor may be recouped against future payments made under this Contract to Contractor. The recoupment generally begins with the first payment made to the Contractor following identification of the overpayment and/or audit recovery amount. In the event that there are no payments to apply recoveries against, the Contractor shall make payment as provided in Section III(E) (Refunds) herein.

#### G. Program and Fiscal Reporting Requirements:

1. The Contractor shall submit required periodic reports in accordance with the applicable schedule provided in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). All required reports or other work products developed pursuant to the Contract must be completed as provided by the agreed upon work schedule in a manner satisfactory and acceptable to DHSES in order for the Contractor to be eligible for payment.

2. Consistent with the selected reporting options in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall

comply with the following applicable provisions:

a. If the Expenditure Based Reports option is indicated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide DHSES with one or more of the following reports as required by the following provisions and Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

i. Narrative/Qualitative Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a report, in narrative form, summarizing the services rendered during the quarter. This report shall detail how the Contractor has progressed toward attaining the qualitative goals enumerated in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). This report should address all goals and objectives of the project and include a discussion of problems encountered and steps taken to solve them.

ii. Statistical/Quantitative Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed report analyzing the quantitative aspects of the program plan, as appropriate (e.g., number of meals served, clients transported, patient/client encounters, procedures performed, training sessions conducted, etc.).

iii. Expenditure Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed expenditure report, by object of expense. This report shall accompany the voucher submitted for such period.

iv. Final Report: The Contractor shall submit a final report as required by the Contract, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) which reports on all aspects of the program and detailing how the use of funds were utilized in achieving the goals set forth in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions).

v. Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR): The Contractor shall submit a CFR, which includes a year-end cost report and final claim not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

b. If the Performance-Based Reports option is indicated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide DHSES with the following reports as required by the following provisions and Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

i. Progress Report: The Contractor shall provide DHSES with a written progress report using the forms and formats as provided by DHSES, summarizing the work performed during the period. These reports shall detail the Contractor's progress toward attaining the specific goals enumerated in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). Progress reports shall be submitted in a format prescribed in the Contract.

ii. Final Progress Report: Final scheduled payment is due during the time period set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The deadline for submission of the final report shall be the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). DHSES shall complete its audit and notify the Contractor of the results no later than the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). Payment shall be adjusted by DHSES to reflect only those services/expenditures that were made in accordance with the Contract. The Contractor shall submit a detailed comprehensive final progress report not later than the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), summarizing the work performed during the entire Contract Term (i.e., a cumulative report), in the forms and formats required.

3. In addition to the periodic reports stated above, the Contractor may be required (a) to submit such other reports as are required in Table 1 of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), and (b) prior to receipt of final payment under the Contract, to submit one or more final reports in accordance with the form, content, and schedule stated in Table 1 of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

#### H. Notification of Significant Occurrences:

1. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of this project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones or other program requirements, the Contractor agrees to submit to DHSES within three (3) calendar days of becoming aware of the occurrence or of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

2. The Contractor shall immediately notify in writing the program manager assigned to the Contract of any unusual incident, occurrence, or event that involves the staff, volunteers, directors or officers of the Contractor, any subcontractor or program participant funded through the Contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity that could impact the successful completion of this project; any destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor; or other matters of a similarly serious nature.

#### IV. ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

##### A. Contractor as an Independent Contractor/Employees:

1. The State and the Contractor agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor and not an employee of the State and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee, or subdivision of the State nor make any claim, demand, or application to or for any right based upon any different status. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Contract, and all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

2. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff, and any and all subcontractors have all the necessary licenses, approvals, and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable local, state, or Federal government to perform the services or work, as applicable, pursuant to the Contract and/or any subcontract entered into under the Contract. The Contractor further agrees that such required licenses, approvals, and certificates shall be kept in full force and effect during the term of the Contract, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals, or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and subcontractors to obtain the requisite licenses, approvals, or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval, or certification to perform the services or work, as applicable, under the Contract, Contractor shall immediately notify the State.

##### B. Subcontractors:

1. If the Contractor enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to the Contract, the Contractor shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Contract. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the State.

2. If requested by the State, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, that are in excess of \$100,000 for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written permission of the State, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract in excess of \$100,000 prior to giving written permission to the Contractor to enter into the subcontract. All agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of the Contract, (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Contract, and (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under the Contract, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the State. In addition, subcontracts shall contain any other provisions which are required to be included in subcontracts pursuant to the terms herein.

3. If requested by the State, prior to executing a subcontract, the Contractor agrees to require the subcontractor to provide to the State the information the State needs to determine whether a proposed subcontractor is a responsible vendor.

4. If requested by the State, when a subcontract equals or exceeds \$100,000, the subcontractor must submit a Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire (Questionnaire).

5. If requested by the State, when a subcontract is executed, the Contractor must provide detailed subcontract information (a copy of subcontract will suffice) to the State within fifteen (15) calendar days after execution. The State may request from the Contractor copies of subcontracts between a subcontractor and its subcontractor.

6. The Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors to submit to the Contractor all financial claims for Services or work to DHSES, as applicable, rendered and required supporting documentation and reports as necessary to permit Contractor to meet claim deadlines and documentation requirements as established in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III. Subcontractors shall be paid by the Contractor on a timely basis after submitting the required reports and vouchers for reimbursement of services or work, as applicable. Subcontractors shall be informed by the Contractor of the possibility of non-payment or rejection by the Contractor of claims that do not contain the required information, and/or are not received by the Contractor by said due date.

##### C. Use of Material, Equipment, or Personnel:

1. The Contractor shall not use materials, equipment, or personnel paid for under the Contract for any activity other than those provided for under the Contract, except with the State's prior written permission.

2. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the State shall be deemed to be the property of the State and shall either be credited to the State at the close-out of the Contract or, upon the written permission of the State, shall be expended on additional services or work, as applicable, provided for under the Contract.

##### D. Property:



1. Property is real property, equipment, or tangible personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$1,000 or more per unit.

a. If an item of Property required by the Contractor is available as surplus to the State, the State at its sole discretion, may arrange to provide such Property to the Contractor in lieu of the purchase of such Property.

b. If the State consents in writing, the Contractor may retain possession of Property owned by the State, as provided herein, after the termination of the Contract to use for similar purposes. Otherwise, the Contractor shall return such Property to the State at the Contractor's cost and expense upon the expiration of the Contract.

c. In addition, the Contractor agrees to permit the State to inspect the Property and to monitor its use at reasonable intervals during the Contractor's regular business hours.

d. The Contractor shall be responsible for maintaining and repairing Property purchased or procured under the Contract at its own cost and expense. The Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance at its own cost and expense in an amount satisfactory to DHSES naming DHSES as an additional insured, covering the loss, theft or destruction of such equipment.

e. A rental charge to the Contract for a piece of Property owned by the Contractor shall not be allowed.

f. The State has the right to review and approve in writing any new contract for the purchase of or lease for rental of Property (Purchase/Lease Contract) operated in connection with the provision of the services or work, as applicable, as specified in the Contract, if applicable, and any modifications, amendments, or extensions of an existing lease or purchase prior to its execution. If, in its discretion, the State disapproves of any Purchase/Lease Contract, then the State shall not be obligated to make any payments for such Property.

g. No member, officer, director or employee of the Contractor shall retain or acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Property, paid for with funds under the Contract, nor retain any interest, direct or indirect, in such, without full and complete prior disclosure of such interest and the date of acquisition thereof, in writing to the Contractor and the State.

2. For non-Federally-funded contracts, unless otherwise provided herein, the State shall have the following rights to Property purchased with funds provided under the Contract:

a. For cost-reimbursable contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the State.

b. For performance-based contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the Contractor.

3. For Federally funded contracts, title to Property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies provided under the Contract shall be governed by the terms and conditions of Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) contained herein.

4. Upon written direction by the State, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of all Property that is owned by the State as provided herein.

5. The Contractor shall execute any documents which the State may reasonably require to effectuate the provisions of this section.

#### E. Records and Audits:

##### 1. General:

a. The Contractor shall establish and maintain, in paper or electronic format, complete and accurate books, records, documents, receipts, accounts, and other evidence directly pertinent to its performance under the Contract (collectively, Records).

b. The Contractor agrees to produce and retain for the balance of the term of the Contract, and for a period of six years from the later of the date of (i) the Contract and (ii) the most recent renewal of the Contract, any and all Records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under the Contract. Such Records may include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:

i. personal service expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, vouchers and invoices, records of contract labor, any and all records listing payroll and the money value of non-cash advantages provided to employees, time cards, work schedules and logs, employee personal history folders, detailed and general ledgers, sales

records, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

ii. payroll taxes and fringe benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, invoices for fringe benefit expenses, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

iii. non-personal services expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, cost allocation plans, and bid and procurement documentation, such as quotes, proposals and selection records, if applicable.

iv. receipt and deposit of advance and reimbursements: itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.

c. The OSC, AG and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as DHSES or State Agencies involved in the Contract that provided funding, shall have access to the Records during the hours of 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding State recognized holidays), at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying.

d. The State shall protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records, as exempt under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law, is reasonable.

e. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's rights in connection with its audit and investigatory authority or the State's rights in connection with discovery in any pending or future litigation.

## 2. Cost Allocation:

a. For non-performance based contracts, the proper allocation of the Contractor's costs must be made according to a cost allocation plan that meets the requirements of 2 CFR Part 200. Methods used to determine and assign costs shall conform to generally accepted accounting practices and shall be consistent with the method(s) used by the Contractor to determine costs for other operations or programs. Such accounting standards and practices shall be subject to approval of the State.

b. For performance based milestone contracts, or for the portion of the contract amount paid on a performance basis, the Contractor shall maintain documentation demonstrating that milestones were attained.

3. Federal Funds: For records and audit provisions governing Federal funds, please see Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix A-1.

F. Confidentiality: The Contractor agrees that it shall use and maintain information relating to individuals who may receive services, and their families pursuant to the Contract, or any other information, data or records deemed confidential by the State (Confidential Information) only for the limited purposes of the Contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of State and Federal law. The Contractor (i) has an affirmative obligation to safeguard any such Confidential Information from unnecessary or unauthorized disclosure and (ii) must comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

## G. Publicity:

1. Publicity includes, but is not limited to: news conferences; news releases; public announcements; advertising; brochures; reports; discussions or presentations at conferences or meetings; and/or the inclusion of State materials, the State's name or other such references to the State in any document or forum. Publicity regarding this project may not be released without prior written approval from the State.

2. Any publications, presentations or announcements of conferences, meetings or trainings which are funded in whole or in part through any activity supported under the Contract may not be published, presented or announced without prior approval of the State. Any such publication, presentation or announcement shall:

a. Acknowledge the support of the State of New York and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency; and

b. State that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretations or policy of the State or if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency.

3. Notwithstanding the above, (i) if the Contractor is an educational research institution, the Contractor may, for scholarly or academic purposes, use, present, discuss, report or publish any material, data or analyses, other than Confidential Information, that derives from activity under the Master Contract and the Contractor agrees to use best efforts to provide copies of any manuscripts arising from Contractor's performance under this Master Contract, or if requested by the State, the Contractor shall provide the State with a thirty (30) day period in which to review each manuscript for compliance with Confidential Information requirements; or (ii) if the Contractor is not an educational research institution, the Contractor may submit for publication, scholarly or academic publications that derive from activity under the Master Contract (but are not deliverable under the Master Contract), provided that the Contractor first submits such manuscripts to the State forty-five (45) calendar days prior to submission for consideration by a publisher in order for the State to review the manuscript for compliance with confidentiality requirements and restrictions and to make such other comments as the State deems appropriate. All derivative publications shall follow the same acknowledgments and disclaimer as described in Section IV(G)(2) (Publicity) hereof.

H. Web-Based Applications-Accessibility: Any web-based intranet and Internet information and applications development, or programming delivered pursuant to the Contract or procurement shall comply with New York State Enterprise IT Policy NYS-P08-005, Accessibility Web-Based Information and Applications, and New York State Enterprise IT Standard NYS-S08-005, Accessibility of Web-Based Information Applications, as such policy or standard may be amended, modified or superseded, which requires that State Agency web-based intranet and Internet information and applications are accessible to person with disabilities. Web content must conform to New York State Enterprise IT Standards NYS-S08-005, as determined by quality assurance testing. Such quality assurance testing shall be conducted by DHSES and the results of such testing must be satisfactory to DHSES before web content shall be considered a qualified deliverable under the Contract or procurement.

I. Non-Discrimination Requirements: Pursuant to Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional nondiscrimination provisions, the Contractor and sub-contractors will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex (including gender identity or expression), national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that the Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Contract. The Contractor shall be subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 of the Labor Law.

J. Equal Opportunities for Minorities and Women; Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises: In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if the Contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting State Agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the Contractor certifies and affirms that (i) it is subject to Article 15-A of the Executive Law which includes, but is not limited to, those provisions concerning the maximizing of opportunities for the participation of minority and women-owned business enterprises and (ii) the following provisions shall apply and it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

1. The Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status;
2. The Contractor shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts;
3. The Contractor shall undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

4. At the request of the State, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative shall affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

5. The Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants shall be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

The Contractor shall include the provisions of subclauses 1 – 5 of this Section (IV)(J), in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (Work) except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 of the Executive Law does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to the Contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by the Contractor or a subcontractor with the requirements of any Federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The State shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such Federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the State shall waive the applicability of Section 312 of the Executive Law to the extent of such duplication or conflict. The Contractor shall comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

K. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992: It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises, as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

1. If the total dollar amount of the Contract is greater than \$1 million, the Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing the Contract, the Contractor certifies the following:

a. The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of State business enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

b. The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

c. The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

d. The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of the Contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

L. Workers' Compensation Benefits:

1. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, the Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of the Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

2. If a Contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement they must apply for an exemption.

M. Unemployment Insurance Compliance: The Contractor shall remain current in both its quarterly reporting and payment of contributions or payments in lieu of contributions, as applicable, to the State Unemployment Insurance system as a condition of maintaining this grant.

The Contractor hereby authorizes the State Department of Labor to disclose to DHSES staff only such information as is necessary to determine the Contractor's compliance with the State Unemployment Insurance Law. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. any records of unemployment insurance (UI) contributions, interest, and/or penalty payment arrears or reporting delinquency;

2. any debts owed for UI contributions, interest, and/or penalties;

3. the history and results of any audit or investigation; and

4. copies of wage reporting information.

Such disclosures are protected under Section 537 of the State Labor Law, which makes it a misdemeanor for the recipient of such information to use or disclose the information for any purpose other than the performing due diligence as a part of the approval process for the Contract.

N. Vendor Responsibility:

1. If a Contractor is required to complete a Questionnaire, the Contractor covenants and represents that it has, to the best of its knowledge, truthfully, accurately and thoroughly completed such Questionnaire. Although electronic filing is preferred, the Contractor may obtain a paper form from the OSC prior to execution of the Contract. The Contractor further covenants and represents that as of the date of execution of the Contract, there are no material events, omissions, changes or corrections to such document requiring an amendment to the Questionnaire.

2. The Contractor shall provide to the State updates to the Questionnaire if any material event(s) occurs requiring an amendment or as new information material to such Questionnaire becomes available.

3. The Contractor shall, in addition, promptly report to the State the initiation of any investigation or audit by a governmental entity with enforcement authority with respect to any alleged violation of Federal or state law by the Contractor, its employees, its officers and/or directors in connection with matters involving, relating to or arising out of the Contractor's business. Such report shall be made within five (5) business days following the Contractor becoming aware of such event, investigation, or audit. Such report may be considered by the State in making a Determination of Vendor Non-Responsibility pursuant to this section.

4. The State reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of the Contract:

a. to require updates or clarifications to the Questionnaire upon written request;

b. to inquire about information included in or required information omitted from the Questionnaire;

c. to require the Contractor to provide such information to the State within a reasonable timeframe; and

d. to require as a condition precedent to entering into the Contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as shall be necessary to satisfy the State that the Contractor is, and shall remain, a responsible vendor; and

e. to require the Contractor to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity. By signing the Contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of the Contract.

5. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under the Contract, at any time, when it discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the State issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

6. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to make a final Determination of Non-Responsibility at any time during the term of the Contract based on:

a. any information provided in the Questionnaire and/or in any updates, clarifications or amendments thereof; or

b. the State's discovery of any material information which pertains to the Contractor's responsibility.

7. Prior to making a final Determination of Non-Responsibility, the State shall provide written notice to the Contractor that it has made a preliminary determination of non-responsibility. The State shall detail the reason(s) for the preliminary determination, and shall provide the Contractor with an opportunity to be heard.

O. Charities Registration: If applicable, the Contractor agrees to (i) obtain not-for-profit status, a Federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish DHSES with this information as soon as it is available, (ii) be in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements at the time of the awarding of this Contract by the State and (iii) remain in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements throughout the term of the Contract.

P. Consultant Disclosure Law:<sup>8</sup> If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and

mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services, then in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

**Q. Wage and Hours Provisions:** If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**R. Participation By Minority Group Members And Women With Respect To Grant Contracts: Requirements And Procedures (state-funded grants only)**

### 1. General Provisions

a. The Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) is required to implement the provisions of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR Parts 142-144 ('MWBE Regulations') for all State contracts as defined therein, with a value (1) in excess of \$25,000 for labor, services, equipment, materials, or any combination of the foregoing or (2) in excess of \$100,000 for real property renovations and construction.

b. The Contractor to the subject contract (the 'Contractor' and the 'Contract', respectively) agrees, in addition to any other nondiscrimination provision of the Contract and at no additional cost to the DHSES, to fully comply and cooperate with the DHSES in the implementation of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A. These requirements include equal employment opportunities for minority group members and women ('EEO') and contracting opportunities for certified minority and women-owned business enterprises ('MWBEs'). Contractor's demonstration of 'good faith efforts' pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8 shall be a part of these requirements. These provisions shall be deemed supplementary to, and not in lieu of, the nondiscrimination provisions required by New York State Executive Law Article 15 (the 'Human Rights Law') or other applicable federal, state or local laws.

c. Failure to comply with all of the requirements herein may result in a finding of non-responsiveness, non-responsibility and/or a breach of contract, leading to the withholding of funds or such other actions, liquidated damages pursuant to Section VII of this Appendix or enforcement proceedings as allowed by the Contract.

### 2. Contract Goals

a. For purposes of this contract, DHSES has established overall goals for Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises ('MWBE') participation which are specified in the contract work plan.

b. For purposes of providing meaningful participation by MWBEs on the Contract and achieving the Contract Goals established in the contract work plan hereof, Contractor should reference the directory of New York State Certified MBWEs found at the following internet address: <https://ny.newnycontracts.com/FrontEnd/VendorSearchPublic.asp>. Additionally, Contractor is encouraged to contact the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development (518) 292-5250; (212) 803-2414; or (716) 846-8200) to discuss additional methods of maximizing participation by MWBEs on the Contract.

c. Where MWBE goals have been established herein, pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8, Contractor must document 'good faith efforts' to provide meaningful participation by MWBEs as subcontractors or suppliers in the performance of the Contract. In accordance with Section 316-a of Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR §142.13, the Contractor acknowledges that if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals set forth in the Contract, such a finding constitutes a breach of contract and the Contractor shall be liable to the DHSES for liquidated or other appropriate damages, as set forth herein.

### 3. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)

a. Contractor agrees to be bound by the provisions of Article 15-A and the MWBE Regulations promulgated by the Division of Minority and Women's Business Development of the Department of Economic Development (the 'Division'). If any of these terms or provisions conflict with applicable law or regulations, such laws and regulations shall supersede these requirements.

b. Contractor shall comply with the following provisions of Article 15-A:

- i. Contractor and Subcontractors shall undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status. For these purposes, EEO shall apply in the areas of recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation.
- ii. The Contractor shall maintain an EEO policy statement and submit it to the DHSES if requested.
- iii. If Contractor or Subcontractor does not have an existing EEO policy statement, Section 4 below may be used to develop one.
- iv. The Contractor's EEO policy statement shall include the following, or similar, language:

- a) The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force.
- b) The Contractor shall state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees that, in the performance of the contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.
- c) The Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union, or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein.
- d) The Contractor will include the provisions of Subdivisions (a) through (c) of this Subsection (iv) and Paragraph 'e' of this Section 3, which provides for relevant provisions of the Human Rights Law, in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the Contract.

#### c. Staffing Plan

To ensure compliance with this Section, the Contractor shall submit a staffing plan to document the composition of the proposed workforce to be utilized in the performance of the Contract by the specified categories listed, including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. Contractors shall complete the Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan form and submit it as part of their bid or proposal or within a reasonable time, but no later than the time of award of the contract.

#### d. Workforce Employment Utilization Report

- i. Once a contract has been awarded and during the term of Contract, Contractor is responsible for updating and providing notice to the DHSES of any changes to the previously submitted Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan. This information is to be submitted annually or as otherwise required by the DHSES during the term of the contract, for the purpose of reporting the actual workforce utilized in the performance of the contract by the specified categories listed including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. The Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report form must be used to report this information.
- ii. Separate forms shall be completed by Contractor and any Subcontractor performing work on the Contract.
- iii. In limited instances, Contractor may not be able to separate out the workforce utilized in the performance of the Contract from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce. When a separation can be made, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided relates to the actual workforce utilized on the Contract. When the workforce to be utilized on the contract cannot be separated out from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided is Contractor's total workforce during the subject time frame, not limited to work specifically under the contract.

e. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

#### 4. MWBE Utilization Plan

- a. The Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has submitted a Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form either prior to, or at the time of, the execution of the contract.
- b. Contractor agrees to use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form for the performance of MWBEs on the Contract pursuant to the prescribed MWBE goals set forth in the contract workplan.

c. Contractor further agrees that a failure to submit and/or use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form shall constitute a material breach of the terms of the Contract. Upon the occurrence of such a material breach, DHSES shall be entitled to any remedy provided herein, including but not limited to, a finding of Contractor non-responsiveness.

## 5. Waivers

If the DHSES, upon review of the Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Plan, the Detailed Itemization Forms or the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report determines that a Contractor is failing or refusing to comply with the Contract goals and no waiver has been issued in regards to such non-compliance, the DHSES may issue a notice of deficiency to the Contractor. The Contractor must respond to the notice of deficiency within seven (7) business days of receipt. Such response may include a request for partial or total waiver of MWBE Contract Goals.

## 6. MWBE Subcontractor Utilization Quarterly Report

Contractor is required to report MWBE Subcontractor utilization, as part of the quarterly claim process, to the DHSES by the last day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter over the term of the Contract documenting the progress made towards achievement of the MWBE goals of the Contract.

## 7. Liquidated Damages - MWBE Participation

a. Where DHSES determines that Contractor is not in compliance with the requirements of the Contract and Contractor refuses to comply with such requirements, or if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals, such finding constitutes a breach of Contract and DHSES may withhold payment from the Contractor as liquidated damages and/or provide for other appropriate remedies.

b. Such liquidated damages shall be calculated as an amount equaling the difference between:  
1) All sums identified for payment to MWBEs had the Contractor achieved the contractual MWBE goals; and  
2) All sums actually paid to MWBEs for work performed or materials supplied under the Contract.

c. In the event a determination has been made which requires the payment of liquidated damages and such identified sums have not been withheld by the DHSES, Contractor shall pay such liquidated damages to the DHSES within sixty (60) days after they are assessed by the DHSES unless prior to the expiration of such sixtieth day, the Contractor has filed a complaint with the Director of the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development pursuant to Subdivision 8 of Section 313 of the Executive Law in which event the liquidated damages shall be payable if Director renders a decision in favor of the DHSES.

## 8. M/WBE AND EEO Policy Statement

a. The Contractor agrees to adopt the following policies or similar policies with respect to the project being developed or services rendered in this contract with the Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services:

### M/WBE

This organization will and will cause its contractors and subcontractors to take good faith actions to achieve the M/WBE contract participations goals set by the State for that area in which the State-funded project is located, by taking the following steps:

(1) Actively and affirmatively solicit bids for contracts and subcontracts from qualified State certified MBEs or WBEs, including solicitations to M/WBE contractor associations.

(2) Request a list of State-certified M/WBEs from AGENCY and solicit bids from them directly.

(3) Ensure that plans, specifications, request for proposals and other documents used to secure bids will be made available in sufficient time for review by prospective M/WBEs.

(4) Where feasible, divide the work into smaller portions to enhanced participations by M/WBEs and encourage the formation of joint venture and other partnerships among M/WBE contractors to enhance their participation.

(5) Document and maintain records of bid solicitation, including those to M/WBEs and the results thereof. Contractor will also maintain records of actions that its subcontractors have taken toward meeting M/WBE contract participation goals.

(6) Ensure that progress payments to M/WBEs are made on a timely basis so that undue financial hardship is avoided, and that bonding and other credit requirements are waived or appropriate alternatives developed to encourage M/WBE



participation.

## EEO

(a) This organization will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on state contracts.

(b) This organization shall state in all solicitation or advertisements for employees that in the performance of the State contract all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex disability or marital status.

(c) At the request of the contracting agency, this organization shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of this organization's obligations herein.

(d) Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

(e) This organization will include the provisions of sections (a) through (d) of this agreement in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the State contract.

Contractor agrees to comply with all MWBE and EEO contract goals reflected on the MWBE Utilization Plan and Staffing Plan respectively, that have been submitted with the application for this contract.

## S. Additional Terms

1. The Contractor agrees that if the project is not operational within 60 days of the execution date of the Contract, it will report by letter to DHSES the steps taken to initiate the project, the reasons for delay, and the expected starting date. If the project is not operational within 90 days of the execution date of the Contract, the Contractor will submit a second statement to DHSES explaining the delay. DHSES may either cancel the project and redistribute the funds or extend the implementation date of the project beyond the 90-day period when warranted by extenuating circumstances.
2. The Contractor shall at all times during the Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Commissioner of DHSES, or his or her designee, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability prior performance, and financial capacity.
  - a. The DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee, in his or her sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when DHSES discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of the notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the Commissioner of DHSES, or his or her designee, issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.
  - b. Upon written notice to the Contractor, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with the appropriate DHSES officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by the DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee, to be non-responsible. In such event, the Commissioner, or his or her designee, may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.
3. DHSES shall make payments and any reconciliation in accordance with the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C). DHSES shall pay the Contractor for completed, approved projects, a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page hereof. The Contractor must not request payments or reimbursements that duplicate funding or reimbursement from any other source for Contractor costs and services pursuant to this Contract.
4. The Contractor shall submit detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES for personal service, fringe benefit and non-personal service expenditures with any voucher and fiscal cost report requesting reimbursement.

Grant-related expenditures shall be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports approved by DHSES. For Federally-funded awards, the detailed Itemization forms shall include the required certifications pursuant to 2 CFR §200.415. These reports must be prepared periodically and as defined in Appendix C of this Contract. All reported expenditures must reconcile to the program accounting records and the approved budget. Prior period adjustments shall be reported in the same accounting period that the correction is made.

5. The Contractor's request for travel, meals or lodging reimbursement shall be in accordance with Appendix B, Budget, and, unless written authorization has been received from DHSES, shall not exceed rates authorized by the NYS Office Of State Comptroller (Audit and Control). Rates may be viewed online at: <http://www.osc.state.ny.us/agencies/travel/travel.htm>.

6. The Contractor's employment of a consultant must be supported by a written Contract executed by the Contractor and the consultant. A consultant is defined as an individual or organization hired by the Contractor for the stated purpose of accomplishing a specific task relative to the funded project. All consultant services must be obtained in a manner that provides for fair and open competition. The Contractor shall retain copies of all solicitations seeking a consultant, written Contracts and documentation justifying the cost and selection of the consultant, and make them available to DHSES upon request. The Contractor further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Contract and the Contractor must guarantee the work of the consultant as if it were its own. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in a disallowance of costs.

7. Additionally, Contractor must adhere to the following guidelines at a minimum when making all procurements, including consultant services. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in a disallowance of costs.

- a. A Contractor who proposes to purchase goods or services from a particular vendor without competitive bidding must obtain the prior written approval of DHSES. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and the basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such procurement must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. A copy of DHSES' approval must also be submitted with the voucher for payment.
- b. The rate for consultant services, and cost of equipment or goods, shall be reasonable and consistent with the amount paid for similar services or goods and equipment in the marketplace. Time and effort reports are required for consultants.
- c. Written justification and documentation for all procurements must be maintained on file, and made available to DHSES upon request. All procurements must be made in a fair and open manner and in accordance with the pre-determined methodology established for evaluating bids (e.g., lowest responsible bidder or best value).
- d. A Contractor that is a State entity must make all procurements in accordance with State Finance Law Article 11 and any other applicable regulations.
- e. A Contractor that is a local government must make all procurements in accordance with General Municipal Law Article 5-A, and any other applicable regulations.
- f. A Contractor that is a not-for-profit and all other entities that do not meet the descriptions in Section III(S)(7)(d) or (e) herein must make all procurements as noted below:
  - i. If the Contractor is eligible to purchase an item or service from a government contract or is able to purchase such item or service elsewhere at a lower than or equal price, then such purchase may be made immediately.
  - ii. A Contractor may purchase any single piece of equipment, single service or multiples of each that cost up to \$999 at its discretion.
  - iii. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999, a Contractor must secure at least three telephone quotes and create a record for audit of such quotes.
  - iv. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost of between \$5,000 and \$9,999, the Contractor must secure at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and maintain a record of the competitive procurement process for audit purposes.
  - v. A Contractor spending in aggregate of \$10,000 and above must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DHSES. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

g. Acceptance of State support for interoperable and emergency communications projects, including funding through the Interoperable Emergency Communication Grant Program, requires that Contractors must use open-standard/vendor-neutral technologies to allow for other public safety/public service agencies (including State agencies and authorities) and jurisdictions in your region to operate on your radio system(s) when required, regardless of the total percentage of system funding from the State. This access for other agencies must be permitted to support operational and interoperable goals, and without restriction as to specific manufacturers' subscriber equipment. All reasonably compatible subscriber equipment must be permitted to be operated on your system by outside agencies, thus allowing coordinated efforts between local and state public safety/public service agencies and maximizing resources and capabilities.

h. DHSES reserves the right to suspend program funds if the Contractor is found to be in noncompliance with the provisions of this Contract or other grant Contracts between the Contractor and DHSES or, if the Contractor or principals of the Contractor are under investigation by a New York State or local law enforcement agency for noncompliance with State or federal laws or regulatory provisions or, if in DHSES' judgment, the services provided by the Contractor under the Contract are unsatisfactory or untimely.

i. DHSES shall provide the Contractor with written notice of noncompliance.

ii. Upon the Contractor's failure to correct or comply with the written notice by DHSES, DHSES reserves the right to terminate this Contract, recoup funds and recover any assets purchased with the proceeds of this Contract.

i. DHSES reserves the right to use approved grant related expenditures to offset disallowed expenditures from any grant funded through its offices upon appropriate notification to the Contractor, or upon reasonable assurance that the Contractor is not in compliance with these terms.

j. As a result of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 (Act), Chapter 1 of the 2012 Laws of New York, a new provision has been added to the State Finance Law (SFL), § 165-a, effective April 12, 2012. Under the Act, the Commissioner of the Office of General Services (OGS) will be developing a list (prohibited entities list) of 'persons' who are engaged in 'investment activities in Iran' (both are defined terms in the law). Pursuant to SFL § 165-a(3)(b), the initial list is expected to be issued no later than 120 days after the Act's effective date, at which time it will be posted on the OGS website.

i. By entering into this Contract, Contractor (or any assignee) certifies in accordance with State Finance Law §165-a that it is not on the 'Entities Determined to be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers pursuant to the New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012' ('Prohibited Entities List') posted at: <http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf>.

ii. Contractor further certifies that it will not utilize on this Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of this Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before the contract assignment will be approved by the State.

iii. During the term of the Contract, should DHSES receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, the state agency will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the state agency shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

iv. DHSES reserves the right to reject any bid, request for assignment, renewal or extension for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award, assignment, renewal or extension of a contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any entity that is awarded a contract and appears on the Prohibited Entities list after contract award.

## V. FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS

A. Hatch Act. The Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the Contract, to comply with all applicable provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.), as amended.

B. Requirement for System of Award Management: Unless you are exempted from this requirement under 2 CFR 25.110, you as the subrecipient must maintain the currency of your information in the System of Award Management (SAM) until you submit the final financial report required under this award or receive the final payment, whichever is later. This requires that you review and update the information at least annually after the initial registration, and more frequently if required by changes in your information or another award term. Pursuant to section 2 CFR §200.210(a)(2), Contractors must maintain a current unique entity identifier prior to and during the life of the Contract.

C. In accordance with 2 CFR §§200.112 and 200.113, Contractor understands and agrees that it must: (1) disclose in writing any potential conflict of interest to DHSES; and (2) disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to DHSES all violations of federal and state criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the grant award. Failure to make

required disclosures can result in any remedy available to DHSES for Contractor's noncompliance, including suspension or debarment.

D. The Contractor must ensure that, for all contracts entered into by the Contractor, the contract provisions required by 2 CFR §200.326 (and Appendix II to 2 CFR Part 200) are included in such contracts. The Contractor further agrees to impose and enforce this requirement for any Contractor subaward agreements.

E. Where advance payments are approved by DHSES, the Contractor agrees to expend the advance payments in accordance with the purposes set forth in Appendix D and consistent with Appendix B. The advanced funds must be placed in an interest-bearing account and are subject to the rules outlined in 2 CFR Part 200, (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Contracts to State and Local Governments) which require Contractors to promptly remit back to the federal government, through New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, any interest earned on these advanced funds. The Contractor may keep interest earned up to \$500 per federal fiscal year for administrative expenses. This maximum limit is not per award; it is inclusive of all interest earned as the result of all federal grant program funds received per year. Interest must be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports and remitted to DHSES quarterly.

F. Audit Requirements. This Contract, and any sub-awards resulting from this Contract, may be subject to fiscal and program audits by DHSES, NYS Office of State Comptroller, pertinent federal agencies, and other designated entities to ascertain financial compliance with federal and/or State laws, regulations, and guidelines applicable to this Contract. The Contractor shall meet all audit requirements of the federal government and State of New York. Such audits may include review of the Contractor's accounting, financial, and reporting practices to determine compliance with the Contract and reporting requirements; maintenance of accurate and reliable original accounting records in accordance with governmental accounting standards as well as generally accepted accounting principles; and specific compliance with allowable cost and expenditure documentation standards prescribed by applicable federal, State, and DHSES guidelines.

G. Equipment Markings. The Contractor further agrees that, when practicable, any equipment purchased with grant funding shall be prominently marked as follows: 'Purchased with funds provided by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.'

H. Administrative, Cost and Audit Requirements: The Contractor must comply with the most recent version of the Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit requirements. Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit. A list of regulations and guidance applicable to United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) grants are listed below:

1. General Administrative Requirements:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards

2. Cost Principles:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart E

3. Audit Requirements:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F

I. Contracting with small and minority firms, women's business enterprise and labor surplus area firms.

1. Consistent with 2 CFR §200.321, the grantee and any subgrantees will take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible.

2. Affirmative steps must include:

- a. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- b. Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- c. Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- d. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- e. Using the services and assistance, as appropriate, of such organizations as the Small Business Administration and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce; and
- f. Requiring the prime contractor, if subcontracts are to be let, to take the affirmative steps listed in subsections (2)(a) through (e) of this section.

J. Compliance with Laws, Regulations and Program Guidance. The Contractor shall ensure it is aware of and complies with

all applicable laws, regulations and program guidance. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to become familiar with and comply with all terms and conditions associated with acceptance of funds.

**K. Adequate Documentation:** The Contractor must ensure full compliance with all cost documentation requirements, including specific personal service documentation, as applicable directly to the Contractor, sub-recipient or collaborative agency/organization. The Contractor must maintain specific documentation as support for project related personal service expenditures as this Contract is supported by federal funds. Depending upon the nature or extent of personal service provided under this Contract, the Contractor shall maintain semi-annual (or more frequent) personal service certifications and/or an after-the-fact personnel activity reporting system (or equivalent) which complies with all applicable laws, regulations and program guidance. Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs.

**L. Single Audit Requirements:** For audits of fiscal years beginning on or after December 26, 2014, recipients that expend \$750,000 or more from all federal funding sources during their fiscal year are required to submit an organization-wide financial and compliance audit report. The audit must be performed in accordance with the requirements of GAO's Government Auditing Standards, located at <http://www.gao.gov/govaud/ybk01.htm>, and the requirements of Subpart F of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, located at <http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=63811dc3410c008e2f8e28c325cdc09e&mc=true&node=sp2.1.200.f&rgn=div6>.

For audits of fiscal years beginning prior to December 26, 2014, recipients that expend \$500,000 or more from all federal funding sources during their fiscal year are required to submit an organization-wide financial and compliance audit report. The audit must be performed in accordance with GAO's Government Auditing Standards, located at <http://www.gao.gov/govaud/ybk01.htm>, and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, located at [https://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/a133/a133\\_revised\\_2007.pdf](https://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/a133/a133_revised_2007.pdf).

The final report for such audit must be completed within nine months of the end of the Contractor's fiscal year. The Contractor must provide one copy of such audit report to DHSES within nine (9) months of the end of its fiscal year, or communicate in writing to DHSES that Contractor is exempt from such requirement.

**M. Program Income:** Program income earned by the Contractor during the grant funding Period must be reported in writing to DHSES, in addition to any other statutory reporting requirements. Program income consists of income earned by the grant recipient that is directly generated by a supported activity or earned as a result of the grant program. Program income includes, but is not limited to, income from fees for services performed, the use of rental or real or personal property acquired under federally-funded projects, the sale of commodities or items fabricated under an award, license fees and royalties on patents and copyrights and interest on loans made with federal award funds. For example, if the purpose of a grant is to conduct conferences, any training fees that are generated would be considered program income. Interest earned on grant funds is not considered program income unless specified in Appendix D. The Contractor agrees to report the receipt and expenditures of grant program income to DHSES. Program income (not to include interest earned), generated by the use of these grant funds will be used to enhance the grant project.

**N. Intellectual Property:** Any creative or literary work developed or commissioned by the Contractor with grant support provided by DHSES shall become the property of DHSES, entitling DHSES to assert a copyright therein, unless the parties have expressly agreed otherwise in a written instrument signed by them.

1. If DHSES shares its right to copyright such work with the Contractor, DHSES reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, sub-grant, or contract under a grant or sub-grant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Contractor, sub-Contractor, or a contractor purchases ownership with grant support.

2. If the grant support provided by DHSES is federally-sponsored, the federal awarding agency also reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, sub-grant or contract under a grant or sub-grant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Contractor, sub-Contractor, or a contractor purchases ownership with such grant support.

3. The Contractor shall submit one copy of all reports and publications resulting from this Contract to DHSES within thirty (30) calendar days of completion. Any document generated pursuant to this grant must contain the following language:

'This project was supported by a grant administered by the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. Points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position or policies of the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services or the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.'

**O. Accounting for Grant Expenditures:**

1. Grant funds may be expended only for purposes and activities set forth in this Contract. Accordingly, the most important single requirement of accounting for this grant is the complete and accurate documentation of grant expenditures. If the

Contractor receives funding from two or more sources, all necessary steps must be taken to ensure that grant-related transactions are not commingled. This includes, but is not limited to, the establishment of unique budget codes, a separate cost center, or a separate chart of accounts. Expenditures must be cross-referenced to supporting source documents (purchase orders, contracts, real estate leases, invoices, vouchers, timesheets, mileage logs, etc.).

2. Contractor agrees that it shall maintain adequate internal controls and adhere to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Government or Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Not-for-Profit Organizations.

3. None of the goals, objectives or tasks, as set forth in Appendix D, shall be sub-awarded to another organization without specific prior written approval by DHSES. Where the intention to make sub-awards is clearly indicated in the application, DHSES approval is deemed given, if these activities are funded, as proposed.

4. If this Contract makes provisions for the Contractor to sub-grant funds to other recipients, the Contractor agrees that all sub-Contractors shall be held accountable by the Contractor for all terms and conditions set forth in this Contract in its entirety. The Contractor further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Contract and the Contractor must guarantee the work of any sub-Contractor as if it were its own.

5. The Contractor agrees that all sub-Contractor arrangements shall be formalized in writing between the parties involved. The writing must, at a minimum, include the following information:

- Activities to be performed;
- Time schedule;
- Project policies;
- Other policies and procedures to be followed;
- Dollar limitation of the Contract;
- Appendix A-1, Appendix C, Certified Assurances for Federally Supported Projects, Certification Regarding Lobbying, Debarment and Suspension and any special conditions set forth in the Contract;
- Applicable federal and/or State cost principles to be used in determining allowable costs; and
- Property Records or Equipment Inventory Reports.

P. The Contractor will not be reimbursed for sub-granted funds unless all expenditures by a sub-Contractor are listed on detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES. Backup documentation for such expenditures must be made available to DHSES upon request. All expenditures must be programmatically consistent with the goals and objectives of this Contract and with the Budget set forth in Appendix B.

Q. Space rental provided by this Contract must be supported by a written lease, maintained on file and made available by the Contractor upon request.

R. Equipment and Property:

1. Any equipment, furniture or supplies or other property purchased pursuant to this Contract is deemed to be the property of the State, except as may otherwise be governed by federal or State laws, rules or regulations or stated in this Contract.

2. Equipment means tangible, nonexpendable, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$5,000 or more per unit. A Contractor may use its own definition of equipment provided that such definition would at least include all equipment defined above. A copy of the property record(s) or equipment inventory report(s) with relevant purchasing and supporting documentation must be made available to DHSES upon request. Property records or equipment inventory reports must be maintained, by award, that include a description of the property, a serial number or other identification number, the source of property, who holds title, the acquisition date, and cost of the property, percentage of federal participation in the cost of the property, the location, use and condition of the property, and any ultimate disposition data including the date of disposal and sale price of the property. The Contractor must document receipt of all applicable equipment purchased with grant funds. A physical inventory of the property must be taken and the results reconciled with the property records at least once every two (2) years.

3. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Contractor, DHSES will consider a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds provided the equipment continues to be used in connection with a public security program. When disposing of equipment purchased with homeland security grant funding, a State agency must dispose of equipment in accordance with State Laws and procedures. All other Contractors shall dispose of equipment as follows:

a. Items of equipment with a current per unit market value of less than \$5,000 may be retained, sold or otherwise disposed of with no further obligation to the awarding agency.

b. Items of equipment with a current per unit fair market value of \$5,000 or more may be retained or sold. If sold, the awarding agency shall have a right to an amount calculated by multiplying the proceeds from the sale by the awarding

agency's share of the equipment. If retained, the current market value is to be used in the calculation. To remit payments, award recipients should contact DHSES at 1-866-837-9133 for guidance.

4. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Contractor under this Contract, DHSES shall accept a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds providing the equipment continues to be used in accordance with the contracted activities and guidelines in this Contract.

5. The Contractor must conduct a physical inventory of property records at least once every two years to verify the existence, current utilization and continued need for the property. In the event the property is no longer required by the Contractor, this fact should be reported to DHSES as soon as possible and appropriate guidelines followed, as specified in this Appendix.

6. If Contractor disposes of any equipment purchased under this Contract during the active lifespan of said equipment, Contractor must reinvest any proceeds from the disposal into additional equipment items to continue Contractor's organization's activities subject to the guidelines of this Contract. If the Contractor does not reinvest proceeds to continue activities subject to this Contract, the percentage of the proceeds equal to the proportion of the original purchase price paid by funds for the Contract must be repaid to the State of New York.

#### ENDNOTES:

<sup>1</sup> To the extent that Section V-Federally Funding Grant Requirements conflict with any other provisions of the Contract, the Federal requirements of Section V shall supersede all other provisions of the Contract.

<sup>2</sup> As of October 9, 2012, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of Alaska, Hawaii, Louisiana, South Carolina, West Virginia and Wyoming. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for the most current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

<sup>3</sup> A milestone/performance payment schedule identifies mutually agreed-to payment amounts based on meeting contract events or milestones. Events or milestones must represent integral and meaningful aspects of contract performance and should signify true progress in completing the Contract effort.

<sup>4</sup> Fee for Service is a rate established by the Contractor for a service or services rendered.

<sup>5</sup> Rate based agreements are those agreements in which payment is premised upon a specific established rate per unit.

<sup>6</sup> Scheduled Reimbursement agreements provide for payments that occur at defined and regular intervals that provide for a specified dollar amount to be paid to the Contractor at the beginning of each payment period (i.e. quarterly, monthly or bi-annually). While these payments are related to the particular services and outcomes defined in the Contract, they are not dependent upon particular services or expenses in any one payment period and provide the Contractor with a defined and regular payment over the life of the contract.

<sup>7</sup> Fifth Quarter Payments occur where there are scheduled payments and where there is an expectation that services will be continued through renewals or subsequent contracts. Fifth Quarter Payments allow for the continuation of scheduled payments to a Contractor for the first payment period quarter of an anticipated renewal or new contract.

<sup>8</sup> Not applicable to not-for-profit entities

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**Budget Summary by Participant**

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#	Equipment	AEL	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Decontamination Equipment and Related Items (shelter, sprayer, chlorine kits, sulfur dioxide kits, etc.)	08D1-01-KITD	1	\$15,129.00	\$15,129.00	\$15,129.00	\$0.00
2	Portable Generator and Related Items (generator, water pump, cords,	10GE-00-GENR	1	\$11,352.60	\$11,352.60	\$11,352.60	\$0.00
3	Personal Protective Equipment (level A suits, etc.)	01EM-02-GARM	1	\$5,425.00	\$5,425.00	\$5,425.00	\$0.00
4	Detection Equipment and Related Items (MultiRAE meters, AutoRAE, etc.)	07CD-01-DPMG	1	\$22,093.40	\$22,093.40	\$22,093.40	\$0.00
Total					\$54,000.00	\$54,000.00	\$0.00

#	All Other Expenses	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Maintenance and Calibration of Hazmat Equipment	1	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00
Total				\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$64,000.00	\$64,000.00	\$0.00

Herkimer County

Total Contract Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$64,000.00	\$64,000.00	\$0.00



Award Contract**Project No.**

HM17-1016-D00

**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

09/04/2018

## APPENDIX C

## PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE

For All Contractors:

## I. PAYMENT PROVISIONS

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, DHSES agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page hereof. All payments shall be in accordance with the budget contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget), which is attached hereto.

## A. Payment and Recoupment Language

1. Contractor shall provide complete and accurate vouchers to DHSES in order to receive payment. Vouchers submitted to DHSES must contain all information and supporting documentation required by the Agreement, DHSES and the State Comptroller. Payment for vouchers submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically, unless a paper check is expressly authorized by the Director of DHSES, at the Director's sole discretion, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with the ordinary State procedures and practices. The Contractor shall comply with the State Comptroller's procedures to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), by email at [epunit@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epunit@osc.state.ny.us), or by telephone at (518) 474-4032. Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any vouchers submitted under this Agreement if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Director has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.

2. The Contractor agrees that this is a reimbursement-based contract; an advance may be provided as specified in Appendix D. All requests for reimbursement must reflect actual costs that have been disbursed by the Contractor. Items or services not received are not eligible for reimbursement.

Reimbursement requests need to include the following documents:

- Signed Voucher and Fiscal Cost Report
- Detailed Itemization Forms or other forms deemed acceptable by DHSES of any budgeted category for which reimbursement is requested
- Written documentation of all required DHSES approvals, as appropriate

3. Vouchers shall be submitted in a format acceptable to DHSES and the Office of the State Comptroller. Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the Project Budget (Appendix B) and during the contract period. Such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: a) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and b) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program.

## B. Interim and/or Final Claims for Reimbursement

1. Contractors must submit all required fiscal reports, supporting documentation and program progress reports. Failure to meet these requirements will result in the rejection of associated vouchers. Final vouchers, reimbursement requests and reports must be submitted within 30 days of the end of the grant contract period. Failure to voucher within this period may result in the loss of grant funds. The Contractor must also refund all unexpended advances and interest earned over \$500 on the advanced funds pursuant to 2 CFR Part 200, §200.305(b)(9). Property Records or Equipment Inventory Reports as defined in Appendix A-1, Section V, Paragraph R, must be available at the conclusion of the contract period and submitted to DHSES upon request.

2. If at the end of this contract there remain any monies (advanced or interest earned over \$500 on the advanced funds) associated with this contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall submit a check or money order for that amount payable to the order of the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services. Remit the check along with the final fiscal cost report within 30 days of termination of this grant contract to:

NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services  
Federal Fiscal Unit  
State Campus - Building 7A  
1220 Washington Avenue  
Albany, NY 12242

3. For purposes of prompt payment provisions, the Designated Payment Office for the processing of all vouchers is the Contract Unit of DHSES. Payment of grant vouchers shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Article XI-A of the State Finance Law. Payment shall be preceded by an inspection period of 15 business days which shall be excluded from calculations of the payment due date for purposes of determining eligibility for interest payments. The Contractor must notify the Federal Fiscal Unit in writing of a change of address in order to benefit from the prompt payment provision of the State Finance Law. When progress reports are overdue, vouchers will not be eligible for prompt payment.

4. Timely and properly completed New York State vouchers, with supporting documentation when required, shall be submitted to:

NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services  
 Attention: Contracts Unit  
 State Office Building Campus – Bldg. 7A  
 1220 Washington Avenue, Suite 610  
 Albany, NY 12242

## II. REPORTING PROVISIONS

### A. Required Reports:

#### Narrative/Qualitative Report (Progress Report)

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(i) of Appendix A-1 of the Contract.

#### Expenditure Report (Fiscal Cost Report)

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days after the end date for which reimbursement is being claimed, the report described in Section III, Paragraph G(2)(a)(iii) of the Appendix A-1 of the Contract.

#### Final Report

The Contractor will submit the final report as described in Section III, Paragraph G(2)(a)(iv) of Appendix A-1 of the Contract, no later than 30 days after the end of the contract period.

1. Fiscal cost reports must be submitted showing grant expenditures. They must also show the amount of interest earned to date on any advanced funds.

All submitted vouchers will reflect the Contractor's actual expenditures and will be accompanied by supporting detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES for personal service, fringe benefit and non-personal service expenditures or other documentation as required, and by a fiscal cost report for the reporting period. In the event that any expenditure for which the Contractor has been reimbursed by grant funds is subsequently disallowed, DHSES, in its sole discretion, may reduce the voucher payment by the amount disallowed. If necessary, the Contractor may be required to submit a final budget reallocation.

DHSES reserves the right not to release subsequent grant awards pending Contractor compliance with this Agreement.

2. The Contractor will submit program progress reports and one final report to DHSES on a prescribed form provided by DHSES as well as any additional information or amended data as required.

Progress reports will be due within 30 days of the last day of each calendar quarter or on an alternate schedule as prescribed in Appendix D. Progress reports will be due within 30 days of the last day of the calendar quarter from the start date of the program and the final report will be due upon completion of the project or termination of this Agreement. Calendar quarters, for the purposes of making program progress reports, shall be as follows:

Calendar Quarter: January 1 - March 31 -- Report Due: April 30  
 Calendar Quarter: April 1 - June 30 -- Report Due: July 30  
 Calendar Quarter: July 1 - September 30 -- Report Due: October 30  
 Calendar Quarter: October 1 - December 31 -- Report Due: January 30

The final report, or where applicable interim progress reports, will summarize the project's achievements as well as describe activities for that quarter.

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**Work Plan****Goal**

To promote the development of regional partnerships among the State HazMat community; to build sustainable CBRNE Detection, Response and Decontamination Capabilities; and to enhance the standing of the State's HazMat teams within FEMA's typing system.

**Objective #1**

G & T Workplan Code - 05. Establish/enhance regional response teams.

Investment Justification - CBRNE Detection, Response and Decontamination

**NYS Critical Capability**

Primary - CBRNE Response and Decontamination

To enhance regional response teams.

**Task #1 for Objective #1**

Purchase allowable CBRNE/Hazmat response equipment. Train appropriate personnel in the proper use of the equipment and place the equipment into service.

**# Performance Measure**

1 Identify equipment ordered and received. Provide a brief narrative on the training of personnel and the deployment of equipment. Describe how the project enhanced regional HazMat response team capabilities in the region. Equipment accountability records are properly maintained. Provide explanation if equipment is received but not deployed, and include deployment plans as appropriate.

**Task #2 for Objective #1**

Perform maintenance and calibration of equipment.

**# Performance Measure**

1 Maintenance and/or calibration activities conducted. Provide a brief narrative reporting activities completed and describe how the project enhanced the HazMat regional response team capabilities in the region.

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**Special Conditions****I. ALL GRANT FUNDS:**

Federal grant funds provided are a subaward of Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) funds awarded to the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

**A. Permissible Use of Funding**

1. HSGP funds must be used in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the HSGP Notice of Funding Opportunity, which can be located at <http://www.fema.gov/grants>
2. All expenditures under this grant must support the Goals and Objectives outlined in the 2017 2020 NYS Homeland Security Strategy and approved investment justifications. New York State's Homeland Security Strategy can be located on the DHSES website at <http://www.dhSES.ny.gov/planning/#strat>.
3. Designated Urban Areas under the Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI) must have a charter document on file with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) prior to drawing down UASI funding. The charter must address critical issues such as membership, governance structure, voting rights, grant management and administration responsibilities, and funding allocation methodologies.

**B. Record Requirements**

1. Subrecipients shall keep an agenda and meeting minutes on file for all meetings conducted regarding HSGP funded activities.
2. Any documents produced as a result of these meetings such as plans, schedules, or procedures, will also be kept on file and be made available to DHSES, upon request.

**C. Equipment Purchases**

1. Equipment purchased with grant funds must fall within the allowable equipment categories for HSGP as listed on the Authorized Equipment List (AEL) (<https://www.fema.gov/authorized-equipment-list>).
2. Subrecipients are responsible to request a determination of eligibility from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), through DHSES, for any equipment item in question. Unless otherwise stated in the program guidance, equipment must meet all mandatory regulatory and/or DHS adopted standards to be eligible for purchase using HSGP funds.
3. The New York State Communication Interoperability Plan (SCIP), as well as DHS Grant Guidance for grant funding, requires that all interoperable communications equipment must be on the Authorized Equipment List (AEL) and must comply with the SAFECOM Guidance for Emergency Communication Grants, including provisions on technical standards that ensure and enhance interoperable communications.

**D. Training & Exercise Related Activities**

1. Any non DHS training course to be supported by this award must be submitted in advance to DHSES for written approval.
2. All exercises conducted must be managed and executed in accordance with the Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP). Report scheduled exercises to the DHSES Office of Emergency Management (OEM) Training and Exercise Section 60 days prior to the start of the exercise. An After Action Report/Improvement Plan (AAR/IP) must be prepared and submitted to DHSES following every exercise, regardless of type or scope. AAR/IPs must conform to the HSEEP format and must be submitted within 60 days of completion of the exercise.
3. Subrecipients are required to be NIMS compliant. DHSES requires that subrecipients contact their county point of contact to determine how the particular county requires reporting. Subrecipients are expected to provide DHSES upon request any

data required for annual NIMS certification purposes.

#### E. Law Enforcement Requirements

1. Subrecipients that are law enforcement agencies agree that such funding shall be utilized for prevention, preparedness, and response initiatives consistent with the New York State Homeland Security Strategy, and with Counter Terrorism Zone (CTZ) efforts at the State and local level. This will ensure that fiscal resources are used for seamless and effective counter terrorism planning, training, information sharing, investigation, equipment acquisition, and response functions.
2. Particular attention must be paid to equipment and technology acquisitions, and, where similar technology already exists in the State's law enforcement communities, subrecipients will ensure that interoperability between and among existing law enforcement systems, and the New York State Intelligence Center (NYSIC), is accomplished.
3. Subrecipients further agree to consult with the NYSIC to ensure agency participation and inclusion in New York State's Field Intelligence Officer (FIO) Program.

#### F. EHP Requirements

1. Subrecipients shall comply with all applicable federal, State, and local environmental and historic preservation (EHP) requirements and shall provide any information requested by FEMA to ensure compliance with applicable laws including: National Environmental Policy Act, National Historic Preservation Act, Endangered Species Act, and Executive Orders on Floodplains (11988), Wetlands (11990) and Environmental Justice (12898).
2. Failure of subrecipients to meet federal, State, and local EHP requirements and obtain applicable permits may jeopardize federal funding. Subrecipients shall not undertake any project having the potential to impact EHP resources without the prior approval of FEMA, including but not limited to communications towers, physical security enhancements, new construction, and modifications to buildings. Subrecipients must comply with all conditions placed on the project as the result of the EHP review.
3. Any change to the approved project scope of work will require re-evaluation for compliance with these EHP requirements.
4. If ground disturbing activities occur during project implementation, subrecipients must ensure monitoring of ground disturbance and if any potential archeological resources are discovered, such subrecipient will immediately cease construction in that area and notify FEMA and the appropriate State Historic Preservation Office.
5. Any activities requiring environmental and historic preservation review that have been initiated prior to FEMA approval could result in non-compliance finding. For your convenience, the screening form is available at: <http://www.dhSES.ny.gov/grants/eph.cfm>.

#### G. Equipment Maintenance Requirements

1. Subrecipients must track grant funds used for maintenance contracts, warranties, repair or replacement costs and upgrades, and report such expenditures in fiscal and program reports.

#### H. New York State Emergency Management Certification and Training Program

1. Participation in and successful completion of the New York State Emergency Management Certification and Training Program (EMC Training Program) is a mandatory requirement under this Contract and a condition of funding. The EMC Training Program will be made available to, and required for, DHSES specified county and city government officials in order to ensure a consistent emergency management preparedness and response strategy across the State. Attendee substitutions, except as expressly approved by DHSES, shall not be permitted or deemed to be in compliance with this requirement.
2. To fulfill the EMC Training Program requirement of the Contract and in order to be eligible for funding under this Contract, subrecipients must arrange for DHSES specified subrecipient employees to receive and acknowledge receipt of EMC Training no later than 180 days after execution of this Contract. Copies of the training certificates for each required participant must be submitted to DHSES upon execution of the Contract, or, in the event that training is scheduled, but not yet complete, the subrecipient will be required to submit a signed statement indicating the scheduled future dates of attendance, and no later than thirty (30) days after the training is complete, forward such training certificates to DHSES. Continued compliance with the EMC Training Program also requires an annual refresher training of one day per 365 day cycle from the date of initial training for previously trained individuals if such person remains employed by the subrecipient and fulfilling the same functions as he or she fulfilled during the initial training. Should a new employee be designated to serve in the DHSES specified positions, then he or she must come into compliance with the EMC Training Program requirements not later than 180 days after taking office.

3. Subrecipient must commit to active participation in a DHSES Annual Capabilities Assessment as a condition of funding. Active participation includes making reasonable staff, records, information, and time resources available to DHSES to perform the Annual Capabilities Assessment and meet the objectives and goals of the program. Subrecipients must be aware that the process of conducting a DHSES Annual Risk Assessment is an ongoing process and requires a continued commitment on the part of the subrecipient to ensure that it is effective.
4. All subrecipients funded through this program agree to provide DHSES, upon request at any time during the life of the grant contract, such cooperation and information deemed necessary by DHSES to ascertain: (1) the nature and extent of any threats or hazards that may pose a risk to the subrecipient ; and (2) the status of any corresponding subrecipient plans, capabilities, or other resources for preventing, protecting against, mitigating, responding to, and recovering from such threats or hazards.
5. Additionally, pursuant to Article 26 of the NYS Executive law, DHSES is authorized to undertake periodic drills and simulations designed to assess and prepare responses to terrorist acts or threats and other natural and man made disasters. Funded subrecipients agree to attend and participate in any DHSES sponsored conferences, training, workshops or meetings (excluding those identified by DHSES as voluntary) that may be conducted, by and at the request of DHSES, during the life of the grant contract.
6. Failure to comply with any of the requirements, as listed above, may result in sanctions up to and including the immediate suspension and/or revocation of the grant award.



ONEIDA COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES  
FIRE COORDINATOR  
911 CENTER

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
County Executive

KEVIN W. REVERE  
Director

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August 20, 2018

Hon. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

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PUBLIC SAFETY

WAYS & MEANS

Dear County Executive Picente,

Attached is a grant contract from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services awarding Oneida County \$198,692.00 through its State Homeland Security Program. The funds will be used to purchase computer equipment and related items for the purpose of enhancing terrorism intelligence and early-warning system infrastructure capabilities.

There is no funding match required. No County dollars will be necessary for this project.

If you find this grant contract acceptable, I ask that you forward same to the Board of Legislators. I ask approval for the following:

- A.) Establishment of Capital Project H-585 – Emergency Services – SH18-1023-D00 SHSP Grant, and
- B.) Funding for Capital Project H-585 as follows:
  - H-585 - State Aid..... \$198,692.00, and
- C.) Approval of the attached grant contract, which also needs electronic signature.

If you have any questions, please advise me. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Kevin W. Revere  
Director

Cc: Tom Keeler  
Sheryl Brown  
File



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-28-18



Oneida Co. Department: Emergency Services

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** New York State Division of Homeland Security  
and Emergency Services  
1220 Washington Avenue  
Building 7A, Suite 710  
Albany, NY 12242

**Title of Activity or Service:** Homeland Security SHSP Grant FY2018-2021  
SH18-1023-D00

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2021

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** This grant will provide funding to purchase information technology equipment and related items, such as computers, batteries, modems, etc. to enhance anti-terrorism capabilities.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** This program will assist in covering costs of communications equipment.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** N/A

**Total Funding Requested:** \$198,692.00

**Account #** H-585

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$198,692.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State funds

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** None

<u>STATE AGENCY</u> New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services 1220 Washington Avenue Building 7A Suite 710 Albany, NY 12242	<u>NYS COMPTROLLER'S NUMBER:</u> C972080 (Contract Number)  <u>ORIGINATING AGENCY CODE:</u> 01077
<u>GRANTEE/CONTRACTOR:</u> (Name & Address) Oneida County 800 Park Avenue Utica, NY 13501	<u>TYPE OF PROGRAMS:</u> WM2018 SHSP <u>CFDA NUMBER:</u> 97.067 <u>DHSES NUMBERS:</u> WM18972080
<u>FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NO:</u> 15-6000460 <u>MUNICIPALITY NO:</u> (if applicable) 300100000 000 <u>SFS VENDER NO:</u> 1000002595 <u>DUN &amp; BRADSTREET NO:</u> 075814186	<u>INITIAL CONTRACT PERIOD:</u> FROM 09/01/2018 TO 08/31/2021 <u>FUNDING AMOUNT FOR INITIAL PERIOD:</u> \$198,692.00
<u>STATUS:</u> Contractor is not a sectarian entry. Contractor is not a not-for-profit organization.	<u>MULTI-YEAR TERM:</u> (if applicable)
<u>CHARITIES REGISTRATION NUMBER:</u> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 15px; margin: 5px 0;"></div> (Enter number of Exempt) if "Exempt" is entered above, reason for exemption. <u>0 - not exempt</u>  <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;"> Contractor has _____ has not _____ timely  filed with the Attorney General's Charities  Bureau all required periodic or annual written  reports. </div>	<u>APPENDIX ATTACHED AND PART OF THIS AGREEMENT</u> ___ APPENDIX A Standard Clauses required by the Attorney General for all State contracts <u>X</u> APPENDIX A1 Agency-specific Clauses <u>X</u> APPENDIX B Budget <u>X</u> APPENDIX C Payment and Reporting Schedule <u>X</u> APPENDIX D Program Workplan and Special Conditions ___ APPENDIX X Modification Agreement Form (to accompany modified appendices for changes in terms or considerations on an existing period or for renewal periods) ___ DHSES-55 Budget Amendment/Grant Extension Request ___ Other - Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion _____ _____
IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have electronically executed or approved this AGREEMENT on the dates of their signatures.	
NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services BY: _____ Date: _____ <u>State Agency Certification:</u> "In addition to the acceptance of this contract, I also certify that original copies of this signature page will be attached to all other exact copies of this contract". GRANTEE: BY: Hon. Anthony J. Picente Jr., County Executive Date: _____	
ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE  _____ Title: _____ Date: _____	COMPTROLLER'S SIGNATURE  _____ Title: _____ Date: _____

**Award Contract**

**Project No.**

SH18-1023-D00

**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

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**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

08/17/2018

NEW YORK STATE  
DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES  
GRANT CONTRACT

## APPENDIX A-1

The Contract is hereby made by and between the State of New York, acting by and through the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES or State Agency) and the public or private entity ('Contractor' or 'Subrecipient') identified on the face page hereof (Face Page).

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the State has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services, design or the execution and performance of construction projects, as applicable and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services or work, as applicable; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor is ready, willing and able to provide such program services or the execution and performance of construction projects and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services or work, as applicable, required pursuant to the terms of the Contract;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities, and covenants herein, the State and the Contractor agree as follows:

## STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## I. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. Executory Clause: In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under the Contract to the Contractor, or to anyone else, beyond funds appropriated and available for the Contract.

B. Required Approvals: In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if the Contract is with the State University of New York (SUNY) or City University of New York (CUNY), Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if the Contract exceeds \$50,000 (or \$85,000 for contracts let by the Office of General Services, or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) for certain SUNY and CUNY contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount including, but not limited to, changes in amount, consideration, scope or contract term identified on the Face Page (Contract Term), it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the New York Attorney General Contract Approval Unit (AG) and OSC. If, by the Contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the AG and OSC.

Budget Changes: An amendment that would result in a transfer of funds among program activities or budget categories that does not affect the amount, consideration, scope or other terms of such contract may be subject to the approval of the Offices of the State Comptroller and Attorney General where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of less than five million dollars, or five percent for contracts of more than five million dollars; and, in addition, such amendment may be subject to prior approval by the applicable State Agency as detailed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

C. Contract Parts: This Contract incorporates the face pages attached, this Appendix and all of the marked Appendices identified on the face page hereof.

D. Order of Precedence: In the event of a conflict among (i) the terms of the Contract (including any and all Appendices and amendments) or (ii) between the terms of the Contract and the original request for proposal, the program application or other Appendix that was completed and executed by the Contractor in connection with the Contract, the order of precedence is as follows:

1. Appendix A-1<sup>1</sup>

2. Modifications to the Face Page

3. Modifications to Appendices B, C and D

4. The Face Page

5. Appendices B, C and D

6. Other attachments, including, but not limited to, the request for proposal or program application

E. Governing Law: This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

F. Funding: Funding for the entire Contract Period shall not exceed the funding amount specified as 'Funding Amount for the Initial Period' on the Face Page hereof or as subsequently revised to reflect an approved renewal or cost amendment. Funding for the initial and subsequent periods of the Contract shall not exceed the applicable amounts specified in the applicable Appendix B form (Budget).

G. Contract Period: The period of this Contract shall be as specified on the face page hereof.

H. Contract Performance: The Contractor shall perform all services or work, as applicable, and comply with all provisions of the Contract to the satisfaction of the State. The Contractor shall provide services or work, as applicable, and meet the program objectives summarized in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions) in accordance with the provisions of the Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative, program and fiscal guidelines, and where applicable, operating certificate for facilities or licenses for an activity or program. For federally-funded grants, DHSES will conduct an evaluation to determine risks posted by Contractors in managing federal awards. Consistent with 2 CFR §200.331, the results of the evaluation may result in the imposition special conditions to this Contract including but not limited to increased monitoring, suspension of reimbursements and cancellation of the Contract.

I. Modifications: To modify the Contract, the parties shall revise or complete the appropriate appendix form(s). Any change in the amount of consideration to be paid, change in scope, or change in the term, is subject to the approval of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller. Any other modifications shall be processed in accordance with DHSES guidelines as stated in this Contract.

J. Severability: Any provision of the Contract that is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be ineffective only to the extent of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability, without affecting in any way the remaining provisions hereof; provided, however, that the parties to the Contract shall attempt in good faith to reform the Contract in a manner consistent with the intent of any such ineffective provision for the purpose of carrying out such intent. If any provision is held void, invalid or unenforceable with respect to particular circumstances, it shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect in all other circumstances.

K. Interpretation: The headings in the Contract are inserted for convenience and reference only and do not modify or restrict any of the provisions herein. All personal pronouns used herein shall be considered to be gender neutral. The Contract has been made under the laws of the State of New York, and the venue for resolving any disputes hereunder shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

L. Notice:

1. All notices, except for notices of termination, shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:

a. by certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;

b. by facsimile transmission;

c. by personal delivery;

d. by expedited delivery service; or

e. by e-mail.

2. Notices to the State shall be addressed to the Program Office.

3. Notices to the Contractor shall be addressed to the Contractor's designee.

4. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery services or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in

the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or e-mail, upon receipt.

5. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different e-mail address, facsimile number or address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under the Contract by giving fifteen (15) calendar days prior written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of receiving notices under the Master Contract. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation, administration, billing and resolving issues and/or disputes.

M. Service of Process: In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules (CPLR), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. The Contractor shall have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

N. Set-Off Rights: The State shall have all of its common law, equitable, and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold, for the purposes of set-off, any moneys due to the Contractor under the Contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to the Contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of the Contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies, or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of setoff pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by DHSES, its representatives, or OSC.

O. Indemnification: The Contractor shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the Contractor or its subcontractors pursuant to this Contract. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the State and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and cost of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to the Contract.

P. Non-Assignment Clause: In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, the Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet, or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so shall be considered to be null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract, let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law, may be waived at the discretion of DHSES and with the concurrence of OSC, where the original contract was subject to OSC's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger, or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that the merged contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless the Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

Q. Legal Action: No litigation or regulatory action shall be brought against the federal government, the State of New York, DHSES or against any county or other local government entity with the funds provided under the Contract. The term 'litigation' shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from any of the federal government, the State of New York, DHSES or any county or other local government entity. The term 'regulatory action' shall include commencing or threatening to commence a regulatory proceeding, or requesting any regulatory relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity.

R. No Arbitration: Disputes involving the Contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

S. Secular Purpose: Services performed pursuant to the Contract are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

T. Partisan Political Activity and Lobbying: Funds provided pursuant to the Contract shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that attempt to influence legislation or election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

U. Reciprocity and Sanctions Provisions: The Contractor is hereby notified that if its principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state, or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services it offers shall be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that it be denied contracts which it would otherwise obtain.<sup>2</sup>

V. Reporting Fraud and Abuse: Contractor acknowledges that it has reviewed information on how to prevent, detect, and report fraud, waste and abuse of public funds, including information about the federal False Claims Act, the New York State False Claims Act and whistleblower protections.

W. Non-Collusive Bidding: By submission of this bid, the Contractor and each person signing on behalf of the Contractor certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive binding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

X. Federally Funded Grants: All of the specific federal requirements that are applicable to the Contract are identified in Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix. To the extent that the Contract is funded in whole or part with federal funds, (i) the provisions of the Contract that conflict with federal rules, federal regulations, or federal program specific requirements shall not apply and (ii) the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable federal rules, regulations and program specific requirements including, but not limited to, those provisions that are set forth in Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix. To the extent that section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) conflict with any other provisions of the Contract, the federal requirements of Section V shall supersede all other provisions of the Contract where required.

Y. The Contractor must meet the program objectives summarized in the Program Work Plan and Special Conditions (Appendix D) to the satisfaction of DHSES in accordance with provisions of the Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative and fiscal guidelines and, where applicable, operating certificates for facilities or license for an activity or program.

## II. TERM, TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

A. Term: The term of the Contract shall be as specified on the Face Page, unless terminated sooner as provided herein.

### B. Renewal:

1. General Renewal: The Contract may consist of successive periods on the same terms and conditions, as specified within the Contract (a 'Simplified Renewal Contract'). Each additional or superseding period shall be on the forms specified by the State and shall be incorporated in the Contract.

### 2. Renewal Notice to Not-for-Profit Contractors:

a. Pursuant to State Finance Law §179-t, if the Contract is with a not-for-profit Contractor and provides for a renewal option, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Contract no later than ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Contract, unless funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation. If funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Contract the later of: (1) ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Contract, and (2) thirty (30) calendar days after the necessary appropriation becomes law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the State is unable to comply with the time frames set forth in this paragraph due to unusual circumstances beyond the control of the State ('Unusual Circumstances'), no payment of interest shall be due to the not-for-profit Contractor. For purposes of State Finance Law §179-t, 'Unusual Circumstances' shall not mean the failure by the State to (i) plan for implementation of a program, (ii) assign sufficient staff resources to implement a program, (iii) establish a schedule for the implementation of a program or (iv) anticipate any other reasonably foreseeable circumstance.

b. Notification to the not-for-profit Contractor of the State's intent to not renew the Contract must be in writing in the form of a letter, with the reason(s) for the non-renewal included. If the State does not provide notice to the not-for-profit Contractor of its intent not to renew the Contract as required in this Section and State Finance Law §179-t, the Contract shall be deemed continued until the date the State provides the necessary notice to the Contractor, in accordance with State Finance Law §179-t. Expenses incurred by the not-for-profit Contractor during such extension shall be reimbursable under the terms of the Contract.

### C. Termination:

#### 1. Grounds:

a. Mutual Consent: The Contract may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the State and the Contractor.

b. Cause: The State may terminate the Contract immediately, upon written notice of termination to the Contractor, if the



Contractor fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of the Contract and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies, or procedures that are applicable to the Contract.

c. **Non-Responsibility:** In accordance with the provisions of this Contract, the State may make a final determination that the Contractor is non-responsible (Determination of Non-Responsibility). In such event, the State may terminate the Contract at the Contractor's expense, complete the contractual requirements in any manner the State deems advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

d. **Convenience:** The State may terminate the Contract in its sole discretion upon thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice.

e. **Lack of Funds:** If for any reason the State or the Federal government terminates or reduces its appropriation to the applicable State Agency entering into the Contract or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of one or more programs funded under this Contract, the Contract may be terminated or reduced at DHSES's discretion, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor where funds are available to DHSES for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Contract, all remaining funds paid to the Contractor that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor shall be returned to DHSES. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by the State (including DHSES) beyond monies available for the purposes of the Contract. The Contractor acknowledges that any funds due to DHSES or the State of New York because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be the Contractor's responsibility.

f. **Force Majeure:** The State may terminate or suspend its performance under the Contract immediately upon the occurrence of a 'force majeure'. For purposes of the Contract, 'Force majeure' shall include, but not be limited to, natural disasters, war, rebellion, insurrection, riot, strikes, lockout and any unforeseen circumstances and acts beyond the control of the State which render the performance of its obligations impossible.

## 2. Notice of Termination:

a. **Service of notice:** Written notice of termination shall be sent by:

i. personal messenger service; or

ii. certified mail, return receipt requested and first class mail.

b. **Effective date of termination:** The effective date of the termination shall be the later of (i) the date indicated in the notice and (ii) the date the notice is received by the Contractor, and shall be established as follows:

i. if the notice is delivered by hand, the date of receipt shall be established by the receipt given to the Contractor or by affidavit of the individual making such hand delivery attesting to the date of delivery; or

ii. if the notice is delivered by registered or certified mail, by the receipt returned from the United States Postal Service, or if no receipt is returned, five (5) business days from the date of mailing of the first class letter, postage prepaid, in a depository under the care and control of the United States Postal Service.

## 3. Effect of Notice and Termination on State's Payment Obligations:

a. Upon receipt of notice of termination, the Contractor agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the State.

b. The State shall be responsible for payment on claims for services or work provided and costs incurred pursuant to the terms of the Contract. In no event shall the State be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the requirements of the Contract after its termination date.

## 4. Effect of Termination Based on Misuse or Conversion of State or Federal Property:

Where the Contract is terminated for cause based on Contractor's failure to use some or all of the real property or equipment purchased pursuant to the Contract for the purposes set forth herein, the State may, at its option, require:

a. the repayment to the State of any monies previously paid to the Contractor; or

b. the return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of the Contract; or

c. an appropriate combination of clauses (a) and (b) of Section II(C)(4) herein.

Nothing herein shall be intended to limit the State's ability to pursue such other legal or equitable remedies as may be available.

D. Suspension: The State may, in its discretion, order the Contractor to suspend performance for a reasonable period of time. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given a formal written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor shall comply with the particulars of the notice. The State shall have no obligation to reimburse Contractor's expenses during such suspension period. Activities may resume at such time as the State issues a formal written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

### III. PAYMENT AND REPORTING

#### A. Terms and Conditions:

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, DHSES agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page.
2. The State has no obligation to make payment until all required approvals, including the approval of the AG and OSC, if required, have been obtained. Contractor obligations or expenditures that precede the start date of the Contract shall not be reimbursed.
3. The Contractor must provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the State in order to receive payment. Provided, however, the State may, at its discretion, automatically generate a voucher in accordance with an approved contract payment schedule. Billing invoices submitted to the State must contain all information and supporting documentation required by Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein. The State may require the Contractor to submit billing invoices electronically.
4. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the head of DHSES, in the sole discretion of the head of such State Agency, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with OSC's procedures and practices to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), by email at [epunit@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epunit@osc.state.ny.us), or by telephone at (518) 474-4032. Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any vouchers submitted under this Contract if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Director has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.
5. If travel expenses are an approved expenditure under this Contract, travel expenses shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Contractor, the OSC guidelines, or United States General Services Administration rates. No out-of-state travel costs shall be permitted unless specifically detailed and pre-approved by the State.
6. Timeliness of advance payments or other claims for reimbursement, and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment, shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.
7. Article 11-B of the State Finance Law sets forth certain time frames for the Full Execution of contracts or renewal contracts with not-for-profit organizations and the implementation of any program plan associated with such contract. For purposes of this section, 'Full Execution' shall mean that the contract has been signed by all parties thereto and has obtained the approval of the AG and OSC. Any interest to be paid on a missed payment to the Contractor based on a delay in the Full Execution of the Master Contract shall be governed by Article 11-B of the State Finance Law.

#### B. Advance Payment and Recoupment:

1. Advance payments, which the State in its sole discretion may make to not-for-profit grant recipients, shall be made and recouped in accordance with State Finance Law Section 179(u), this Section and the provisions of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).
2. Advance payments made by the State to not-for-profit grant recipients shall be due no later than thirty (30) calendar days, excluding legal holidays, after the first day of the Contract Term or, if renewed, in the period identified on the Face Page.
3. For subsequent contract years in multi-year contracts, Contractor will be notified of the scheduled advance payments for the upcoming contract year no later than 90 days prior to the commencement of the contract year. For simplified renewals, the payment schedule (Appendix C) will be modified as part of the renewal process.
4. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting the percentage of subsequent claims listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein and such claims shall be reduced until the

advance is fully recovered within the Contract Term. Any unexpended advance balance at the end of the Contract Term shall be refunded by the Contractor to the State.

5. If for any reason the amount of any claim is not sufficient to cover the proportionate advance amount to be recovered, then subsequent claims may be reduced until the advance is fully recovered.

### C. Claims for Reimbursement:

1. The Contractor shall submit claims for the reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the State under the Contract in accordance with this Section and the applicable claiming schedule in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the applicable Appendix B form (Budget) and during the Contract Term. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: (i) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and (ii) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program. Requirement (ii) does not apply to grants funded pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation.

2. Consistent with the selected reimbursement claiming schedule in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the appropriate following provisions:

a. Quarterly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES quarterly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

b. Monthly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES monthly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

c. Biannual Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES biannually voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

d. Milestone/Performance Reimbursement:<sup>3</sup> Requests for payment based upon an event or milestone may be either severable or cumulative. A severable event/milestone is independent of accomplishment of any other event. If the event is cumulative, the successful completion of an event or milestone is dependent on the previous completion of another event. Milestone payments shall be made to the Contractor when requested in a form approved by the State, and at frequencies and in amounts stated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). DHSES shall make milestone payments subject to the Contractor's satisfactory performance.

e. Fee for Service Reimbursement:<sup>4</sup> Payment shall be limited to only those fees specifically agreed upon in the Contract and shall be payable no more frequently than monthly upon submission of a voucher by the contractor.

f. Rate Based Reimbursement:<sup>5</sup> Payment shall be limited to rate(s) established in the Contract. Payment may be requested no more frequently than monthly.

g. Scheduled Reimbursement:<sup>6</sup> DHSES shall generate vouchers at the frequencies and amounts as set forth in Appendix C(Payment and Reporting Schedule).

h. Interim Reimbursement: DHSES may generate vouchers on an interim basis and the amounts requested by the Contract as set forth in Attachment C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

i. Fifth Quarter Payments:<sup>7</sup> Fifth quarter payment shall be paid to the Contractor at the conclusion of the final scheduled payment period of the preceding contract period. DHSES shall use a written directive for fifth quarter financing. DHSES shall generate a voucher in the fourth quarter of the current contract year to pay the scheduled payment for the next contract year.

3. The Contractor shall also submit supporting fiscal documentation for the expenses claimed.

4. The State reserves the right to withhold up to fifteen percent (15%) of the total amount of the Contract as security for the faithful completion of services or work, as applicable, under the Contract. This amount may be withheld in whole or in part from any single payment or combination of payments otherwise due under the Contract. In the event that such withheld

funds are insufficient to satisfy Contractor's obligations to the State, the State may pursue all available remedies, including the right of setoff and recoupment.

5. The State shall not be liable for payments on the Contract if it is made pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation if insufficient monies are available pursuant to Section 99-d of the State Finance Law.

6. All vouchers submitted by the Contractor pursuant to the Contract shall be submitted to DHSES no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the end date of the period for which reimbursement is claimed. In no event shall the amount received by the Contractor exceed the budget amount approved by DHSES, and, if actual expenditures by the Contractor are less than such sum, the amount payable by DHSES to the Contractor shall not exceed the amount of actual expenditures.

7. All obligations must be incurred prior to the end date of the contract. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section III(C)(6) above, with respect to the final period for which reimbursement is claimed, so long as the obligations were incurred prior to the end date of the contract, the Contractor shall have up to ninety (90) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures; provided, however, that if the Contract is funded in whole or in part with federal funds, the Contractor shall have up to sixty (60) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures.

#### D. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification:

1. Every voucher or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a State Agency by the Contractor, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property, must include the Contractor's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System, and any or all of the following identification numbers: (i) the Contractor's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the Contractor's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) DUNS number. Failure to include such identification number or numbers may delay payment by the State to the Contractor. Where the Contractor does not have such number or numbers, the Contractor, on its voucher or Claim for Payment, must provide the reason or reasons for why the Contractor does not have such number or numbers.

2. The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of DHSES contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by the Contract. This information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York, 12236.

#### E. Refunds:

1. In the event that the Contractor must make a refund to the State for Contract-related activities, including repayment of an advance or an audit disallowance, payment must be made payable as set forth in this Appendix. The Contractor must reference the contract number with its payment and include a brief explanation of why the refund is being made. Refund payments must be submitted to the Office address listed in Appendix C.

2. If at the end or termination of the Contract, there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under the Contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall make payment within forty-five (45) calendar days of the end or termination of the Contract. In the event that the Contractor fails to refund such balance the State may pursue all available remedies.

F. Outstanding Amounts Owed to the State: Prior period overpayments (including, but not limited to, contract advances in excess of actual expenditures) and/or audit recoveries associated with the Contractor may be recouped against future payments made under this Contract to Contractor. The recoupment generally begins with the first payment made to the Contractor following identification of the overpayment and/or audit recovery amount. In the event that there are no payments to apply recoveries against, the Contractor shall make payment as provided in Section III(E) (Refunds) herein.

#### G. Program and Fiscal Reporting Requirements:

1. The Contractor shall submit required periodic reports in accordance with the applicable schedule provided in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). All required reports or other work products developed pursuant to the Contract must be completed as provided by the agreed upon work schedule in a manner satisfactory and acceptable to DHSES in order for the Contractor to be eligible for payment.

2. Consistent with the selected reporting options in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall

comply with the following applicable provisions:

a. If the Expenditure Based Reports option is indicated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide DHSES with one or more of the following reports as required by the following provisions and Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

i. Narrative/Qualitative Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a report, in narrative form, summarizing the services rendered during the quarter. This report shall detail how the Contractor has progressed toward attaining the qualitative goals enumerated in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). This report should address all goals and objectives of the project and include a discussion of problems encountered and steps taken to solve them.

ii. Statistical/Quantitative Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed report analyzing the quantitative aspects of the program plan, as appropriate (e.g., number of meals served, clients transported, patient/client encounters, procedures performed, training sessions conducted, etc.).

iii. Expenditure Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed expenditure report, by object of expense. This report shall accompany the voucher submitted for such period.

iv. Final Report: The Contractor shall submit a final report as required by the Contract, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) which reports on all aspects of the program and detailing how the use of funds were utilized in achieving the goals set forth in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions).

v. Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR): The Contractor shall submit a CFR, which includes a year-end cost report and final claim not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

b. If the Performance-Based Reports option is indicated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide DHSES with the following reports as required by the following provisions and Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

i. Progress Report: The Contractor shall provide DHSES with a written progress report using the forms and formats as provided by DHSES, summarizing the work performed during the period. These reports shall detail the Contractor's progress toward attaining the specific goals enumerated in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). Progress reports shall be submitted in a format prescribed in the Contract.

ii. Final Progress Report: Final scheduled payment is due during the time period set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The deadline for submission of the final report shall be the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). DHSES shall complete its audit and notify the Contractor of the results no later than the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). Payment shall be adjusted by DHSES to reflect only those services/expenditures that were made in accordance with the Contract. The Contractor shall submit a detailed comprehensive final progress report not later than the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), summarizing the work performed during the entire Contract Term (i.e., a cumulative report), in the forms and formats required.

3. In addition to the periodic reports stated above, the Contractor may be required (a) to submit such other reports as are required in Table 1 of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), and (b) prior to receipt of final payment under the Contract, to submit one or more final reports in accordance with the form, content, and schedule stated in Table 1 of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

#### H. Notification of Significant Occurrences:

1. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of this project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones or other program requirements, the Contractor agrees to submit to DHSES within three (3) calendar days of becoming aware of the occurrence or of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

2. The Contractor shall immediately notify in writing the program manager assigned to the Contract of any unusual incident, occurrence, or event that involves the staff, volunteers, directors or officers of the Contractor, any subcontractor or program participant funded through the Contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity that could impact the successful completion of this project; any destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor; or other matters of a similarly serious nature.

#### IV. ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

##### A. Contractor as an Independent Contractor/Employees:

1. The State and the Contractor agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor and not an employee of the State and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee, or subdivision of the State nor make any claim, demand, or application to or for any right based upon any different status. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Contract, and all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.
2. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff, and any and all subcontractors have all the necessary licenses, approvals, and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable local, state, or Federal government to perform the services or work, as applicable, pursuant to the Contract and/or any subcontract entered into under the Contract. The Contractor further agrees that such required licenses, approvals, and certificates shall be kept in full force and effect during the term of the Contract, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals, or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and subcontractors to obtain the requisite licenses, approvals, or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval, or certification to perform the services or work, as applicable, under the Contract, Contractor shall immediately notify the State.

##### B. Subcontractors:

1. If the Contractor enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to the Contract, the Contractor shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Contract. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the State.
2. If requested by the State, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, that are in excess of \$100,000 for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written permission of the State, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract in excess of \$100,000 prior to giving written permission to the Contractor to enter into the subcontract. All agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of the Contract, (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Contract, and (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under the Contract, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the State. In addition, subcontracts shall contain any other provisions which are required to be included in subcontracts pursuant to the terms herein.
3. If requested by the State, prior to executing a subcontract, the Contractor agrees to require the subcontractor to provide to the State the information the State needs to determine whether a proposed subcontractor is a responsible vendor.
4. If requested by the State, when a subcontract equals or exceeds \$100,000, the subcontractor must submit a Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire (Questionnaire).
5. If requested by the State, when a subcontract is executed, the Contractor must provide detailed subcontract information (a copy of subcontract will suffice) to the State within fifteen (15) calendar days after execution. The State may request from the Contractor copies of subcontracts between a subcontractor and its subcontractor.
6. The Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors to submit to the Contractor all financial claims for Services or work to DHSES, as applicable, rendered and required supporting documentation and reports as necessary to permit Contractor to meet claim deadlines and documentation requirements as established in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III. Subcontractors shall be paid by the Contractor on a timely basis after submitting the required reports and vouchers for reimbursement of services or work, as applicable. Subcontractors shall be informed by the Contractor of the possibility of non-payment or rejection by the Contractor of claims that do not contain the required information, and/or are not received by the Contractor by said due date.

##### C. Use of Material, Equipment, or Personnel:

1. The Contractor shall not use materials, equipment, or personnel paid for under the Contract for any activity other than those provided for under the Contract, except with the State's prior written permission.
2. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the State shall be deemed to be the property of the State and shall either be credited to the State at the close-out of the Contract or, upon the written permission of the State, shall be expended on additional services or work, as applicable, provided for under the Contract.

##### D. Property:

1. Property is real property, equipment, or tangible personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$1,000 or more per unit.
  - a. If an item of Property required by the Contractor is available as surplus to the State, the State at its sole discretion, may arrange to provide such Property to the Contractor in lieu of the purchase of such Property.
  - b. If the State consents in writing, the Contractor may retain possession of Property owned by the State, as provided herein, after the termination of the Contract to use for similar purposes. Otherwise, the Contractor shall return such Property to the State at the Contractor's cost and expense upon the expiration of the Contract.
  - c. In addition, the Contractor agrees to permit the State to inspect the Property and to monitor its use at reasonable intervals during the Contractor's regular business hours.
  - d. The Contractor shall be responsible for maintaining and repairing Property purchased or procured under the Contract at its own cost and expense. The Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance at its own cost and expense in an amount satisfactory to DHSES naming DHSES as an additional insured, covering the loss, theft or destruction of such equipment.
  - e. A rental charge to the Contract for a piece of Property owned by the Contractor shall not be allowed.
  - f. The State has the right to review and approve in writing any new contract for the purchase of or lease for rental of Property (Purchase/Lease Contract) operated in connection with the provision of the services or work, as applicable, as specified in the Contract, if applicable, and any modifications, amendments, or extensions of an existing lease or purchase prior to its execution. If, in its discretion, the State disapproves of any Purchase/Lease Contract, then the State shall not be obligated to make any payments for such Property.
  - g. No member, officer, director or employee of the Contractor shall retain or acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Property, paid for with funds under the Contract, nor retain any interest, direct or indirect, in such, without full and complete prior disclosure of such interest and the date of acquisition thereof, in writing to the Contractor and the State.
2. For non-Federally-funded contracts, unless otherwise provided herein, the State shall have the following rights to Property purchased with funds provided under the Contract:
  - a. For cost-reimbursable contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the State.
  - b. For performance-based contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the Contractor.
3. For Federally funded contracts, title to Property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies provided under the Contract shall be governed by the terms and conditions of Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) contained herein.
4. Upon written direction by the State, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of all Property that is owned by the State as provided herein.
5. The Contractor shall execute any documents which the State may reasonably require to effectuate the provisions of this section.

#### E. Records and Audits:

##### 1. General:

- a. The Contractor shall establish and maintain, in paper or electronic format, complete and accurate books, records, documents, receipts, accounts, and other evidence directly pertinent to its performance under the Contract (collectively, Records).
- b. The Contractor agrees to produce and retain for the balance of the term of the Contract, and for a period of six years from the later of the date of (i) the Contract and (ii) the most recent renewal of the Contract, any and all Records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under the Contract. Such Records may include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - i. personal service expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, vouchers and invoices, records of contract labor, any and all records listing payroll and the money value of non-cash advantages provided to employees, time cards, work schedules and logs, employee personal history folders, detailed and general ledgers, sales

records, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

ii. payroll taxes and fringe benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, invoices for fringe benefit expenses, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

iii. non-personal services expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, cost allocation plans, and bid and procurement documentation, such as quotes, proposals and selection records, if applicable.

iv. receipt and deposit of advance and reimbursements: itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.

c. The OSC, AG and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as DHSES or State Agencies involved in the Contract that provided funding, shall have access to the Records during the hours of 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding State recognized holidays), at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying.

d. The State shall protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records, as exempt under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law, is reasonable.

e. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's rights in connection with its audit and investigatory authority or the State's rights in connection with discovery in any pending or future litigation.

## 2. Cost Allocation:

a. For non-performance based contracts, the proper allocation of the Contractor's costs must be made according to a cost allocation plan that meets the requirements of 2 CFR Part 200. Methods used to determine and assign costs shall conform to generally accepted accounting practices and shall be consistent with the method(s) used by the Contractor to determine costs for other operations or programs. Such accounting standards and practices shall be subject to approval of the State.

b. For performance based milestone contracts, or for the portion of the contract amount paid on a performance basis, the Contractor shall maintain documentation demonstrating that milestones were attained.

3. Federal Funds: For records and audit provisions governing Federal funds, please see Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix A-1.

F. Confidentiality: The Contractor agrees that it shall use and maintain information relating to individuals who may receive services, and their families pursuant to the Contract, or any other information, data or records deemed confidential by the State (Confidential Information) only for the limited purposes of the Contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of State and Federal law. The Contractor (i) has an affirmative obligation to safeguard any such Confidential Information from unnecessary or unauthorized disclosure and (ii) must comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

## G. Publicity:

1. Publicity includes, but is not limited to: news conferences; news releases; public announcements; advertising; brochures; reports; discussions or presentations at conferences or meetings; and/or the inclusion of State materials, the State's name or other such references to the State in any document or forum. Publicity regarding this project may not be released without prior written approval from the State.

2. Any publications, presentations or announcements of conferences, meetings or trainings which are funded in whole or in part through any activity supported under the Contract may not be published, presented or announced without prior approval of the State. Any such publication, presentation or announcement shall:

a. Acknowledge the support of the State of New York and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency; and

b. State that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretations or policy of the State or if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency.



3. Notwithstanding the above, (i) if the Contractor is an educational research institution, the Contractor may, for scholarly or academic purposes, use, present, discuss, report or publish any material, data or analyses, other than Confidential Information, that derives from activity under the Master Contract and the Contractor agrees to use best efforts to provide copies of any manuscripts arising from Contractor's performance under this Master Contract, or if requested by the State, the Contractor shall provide the State with a thirty (30) day period in which to review each manuscript for compliance with Confidential Information requirements; or (ii) if the Contractor is not an educational research institution, the Contractor may submit for publication, scholarly or academic publications that derive from activity under the Master Contract (but are not deliverable under the Master Contract), provided that the Contractor first submits such manuscripts to the State forty-five (45) calendar days prior to submission for consideration by a publisher in order for the State to review the manuscript for compliance with confidentiality requirements and restrictions and to make such other comments as the State deems appropriate. All derivative publications shall follow the same acknowledgments and disclaimer as described in Section IV(G) (2) (Publicity) hereof.

H. Web-Based Applications-Accessibility: Any web-based intranet and Internet information and applications development, or programming delivered pursuant to the Contract or procurement shall comply with New York State Enterprise IT Policy NYS-P08-005, Accessibility Web-Based Information and Applications, and New York State Enterprise IT Standard NYS-S08-005, Accessibility of Web-Based Information Applications, as such policy or standard may be amended, modified or superseded, which requires that State Agency web-based intranet and Internet information and applications are accessible to person with disabilities. Web content must conform to New York State Enterprise IT Standards NYS-S08-005, as determined by quality assurance testing. Such quality assurance testing shall be conducted by DHSES and the results of such testing must be satisfactory to DHSES before web content shall be considered a qualified deliverable under the Contract or procurement.

I. Non-Discrimination Requirements: Pursuant to Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional nondiscrimination provisions, the Contractor and sub-contractors will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex (including gender identity or expression), national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that the Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Contract. The Contractor shall be subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 of the Labor Law.

J. Equal Opportunities for Minorities and Women; Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises: In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if the Contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting State Agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the Contractor certifies and affirms that (i) it is subject to Article 15-A of the Executive Law which includes, but is not limited to, those provisions concerning the maximizing of opportunities for the participation of minority and women-owned business enterprises and (ii) the following provisions shall apply and it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

1. The Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status;
2. The Contractor shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts;
3. The Contractor shall undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

4. At the request of the State, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative shall affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

5. The Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants shall be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

The Contractor shall include the provisions of subclauses 1 – 5 of this Section (IV)(J), in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (Work) except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 of the Executive Law does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to the Contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by the Contractor or a subcontractor with the requirements of any Federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The State shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such Federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the State shall waive the applicability of Section 312 of the Executive Law to the extent of such duplication or conflict. The Contractor shall comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

K. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992: It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises, as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

1. If the total dollar amount of the Contract is greater than \$1 million, the Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing the Contract, the Contractor certifies the following:

a. The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of State business enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

b. The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

c. The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

d. The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of the Contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

L. Workers' Compensation Benefits:

1. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, the Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of the Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

2. If a Contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement they must apply for an exemption.

M. Unemployment Insurance Compliance: The Contractor shall remain current in both its quarterly reporting and payment of contributions or payments in lieu of contributions, as applicable, to the State Unemployment Insurance system as a condition of maintaining this grant.

The Contractor hereby authorizes the State Department of Labor to disclose to DHSES staff only such information as is necessary to determine the Contractor's compliance with the State Unemployment Insurance Law. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. any records of unemployment insurance (UI) contributions, interest, and/or penalty payment arrears or reporting delinquency;

2. any debts owed for UI contributions, interest, and/or penalties;

3. the history and results of any audit or investigation; and

4. copies of wage reporting information.

Such disclosures are protected under Section 537 of the State Labor Law, which makes it a misdemeanor for the recipient of such information to use or disclose the information for any purpose other than the performing due diligence as a part of the approval process for the Contract.

N. Vendor Responsibility:

1. If a Contractor is required to complete a Questionnaire, the Contractor covenants and represents that it has, to the best of its knowledge, truthfully, accurately and thoroughly completed such Questionnaire. Although electronic filing is preferred, the Contractor may obtain a paper form from the OSC prior to execution of the Contract. The Contractor further covenants and represents that as of the date of execution of the Contract, there are no material events, omissions, changes or corrections to such document requiring an amendment to the Questionnaire.

2. The Contractor shall provide to the State updates to the Questionnaire if any material event(s) occurs requiring an amendment or as new information material to such Questionnaire becomes available.

3. The Contractor shall, in addition, promptly report to the State the initiation of any investigation or audit by a governmental entity with enforcement authority with respect to any alleged violation of Federal or state law by the Contractor, its employees, its officers and/or directors in connection with matters involving, relating to or arising out of the Contractor's business. Such report shall be made within five (5) business days following the Contractor becoming aware of such event, investigation, or audit. Such report may be considered by the State in making a Determination of Vendor Non-Responsibility pursuant to this section.

4. The State reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of the Contract:

- a. to require updates or clarifications to the Questionnaire upon written request;
- b. to inquire about information included in or required information omitted from the Questionnaire;
- c. to require the Contractor to provide such information to the State within a reasonable timeframe; and
- d. to require as a condition precedent to entering into the Contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as shall be necessary to satisfy the State that the Contractor is, and shall remain, a responsible vendor; and
- e. to require the Contractor to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity. By signing the Contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of the Contract.

5. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under the Contract, at any time, when it discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the State issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

6. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to make a final Determination of Non-Responsibility at any time during the term of the Contract based on:

- a. any information provided in the Questionnaire and/or in any updates, clarifications or amendments thereof; or
- b. the State's discovery of any material information which pertains to the Contractor's responsibility.

7. Prior to making a final Determination of Non-Responsibility, the State shall provide written notice to the Contractor that it has made a preliminary determination of non-responsibility. The State shall detail the reason(s) for the preliminary determination, and shall provide the Contractor with an opportunity to be heard.

O. Charities Registration: If applicable, the Contractor agrees to (i) obtain not-for-profit status, a Federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish DHSES with this information as soon as it is available, (ii) be in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements at the time of the awarding of this Contract by the State and (iii) remain in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements throughout the term of the Contract.

P. Consultant Disclosure Law:<sup>8</sup> If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and

mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services, then in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

**Q. Wage and Hours Provisions:** If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**R. Participation By Minority Group Members And Women With Respect To Grant Contracts: Requirements And Procedures (state-funded grants only)**

### 1. General Provisions

- a. The Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) is required to implement the provisions of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR Parts 142-144 ('MWBE Regulations') for all State contracts as defined therein, with a value (1) in excess of \$25,000 for labor, services, equipment, materials, or any combination of the foregoing or (2) in excess of \$100,000 for real property renovations and construction.
- b. The Contractor to the subject contract (the 'Contractor' and the 'Contract', respectively) agrees, in addition to any other nondiscrimination provision of the Contract and at no additional cost to the DHSES, to fully comply and cooperate with the DHSES in the implementation of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A. These requirements include equal employment opportunities for minority group members and women ('EEO') and contracting opportunities for certified minority and women-owned business enterprises ('MWBEs'). Contractor's demonstration of 'good faith efforts' pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8 shall be a part of these requirements. These provisions shall be deemed supplementary to, and not in lieu of, the nondiscrimination provisions required by New York State Executive Law Article 15 (the 'Human Rights Law') or other applicable federal, state or local laws.
- c. Failure to comply with all of the requirements herein may result in a finding of non-responsiveness, non-responsibility and/or a breach of contract, leading to the withholding of funds or such other actions, liquidated damages pursuant to Section VII of this Appendix or enforcement proceedings as allowed by the Contract.

### 2. Contract Goals

- a. For purposes of this contract, DHSES has established overall goals for Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises ('MWBE') participation which are specified in the contract work plan.
- b. For purposes of providing meaningful participation by MWBEs on the Contract and achieving the Contract Goals established in the contract work plan hereof, Contractor should reference the directory of New York State Certified MBWEs found at the following internet address: <https://ny.newnycontracts.com/FrontEnd/VendorSearchPublic.asp>. Additionally, Contractor is encouraged to contact the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development (518) 292-5250; (212) 803-2414; or (716) 846-8200 to discuss additional methods of maximizing participation by MWBEs on the Contract.
- c. Where MWBE goals have been established herein, pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8, Contractor must document 'good faith efforts' to provide meaningful participation by MWBEs as subcontractors or suppliers in the performance of the Contract. In accordance with Section 316-a of Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR §142.13, the Contractor acknowledges that if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals set forth in the Contract, such a finding constitutes a breach of contract and the Contractor shall be liable to the DHSES for liquidated or other appropriate damages, as set forth herein.

### 3. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)

- a. Contractor agrees to be bound by the provisions of Article 15-A and the MWBE Regulations promulgated by the Division of Minority and Women's Business Development of the Department of Economic Development (the 'Division'). If any of these terms or provisions conflict with applicable law or regulations, such laws and regulations shall supersede these requirements.
- b. Contractor shall comply with the following provisions of Article 15-A:

i. Contractor and Subcontractors shall undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status. For these purposes, EEO shall apply in the areas of recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation.

ii. The Contractor shall maintain an EEO policy statement and submit it to the DHSES if requested.

iii. If Contractor or Subcontractor does not have an existing EEO policy statement, Section 4 below may be used to develop one.

iv. The Contractor's EEO policy statement shall include the following, or similar, language:

a) The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force.

b) The Contractor shall state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees that, in the performance of the contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

c) The Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union, or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein.

d) The Contractor will include the provisions of Subdivisions (a) through (c) of this Subsection (iv) and Paragraph 'e' of this Section 3, which provides for relevant provisions of the Human Rights Law, in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the Contract.

#### c. Staffing Plan

To ensure compliance with this Section, the Contractor shall submit a staffing plan to document the composition of the proposed workforce to be utilized in the performance of the Contract by the specified categories listed, including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. Contractors shall complete the Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan form and submit it as part of their bid or proposal or within a reasonable time, but no later than the time of award of the contract.

#### d. Workforce Employment Utilization Report

i. Once a contract has been awarded and during the term of Contract, Contractor is responsible for updating and providing notice to the DHSES of any changes to the previously submitted Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan. This information is to be submitted annually or as otherwise required by the DHSES during the term of the contract, for the purpose of reporting the actual workforce utilized in the performance of the contract by the specified categories listed including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. The Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report form must be used to report this information.

ii. Separate forms shall be completed by Contractor and any Subcontractor performing work on the Contract.

iii. In limited instances, Contractor may not be able to separate out the workforce utilized in the performance of the Contract from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce. When a separation can be made, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided relates to the actual workforce utilized on the Contract. When the workforce to be utilized on the contract cannot be separated out from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided is Contractor's total workforce during the subject time frame, not limited to work specifically under the contract.

e. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

#### 4. MWBE Utilization Plan

a. The Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has submitted a Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form either prior to, or at the time of, the execution of the contract.

b. Contractor agrees to use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form for the performance of MWBEs on the Contract pursuant to the prescribed MWBE goals set forth in the contract workplan.

c. Contractor further agrees that a failure to submit and/or use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form shall constitute a material breach of the terms of the Contract. Upon the occurrence of such a material breach, DHSES shall be entitled to any remedy provided herein, including but not limited to, a finding of Contractor non-responsiveness.

#### 5. Waivers

If the DHSES, upon review of the Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Plan, the Detailed Itemization Forms or the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report determines that a Contractor is failing or refusing to comply with the Contract goals and no waiver has been issued in regards to such non-compliance, the DHSES may issue a notice of deficiency to the Contractor. The Contractor must respond to the notice of deficiency within seven (7) business days of receipt. Such response may include a request for partial or total waiver of MWBE Contract Goals.

#### 6. MWBE Subcontractor Utilization Quarterly Report

Contractor is required to report MWBE Subcontractor utilization, as part of the quarterly claim process, to the DHSES by the last day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter over the term of the Contract documenting the progress made towards achievement of the MWBE goals of the Contract.

#### 7. Liquidated Damages - MWBE Participation

a. Where DHSES determines that Contractor is not in compliance with the requirements of the Contract and Contractor refuses to comply with such requirements, or if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals, such finding constitutes a breach of Contract and DHSES may withhold payment from the Contractor as liquidated damages and/or provide for other appropriate remedies.

b. Such liquidated damages shall be calculated as an amount equaling the difference between:

- 1) All sums identified for payment to MWBEs had the Contractor achieved the contractual MWBE goals; and
- 2) All sums actually paid to MWBEs for work performed or materials supplied under the Contract.

c. In the event a determination has been made which requires the payment of liquidated damages and such identified sums have not been withheld by the DHSES, Contractor shall pay such liquidated damages to the DHSES within sixty (60) days after they are assessed by the DHSES unless prior to the expiration of such sixtieth day, the Contractor has filed a complaint with the Director of the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development pursuant to Subdivision 8 of Section 313 of the Executive Law in which event the liquidated damages shall be payable if Director renders a decision in favor of the DHSES.

#### 8. M/WBE AND EEO Policy Statement

a. The Contractor agrees to adopt the following policies or similar policies with respect to the project being developed or services rendered in this contract with the Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services:

##### M/WBE

This organization will and will cause its contractors and subcontractors to take good faith actions to achieve the M/WBE contract participations goals set by the State for that area in which the State-funded project is located, by taking the following steps:

(1) Actively and affirmatively solicit bids for contracts and subcontracts from qualified State certified MBEs or WBEs, including solicitations to M/WBE contractor associations.

(2) Request a list of State-certified M/WBEs from AGENCY and solicit bids from them directly.

(3) Ensure that plans, specifications, request for proposals and other documents used to secure bids will be made available in sufficient time for review by prospective M/WBEs.

(4) Where feasible, divide the work into smaller portions to enhanced participations by M/WBEs and encourage the formation of joint venture and other partnerships among M/WBE contractors to enhance their participation.

(5) Document and maintain records of bid solicitation, including those to M/WBEs and the results thereof. Contractor will also maintain records of actions that its subcontractors have taken toward meeting M/WBE contract participation goals.

(6) Ensure that progress payments to M/WBEs are made on a timely basis so that undue financial hardship is avoided, and that bonding and other credit requirements are waived or appropriate alternatives developed to encourage M/WBE

participation.

## EEO

(a) This organization will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on state contracts.

(b) This organization shall state in all solicitation or advertisements for employees that in the performance of the State contract all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex disability or marital status.

(c) At the request of the contracting agency, this organization shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of this organization's obligations herein.

(d) Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

(e) This organization will include the provisions of sections (a) through (d) of this agreement in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the State contract.

Contractor agrees to comply with all MWBE and EEO contract goals reflected on the MWBE Utilization Plan and Staffing Plan respectively, that have been submitted with the application for this contract.

## S. Additional Terms

1. The Contractor agrees that if the project is not operational within 60 days of the execution date of the Contract, it will report by letter to DHSES the steps taken to initiate the project, the reasons for delay, and the expected starting date. If the project is not operational within 90 days of the execution date of the Contract, the Contractor will submit a second statement to DHSES explaining the delay. DHSES may either cancel the project and redistribute the funds or extend the implementation date of the project beyond the 90-day period when warranted by extenuating circumstances.

2. The Contractor shall at all times during the Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Commissioner of DHSES, or his or her designee, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability prior performance, and financial capacity.

a. The DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee, in his or her sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when DHSES discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of the notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the Commissioner of DHSES, or his or her designee, issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

b. Upon written notice to the Contractor, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with the appropriate DHSES officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by the DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee, to be non-responsible. In such event, the Commissioner, or his or her designee, may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

3. DHSES shall make payments and any reconciliation in accordance with the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C). DHSES shall pay the Contractor for completed, approved projects, a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page hereof. The Contractor must not request payments or reimbursements that duplicate funding or reimbursement from any other source for Contractor costs and services pursuant to this Contract.

4. The Contractor shall submit detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES for personal service, fringe benefit and non-personal service expenditures with any voucher and fiscal cost report requesting reimbursement.

Grant-related expenditures shall be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports approved by DHSES. For Federally-funded awards, the detailed Itemization forms shall include the required certifications pursuant to 2 CFR §200.415. These reports must be prepared periodically and as defined in Appendix C of this Contract. All reported expenditures must reconcile to the program accounting records and the approved budget. Prior period adjustments shall be reported in the same accounting period that the correction is made.

5. The Contractor's request for travel, meals or lodging reimbursement shall be in accordance with Appendix B, Budget, and, unless written authorization has been received from DHSES, shall not exceed rates authorized by the NYS Office Of State Comptroller (Audit and Control). Rates may be viewed online at: <http://www.osc.state.ny.us/agencies/travel/travel.htm>.

6. The Contractor's employment of a consultant must be supported by a written Contract executed by the Contractor and the consultant. A consultant is defined as an individual or organization hired by the Contractor for the stated purpose of accomplishing a specific task relative to the funded project. All consultant services must be obtained in a manner that provides for fair and open competition. The Contractor shall retain copies of all solicitations seeking a consultant, written Contracts and documentation justifying the cost and selection of the consultant, and make them available to DHSES upon request. The Contractor further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Contract and the Contractor must guarantee the work of the consultant as if it were its own. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in a disallowance of costs.

7. Additionally, Contractor must adhere to the following guidelines at a minimum when making all procurements, including consultant services. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in a disallowance of costs.

a. A Contractor who proposes to purchase goods or services from a particular vendor without competitive bidding must obtain the prior written approval of DHSES. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and the basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such procurement must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. A copy of DHSES' approval must also be submitted with the voucher for payment.

b. The rate for consultant services, and cost of equipment or goods, shall be reasonable and consistent with the amount paid for similar services or goods and equipment in the marketplace. Time and effort reports are required for consultants.

c. Written justification and documentation for all procurements must be maintained on file, and made available to DHSES upon request. All procurements must be made in a fair and open manner and in accordance with the pre-determined methodology established for evaluating bids (e.g., lowest responsible bidder or best value).

d. A Contractor that is a State entity must make all procurements in accordance with State Finance Law Article 11 and any other applicable regulations.

e. A Contractor that is a local government must make all procurements in accordance with General Municipal Law Article 5-A, and any other applicable regulations.

f. A Contractor that is a not-for-profit and all other entities that do not meet the descriptions in Section III(S)(7)(d) or (e) herein must make all procurements as noted below:

i. If the Contractor is eligible to purchase an item or service from a government contract or is able to purchase such item or service elsewhere at a lower than or equal price, then such purchase may be made immediately.

ii. A Contractor may purchase any single piece of equipment, single service or multiples of each that cost up to \$999 at its discretion.

iii. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999, a Contractor must secure at least three telephone quotes and create a record for audit of such quotes.

iv. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost of between \$5,000 and \$9,999, the Contractor must secure at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and maintain a record of the competitive procurement process for audit purposes.

v. A Contractor spending in aggregate of \$10,000 and above must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DHSES. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.



g. Acceptance of State support for interoperable and emergency communications projects, including funding through the Interoperable Emergency Communication Grant Program, requires that Contractors must use open-standard/vendor-neutral technologies to allow for other public safety/public service agencies (including State agencies and authorities) and jurisdictions in your region to operate on your radio system(s) when required, regardless of the total percentage of system funding from the State. This access for other agencies must be permitted to support operational and interoperable goals, and without restriction as to specific manufacturers' subscriber equipment. All reasonably compatible subscriber equipment must be permitted to be operated on your system by outside agencies, thus allowing coordinated efforts between local and state public safety/public service agencies and maximizing resources and capabilities.

h. DHSES reserves the right to suspend program funds if the Contractor is found to be in noncompliance with the provisions of this Contract or other grant Contracts between the Contractor and DHSES or, if the Contractor or principals of the Contractor are under investigation by a New York State or local law enforcement agency for noncompliance with State or federal laws or regulatory provisions or, if in DHSES' judgment, the services provided by the Contractor under the Contract are unsatisfactory or untimely.

i. DHSES shall provide the Contractor with written notice of noncompliance.

ii. Upon the Contractor's failure to correct or comply with the written notice by DHSES, DHSES reserves the right to terminate this Contract, recoup funds and recover any assets purchased with the proceeds of this Contract.

i. DHSES reserves the right to use approved grant related expenditures to offset disallowed expenditures from any grant funded through its offices upon appropriate notification to the Contractor, or upon reasonable assurance that the Contractor is not in compliance with these terms.

j. As a result of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 (Act), Chapter 1 of the 2012 Laws of New York, a new provision has been added to the State Finance Law (SFL), § 165-a, effective April 12, 2012. Under the Act, the Commissioner of the Office of General Services (OGS) will be developing a list (prohibited entities list) of 'persons' who are engaged in 'investment activities in Iran' (both are defined terms in the law). Pursuant to SFL § 165-a(3)(b), the initial list is expected to be issued no later than 120 days after the Act's effective date, at which time it will be posted on the OGS website.

i. By entering into this Contract, Contractor (or any assignee) certifies in accordance with State Finance Law §165-a that it is not on the 'Entities Determined to be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers pursuant to the New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012' ('Prohibited Entities List') posted at: <http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf>.

ii. Contractor further certifies that it will not utilize on this Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of this Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before the contract assignment will be approved by the State.

iii. During the term of the Contract, should DHSES receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, the state agency will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the state agency shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

iv. DHSES reserves the right to reject any bid, request for assignment, renewal or extension for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award, assignment, renewal or extension of a contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any entity that is awarded a contract and appears on the Prohibited Entities list after contract award.

## V. FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS

A. Hatch Act. The Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the Contract, to comply with all applicable provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.), as amended.

B. Requirement for System of Award Management: Unless you are exempted from this requirement under 2 CFR 25.110, you as the subrecipient must maintain the currency of your information in the System of Award Management (SAM) until you submit the final financial report required under this award or receive the final payment, whichever is later. This requires that you review and update the information at least annually after the initial registration, and more frequently if required by changes in your information or another award term. Pursuant to section 2 CFR §200.210(a)(2), Contractors must maintain a current unique entity identifier prior to and during the life of the Contract.

C. In accordance with 2 CFR §§200.112 and 200.113, Contractor understands and agrees that it must: (1) disclose in writing any potential conflict of interest to DHSES; and (2) disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to DHSES all violations of federal and state criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the grant award. Failure to make

required disclosures can result in any remedy available to DHSES for Contractor's noncompliance, including suspension or debarment.

D. The Contractor must ensure that, for all contracts entered into by the Contractor, the contract provisions required by 2 CFR §200.326 (and Appendix II to 2 CFR Part 200) are included in such contracts. The Contractor further agrees to impose and enforce this requirement for any Contractor subaward agreements.

E. Where advance payments are approved by DHSES, the Contractor agrees to expend the advance payments in accordance with the purposes set forth in Appendix D and consistent with Appendix B. The advanced funds must be placed in an interest-bearing account and are subject to the rules outlined in 2 CFR Part 200, (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Contracts to State and Local Governments) which require Contractors to promptly remit back to the federal government, through New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, any interest earned on these advanced funds. The Contractor may keep interest earned up to \$500 per federal fiscal year for administrative expenses. This maximum limit is not per award; it is inclusive of all interest earned as the result of all federal grant program funds received per year. Interest must be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports and remitted to DHSES quarterly.

F. Audit Requirements. This Contract, and any sub-awards resulting from this Contract, may be subject to fiscal and program audits by DHSES, NYS Office of State Comptroller, pertinent federal agencies, and other designated entities to ascertain financial compliance with federal and/or State laws, regulations, and guidelines applicable to this Contract. The Contractor shall meet all audit requirements of the federal government and State of New York. Such audits may include review of the Contractor's accounting, financial, and reporting practices to determine compliance with the Contract and reporting requirements; maintenance of accurate and reliable original accounting records in accordance with governmental accounting standards as well as generally accepted accounting principles; and specific compliance with allowable cost and expenditure documentation standards prescribed by applicable federal, State, and DHSES guidelines.

G. Equipment Markings. The Contractor further agrees that, when practicable, any equipment purchased with grant funding shall be prominently marked as follows: 'Purchased with funds provided by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.'

H. Administrative, Cost and Audit Requirements: The Contractor must comply with the most recent version of the Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit requirements. Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit. A list of regulations and guidance applicable to United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) grants are listed below:

1. General Administrative Requirements:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards

2. Cost Principles:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart E

3. Audit Requirements:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F

I. Contracting with small and minority firms, women's business enterprise and labor surplus area firms.

1. Consistent with 2 CFR §200.321, the grantee and any subgrantees will take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible.

2. Affirmative steps must include:

- a. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- b. Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- c. Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- d. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- e. Using the services and assistance, as appropriate, of such organizations as the Small Business Administration and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce; and
- f. Requiring the prime contractor, if subcontracts are to be let, to take the affirmative steps listed in subsections (2)(a) through (e) of this section.

J. Compliance with Laws, Regulations and Program Guidance. The Contractor shall ensure it is aware of and complies with

all applicable laws, regulations and program guidance. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to become familiar with and comply with all terms and conditions associated with acceptance of funds.

**K. Adequate Documentation:** The Contractor must ensure full compliance with all cost documentation requirements, including specific personal service documentation, as applicable directly to the Contractor, sub-recipient or collaborative agency/organization. The Contractor must maintain specific documentation as support for project related personal service expenditures as this Contract is supported by federal funds. Depending upon the nature or extent of personal service provided under this Contract, the Contractor shall maintain semi-annual (or more frequent) personal service certifications and/or an after-the-fact personnel activity reporting system (or equivalent) which complies with all applicable laws, regulations and program guidance. Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs.

**L. Single Audit Requirements:** For audits of fiscal years beginning on or after December 26, 2014, recipients that expend \$750,000 or more from all federal funding sources during their fiscal year are required to submit an organization-wide financial and compliance audit report. The audit must be performed in accordance with the requirements of GAO's Government Auditing Standards, located at <http://www.gao.gov/govaud/ybk01.htm>, and the requirements of Subpart F of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, located at <http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=63811dc3410c008e2f8e28c325cdc09e&mc=true&node=sp2.1.200.f&rgn=div6>.

For audits of fiscal years beginning prior to December 26, 2014, recipients that expend \$500,000 or more from all federal funding sources during their fiscal year are required to submit an organization-wide financial and compliance audit report. The audit must be performed in accordance with GAO's Government Auditing Standards, located at <http://www.gao.gov/govaud/ybk01.htm>, and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, located at [https://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/a133/a133\\_revised\\_2007.pdf](https://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/a133/a133_revised_2007.pdf).

The final report for such audit must be completed within nine months of the end of the Contractor's fiscal year. The Contractor must provide one copy of such audit report to DHSES within nine (9) months of the end of its fiscal year, or communicate in writing to DHSES that Contractor is exempt from such requirement.

**M. Program Income:** Program income earned by the Contractor during the grant funding Period must be reported in writing to DHSES, in addition to any other statutory reporting requirements. Program income consists of income earned by the grant recipient that is directly generated by a supported activity or earned as a result of the grant program. Program income includes, but is not limited to, income from fees for services performed, the use of rental or real or personal property acquired under federally-funded projects, the sale of commodities or items fabricated under an award, license fees and royalties on patents and copyrights and interest on loans made with federal award funds. For example, if the purpose of a grant is to conduct conferences, any training fees that are generated would be considered program income. Interest earned on grant funds is not considered program income unless specified in Appendix D. The Contractor agrees to report the receipt and expenditures of grant program income to DHSES. Program income (not to include interest earned), generated by the use of these grant funds will be used to enhance the grant project.

**N. Intellectual Property:** Any creative or literary work developed or commissioned by the Contractor with grant support provided by DHSES shall become the property of DHSES, entitling DHSES to assert a copyright therein, unless the parties have expressly agreed otherwise in a written instrument signed by them.

1. If DHSES shares its right to copyright such work with the Contractor, DHSES reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, sub-grant, or contract under a grant or sub-grant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Contractor, sub-Contractor, or a contractor purchases ownership with grant support.
2. If the grant support provided by DHSES is federally-sponsored, the federal awarding agency also reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, sub-grant or contract under a grant or sub-grant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Contractor, sub-Contractor, or a contractor purchases ownership with such grant support.
3. The Contractor shall submit one copy of all reports and publications resulting from this Contract to DHSES within thirty (30) calendar days of completion. Any document generated pursuant to this grant must contain the following language:

'This project was supported by a grant administered by the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. Points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position or policies of the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services or the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.'

**O. Accounting for Grant Expenditures:**

1. Grant funds may be expended only for purposes and activities set forth in this Contract. Accordingly, the most important single requirement of accounting for this grant is the complete and accurate documentation of grant expenditures. If the

Contractor receives funding from two or more sources, all necessary steps must be taken to ensure that grant-related transactions are not commingled. This includes, but is not limited to, the establishment of unique budget codes, a separate cost center, or a separate chart of accounts. Expenditures must be cross-referenced to supporting source documents (purchase orders, contracts, real estate leases, invoices, vouchers, timesheets, mileage logs, etc.).

2. Contractor agrees that it shall maintain adequate internal controls and adhere to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Government or Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Not-for-Profit Organizations.

3. None of the goals, objectives or tasks, as set forth in Appendix D, shall be sub-awarded to another organization without specific prior written approval by DHSES. Where the intention to make sub-awards is clearly indicated in the application, DHSES approval is deemed given, if these activities are funded, as proposed.

4. If this Contract makes provisions for the Contractor to sub-grant funds to other recipients, the Contractor agrees that all sub-Contractors shall be held accountable by the Contractor for all terms and conditions set forth in this Contract in its entirety. The Contractor further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Contract and the Contractor must guarantee the work of any sub-Contractor as if it were its own.

5. The Contractor agrees that all sub-Contractor arrangements shall be formalized in writing between the parties involved. The writing must, at a minimum, include the following information:

- Activities to be performed;
- Time schedule;
- Project policies;
- Other policies and procedures to be followed;
- Dollar limitation of the Contract;
- Appendix A-1, Appendix C, Certified Assurances for Federally Supported Projects, Certification Regarding Lobbying, Debarment and Suspension and any special conditions set forth in the Contract;
- Applicable federal and/or State cost principles to be used in determining allowable costs; and
- Property Records or Equipment Inventory Reports.

P. The Contractor will not be reimbursed for sub-granted funds unless all expenditures by a sub-Contractor are listed on detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES. Backup documentation for such expenditures must be made available to DHSES upon request. All expenditures must be programmatically consistent with the goals and objectives of this Contract and with the Budget set forth in Appendix B.

Q. Space rental provided by this Contract must be supported by a written lease, maintained on file and made available by the Contractor upon request.

R. Equipment and Property:

1. Any equipment, furniture or supplies or other property purchased pursuant to this Contract is deemed to be the property of the State, except as may otherwise be governed by federal or State laws, rules or regulations or stated in this Contract.

2. Equipment means tangible, nonexpendable, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$5,000 or more per unit. A Contractor may use its own definition of equipment provided that such definition would at least include all equipment defined above. A copy of the property record(s) or equipment inventory report(s) with relevant purchasing and supporting documentation must be made available to DHSES upon request. Property records or equipment inventory reports must be maintained, by award, that include a description of the property, a serial number or other identification number, the source of property, who holds title, the acquisition date, and cost of the property, percentage of federal participation in the cost of the property, the location, use and condition of the property, and any ultimate disposition data including the date of disposal and sale price of the property. The Contractor must document receipt of all applicable equipment purchased with grant funds. A physical inventory of the property must be taken and the results reconciled with the property records at least once every two (2) years.

3. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Contractor, DHSES will consider a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds provided the equipment continues to be used in connection with a public security program. When disposing of equipment purchased with homeland security grant funding, a State agency must dispose of equipment in accordance with State Laws and procedures. All other Contractors shall dispose of equipment as follows:

a. Items of equipment with a current per unit market value of less than \$5,000 may be retained, sold or otherwise disposed of with no further obligation to the awarding agency.

b. Items of equipment with a current per unit fair market value of \$5,000 or more may be retained or sold. If sold, the awarding agency shall have a right to an amount calculated by multiplying the proceeds from the sale by the awarding

agency's share of the equipment. If retained, the current market value is to be used in the calculation. To remit payments, award recipients should contact DHSES at 1-866-837-9133 for guidance.

4. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Contractor under this Contract, DHSES shall accept a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds providing the equipment continues to be used in accordance with the contracted activities and guidelines in this Contract.

5. The Contractor must conduct a physical inventory of property records at least once every two years to verify the existence, current utilization and continued need for the property. In the event the property is no longer required by the Contractor, this fact should be reported to DHSES as soon as possible and appropriate guidelines followed, as specified in this Appendix.

6. If Contractor disposes of any equipment purchased under this Contract during the active lifespan of said equipment, Contractor must reinvest any proceeds from the disposal into additional equipment items to continue Contractor's organization's activities subject to the guidelines of this Contract. If the Contractor does not reinvest proceeds to continue activities subject to this Contract, the percentage of the proceeds equal to the proportion of the original purchase price paid by funds for the Contract must be repaid to the State of New York.

#### ENDNOTES:

<sup>1</sup> To the extent that Section V-Federally Funding Grant Requirements conflict with any other provisions of the Contract, the Federal requirements of Section V shall supersede all other provisions of the Contract.

<sup>2</sup> As of October 9, 2012, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of Alaska, Hawaii, Louisiana, South Carolina, West Virginia and Wyoming. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for the most current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

<sup>3</sup> A milestone/performance payment schedule identifies mutually agreed-to payment amounts based on meeting contract events or milestones. Events or milestones must represent integral and meaningful aspects of contract performance and should signify true progress in completing the Contract effort.

<sup>4</sup> Fee for Service is a rate established by the Contractor for a service or services rendered.

<sup>5</sup> Rate based agreements are those agreements in which payment is premised upon a specific established rate per unit.

<sup>6</sup> Scheduled Reimbursement agreements provide for payments that occur at defined and regular intervals that provide for a specified dollar amount to be paid to the Contractor at the beginning of each payment period (i.e. quarterly, monthly or bi-annually). While these payments are related to the particular services and outcomes defined in the Contract, they are not dependent upon particular services or expenses in any one payment period and provide the Contractor with a defined and regular payment over the life of the contract.

<sup>7</sup> Fifth Quarter Payments occur where there are scheduled payments and where there is an expectation that services will be continued through renewals or subsequent contracts. Fifth Quarter Payments allow for the continuation of scheduled payments to a Contractor for the first payment period quarter of an anticipated renewal or new contract.

<sup>8</sup> Not applicable to not-for-profit entities

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**Budget Summary by Participant**

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#	Equipment	AEL	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Information Technology Equipment and Related Items (MDT's, batteries, carrying cases, modems, etc.)	06CP-01-PORT	1	\$198,692.00	\$198,692.00	\$198,692.00	\$0.00
Total					\$198,692.00	\$198,692.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$198,692.00	\$198,692.00	\$0.00

Total Contract Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$198,692.00	\$198,692.00	\$0.00

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**Grantee Name**

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## APPENDIX C

## PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE

For All Contractors:

## I. PAYMENT PROVISIONS

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, DHSES agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page hereof. All payments shall be in accordance with the budget contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget), which is attached hereto.

## A. Payment and Recoupment Language

1. Contractor shall provide complete and accurate vouchers to DHSES in order to receive payment. Vouchers submitted to DHSES must contain all information and supporting documentation required by the Agreement, DHSES and the State Comptroller. Payment for vouchers submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically, unless a paper check is expressly authorized by the Director of DHSES, at the Director's sole discretion, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with the ordinary State procedures and practices. The Contractor shall comply with the State Comptroller's procedures to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), by email at [epunit@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epunit@osc.state.ny.us), or by telephone at (518) 474-4032. Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any vouchers submitted under this Agreement if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Director has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.

2. The Contractor agrees that this is a reimbursement-based contract; an advance may be provided as specified in Appendix D. All requests for reimbursement must reflect actual costs that have been disbursed by the Contractor. Items or services not received are not eligible for reimbursement.

Reimbursement requests need to include the following documents:

- Signed Voucher and Fiscal Cost Report
- Detailed Itemization Forms or other forms deemed acceptable by DHSES of any budgeted category for which reimbursement is requested
- Written documentation of all required DHSES approvals, as appropriate

3. Vouchers shall be submitted in a format acceptable to DHSES and the Office of the State Comptroller. Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the Project Budget (Appendix B) and during the contract period. Such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: a) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and b) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program.

## B. Interim and/or Final Claims for Reimbursement

1. Contractors must submit all required fiscal reports, supporting documentation and program progress reports. Failure to meet these requirements will result in the rejection of associated vouchers. Final vouchers, reimbursement requests and reports must be submitted within 30 days of the end of the grant contract period. Failure to voucher within this period may result in the loss of grant funds. The Contractor must also refund all unexpended advances and interest earned over \$500 on the advanced funds pursuant to 2 CFR Part 200, §200.305(b)(9). Property Records or Equipment Inventory Reports as defined in Appendix A-1, Section V, Paragraph R, must be available at the conclusion of the contract period and submitted to DHSES upon request.

2. If at the end of this contract there remain any monies (advanced or interest earned over \$500 on the advanced funds) associated with this contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall submit a check or money order for that amount payable to the order of the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services. Remit the check along with the final fiscal cost report within 30 days of termination of this grant contract to:

NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services  
Federal Fiscal Unit  
State Campus - Building 7A  
1220 Washington Avenue  
Albany, NY 12242

3. For purposes of prompt payment provisions, the Designated Payment Office for the processing of all vouchers is the Contract Unit of DHSES. Payment of grant vouchers shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Article XI-A of the State Finance Law. Payment shall be preceded by an inspection period of 15 business days which shall be excluded from calculations of the payment due date for purposes of determining eligibility for interest payments. The Contractor must notify the Federal Fiscal Unit in writing of a change of address in order to benefit from the prompt payment provision of the State Finance Law. When progress reports are overdue, vouchers will not be eligible for prompt payment.

4. Timely and properly completed New York State vouchers, with supporting documentation when required, shall be submitted to:

NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services  
Attention: Contracts Unit  
State Office Building Campus – Bldg. 7A  
1220 Washington Avenue, Suite 610  
Albany, NY 12242

## II. REPORTING PROVISIONS

### A. Required Reports:

#### Narrative/Qualitative Report (Progress Report)

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(i) of Appendix A-1 of the Contract.

#### Expenditure Report (Fiscal Cost Report)

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days after the end date for which reimbursement is being claimed, the report described in Section III, Paragraph G(2)(a)(iii) of the Appendix A-1 of the Contract.

#### Final Report

The Contractor will submit the final report as described in Section III, Paragraph G(2)(a)(iv) of Appendix A-1 of the Contract, no later than 30 days after the end of the contract period.

1. Fiscal cost reports must be submitted showing grant expenditures. They must also show the amount of interest earned to date on any advanced funds.

All submitted vouchers will reflect the Contractor's actual expenditures and will be accompanied by supporting detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES for personal service, fringe benefit and non-personal service expenditures or other documentation as required, and by a fiscal cost report for the reporting period. In the event that any expenditure for which the Contractor has been reimbursed by grant funds is subsequently disallowed, DHSES, in its sole discretion, may reduce the voucher payment by the amount disallowed. If necessary, the Contractor may be required to submit a final budget reallocation.

DHSES reserves the right not to release subsequent grant awards pending Contractor compliance with this Agreement.

2. The Contractor will submit program progress reports and one final report to DHSES on a prescribed form provided by DHSES as well as any additional information or amended data as required.

Progress reports will be due within 30 days of the last day of each calendar quarter or on an alternate schedule as prescribed in Appendix D. Progress reports will be due within 30 days of the last day of the calendar quarter from the start date of the program and the final report will be due upon completion of the project or termination of this Agreement. Calendar quarters, for the purposes of making program progress reports, shall be as follows:

Calendar Quarter: January 1 - March 31 -- Report Due: April 30  
Calendar Quarter: April 1 - June 30 -- Report Due: July 30  
Calendar Quarter: July 1 - September 30 -- Report Due: October 30  
Calendar Quarter: October 1 - December 31 -- Report Due: January 30

The final report, or where applicable interim progress reports, will summarize the project's achievements as well as describe activities for that quarter.



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**Work Plan****Goal**

Prevent terrorist attacks and mitigate against man-made and natural hazards; protect the people of New York, our critical infrastructure and key resources; prepare to respond to and recover from both man-made and natural disasters.

**Objective #1**

G & T Workplan Code - 01. Establish/enhance a terrorism intelligence/early warning system, center, or task force.

Investment Justification - Strengthen Counter-Terrorism and Law Enforcement Capabilities

**NYS Critical Capability**

Primary - Law Enforcement Counter-Terrorism Operations

Adopt and implement law enforcement information technology systems that build law enforcement counter-terrorism capabilities.

**Task #1 for Objective #1**

Purchase allowable information technology equipment (MDT's, etc.). Train appropriate personnel in the proper use of the equipment and place the equipment into service.

**# Performance Measure**

Identify equipment ordered and received. Provide a brief narrative on the training of personnel and the deployment of equipment. Describe how the project enhanced law enforcement and counter terrorism capabilities in the jurisdiction.  
1 Equipment accountability records are properly maintained. Provide explanation if equipment is received but not deployed, and include deployment plans as appropriate.

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**Special Conditions****I. ALL GRANT FUNDS:**

Federal grant funds provided are a subaward of Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) funds awarded to the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

**A. Permissible Use of Funding**

1. HSGP funds must be used in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the HSGP Notice of Funding Opportunity, which can be located at <http://www.fema.gov/grants>
2. All expenditures under this grant must support the Goals and Objectives outlined in the 2017 2020 NYS Homeland Security Strategy and approved investment justifications. New York State's Homeland Security Strategy can be located on the DHSES website at <http://www.dhSES.ny.gov/planning/#strat>.
3. Designated Urban Areas under the Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI) must have a charter document on file with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) prior to drawing down UASI funding. The charter must address critical issues such as membership, governance structure, voting rights, grant management and administration responsibilities, and funding allocation methodologies.

**B. Record Requirements**

1. Subrecipients shall keep an agenda and meeting minutes on file for all meetings conducted regarding HSGP funded activities.
2. Any documents produced as a result of these meetings such as plans, schedules, or procedures, will also be kept on file and be made available to DHSES, upon request.

**C. Equipment Purchases**

1. Equipment purchased with grant funds must fall within the allowable equipment categories for HSGP as listed on the Authorized Equipment List (AEL) ([https://www.fema.gov/authorized equipment list](https://www.fema.gov/authorized%20equipment%20list)).
2. Subrecipients are responsible to request a determination of eligibility from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), through DHSES, for any equipment item in question. Unless otherwise stated in the program guidance, equipment must meet all mandatory regulatory and/or DHS adopted standards to be eligible for purchase using HSGP funds.
3. The New York State Communication Interoperability Plan (SCIP), as well as DHS Grant Guidance for grant funding, requires that all interoperable communications equipment must be on the Authorized Equipment List (AEL) and must comply with the SAFECOM Guidance for Emergency Communication Grants, including provisions on technical standards that ensure and enhance interoperable communications.

**D. Training & Exercise Related Activities**

1. Any non DHS training course to be supported by this award must be submitted in advance to DHSES for written approval.
2. All exercises conducted must be managed and executed in accordance with the Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP). Report scheduled exercises to the DHSES Office of Emergency Management (OEM) Training and Exercise Section 60 days prior to the start of the exercise. An After Action Report/Improvement Plan (AAR/IP) must be prepared and submitted to DHSES following every exercise, regardless of type or scope. AAR/IPs must conform to the HSEEP format and must be submitted within 60 days of completion of the exercise.
3. Subrecipients are required to be NIMS compliant. DHSES requires that subrecipients contact their county point of contact to determine how the particular county requires reporting. Subrecipients are expected to provide DHSES upon request any data

required for annual NIMS certification purposes.

#### E. Law Enforcement Requirements

1. Subrecipients that are law enforcement agencies agree that such funding shall be utilized for prevention, preparedness, and response initiatives consistent with the New York State Homeland Security Strategy, and with Counter Terrorism Zone (CTZ) efforts at the State and local level. This will ensure that fiscal resources are used for seamless and effective counter terrorism planning, training, information sharing, investigation, equipment acquisition, and response functions.
2. Particular attention must be paid to equipment and technology acquisitions, and, where similar technology already exists in the State's law enforcement communities, subrecipients will ensure that interoperability between and among existing law enforcement systems, and the New York State Intelligence Center (NYSIC), is accomplished.
3. Subrecipients further agree to consult with the NYSIC to ensure agency participation and inclusion in New York State's Field Intelligence Officer (FIO) Program.

#### F. EHP Requirements

1. Subrecipients shall comply with all applicable federal, State, and local environmental and historic preservation (EHP) requirements and shall provide any information requested by FEMA to ensure compliance with applicable laws including: National Environmental Policy Act, National Historic Preservation Act, Endangered Species Act, and Executive Orders on Floodplains (11988), Wetlands (11990) and Environmental Justice (12898).
2. Failure of subrecipients to meet federal, State, and local EHP requirements and obtain applicable permits may jeopardize federal funding. Subrecipients shall not undertake any project having the potential to impact EHP resources without the prior approval of FEMA, including but not limited to communications towers, physical security enhancements, new construction, and modifications to buildings. Subrecipients must comply with all conditions placed on the project as the result of the EHP review.
3. Any change to the approved project scope of work will require re-evaluation for compliance with these EHP requirements.
4. If ground disturbing activities occur during project implementation, subrecipients must ensure monitoring of ground disturbance and if any potential archeological resources are discovered, such subrecipient will immediately cease construction in that area and notify FEMA and the appropriate State Historic Preservation Office.
5. Any activities requiring environmental and historic preservation review that have been initiated prior to FEMA approval could result in non-compliance finding. For your convenience, the screening form is available at: <http://www.dhSES.ny.gov/grants/eph.cfm>.

#### G. Equipment Maintenance Requirements

1. Subrecipients must track grant funds used for maintenance contracts, warranties, repair or replacement costs and upgrades, and report such expenditures in fiscal and program reports.

#### H. New York State Emergency Management Certification and Training Program

1. Participation in and successful completion of the New York State Emergency Management Certification and Training Program (EMC Training Program) is a mandatory requirement under this Contract and a condition of funding. The EMC Training Program will be made available to, and required for, DHSES specified county and city government officials in order to ensure a consistent emergency management preparedness and response strategy across the State. Attendee substitutions, except as expressly approved by DHSES, shall not be permitted or deemed to be in compliance with this requirement.
2. To fulfill the EMC Training Program requirement of the Contract and in order to be eligible for funding under this Contract, subrecipients must arrange for DHSES specified subrecipient employees to receive and acknowledge receipt of EMC Training no later than 180 days after execution of this Contract. Copies of the training certificates for each required participant must be submitted to DHSES upon execution of the Contract, or, in the event that training is scheduled, but not yet complete, the subrecipient will be required to submit a signed statement indicating the scheduled future dates of attendance, and no later than thirty (30) days after the training is complete, forward such training certificates to DHSES. Continued compliance with the EMC Training Program also requires an annual refresher training of one day per 365 day cycle from the date of initial training for previously trained individuals if such person remains employed by the subrecipient and fulfilling the same functions as he or she fulfilled during the initial training. Should a new employee be designated to serve in the DHSES specified positions, then he or she must come into compliance with the EMC Training Program requirements not later than 180 days after taking office.
3. Subrecipient must commit to active participation in a DHSES Annual Capabilities Assessment as a condition of funding. Active participation includes making reasonable staff, records, information, and time resources available to DHSES to perform

the Annual Capabilities Assessment and meet the objectives and goals of the program. Subrecipients must be aware that the process of conducting a DHSES Annual Risk Assessment is an ongoing process and requires a continued commitment on the part of the subrecipient to ensure that it is effective.

4. All subrecipients funded through this program agree to provide DHSES, upon request at any time during the life of the grant contract, such cooperation and information deemed necessary by DHSES to ascertain: (1) the nature and extent of any threats or hazards that may pose a risk to the subrecipient ; and (2) the status of any corresponding subrecipient plans, capabilities, or other resources for preventing, protecting against, mitigating, responding to, and recovering from such threats or hazards.

5. Additionally, pursuant to Article 26 of the NYS Executive law, DHSES is authorized to undertake periodic drills and simulations designed to assess and prepare responses to terrorist acts or threats and other natural and man made disasters. Funded subrecipients agree to attend and participate in any DHSES sponsored conferences, training, workshops or meetings (excluding those identified by DHSES as voluntary) that may be conducted, by and at the request of DHSES, during the life of the grant contract.

6. Failure to comply with any of the requirements, as listed above, may result in sanctions up to and including the immediate suspension and/or revocation of the grant award.

Undersheriff Robert Swenszkowski  
Chief Deputy Jonathan G. Owens



Chief Deputy Gregory Pflieger  
Chief Deputy Joseph A. Lisi

*Sheriff Robert M. Maciol*

July 17, 2018

The Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

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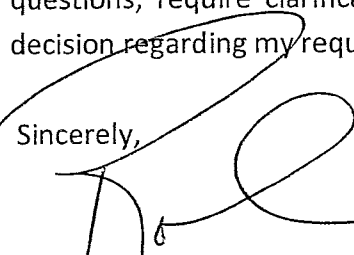
Dear County Executive Picente:

The Sheriff's Office is requesting that Oneida County enter into a contract with the New York State Office of Homeland Security for the 2018 State Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention Program grant. The Sheriff's Office has been awarded \$66,231.00. This grant is set to begin September 1, 2018 and will expire August 31, 2021.

The money obtained from the grant will be used for several purposes. This grant will help to sustain and expand our Automatic Vehicle Locator (AVL) System. This project pays for a cellular based system that helps coordinate manpower and vehicle resources in critical incidents. By being able to purchase IT equipment, such as wireless modems, we will be able to connect to Mobile Data Terminals anywhere in the County. We also plan to purchase personnel protective equipment such as air purifying respirators and replacement filters.

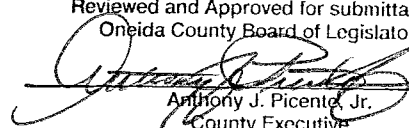
If you find the enclosed grant contract acceptable, I am requesting your approval by way of signature. I would like to thank you for your time and diligent attention to this matter in advance. If you have any questions, require clarification or seek additional information from me in order to help you make a decision regarding my request, please do not hesitate to contact me at any point in time.

Sincerely,

  
Robert M. Maciol  
Sheriff



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislator by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-16-18

Oneida Co. Department: Sheriff's Office

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other **xxx** \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** New York State Division of Homeland Security and  
Emergency Services  
1220 Washington Avenue  
Building 7A Suite 710  
Albany, NY 12242

**Title of Activity or Service:** SLEPPT Grant 2018

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** 09/01/2018 – 08/31/2021

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Residents of Oneida County

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** This grant will help sustain and expand the Automatic Vehicle Locator (AVL) System. This project pays for a cellular based system that helps coordinate manpower and vehicle resources in critical incidents, allowing units to connect to Mobile Data Terminals anywhere in the County. Funds will also be used to purchase personal protective equipment, such as air purifying respirators and replacement filters.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** This funding will improve the tracking and coordination of law enforcement units and other resources wirelessly. Prevention and protection of the public from terrorist attacks will be greatly enhanced through the effective use of this system.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** The personal protective equipment will be utilized by the SWAT Team. The AVL equipment will be utilized by all local law enforcement.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$66,231.00

**Account** #H584-3597 (revenue)  
#H584 (expense)

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** N/A

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** None

<p><b>STATE AGENCY</b>                  New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services                  1220 Washington Avenue                  Building 7A Suite 710                  Albany, NY 12242</p>	<p><b>NYS COMPTROLLER'S NUMBER:</b>                  (Contract Number)</p> <p><b>ORIGINATING AGENCY CODE:</b> 01077</p>
<p><b>GRANTEE/CONTRACTOR:</b> (Name &amp; Address)                  Onelda County                  800 Park Avenue                  Utica, NY 13501</p>	<p><b>TYPE OF PROGRAMS:</b>  <b>CFDA NUMBER:</b>  <b>DHSES NUMBERS:</b></p>
<p><b>FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NO:</b> 15-6000460  <b>MUNICIPALITY NO:</b> (if applicable) 300100000 000  <b>SFS VENDER NO:</b> 1000002595  <b>DUN &amp; BRADSTREET NO:</b> 075814186</p>	<p><b>INITIAL CONTRACT PERIOD:</b>                  FROM 09/01/2018 TO 08/31/2021  <b>FUNDING AMOUNT FOR INITIAL PERIOD:</b> \$66,231.00</p>
<p><b>STATUS:</b>                  Contractor is not a sectarian entry.                  Contractor is not a not-for-profit organization.</p>	<p><b>MULTI-YEAR TERM:</b> (If applicable)</p>
<p><b>CHARITIES REGISTRATION NUMBER:</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 15px; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <p>(Enter number of Exempt)</p> <p>if "Exempt" is entered above, reason for exemption.</p> <p><u>0</u> - not exempt</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">                 Contractor has _____ has not _____ timely filed with the Attorney General's Charities Bureau all required periodic or annual written reports.             </div>	<p><b>APPENDIX ATTACHED AND PART OF THIS AGREEMENT</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A Standard Clauses required by the Attorney General for all State contracts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A1 Agency-specific Clauses</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX B Budget</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX C Payment and Reporting Schedule</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX D Program Workplan and Special Conditions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX X Modification Agreement Form (to accompany modified appendices for changes in terms or considerations on an existing period or for renewal periods)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> DHSES-55 Budget Amendment/Grant Extension Request</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other - Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion</p>
<p>IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have electronically executed or approved this AGREEMENT on the dates of their signatures.</p>	
<p>NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services</p> <p>BY: _____, Date: _____</p> <p><b>State Agency Certification:</b> "In addition to the acceptance of this contract, I also certify that original copies of this signature page will be attached to all other exact copies of this contract".</p> <p><b>GRANTEE:</b>                  BY: Hon. Anthony J. Picente Jr., County Executive Date: _____</p>	
<p><b>ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE</b></p> <p>_____                  Title: _____                  Date: _____</p>	<p><b>COMPTROLLER'S SIGNATURE</b></p> <p>_____                  Title: _____                  Date: _____</p>



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**Project No.**

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**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

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**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

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## APPENDIX A

## STANDARD CLAUSES FOR NYS CONTRACTS

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, 'the contract' or 'this contract') agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word 'Contractor' herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

1. EXECUTORY CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under this contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond funds appropriated and available for this contract.

2. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, this contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law may be waived at the discretion of the contracting agency and with the concurrence of the State Comptroller where the original contract was subject to the State Comptroller's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that any Contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless this contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

3. COMPTROLLER'S APPROVAL. In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if this contract is with the State University or City University of New York, Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if this contract exceeds \$50,000 (or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller for certain S.U.N.Y. and C.U.N.Y. contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount, or if, by this contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by the State Comptroller and filed in his office. Comptroller's approval of contracts let by the Office of General Services is required when such contracts exceed \$85,000 (State Finance Law Section 163.6-a). However, such pre-approval shall not be required for any contract established as a centralized contract through the Office of General Services or for a purchase order or other transaction issued under such centralized contract.

4. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, this contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

5. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this contract shall be performed within the State of New York, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of

race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

6. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS. If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

7. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION. In accordance with Section 139-d of the State Finance Law, if this contract was awarded based upon the submission of bids, Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. Contractor further affirms that, at the time Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive bidding certification on Contractor's behalf.

8. INTERNATIONAL BOYCOTT PROHIBITION. In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

9. SET-OFF RIGHTS. The State shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold for the purposes of set-off any moneys due to the Contractor under this contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to this contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of this contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State agency, its representatives, or the State Comptroller.

10. RECORDS. The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this contract (hereinafter, collectively, 'the Records'). The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The State Comptroller, the Attorney General and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The State shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the 'Statute') provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION. (a) Identification Number(s). Every invoice

or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a New York State agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Failure to include such number or numbers may delay payment. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or Claim for Payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

(b) Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principal purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this contract or lease. The information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York 12236.

12. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINORITIES AND WOMEN. In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if this contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the following shall apply and by signing this agreement the Contractor certifies and affirms that it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

(a) The Contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts and will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgradings, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

(b) at the request of the contracting agency, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

(c) the Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

Contractor will include the provisions of 'a', 'b', and 'c' above, in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (the 'Work') except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to this contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by a contractor or subcontractor with the requirements of any federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The contracting

agency shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the contracting agency shall waive the applicability of Section 312 to the extent of such duplication or conflict. Contractor will comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

13. **CONFLICTING TERMS.** In the event of a conflict between the terms of the contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Appendix A, the terms of this Appendix A shall control.

14. **GOVERNING LAW.** This contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

15. **LATE PAYMENT.** Timeliness of payment and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.

16. **NO ARBITRATION.** Disputes involving this contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

17. **SERVICE OF PROCESS.** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules ('CPLR'), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. Contractor will have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

18. **PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.** The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.

In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

19. **MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES.** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

20. **OMNIBUS PROCUREMENT ACT OF 1992.** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100

Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: opa@esd.ny.gov

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, NY 10017  
212-803-2414  
email: mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov  
<http://esd.ny.gov/MWBE/directorySearch.html>

The Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing this bid proposal or contract, as applicable, Contractors certify that whenever the total bid amount is greater than \$1 million:

- (a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of New York State Business Enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;
- (b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;
- (c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to New York State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and
- (d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of this contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

21. RECIPROCITY AND SANCTIONS PROVISIONS. Bidders are hereby notified that if their principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services they offer will be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that they be denied contracts which they would otherwise obtain. NOTE: As of May 15, 2002, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of South Carolina, Alaska, West Virginia, Wyoming, Louisiana and Hawaii. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for a current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

22. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

23. COMPLIANCE WITH CONSULTANT DISCLOSURE LAW. If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal or similar services, then, in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

24. PROCUREMENT LOBBYING. To the extent this agreement is a 'procurement contract' as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

25. CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION TO COLLECT SALES AND COMPENSATING USE TAX BY CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTORS, AFFILIATES AND SUBCONTRACTORS. To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

December, 2012

Certified by - on

**Award Contract**

**Project No.**

**Grantee Name**

LE18-1028-D00

Oneida County

07/17/2018

NEW YORK STATE  
DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES  
GRANT CONTRACT

APPENDIX A-1

The Contract is hereby made by and between the State of New York, acting by and through the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES or State Agency) and the public or private entity ('Contractor' or 'Subrecipient') identified on the face page hereof (Face Page).

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the State has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services, design or the execution and performance of construction projects, as applicable and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services or work, as applicable; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor is ready, willing and able to provide such program services or the execution and performance of construction projects and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services or work, as applicable, required pursuant to the terms of the Contract;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities, and covenants herein, the State and the Contractor agree as follows:

STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

I. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. Executory Clause: In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under the Contract to the Contractor, or to anyone else, beyond funds appropriated and available for the Contract.

B. Required Approvals: In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if the Contract is with the State University of New York (SUNY) or City University of New York (CUNY), Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if the Contract exceeds \$50,000 (or \$85,000 for contracts let by the Office of General Services, or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) for certain SUNY and CUNY contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount including, but not limited to, changes in amount, consideration, scope or contract term identified on the Face Page (Contract Term), it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the New York Attorney General Contract Approval Unit (AG) and OSC. If, by the Contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the AG and OSC.

Budget Changes: An amendment that would result in a transfer of funds among program activities or budget categories that does not affect the amount, consideration, scope or other terms of such contract may be subject to the approval of the Offices of the State Comptroller and Attorney General where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of less than five million dollars, or five percent for contracts of more than five million dollars; and, in addition, such amendment may be subject to prior approval by the applicable State Agency as detailed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).



C. Contract Parts: This Contract incorporates the face pages attached, this Appendix and all of the marked Appendices identified on the face page hereof.

D. Order of Precedence: In the event of a conflict among (i) the terms of the Contract (including any and all Appendices and amendments) or (ii) between the terms of the Contract and the original request for proposal, the program application or other Appendix that was completed and executed by the Contractor in connection with the Contract, the order of precedence is as follows:

1. Appendix A-1<sup>1</sup>
2. Modifications to the Face Page
3. Modifications to Appendices B, C and D
4. The Face Page
5. Appendices B, C and D
6. Other attachments, including, but not limited to, the request for proposal or program application

E. Governing Law: This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

F. Funding: Funding for the entire Contract Period shall not exceed the funding amount specified as 'Funding Amount for the Initial Period' on the Face Page hereof or as subsequently revised to reflect an approved renewal or cost amendment. Funding for the initial and subsequent periods of the Contract shall not exceed the applicable amounts specified in the applicable Appendix B form (Budget).

G. Contract Period: The period of this Contract shall be as specified on the face page hereof.

H. Contract Performance: The Contractor shall perform all services or work, as applicable, and comply with all provisions of the Contract to the satisfaction of the State. The Contractor shall provide services or work, as applicable, and meet the program objectives summarized in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions) in accordance with the provisions of the Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative, program and fiscal guidelines, and where applicable, operating certificate for facilities or licenses for an activity or program. For federally-funded grants, DHSES will conduct an evaluation to determine risks posted by Contractors in managing federal awards. Consistent with 2 CFR §200.331, the results of the evaluation may result in the imposition special conditions to this Contract including but not limited to increased monitoring, suspension of reimbursements and cancellation of the Contract.

I. Modifications: To modify the Contract, the parties shall revise or complete the appropriate appendix form(s). Any change in the amount of consideration to be paid, change in scope, or change in the term, is subject to the approval of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller. Any other modifications shall be processed in accordance with DHSES guidelines as stated in this Contract.

J. Severability: Any provision of the Contract that is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be ineffective only to the extent of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability, without affecting in any way the remaining provisions hereof; provided, however, that the parties to the Contract shall attempt in good faith to reform the Contract in a manner consistent with the intent of any such ineffective provision for the purpose of carrying out such intent. If any provision is held void, invalid or unenforceable with respect to particular circumstances, it shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect in all other circumstances.

K. Interpretation: The headings in the Contract are inserted for convenience and reference only and do not modify or restrict any of the provisions herein. All personal pronouns used herein shall be considered to be gender neutral. The Contract has been made under the laws of the State of New York, and the venue for resolving any disputes hereunder shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

L. Notice:

1. All notices, except for notices of termination, shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:
    - a. by certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
    - b. by facsimile transmission;
    - c. by personal delivery;
    - d. by expedited delivery service; or
    - e. by e-mail.
  2. Notices to the State shall be addressed to the Program Office.
  3. Notices to the Contractor shall be addressed to the Contractor's designee.
  4. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery services or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or e-mail, upon receipt.
  5. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different e-mail address, facsimile number or address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under the Contract by giving fifteen (15) calendar days prior written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of receiving notices under the Master Contract. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation, administration, billing and resolving issues and/or disputes.
- M. Service of Process: In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules (CPLR), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. The Contractor shall have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.
- N. Set-Off Rights: The State shall have all of its common law, equitable, and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold, for the purposes of set-off, any moneys due to the Contractor under the Contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to the Contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of the Contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies, or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of setoff pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by DHSES, its representatives, or OSC.
- O. Indemnification: The Contractor shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the Contractor or its subcontractors pursuant to this Contract. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the State and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and cost of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to the Contract.
- P. Non-Assignment Clause: In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, the Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet, or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so shall be considered to be null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract, let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law, may be waived at the discretion of DHSES and with the concurrence of OSC, where the original contract was subject to OSC's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger, or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its

right to approve an assignment and to require that the merged contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless the Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

**Q. Legal Action:** No litigation or regulatory action shall be brought against the federal government, the State of New York, DHSES or against any county or other local government entity with the funds provided under the Contract. The term 'litigation' shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from any of the federal government, the State of New York, DHSES or any county or other local government entity. The term 'regulatory action' shall include commencing or threatening to commence a regulatory proceeding, or requesting any regulatory relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity.

**R. No Arbitration:** Disputes involving the Contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**S. Secular Purpose:** Services performed pursuant to the Contract are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

**T. Partisan Political Activity and Lobbying:** Funds provided pursuant to the Contract shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that attempt to influence legislation or election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

**U. Reciprocity and Sanctions Provisions:** The Contractor is hereby notified that if its principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state, or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services it offers shall be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that it be denied contracts which it would otherwise obtain.<sup>2</sup>

**V. Reporting Fraud and Abuse:** Contractor acknowledges that it has reviewed information on how to prevent, detect, and report fraud, waste and abuse of public funds, including information about the federal False Claims Act, the New York State False Claims Act and whistleblower protections.

**W. Non-Collusive Bidding:** By submission of this bid, the Contractor and each person signing on behalf of the Contractor certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive binding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**X. Federally Funded Grants:** All of the specific federal requirements that are applicable to the Contract are identified in Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix. To the extent that the Contract is funded in whole or part with federal funds, (i) the provisions of the Contract that conflict with federal rules, federal regulations, or federal program specific requirements shall not apply and (ii) the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable federal rules, regulations and program specific requirements including, but not limited to, those provisions that are set forth in Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix. To the extent that section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) conflict with any other provisions of the Contract, the federal requirements of Section V shall supersede all other provisions of the Contract where required.

**Y. The Contractor must meet the program objectives summarized in the Program Work Plan and Special Conditions (Appendix D) to the satisfaction of DHSES in accordance with provisions of the Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative and fiscal guidelines and, where applicable, operating certificates for facilities or license for an activity or program.**

## II. TERM, TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

A. Term: The term of the Contract shall be as specified on the Face Page, unless terminated sooner as provided herein.

B. Renewal:

1. General Renewal: The Contract may consist of successive periods on the same terms and conditions, as specified within the Contract (a 'Simplified Renewal Contract'). Each additional or superseding period shall be on the forms specified by the State and shall be incorporated in the Contract.

2. Renewal Notice to Not-for-Profit Contractors:

a. Pursuant to State Finance Law §179-t, if the Contract is with a not-for-profit Contractor and provides for a renewal option, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Contract no later than ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Contract, unless funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation. If funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Contract the later of: (1) ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Contract, and (2) thirty (30) calendar days after the necessary appropriation becomes law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the State is unable to comply with the time frames set forth in this paragraph due to unusual circumstances beyond the control of the State ('Unusual Circumstances'), no payment of interest shall be due to the not-for-profit Contractor. For purposes of State Finance Law §179-t, 'Unusual Circumstances' shall not mean the failure by the State to (i) plan for implementation of a program, (ii) assign sufficient staff resources to implement a program, (iii) establish a schedule for the implementation of a program or (iv) anticipate any other reasonably foreseeable circumstance.

b. Notification to the not-for-profit Contractor of the State's intent to not renew the Contract must be in writing in the form of a letter, with the reason(s) for the non-renewal included. If the State does not provide notice to the not-for-profit Contractor of its intent not to renew the Contract as required in this Section and State Finance Law §179-t, the Contract shall be deemed continued until the date the State provides the necessary notice to the Contractor, in accordance with State Finance Law §179-t. Expenses incurred by the not-for-profit Contractor during such extension shall be reimbursable under the terms of the Contract.

C. Termination:

1. Grounds:

a. Mutual Consent: The Contract may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the State and the Contractor.

b. Cause: The State may terminate the Contract immediately, upon written notice of termination to the Contractor, if the Contractor fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of the Contract and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies, or procedures that are applicable to the Contract.

c. Non-Responsibility: In accordance with the provisions of this Contract, the State may make a final determination that the Contractor is non-responsible (Determination of Non-Responsibility). In such event, the State may terminate the Contract at the Contractor's expense, complete the contractual requirements in any manner the State deems advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

d. Convenience: The State may terminate the Contract in its sole discretion upon thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice.

e. Lack of Funds: If for any reason the State or the Federal government terminates or reduces its appropriation to the applicable State Agency entering into the Contract or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of one or more programs funded under this Contract, the Contract may be terminated or reduced at DHSES's discretion, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor where funds are available to DHSES for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Contract, all remaining funds paid to the Contractor that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor shall be returned to DHSES. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by the

State (including DHSES) beyond monies available for the purposes of the Contract. The Contractor acknowledges that any funds due to DHSES or the State of New York because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be the Contractor's responsibility.

f. Force Majeure: The State may terminate or suspend its performance under the Contract immediately upon the occurrence of a 'force majeure'. For purposes of the Contract, 'Force majeure' shall include, but not be limited to, natural disasters, war, rebellion, insurrection, riot, strikes, lockout and any unforeseen circumstances and acts beyond the control of the State which render the performance of its obligations impossible.

## 2. Notice of Termination:

a. Service of notice: Written notice of termination shall be sent by:

- i. personal messenger service; or
- ii. certified mail, return receipt requested and first class mail.

b. Effective date of termination: The effective date of the termination shall be the later of (i) the date indicated in the notice and (ii) the date the notice is received by the Contractor, and shall be established as follows:

- i. if the notice is delivered by hand, the date of receipt shall be established by the receipt given to the Contractor or by affidavit of the individual making such hand delivery attesting to the date of delivery; or
- ii. if the notice is delivered by registered or certified mail, by the receipt returned from the United States Postal Service, or if no receipt is returned, five (5) business days from the date of mailing of the first class letter, postage prepaid, in a depository under the care and control of the United States Postal Service.

## 3. Effect of Notice and Termination on State's Payment Obligations:

- a. Upon receipt of notice of termination, the Contractor agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the State.
- b. The State shall be responsible for payment on claims for services or work provided and costs incurred pursuant to the terms of the Contract. In no event shall the State be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the requirements of the Contract after its termination date.

## 4. Effect of Termination Based on Misuse or Conversion of State or Federal Property:

Where the Contract is terminated for cause based on Contractor's failure to use some or all of the real property or equipment purchased pursuant to the Contract for the purposes set forth herein, the State may, at its option, require:

- a. the repayment to the State of any monies previously paid to the Contractor; or
- b. the return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of the Contract; or
- c. an appropriate combination of clauses (a) and (b) of Section II(C)(4) herein.

Nothing herein shall be intended to limit the State's ability to pursue such other legal or equitable remedies as may be available.

D. Suspension: The State may, in its discretion, order the Contractor to suspend performance for a reasonable period of time. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given a formal written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor shall comply with the particulars of the notice. The State shall have no obligation to reimburse Contractor's expenses during such suspension period. Activities may resume at such time as the State issues a formal written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

### III. PAYMENT AND REPORTING

#### A. Terms and Conditions:

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, DHSES agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page.
2. The State has no obligation to make payment until all required approvals, including the approval of the AG and OSC, if required, have been obtained. Contractor obligations or expenditures that precede the start date of the Contract shall not be reimbursed.
3. The Contractor must provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the State in order to receive payment. Provided, however, the State may, at its discretion, automatically generate a voucher in accordance with an approved contract payment schedule. Billing invoices submitted to the State must contain all information and supporting documentation required by Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein. The State may require the Contractor to submit billing invoices electronically.
4. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the head of DHSES, in the sole discretion of the head of such State Agency, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with OSC's procedures and practices to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), by email at [epunit@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epunit@osc.state.ny.us), or by telephone at (518) 474-4032. Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any vouchers submitted under this Contract if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Director has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.
5. If travel expenses are an approved expenditure under this Contract, travel expenses shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Contractor, the OSC guidelines, or United States General Services Administration rates. No out-of-state travel costs shall be permitted unless specifically detailed and pre-approved by the State.
6. Timeliness of advance payments or other claims for reimbursement, and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment, shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.
7. Article 11-B of the State Finance Law sets forth certain time frames for the Full Execution of contracts or renewal contracts with not-for-profit organizations and the implementation of any program plan associated with such contract. For purposes of this section, 'Full Execution' shall mean that the contract has been signed by all parties thereto and has obtained the approval of the AG and OSC. Any interest to be paid on a missed payment to the Contractor based on a delay in the Full Execution of the Master Contract shall be governed by Article 11-B of the State Finance Law.

#### B. Advance Payment and Recoupment:

1. Advance payments, which the State in its sole discretion may make to not-for-profit grant recipients, shall be made and recouped in accordance with State Finance Law Section 179(u), this Section and the provisions of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).
2. Advance payments made by the State to not-for-profit grant recipients shall be due no later than thirty (30) calendar days, excluding legal holidays, after the first day of the Contract Term or, if renewed, in the period identified on the Face Page.
3. For subsequent contract years in multi-year contracts, Contractor will be notified of the scheduled advance payments for the upcoming contract year no later than 90 days prior to the commencement of the contract year. For simplified renewals, the payment schedule (Appendix C) will be modified as part of the renewal process.
4. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting the percentage of subsequent claims listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein and such claims shall be reduced until the advance is fully recovered within the Contract Term. Any unexpended advance balance at the

end of the Contract Term shall be refunded by the Contractor to the State.

5. If for any reason the amount of any claim is not sufficient to cover the proportionate advance amount to be recovered, then subsequent claims may be reduced until the advance is fully recovered.

#### C. Claims for Reimbursement:

1. The Contractor shall submit claims for the reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the State under the Contract in accordance with this Section and the applicable claiming schedule in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the applicable Appendix B form (Budget) and during the Contract Term. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: (i) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and (ii) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program. Requirement (ii) does not apply to grants funded pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation.

2. Consistent with the selected reimbursement claiming schedule in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the appropriate following provisions:

a. Quarterly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES quarterly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

b. Monthly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES monthly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

c. Biannual Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). The Contractor shall submit to DHSES biannually voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to DHSES in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

d. Milestone/Performance Reimbursement:<sup>3</sup> Requests for payment based upon an event or milestone may be either severable or cumulative. A severable event/milestone is independent of accomplishment of any other event. If the event is cumulative, the successful completion of an event or milestone is dependent on the previous completion of another event. Milestone payments shall be made to the Contractor when requested in a form approved by the State, and at frequencies and in amounts stated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). DHSES shall make milestone payments subject to the Contractor's satisfactory performance.

e. Fee for Service Reimbursement:<sup>4</sup> Payment shall be limited to only those fees specifically agreed upon in the Contract and shall be payable no more frequently than monthly upon submission of a voucher by the contractor.

f. Rate Based Reimbursement:<sup>5</sup> Payment shall be limited to rate(s) established in the Contract. Payment may be requested no more frequently than monthly.

g. Scheduled Reimbursement:<sup>6</sup> DHSES shall generate vouchers at the frequencies and amounts as set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

h. Interim Reimbursement: DHSES may generate vouchers on an interim basis and the amounts requested by the Contract as set forth in Attachment C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

i. Fifth Quarter Payments:<sup>7</sup> Fifth quarter payment shall be paid to the Contractor at the conclusion of the final scheduled payment period of the preceding contract period. DHSES shall use a written directive for fifth quarter

financing. DHSES shall generate a voucher in the fourth quarter of the current contract year to pay the scheduled payment for the next contract year.

3. The Contractor shall also submit supporting fiscal documentation for the expenses claimed.

4. The State reserves the right to withhold up to fifteen percent (15%) of the total amount of the Contract as security for the faithful completion of services or work, as applicable, under the Contract. This amount may be withheld in whole or in part from any single payment or combination of payments otherwise due under the Contract. In the event that such withheld funds are insufficient to satisfy Contractor's obligations to the State, the State may pursue all available remedies, including the right of setoff and recoupment.

5. The State shall not be liable for payments on the Contract if it is made pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation if insufficient monies are available pursuant to Section 99-d of the State Finance Law.

6. All vouchers submitted by the Contractor pursuant to the Contract shall be submitted to DHSES no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the end date of the period for which reimbursement is claimed. In no event shall the amount received by the Contractor exceed the budget amount approved by DHSES, and, if actual expenditures by the Contractor are less than such sum, the amount payable by DHSES to the Contractor shall not exceed the amount of actual expenditures.

7. All obligations must be incurred prior to the end date of the contract. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section III(C)(6) above, with respect to the final period for which reimbursement is claimed, so long as the obligations were incurred prior to the end date of the contract, the Contractor shall have up to ninety (90) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures; provided, however, that if the Contract is funded in whole or in part with federal funds, the Contractor shall have up to sixty (60) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures.

#### D. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification:

1. Every voucher or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a State Agency by the Contractor, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property, must include the Contractor's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System, and any or all of the following identification numbers: (i) the Contractor's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the Contractor's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) DUNS number. Failure to include such identification number or numbers may delay payment by the State to the Contractor. Where the Contractor does not have such number or numbers, the Contractor, on its voucher or Claim for Payment, must provide the reason or reasons for why the Contractor does not have such number or numbers.

2. The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of DHSES contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by the Contract. This information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York, 12236.

#### E. Refunds:

1. In the event that the Contractor must make a refund to the State for Contract-related activities, including repayment of an advance or an audit disallowance, payment must be made payable as set forth in this Appendix. The Contractor must reference the contract number with its payment and include a brief explanation of why the refund is being made. Refund payments must be submitted to the Office address listed in Appendix C.

2. If at the end or termination of the Contract, there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under the Contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall make payment within forty-five (45)



calendar days of the end or termination of the Contract. In the event that the Contractor fails to refund such balance the State may pursue all available remedies.

F. Outstanding Amounts Owed to the State: Prior period overpayments (including, but not limited to, contract advances in excess of actual expenditures) and/or audit recoveries associated with the Contractor may be recouped against future payments made under this Contract to Contractor. The recoupment generally begins with the first payment made to the Contractor following identification of the overpayment and/or audit recovery amount. In the event that there are no payments to apply recoveries against, the Contractor shall make payment as provided in Section III(E) (Refunds) herein.

G. Program and Fiscal Reporting Requirements:

1. The Contractor shall submit required periodic reports in accordance with the applicable schedule provided in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). All required reports or other work products developed pursuant to the Contract must be completed as provided by the agreed upon work schedule in a manner satisfactory and acceptable to DHSES in order for the Contractor to be eligible for payment.

2. Consistent with the selected reporting options in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the following applicable provisions:

a. If the Expenditure Based Reports option is indicated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide DHSES with one or more of the following reports as required by the following provisions and Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

i. Narrative/Qualitative Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a report, in narrative form, summarizing the services rendered during the quarter. This report shall detail how the Contractor has progressed toward attaining the qualitative goals enumerated in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). This report should address all goals and objectives of the project and include a discussion of problems encountered and steps taken to solve them.

ii. Statistical/Quantitative Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed report analyzing the quantitative aspects of the program plan, as appropriate (e.g., number of meals served, clients transported, patient/client encounters, procedures performed, training sessions conducted, etc.).

iii. Expenditure Report: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed expenditure report, by object of expense. This report shall accompany the voucher submitted for such period.

iv. Final Report: The Contractor shall submit a final report as required by the Contract, not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) which reports on all aspects of the program and detailing how the use of funds were utilized in achieving the goals set forth in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions).

v. Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR): The Contractor shall submit a CFR, which includes a year-end cost report and final claim not later than the time period listed in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

b. If the Performance-Based Reports option is indicated in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide DHSES with the following reports as required by the following provisions and Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

i. Progress Report: The Contractor shall provide DHSES with a written progress report using the forms and formats as provided by DHSES, summarizing the work performed during the period. These reports shall detail the Contractor's progress toward attaining the specific goals enumerated in Appendix D (Work Plan and Special Conditions). Progress reports shall be submitted in a format prescribed in the Contract.

ii. Final Progress Report: Final scheduled payment is due during the time period set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The deadline for submission of the final report shall be the date set forth in

Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). DHSES shall complete its audit and notify the Contractor of the results no later than the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule). Payment shall be adjusted by DHSES to reflect only those services/expenditures that were made in accordance with the Contract. The Contractor shall submit a detailed comprehensive final progress report not later than the date set forth in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), summarizing the work performed during the entire Contract Term (i.e., a cumulative report), in the forms and formats required.

3. In addition to the periodic reports stated above, the Contractor may be required (a) to submit such other reports as are required in Table 1 of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule), and (b) prior to receipt of final payment under the Contract, to submit one or more final reports in accordance with the form, content, and schedule stated in Table 1 of Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

#### H. Notification of Significant Occurrences:

1. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of this project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones or other program requirements, the Contractor agrees to submit to DHSES within three (3) calendar days of becoming aware of the occurrence or of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

2. The Contractor shall immediately notify in writing the program manager assigned to the Contract of any unusual incident, occurrence, or event that involves the staff, volunteers, directors or officers of the Contractor, any subcontractor or program participant funded through the Contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity that could impact the successful completion of this project; any destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor; or other matters of a similarly serious nature.

#### IV. ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

##### A. Contractor as an Independent Contractor/Employees:

1. The State and the Contractor agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor and not an employee of the State and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee, or subdivision of the State nor make any claim, demand, or application to or for any right based upon any different status. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Contract, and all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

2. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff, and any and all subcontractors have all the necessary licenses, approvals, and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable local, state, or Federal government to perform the services or work, as applicable, pursuant to the Contract and/or any subcontract entered into under the Contract. The Contractor further agrees that such required licenses, approvals, and certificates shall be kept in full force and effect during the term of the Contract, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals, or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and subcontractors to obtain the requisite licenses, approvals, or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval, or certification to perform the services or work, as applicable, under the Contract, Contractor shall immediately notify the State.

##### B. Subcontractors:

1. If the Contractor enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to the Contract, the Contractor shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Contract. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the State.

2. If requested by the State, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, that are in excess of \$100,000 for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written permission of the State, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract in excess of \$100,000 prior to giving written permission to the Contractor to enter into the

subcontract. All agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of the Contract, (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Contract, and (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under the Contract, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the State. In addition, subcontracts shall contain any other provisions which are required to be included in subcontracts pursuant to the terms herein.

3. If requested by the State, prior to executing a subcontract, the Contractor agrees to require the subcontractor to provide to the State the information the State needs to determine whether a proposed subcontractor is a responsible vendor.

4. If requested by the State, when a subcontract equals or exceeds \$100,000, the subcontractor must submit a Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire (Questionnaire).

5. If requested by the State, when a subcontract is executed, the Contractor must provide detailed subcontract information (a copy of subcontract will suffice) to the State within fifteen (15) calendar days after execution. The State may request from the Contractor copies of subcontracts between a subcontractor and its subcontractor.

6. The Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors to submit to the Contractor all financial claims for Services or work to DHSES, as applicable, rendered and required supporting documentation and reports as necessary to permit Contractor to meet claim deadlines and documentation requirements as established in Appendix C (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III. Subcontractors shall be paid by the Contractor on a timely basis after submitting the required reports and vouchers for reimbursement of services or work, as applicable. Subcontractors shall be informed by the Contractor of the possibility of non-payment or rejection by the Contractor of claims that do not contain the required information, and/or are not received by the Contractor by said due date.

#### C. Use of Material, Equipment, or Personnel:

1. The Contractor shall not use materials, equipment, or personnel paid for under the Contract for any activity other than those provided for under the Contract, except with the State's prior written permission.

2. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the State shall be deemed to be the property of the State and shall either be credited to the State at the close-out of the Contract or, upon the written permission of the State, shall be expended on additional services or work, as applicable, provided for under the Contract.

#### D. Property:

1. Property is real property, equipment, or tangible personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$1,000 or more per unit.

a. If an item of Property required by the Contractor is available as surplus to the State, the State at its sole discretion, may arrange to provide such Property to the Contractor in lieu of the purchase of such Property.

b. If the State consents in writing, the Contractor may retain possession of Property owned by the State, as provided herein, after the termination of the Contract to use for similar purposes. Otherwise, the Contractor shall return such Property to the State at the Contractor's cost and expense upon the expiration of the Contract.

c. In addition, the Contractor agrees to permit the State to inspect the Property and to monitor its use at reasonable intervals during the Contractor's regular business hours.

d. The Contractor shall be responsible for maintaining and repairing Property purchased or procured under the Contract at its own cost and expense. The Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance at its own cost and expense in an amount satisfactory to DHSES naming DHSES as an additional insured, covering the loss, theft or destruction of such equipment.

e. A rental charge to the Contract for a piece of Property owned by the Contractor shall not be allowed.

f. The State has the right to review and approve in writing any new contract for the purchase of or lease for rental of Property (Purchase/Lease Contract) operated in connection with the provision of the services or work, as applicable, as specified in the Contract, if applicable, and any modifications, amendments, or extensions of an existing lease or purchase prior to its execution. If, in its discretion, the State disapproves of any Purchase/Lease Contract, then the State shall not be obligated to make any payments for such Property.

g. No member, officer, director or employee of the Contractor shall retain or acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Property, paid for with funds under the Contract, nor retain any interest, direct or indirect, in such, without full and complete prior disclosure of such interest and the date of acquisition thereof, in writing to the Contractor and the State.

2. For non-Federally-funded contracts, unless otherwise provided herein, the State shall have the following rights to Property purchased with funds provided under the Contract:

a. For cost-reimbursable contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the State.

b. For performance-based contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the Contractor.

3. For Federally funded contracts, title to Property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies provided under the Contract shall be governed by the terms and conditions of Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) contained herein.

4. Upon written direction by the State, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of all Property that is owned by the State as provided herein.

5. The Contractor shall execute any documents which the State may reasonably require to effectuate the provisions of this section.

#### E. Records and Audits:

##### 1. General:

a. The Contractor shall establish and maintain, in paper or electronic format, complete and accurate books, records, documents, receipts, accounts, and other evidence directly pertinent to its performance under the Contract (collectively, Records).

b. The Contractor agrees to produce and retain for the balance of the term of the Contract, and for a period of six years from the later of the date of (i) the Contract and (ii) the most recent renewal of the Contract, any and all Records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under the Contract. Such Records may include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:

i. personal service expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, vouchers and invoices, records of contract labor, any and all records listing payroll and the money value of non-cash advantages provided to employees, time cards, work schedules and logs, employee personal history folders, detailed and general ledgers, sales records, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

ii. payroll taxes and fringe benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, invoices for fringe benefit expenses, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

iii. non-personal services expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, cost allocation plans, and bid and procurement documentation, such as quotes, proposals and selection records, if applicable.

iv. receipt and deposit of advance and reimbursements: itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the

related bank statements.

c. The OSC, AG and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as DHSES or State Agencies involved in the Contract that provided funding, shall have access to the Records during the hours of 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding State recognized holidays), at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying.

d. The State shall protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records, as exempt under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law, is reasonable.

e. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's rights in connection with its audit and investigatory authority or the State's rights in connection with discovery in any pending or future litigation.

## 2. Cost Allocation:

a. For non-performance based contracts, the proper allocation of the Contractor's costs must be made according to a cost allocation plan that meets the requirements of 2 CFR Part 200. Methods used to determine and assign costs shall conform to generally accepted accounting practices and shall be consistent with the method(s) used by the Contractor to determine costs for other operations or programs. Such accounting standards and practices shall be subject to approval of the State.

b. For performance based milestone contracts, or for the portion of the contract amount paid on a performance basis, the Contractor shall maintain documentation demonstrating that milestones were attained.

3. Federal Funds: For records and audit provisions governing Federal funds, please see Section V (FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS) of this Appendix A-1.

F. Confidentiality: The Contractor agrees that it shall use and maintain information relating to individuals who may receive services, and their families pursuant to the Contract, or any other information, data or records deemed confidential by the State (Confidential Information) only for the limited purposes of the Contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of State and Federal law. The Contractor (i) has an affirmative obligation to safeguard any such Confidential Information from unnecessary or unauthorized disclosure and (ii) must comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

## G. Publicity:

1. Publicity includes, but is not limited to: news conferences; news releases; public announcements; advertising; brochures; reports; discussions or presentations at conferences or meetings; and/or the inclusion of State materials, the State's name or other such references to the State in any document or forum. Publicity regarding this project may not be released without prior written approval from the State.

2. Any publications, presentations or announcements of conferences, meetings or trainings which are funded in whole or in part through any activity supported under the Contract may not be published, presented or announced without prior approval of the State. Any such publication, presentation or announcement shall:

a. Acknowledge the support of the State of New York and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency; and

b. State that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretations or policy of the State or if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency.

3. Notwithstanding the above, (i) if the Contractor is an educational research institution, the Contractor may, for scholarly or academic purposes, use, present, discuss, report or publish any material, data or analyses, other

than Confidential Information, that derives from activity under the Master Contract and the Contractor agrees to use best efforts to provide copies of any manuscripts arising from Contractor's performance under this Master Contract, or if requested by the State, the Contractor shall provide the State with a thirty (30) day period in which to review each manuscript for compliance with Confidential Information requirements; or (ii) if the Contractor is not an educational research institution, the Contractor may submit for publication, scholarly or academic publications that derive from activity under the Master Contract (but are not deliverable under the Master Contract), provided that the Contractor first submits such manuscripts to the State forty-five (45) calendar days prior to submission for consideration by a publisher in order for the State to review the manuscript for compliance with confidentiality requirements and restrictions and to make such other comments as the State deems appropriate. All derivative publications shall follow the same acknowledgments and disclaimer as described in Section IV(G)(2) (Publicity) hereof.

H. Web-Based Applications-Accessibility: Any web-based intranet and Internet information and applications development, or programming delivered pursuant to the Contract or procurement shall comply with New York State Enterprise IT Policy NYS-P08-005, Accessibility Web-Based Information and Applications, and New York State Enterprise IT Standard NYS-S08-005, Accessibility of Web-Based Information Applications, as such policy or standard may be amended, modified or superseded, which requires that State Agency web-based intranet and Internet information and applications are accessible to person with disabilities. Web content must conform to New York State Enterprise IT Standards NYS-S08-005, as determined by quality assurance testing. Such quality assurance testing shall be conducted by DHSES and the results of such testing must be satisfactory to DHSES before web content shall be considered a qualified deliverable under the Contract or procurement.

I. Non-Discrimination Requirements: Pursuant to Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional nondiscrimination provisions, the Contractor and sub-contractors will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex (including gender identity or expression), national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that the Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Contract. The Contractor shall be subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 of the Labor Law.

J. Equal Opportunities for Minorities and Women; Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises: In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if the Contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting State Agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the Contractor certifies and affirms that (i) it is subject to Article 15-A of the Executive Law which includes, but is not limited to, those provisions concerning the maximizing of opportunities for the participation of minority and women-owned business enterprises and (ii) the following provisions shall apply and it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

1. The Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status;

2. The Contractor shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts;
3. The Contractor shall undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;
4. At the request of the State, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative shall affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and
5. The Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants shall be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

The Contractor shall include the provisions of subclauses 1 – 5 of this Section (IV)(J), in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (Work) except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 of the Executive Law does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to the Contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by the Contractor or a subcontractor with the requirements of any Federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The State shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such Federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the State shall waive the applicability of Section 312 of the Executive Law to the extent of such duplication or conflict. The Contractor shall comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

K. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992: It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises, as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

1. If the total dollar amount of the Contract is greater than \$1 million, the Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing the Contract, the Contractor certifies the following:

- a. The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of State business enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;
- b. The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;
- c. The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and
- d. The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of the Contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

L. Workers' Compensation Benefits:

1. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, the Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of the Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

2. If a Contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement they must apply for an exemption.

M. Unemployment Insurance Compliance: The Contractor shall remain current in both its quarterly reporting and payment of contributions or payments in lieu of contributions, as applicable, to the State Unemployment Insurance system as a condition of maintaining this grant.

The Contractor hereby authorizes the State Department of Labor to disclose to DHSES staff only such information as is necessary to determine the Contractor's compliance with the State Unemployment Insurance Law. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. any records of unemployment insurance (UI) contributions, interest, and/or penalty payment arrears or reporting delinquency;
2. any debts owed for UI contributions, interest, and/or penalties;
3. the history and results of any audit or investigation; and
4. copies of wage reporting information.

Such disclosures are protected under Section 537 of the State Labor Law, which makes it a misdemeanor for the recipient of such information to use or disclose the information for any purpose other than the performing due diligence as a part of the approval process for the Contract.

N. Vendor Responsibility:

1. If a Contractor is required to complete a Questionnaire, the Contractor covenants and represents that it has, to the best of its knowledge, truthfully, accurately and thoroughly completed such Questionnaire. Although electronic filing is preferred, the Contractor may obtain a paper form from the OSC prior to execution of the Contract. The Contractor further covenants and represents that as of the date of execution of the Contract, there are no material events, omissions, changes or corrections to such document requiring an amendment to the Questionnaire.

2. The Contractor shall provide to the State updates to the Questionnaire if any material event(s) occurs requiring an amendment or as new information material to such Questionnaire becomes available.

3. The Contractor shall, in addition, promptly report to the State the initiation of any investigation or audit by a governmental entity with enforcement authority with respect to any alleged violation of Federal or state law by the Contractor, its employees, its officers and/or directors in connection with matters involving, relating to or arising out of the Contractor's business. Such report shall be made within five (5) business days following the Contractor becoming aware of such event, investigation, or audit. Such report may be considered by the State in making a Determination of Vendor Non-Responsibility pursuant to this section.

4. The State reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of the Contract:

- a. to require updates or clarifications to the Questionnaire upon written request;
- b. to inquire about information included in or required information omitted from the Questionnaire;
- c. to require the Contractor to provide such information to the State within a reasonable timeframe; and
- d. to require as a condition precedent to entering into the Contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as shall be necessary to satisfy the State that the Contractor is, and shall remain, a responsible vendor; and
- e. to require the Contractor to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity. By signing the Contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of the Contract.



5. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under the Contract, at any time, when it discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the State issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

6. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to make a final Determination of Non-Responsibility at any time during the term of the Contract based on:

- a. any information provided in the Questionnaire and/or in any updates, clarifications or amendments thereof; or
- b. the State's discovery of any material information which pertains to the Contractor's responsibility.

7. Prior to making a final Determination of Non-Responsibility, the State shall provide written notice to the Contractor that it has made a preliminary determination of non-responsibility. The State shall detail the reason(s) for the preliminary determination, and shall provide the Contractor with an opportunity to be heard.

O. Charities Registration: If applicable, the Contractor agrees to (i) obtain not-for-profit status, a Federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish DHSES with this information as soon as it is available, (ii) be in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements at the time of the awarding of this Contract by the State and (iii) remain in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements throughout the term of the Contract.

P. Consultant Disclosure Law:<sup>8</sup> If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services, then in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

Q. Wage and Hours Provisions: If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

R. Participation By Minority Group Members And Women With Respect To Grant Contracts: Requirements And Procedures (state-funded grants only)

#### 1. General Provisions

a. The Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) is required to implement the provisions of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR Parts 142-144 ('MWBE Regulations') for all State contracts as defined therein, with a value (1) in excess of \$25,000 for labor, services, equipment, materials, or any combination of the foregoing or (2) in excess of \$100,000 for real property renovations and construction.

b. The Contractor to the subject contract (the 'Contractor' and the 'Contract', respectively) agrees, in addition to any other nondiscrimination provision of the Contract and at no additional cost to the DHSES, to fully comply and cooperate with the DHSES in the implementation of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A. These requirements include equal employment opportunities for minority group members and women ('EEO') and

contracting opportunities for certified minority and women-owned business enterprises ('MWBEs'). Contractor's demonstration of 'good faith efforts' pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8 shall be a part of these requirements. These provisions shall be deemed supplementary to, and not in lieu of, the nondiscrimination provisions required by New York State Executive Law Article 15 (the 'Human Rights Law') or other applicable federal, state or local laws.

c. Failure to comply with all of the requirements herein may result in a finding of non-responsiveness, non-responsibility and/or a breach of contract, leading to the withholding of funds or such other actions, liquidated damages pursuant to Section VII of this Appendix or enforcement proceedings as allowed by the Contract.

## 2. Contract Goals

a. For purposes of this contract, DHSES has established overall goals for Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises ('MWBE') participation which are specified in the contract work plan.

b. For purposes of providing meaningful participation by MWBEs on the Contract and achieving the Contract Goals established in the contract work plan hereof, Contractor should reference the directory of New York State Certified MBWEs found at the following internet address:

<https://ny.newycontracts.com/FrontEnd/VendorSearchPublic.asp>. Additionally, Contractor is encouraged to contact the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development (518) 292-5250; (212) 803-2414; or (716) 846-8200) to discuss additional methods of maximizing participation by MWBEs on the Contract.

c. Where MWBE goals have been established herein, pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8, Contractor must document 'good faith efforts' to provide meaningful participation by MWBEs as subcontractors or suppliers in the performance of the Contract. In accordance with Section 316-a of Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR §142.13, the Contractor acknowledges that if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals set forth in the Contract, such a finding constitutes a breach of contract and the Contractor shall be liable to the DHSES for liquidated or other appropriate damages, as set forth herein.

## 3. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)

a. Contractor agrees to be bound by the provisions of Article 15-A and the MWBE Regulations promulgated by the Division of Minority and Women's Business Development of the Department of Economic Development (the 'Division'). If any of these terms or provisions conflict with applicable law or regulations, such laws and regulations shall supersede these requirements.

b. Contractor shall comply with the following provisions of Article 15-A:

i. Contractor and Subcontractors shall undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status. For these purposes, EEO shall apply in the areas of recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation.

ii. The Contractor shall maintain an EEO policy statement and submit it to the DHSES if requested.

iii. If Contractor or Subcontractor does not have an existing EEO policy statement, Section 4 below may be used to develop one.

iv. The Contractor's EEO policy statement shall include the following, or similar, language:

a) The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force.

b) The Contractor shall state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees that, in the performance of the contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

c) The Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union, or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color,

national origin, sex age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein.

d) The Contractor will include the provisions of Subdivisions (a) through (c) of this Subsection (iv) and Paragraph 'e' of this Section 3, which provides for relevant provisions of the Human Rights Law, in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the Contract.

#### c. Staffing Plan

To ensure compliance with this Section, the Contractor shall submit a staffing plan to document the composition of the proposed workforce to be utilized in the performance of the Contract by the specified categories listed, including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. Contractors shall complete the Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan form and submit it as part of their bid or proposal or within a reasonable time, but no later than the time of award of the contract.

#### d. Workforce Employment Utilization Report

i. Once a contract has been awarded and during the term of Contract, Contractor is responsible for updating and providing notice to the DHSES of any changes to the previously submitted Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan. This information is to be submitted annually or as otherwise required by the DHSES during the term of the contract, for the purpose of reporting the actual workforce utilized in the performance of the contract by the specified categories listed including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. The Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report form must be used to report this information.

ii. Separate forms shall be completed by Contractor and any Subcontractor performing work on the Contract.

iii. In limited instances, Contractor may not be able to separate out the workforce utilized in the performance of the Contract from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce. When a separation can be made, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided relates to the actual workforce utilized on the Contract. When the workforce to be utilized on the contract cannot be separated out from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided is Contractor's total workforce during the subject time frame, not limited to work specifically under the contract.

e. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

#### 4. MWBE Utilization Plan

a. The Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has submitted a Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form either prior to, or at the time of, the execution of the contract.

b. Contractor agrees to use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form for the performance of MWBEs on the Contract pursuant to the prescribed MWBE goals set forth in the contract workplan.

c. Contractor further agrees that a failure to submit and/or use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form shall constitute a material breach of the terms of the Contract. Upon the occurrence of such a material breach, DHSES shall be entitled to any remedy provided herein, including but not limited to, a finding of Contractor non-responsiveness.

#### 5. Waivers

If the DHSES, upon review of the Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Plan, the Detailed Itemization Forms or the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report determines that a Contractor is failing or refusing to comply with the Contract goals and no waiver has been issued in regards to such non-compliance, the DHSES may issue a notice of deficiency to the Contractor. The Contractor

must respond to the notice of deficiency within seven (7) business days of receipt. Such response may include a request for partial or total waiver of MWBE Contract Goals.

#### 6. MWBE Subcontractor Utilization Quarterly Report

Contractor is required to report MWBE Subcontractor utilization, as part of the quarterly claim process, to the DHSES by the last day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter over the term of the Contract documenting the progress made towards achievement of the MWBE goals of the Contract.

#### 7. Liquidated Damages - MWBE Participation

a. Where DHSES determines that Contractor is not in compliance with the requirements of the Contract and Contractor refuses to comply with such requirements, or if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals, such finding constitutes a breach of Contract and DHSES may withhold payment from the Contractor as liquidated damages and/or provide for other appropriate remedies.

b. Such liquidated damages shall be calculated as an amount equaling the difference between:

- 1) All sums identified for payment to MWBEs had the Contractor achieved the contractual MWBE goals; and
- 2) All sums actually paid to MWBEs for work performed or materials supplied under the Contract.

c. In the event a determination has been made which requires the payment of liquidated damages and such identified sums have not been withheld by the DHSES, Contractor shall pay such liquidated damages to the DHSES within sixty (60) days after they are assessed by the DHSES unless prior to the expiration of such sixtieth day, the Contractor has filed a complaint with the Director of the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development pursuant to Subdivision 8 of Section 313 of the Executive Law in which event the liquidated damages shall be payable if Director renders a decision in favor of the DHSES.

#### 8. M/WBE AND EEO Policy Statement

a. The Contractor agrees to adopt the following policies or similar policies with respect to the project being developed or services rendered in this contract with the Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services:

##### M/WBE

This organization will and will cause its contractors and subcontractors to take good faith actions to achieve the M/WBE contract participations goals set by the State for that area in which the State-funded project is located, by taking the following steps:

- (1) Actively and affirmatively solicit bids for contracts and subcontracts from qualified State certified MBEs or WBEs, including solicitations to M/WBE contractor associations.
- (2) Request a list of State-certified M/WBEs from AGENCY and solicit bids from them directly.
- (3) Ensure that plans, specifications, request for proposals and other documents used to secure bids will be made available in sufficient time for review by prospective M/WBEs.
- (4) Where feasible, divide the work into smaller portions to enhanced participations by M/WBEs and encourage the formation of joint venture and other partnerships among M/WBE contractors to enhance their participation.
- (5) Document and maintain records of bid solicitation, including those to M/WBEs and the results thereof. Contractor will also maintain records of actions that its subcontractors have taken toward meeting M/WBE contract participation goals.
- (6) Ensure that progress payments to M/WBEs are made on a timely basis so that undue financial hardship is avoided, and that bonding and other credit requirements are waived or appropriate alternatives developed to encourage M/WBE participation.

##### EEO

(a) This organization will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on state contracts.

(b) This organization shall state in all solicitation or advertisements for employees that in the performance of the State contract all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex disability or marital status.

(c) At the request of the contracting agency, this organization shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of this organization's obligations herein.

(d) Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

(e) This organization will include the provisions of sections (a) through (d) of this agreement in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the State contract.

Contractor agrees to comply with all MWBE and EEO contract goals reflected on the MWBE Utilization Plan and Staffing Plan respectively, that have been submitted with the application for this contract.

#### S. Additional Terms

1. The Contractor agrees that if the project is not operational within 60 days of the execution date of the Contract, it will report by letter to DHSES the steps taken to initiate the project, the reasons for delay, and the expected starting date. If the project is not operational within 90 days of the execution date of the Contract, the Contractor will submit a second statement to DHSES explaining the delay. DHSES may either cancel the project and redistribute the funds or extend the implementation date of the project beyond the 90-day period when warranted by extenuating circumstances.
2. The Contractor shall at all times during the Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Commissioner of DHSES, or his or her designee, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability prior performance, and financial capacity.
  - a. The DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee, in his or her sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when DHSES discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of the notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the Commissioner of DHSES, or his or her designee, issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.
  - b. Upon written notice to the Contractor, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with the appropriate DHSES officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by the DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the DHSES Commissioner, or his or her designee, to be non-responsible. In such event, the Commissioner, or his or her designee, may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.
3. DHSES shall make payments and any reconciliation in accordance with the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C). DHSES shall pay the Contractor for completed, approved projects, a sum not to exceed the

amount noted on the Face Page hereof. The Contractor must not request payments or reimbursements that duplicate funding or reimbursement from any other source for Contractor costs and services pursuant to this Contract.

4. The Contractor shall submit detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES for personal service, fringe benefit and non-personal service expenditures with any voucher and fiscal cost report requesting reimbursement. Grant-related expenditures shall be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports approved by DHSES. For Federally-funded awards, the detailed Itemization forms shall include the required certifications pursuant to 2 CFR §200.415. These reports must be prepared periodically and as defined in Appendix C of this Contract. All reported expenditures must reconcile to the program accounting records and the approved budget. Prior period adjustments shall be reported in the same accounting period that the correction is made.

5. The Contractor's request for travel, meals or lodging reimbursement shall be in accordance with Appendix B, Budget, and, unless written authorization has been received from DHSES, shall not exceed rates authorized by the NYS Office Of State Comptroller (Audit and Control). Rates may be viewed online at: <http://www.osc.state.ny.us/agencies/travel/travel.htm>.

6. The Contractor's employment of a consultant must be supported by a written Contract executed by the Contractor and the consultant. A consultant is defined as an individual or organization hired by the Contractor for the stated purpose of accomplishing a specific task relative to the funded project. All consultant services must be obtained in a manner that provides for fair and open competition. The Contractor shall retain copies of all solicitations seeking a consultant, written Contracts and documentation justifying the cost and selection of the consultant, and make them available to DHSES upon request. The Contractor further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Contract and the Contractor must guarantee the work of the consultant as if it were its own. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in a disallowance of costs.

7. Additionally, Contractor must adhere to the following guidelines at a minimum when making all procurements, including consultant services. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in a disallowance of costs.

a. A Contractor who proposes to purchase goods or services from a particular vendor without competitive bidding must obtain the prior written approval of DHSES. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and the basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such procurement must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. A copy of DHSES' approval must also be submitted with the voucher for payment.

b. The rate for consultant services, and cost of equipment or goods, shall be reasonable and consistent with the amount paid for similar services or goods and equipment in the marketplace. Time and effort reports are required for consultants.

c. Written justification and documentation for all procurements must be maintained on file, and made available to DHSES upon request. All procurements must be made in a fair and open manner and in accordance with the pre-determined methodology established for evaluating bids (e.g., lowest responsible bidder or best value).

d. A Contractor that is a State entity must make all procurements in accordance with State Finance Law Article 11 and any other applicable regulations.

e. A Contractor that is a local government must make all procurements in accordance with General Municipal Law Article 5-A, and any other applicable regulations.

f. A Contractor that is a not-for-profit and all other entities that do not meet the descriptions in Section III(S)(7)(d) or (e) herein must make all procurements as noted below:

i. If the Contractor is eligible to purchase an item or service from a government contract or is able to purchase such item or service elsewhere at a lower than or equal price, then such purchase may be made immediately.

ii. A Contractor may purchase any single piece of equipment, single service or multiples of each that cost up to \$999 at its discretion.

iii. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999, a Contractor must secure at least three telephone quotes and create a record for audit of such quotes.

iv. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost of between \$5,000 and \$9,999, the Contractor must secure at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and maintain a record of the competitive procurement process for audit purposes.

v. A Contractor spending in aggregate of \$10,000 and above must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DHSES. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

g. Acceptance of State support for interoperable and emergency communications projects, including funding through the Interoperable Emergency Communication Grant Program, requires that Contractors must use open-standard/vendor-neutral technologies to allow for other public safety/public service agencies (including State agencies and authorities) and jurisdictions in your region to operate on your radio system(s) when required, regardless of the total percentage of system funding from the State. This access for other agencies must be permitted to support operational and interoperable goals, and without restriction as to specific manufacturers' subscriber equipment. All reasonably compatible subscriber equipment must be permitted to be operated on your system by outside agencies, thus allowing coordinated efforts between local and state public safety/public service agencies and maximizing resources and capabilities.

h. DHSES reserves the right to suspend program funds if the Contractor is found to be in noncompliance with the provisions of this Contract or other grant Contracts between the Contractor and DHSES or, if the Contractor or principals of the Contractor are under investigation by a New York State or local law enforcement agency for noncompliance with State or federal laws or regulatory provisions or, if in DHSES' judgment, the services provided by the Contractor under the Contract are unsatisfactory or untimely.

i. DHSES shall provide the Contractor with written notice of noncompliance.

ii. Upon the Contractor's failure to correct or comply with the written notice by DHSES, DHSES reserves the right to terminate this Contract, recoup funds and recover any assets purchased with the proceeds of this Contract.

i. DHSES reserves the right to use approved grant related expenditures to offset disallowed expenditures from any grant funded through its offices upon appropriate notification to the Contractor, or upon reasonable assurance that the Contractor is not in compliance with these terms.

j. As a result of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 (Act), Chapter 1 of the 2012 Laws of New York, a new provision has been added to the State Finance Law (SFL), § 165-a, effective April 12, 2012. Under the Act, the Commissioner of the Office of General Services (OGS) will be developing a list (prohibited entities list) of 'persons' who are engaged in 'investment activities in Iran' (both are defined terms in the law). Pursuant to SFL § 165-a(3)(b), the initial list is expected to be issued no later than 120 days after the Act's effective date, at which time it will be posted on the OGS website.

i. By entering into this Contract, Contractor (or any assignee) certifies in accordance with State Finance Law §165-a that it is not on the 'Entities Determined to be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers pursuant to the New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012' ('Prohibited Entities List') posted at:  
<http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf>.

ii. Contractor further certifies that it will not utilize on this Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of this Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before the contract assignment will be approved by the State.

iii. During the term of the Contract, should DHSES receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, the state agency will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the state agency shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

iv. DHSES reserves the right to reject any bid, request for assignment, renewal or extension for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award, assignment, renewal or extension of a contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any entity that is awarded a contract and appears on the Prohibited Entities list after contract award.

#### V. FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANT REQUIREMENTS

A. Hatch Act. The Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the Contract, to comply with all applicable provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.), as amended.

B. Requirement for System of Award Management: Unless you are exempted from this requirement under 2 CFR 25.110, you as the subrecipient must maintain the currency of your information in the System of Award Management (SAM) until you submit the final financial report required under this award or receive the final payment, whichever is later. This requires that you review and update the information at least annually after the initial registration, and more frequently if required by changes in your information or another award term. Pursuant to section 2 CFR §200.210(a)(2), Contractors must maintain a current unique entity identifier prior to and during the life of the Contract.

C. In accordance with 2 CFR §§200.112 and 200.113, Contractor understands and agrees that it must: (1) disclose in writing any potential conflict of interest to DHSES; and (2) disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to DHSES all violations of federal and state criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the grant award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in any remedy available to DHSES for Contractor's noncompliance, including suspension or debarment.

D. The Contractor must ensure that, for all contracts entered into by the Contractor, the contract provisions required by 2 CFR §200.326 (and Appendix II to 2 CFR Part 200) are included in such contracts. The Contractor further agrees to impose and enforce this requirement for any Contractor subaward agreements.

E. Where advance payments are approved by DHSES, the Contractor agrees to expend the advance payments in accordance with the purposes set forth in Appendix D and consistent with Appendix B. The advanced funds must be placed in an interest-bearing account and are subject to the rules outlined in 2 CFR Part 200, (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Contracts to State and Local Governments) which require Contractors to promptly remit back to the federal government, through New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, any interest earned on these advanced funds. The Contractor may keep interest earned up to \$500 per federal fiscal year for administrative expenses. This maximum limit is not per award; it is inclusive of all interest earned as the result of all federal grant program funds received per year. Interest must be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports and remitted to DHSES quarterly.

F. Audit Requirements. This Contract, and any sub-awards resulting from this Contract, may be subject to fiscal and program audits by DHSES, NYS Office of State Comptroller, pertinent federal agencies, and other designated entities to ascertain financial compliance with federal and/or State laws, regulations, and guidelines applicable to this Contract. The Contractor shall meet all audit requirements of the federal government and State of New York. Such audits may include review of the Contractor's accounting, financial, and reporting practices to determine compliance with the Contract and reporting requirements; maintenance of accurate and reliable original accounting records in accordance with governmental accounting standards as well as generally accepted accounting principles; and specific compliance with allowable cost and expenditure documentation standards prescribed by applicable federal, State, and DHSES guidelines.

G. Equipment Markings. The Contractor further agrees that, when practicable, any equipment purchased with grant funding shall be prominently marked as follows: 'Purchased with funds provided by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.'



H. Administrative, Cost and Audit Requirements: The Contractor must comply with the most recent version of the Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit requirements. Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit. A list of regulations and guidance applicable to United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) grants are listed below:

1. General Administrative Requirements:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards

2. Cost Principles:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart E

3. Audit Requirements:

a. 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F

I. Contracting with small and minority firms, women's business enterprise and labor surplus area firms.

1. Consistent with 2 CFR §200.321, the grantee and any subgrantees will take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible.

2. Affirmative steps must include:

- a. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- b. Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- c. Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- d. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- e. Using the services and assistance, as appropriate, of such organizations as the Small Business Administration and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce; and
- f. Requiring the prime contractor, if subcontracts are to be let, to take the affirmative steps listed in subsections (2)(a) through (e) of this section.

J. Compliance with Laws, Regulations and Program Guidance. The Contractor shall ensure it is aware of and complies with all applicable laws, regulations and program guidance. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to become familiar with and comply with all terms and conditions associated with acceptance of funds.

K. Adequate Documentation: The Contractor must ensure full compliance with all cost documentation requirements, including specific personal service documentation, as applicable directly to the Contractor, sub-recipient or collaborative agency/organization. The Contractor must maintain specific documentation as support for project related personal service expenditures as this Contract is supported by federal funds. Depending upon the nature or extent of personal service provided under this Contract, the Contractor shall maintain semi-annual (or more frequent) personal service certifications and/or an after-the-fact personnel activity reporting system (or equivalent) which complies with all applicable laws, regulations and program guidance. Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs.

L. Single Audit Requirements: For audits of fiscal years beginning on or after December 26, 2014, recipients that expend \$750,000 or more from all federal funding sources during their fiscal year are required to submit an organization-wide financial and compliance audit report. The audit must be performed in accordance with the requirements of GAO's Government Auditing Standards, located at <http://www.gao.gov/govaud/lybk01.htm>, and the requirements of Subpart F of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, located at <http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=63811dc3410c008e2f8e28c325cdc09e&mc=true&node=sp2.1.200.f&rgn=div6>.

For audits of fiscal years beginning prior to December 26, 2014, recipients that expend \$500,000 or more from

all federal funding sources during their fiscal year are required to submit an organization-wide financial and compliance audit report. The audit must be performed in accordance with GAO's Government Auditing Standards, located at <http://www.gao.gov/govaud/ybk01.htm>, and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, located at [https://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/a133/a133\\_revised\\_2007.pdf](https://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/a133/a133_revised_2007.pdf).

The final report for such audit must be completed within nine months of the end of the Contractor's fiscal year. The Contractor must provide one copy of such audit report to DHSES within nine (9) months of the end of its fiscal year, or communicate in writing to DHSES that Contractor is exempt from such requirement.

M. Program Income: Program income earned by the Contractor during the grant funding Period must be reported in writing to DHSES, in addition to any other statutory reporting requirements. Program income consists of income earned by the grant recipient that is directly generated by a supported activity or earned as a result of the grant program. Program income includes, but is not limited to, income from fees for services performed, the use of rental or real or personal property acquired under federally-funded projects, the sale of commodities or items fabricated under an award, license fees and royalties on patents and copyrights and interest on loans made with federal award funds. For example, if the purpose of a grant is to conduct conferences, any training fees that are generated would be considered program income. Interest earned on grant funds is not considered program income unless specified in Appendix D. The Contractor agrees to report the receipt and expenditures of grant program income to DHSES. Program income (not to include interest earned), generated by the use of these grant funds will be used to enhance the grant project.

N. Intellectual Property: Any creative or literary work developed or commissioned by the Contractor with grant support provided by DHSES shall become the property of DHSES, entitling DHSES to assert a copyright therein, unless the parties have expressly agreed otherwise in a written instrument signed by them.

1. If DHSES shares its right to copyright such work with the Contractor, DHSES reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, sub-grant, or contract under a grant or sub-grant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Contractor, sub-Contractor, or a contractor purchases ownership with grant support.

2. If the grant support provided by DHSES is federally-sponsored, the federal awarding agency also reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, sub-grant or contract under a grant or sub-grant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Contractor, sub-Contractor, or a contractor purchases ownership with such grant support.

3. The Contractor shall submit one copy of all reports and publications resulting from this Contract to DHSES within thirty (30) calendar days of completion. Any document generated pursuant to this grant must contain the following language:

'This project was supported by a grant administered by the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. Points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position or policies of the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services or the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.'

O. Accounting for Grant Expenditures:

1. Grant funds may be expended only for purposes and activities set forth in this Contract. Accordingly, the most important single requirement of accounting for this grant is the complete and accurate documentation of grant expenditures. If the Contractor receives funding from two or more sources, all necessary steps must be taken to ensure that grant-related transactions are not commingled. This includes, but is not limited to, the establishment of unique budget codes, a separate cost center, or a separate chart of accounts. Expenditures must be cross-referenced to supporting source documents (purchase orders, contracts, real estate leases, invoices, vouchers, timesheets, mileage logs, etc.).

2. Contractor agrees that it shall maintain adequate internal controls and adhere to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Government or Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Not-for-Profit

## Organizations.

3. None of the goals, objectives or tasks, as set forth in Appendix D, shall be sub-awarded to another organization without specific prior written approval by DHSES. Where the intention to make sub-awards is clearly indicated in the application, DHSES approval is deemed given, if these activities are funded, as proposed.

4. If this Contract makes provisions for the Contractor to sub-grant funds to other recipients, the Contractor agrees that all sub-Contractors shall be held accountable by the Contractor for all terms and conditions set forth in this Contract in its entirety. The Contractor further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Contract and the Contractor must guarantee the work of any sub-Contractor as if it were its own.

5. The Contractor agrees that all sub-Contractor arrangements shall be formalized in writing between the parties involved. The writing must, at a minimum, include the following information:

- Activities to be performed;
- Time schedule;
- Project policies;
- Other policies and procedures to be followed;
- Dollar limitation of the Contract;
- Appendix A-1, Appendix C, Certified Assurances for Federally Supported Projects, Certification Regarding Lobbying, Debarment and Suspension and any special conditions set forth in the Contract;
- Applicable federal and/or State cost principles to be used in determining allowable costs; and
- Property Records or Equipment Inventory Reports.

P. The Contractor will not be reimbursed for sub-granted funds unless all expenditures by a sub-Contractor are listed on detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES. Backup documentation for such expenditures must be made available to DHSES upon request. All expenditures must be programmatically consistent with the goals and objectives of this Contract and with the Budget set forth in Appendix B.

Q. Space rental provided by this Contract must be supported by a written lease, maintained on file and made available by the Contractor upon request.

## R. Equipment and Property:

1. Any equipment, furniture or supplies or other property purchased pursuant to this Contract is deemed to be the property of the State, except as may otherwise be governed by federal or State laws, rules or regulations or stated in this Contract.

2. Equipment means tangible, nonexpendable, personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$5,000 or more per unit. A Contractor may use its own definition of equipment provided that such definition would at least include all equipment defined above. A copy of the property record(s) or equipment inventory report(s) with relevant purchasing and supporting documentation must be made available to DHSES upon request. Property records or equipment inventory reports must be maintained, by award, that include a description of the property, a serial number or other identification number, the source of property, who holds title, the acquisition date, and cost of the property, percentage of federal participation in the cost of the property, the location, use and condition of the property, and any ultimate disposition data including the date of disposal and sale price of the property. The Contractor must document receipt of all applicable equipment purchased with grant funds. A physical inventory of the property must be taken and the results reconciled with the property records at least once every two (2) years.

3. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Contractor, DHSES will consider a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds provided the equipment continues to be used in connection with a public security program. When disposing of equipment purchased with homeland security grant funding, a State agency must dispose of equipment in accordance with State Laws and procedures. All other Contractors shall dispose of equipment as follows:

a. Items of equipment with a current per unit market value of less than \$5,000 may be retained, sold or otherwise disposed of with no further obligation to the awarding agency.

b. Items of equipment with a current per unit fair market value of \$5,000 or more may be retained or sold. If sold, the awarding agency shall have a right to an amount calculated by multiplying the proceeds from the sale by the awarding agency's share of the equipment. If retained, the current market value is to be used in the calculation. To remit payments, award recipients should contact DHSES at 1-866-837-9133 for guidance.

4. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Contractor under this Contract, DHSES shall accept a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds providing the equipment continues to be used in accordance with the contracted activities and guidelines in this Contract.

5. The Contractor must conduct a physical inventory of property records at least once every two years to verify the existence, current utilization and continued need for the property. In the event the property is no longer required by the Contractor, this fact should be reported to DHSES as soon as possible and appropriate guidelines followed, as specified in this Appendix.

6. If Contractor disposes of any equipment purchased under this Contract during the active lifespan of said equipment, Contractor must reinvest any proceeds from the disposal into additional equipment items to continue Contractor's organization's activities subject to the guidelines of this Contract. If the Contractor does not reinvest proceeds to continue activities subject to this Contract, the percentage of the proceeds equal to the proportion of the original purchase price paid by funds for the Contract must be repaid to the State of New York.

#### ENDNOTES:

<sup>1</sup> To the extent that Section V-Federally Funding Grant Requirements conflict with any other provisions of the Contract, the Federal requirements of Section V shall supersede all other provisions of the Contract.

<sup>2</sup> As of October 9, 2012, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of Alaska, Hawaii, Louisiana, South Carolina, West Virginia and Wyoming. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for the most current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

<sup>3</sup> A milestone/performance payment schedule identifies mutually agreed-to payment amounts based on meeting contract events or milestones. Events or milestones must represent integral and meaningful aspects of contract performance and should signify true progress in completing the Contract effort.

<sup>4</sup> Fee for Service is a rate established by the Contractor for a service or services rendered.

<sup>5</sup> Rate based agreements are those agreements in which payment is premised upon a specific established rate per unit.

<sup>6</sup> Scheduled Reimbursement agreements provide for payments that occur at defined and regular intervals that provide for a specified dollar amount to be paid to the Contractor at the beginning of each payment period (i.e. quarterly, monthly or bi-annually). While these payments are related to the particular services and outcomes defined in the Contract, they are not dependent upon particular services or expenses in any one payment period and provide the Contractor with a defined and regular payment over the life of the contract.

<sup>7</sup> Fifth Quarter Payments occur where there are scheduled payments and where there is an expectation that services will be continued through renewals or subsequent contracts. Fifth Quarter Payments allow for the continuation of scheduled payments to a Contractor for the first payment period quarter of an anticipated renewal or new contract.

<sup>8</sup> Not applicable to not-for-profit entities

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**Budget Summary by Participant**

Oneida County

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#	Equipment	AEL	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Information Technology Equipment and Related Items (MDT's, AVL system, wireless modems, etc.)	04HW-01-MOBL	1	\$26,000.00	\$26,000.00	\$26,000.00	\$0.00
2	Personal Protective Equipment (Air purifying respirators, canisters, etc.)	01AR-02-APR	1	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$0.00
Total					\$31,000.00	\$31,000.00	\$0.00

#	All Other Expenses	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Modem Data Service Fees	1	\$16,231.00	\$16,231.00	\$16,231.00	\$0.00
2	Automatic Vehicle Locating Software License Fees	1	\$19,000.00	\$19,000.00	\$19,000.00	\$0.00
Total				\$35,231.00	\$35,231.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$66,231.00	\$66,231.00	\$0.00

Total Contract Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$66,231.00	\$66,231.00	\$0.00

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**Grantee Name**

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## APPENDIX C

## PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE

For All Contractors:

## I. PAYMENT PROVISIONS

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, DHSES agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page hereof. All payments shall be in accordance with the budget contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget), which is attached hereto.

## A. Payment and Recoupment Language

1. Contractor shall provide complete and accurate vouchers to DHSES in order to receive payment. Vouchers submitted to DHSES must contain all information and supporting documentation required by the Agreement, DHSES and the State Comptroller. Payment for vouchers submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically, unless a paper check is expressly authorized by the Director of DHSES, at the Director's sole discretion, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with the ordinary State procedures and practices. The Contractor shall comply with the State Comptroller's procedures to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), by email at [epunit@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epunit@osc.state.ny.us), or by telephone at (518) 474-4032. Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any vouchers submitted under this Agreement if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Director has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.

2. The Contractor agrees that this is a reimbursement-based contract; an advance may be provided as specified in Appendix D. All requests for reimbursement must reflect actual costs that have been disbursed by the Contractor. Items or services not received are not eligible for reimbursement.

Reimbursement requests need to include the following documents:

- Signed Voucher and Fiscal Cost Report
- Detailed Itemization Forms or other forms deemed acceptable by DHSES of any budgeted category for which reimbursement is requested
- Written documentation of all required DHSES approvals, as appropriate

3. Vouchers shall be submitted in a format acceptable to DHSES and the Office of the State Comptroller. Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the Project Budget (Appendix B) and during the contract period. Such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: a) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and b) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program.

## B. Interim and/or Final Claims for Reimbursement

1. Contractors must submit all required fiscal reports, supporting documentation and program progress reports. Failure to meet these requirements will result in the rejection of associated vouchers. Final vouchers, reimbursement requests and reports must be submitted within 30 days of the end of the grant contract period. Failure to voucher within this period may result in the loss of grant funds. The Contractor must also refund all unexpended advances and interest earned over \$500 on the advanced funds pursuant to 2 CFR Part 200, §200.305(b)(9). Property Records or Equipment Inventory Reports as defined in Appendix A-1, Section V, Paragraph R, must be available at the conclusion of the contract period and submitted to DHSES upon request.

2. If at the end of this contract there remain any monies (advanced or interest earned over \$500 on the advanced funds) associated with this contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall submit a check or money order for that amount payable to the order of the New York State Division of Homeland Security

and Emergency Services. Remit the check along with the final fiscal cost report within 30 days of termination of this grant contract to:

NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services  
Federal Fiscal Unit  
State Campus - Building 7A  
1220 Washington Avenue  
Albany, NY 12242

3. For purposes of prompt payment provisions, the Designated Payment Office for the processing of all vouchers is the Contract Unit of DHSES. Payment of grant vouchers shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Article XI-A of the State Finance Law. Payment shall be preceded by an inspection period of 15 business days which shall be excluded from calculations of the payment due date for purposes of determining eligibility for interest payments. The Contractor must notify the Federal Fiscal Unit in writing of a change of address in order to benefit from the prompt payment provision of the State Finance Law. When progress reports are overdue, vouchers will not be eligible for prompt payment.

4. Timely and properly completed New York State vouchers, with supporting documentation when required, shall be submitted to:

NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services  
Attention: Contracts Unit  
State Office Building Campus – Bldg. 7A  
1220 Washington Avenue, Suite 610  
Albany, NY 12242

## II. REPORTING PROVISIONS

### A. Required Reports:

#### Narrative/Qualitative Report (Progress Report)

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(i) of Appendix A-1 of the Contract.

#### Expenditure Report (Fiscal Cost Report)

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days after the end date for which reimbursement is being claimed, the report described in Section III, Paragraph G(2)(a)(iii) of the Appendix A-1 of the Contract.

#### Final Report

The Contractor will submit the final report as described in Section III, Paragraph G(2)(a)(iv) of Appendix A-1 of the Contract, no later than 30 days after the end of the contract period.

1. Fiscal cost reports must be submitted showing grant expenditures. They must also show the amount of interest earned to date on any advanced funds.

All submitted vouchers will reflect the Contractor's actual expenditures and will be accompanied by supporting detailed itemization forms or a form deemed acceptable to DHSES for personal service, fringe benefit and non-personal service expenditures or other documentation as required, and by a fiscal cost report for the reporting period. In the event that any expenditure for which the Contractor has been reimbursed by grant funds is subsequently disallowed, DHSES, in its sole discretion, may reduce the voucher payment by the amount disallowed. If necessary, the Contractor may be required to submit a final budget reallocation.

DHSES reserves the right not to release subsequent grant awards pending Contractor compliance with this Agreement.



2. The Contractor will submit program progress reports and one final report to DHSES on a prescribed form provided by DHSES as well as any additional information or amended data as required.

Progress reports will be due within 30 days of the last day of each calendar quarter or on an alternate schedule as prescribed in Appendix D. Progress reports will be due within 30 days of the last day of the calendar quarter from the start date of the program and the final report will be due upon completion of the project or termination of this Agreement. Calendar quarters, for the purposes of making program progress reports, shall be as follows:

Calendar Quarter: January 1 - March 31 -- Report Due: April 30

Calendar Quarter: April 1 - June 30 -- Report Due: July 30

Calendar Quarter: July 1 - September 30 -- Report Due: October 30

Calendar Quarter: October 1 - December 31 -- Report Due: January 30

The final report, or where applicable interim progress reports, will summarize the project's achievements as well as describe activities for that quarter.

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**Award Contract****Project No.**

LE18-1028-D00

**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

07/17/2018

**Work Plan****Goal**

Prevent terrorist attacks; protect the people of New York, our critical infrastructure and key resources; prepare to respond to and recover from terrorist attacks.

**Objective #1**

G & T Workplan Code - 05. Establish/enhance regional response teams.

Investment Justification - Strengthen Counter-Terrorism and Law Enforcement Capabilities

NYS Critical Capability

Primary - Law Enforcement Response Operations

The development, sustainment, and/or enhancement of specialized response team (SWAT Team) assets.

**Task #1 for Objective #1**

Purchase allowable regional response team PPE equipment (air purifying respirators, APR canisters and filters, etc.). Train appropriate personnel in the proper use of the equipment and place the equipment into service

**# Performance Measure**

1 Identify equipment ordered and received. Provide a brief narrative on the training of personnel and the deployment of equipment. Describe how the project enhanced regional response teams capabilities in the jurisdiction. Equipment accountability records are properly maintained. Provide explanation if equipment is received but not deployed, and include deployment plans as appropriate.

**Objective #2**

G & T Workplan Code - 01. Establish/enhance a terrorism intelligence/early warning system, center, or task force.

Investment Justification - Strengthen Counter-Terrorism and Law Enforcement Capabilities

NYS Critical Capability

Primary - Law Enforcement Counter-Terrorism Operations

Adopt and implement law enforcement information technology systems to build law enforcement counter-terrorism capabilities.

**Task #1 for Objective #2**

Purchase allowable information technology equipment (MDT's, modems, AVL system, etc.). Train appropriate personnel in the proper use of the equipment and place the equipment into service.

**# Performance Measure**

1 Identify equipment ordered and received. Provide a brief narrative on the training of personnel and the deployment of equipment. Describe how the project enhanced information technology capabilities in the jurisdiction. Equipment accountability records are properly maintained. Provide explanation if equipment is received but not deployed, and include deployment plans as appropriate.

**Award Contract**

**Project No.**  
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**Special Conditions**



Undersheriff Robert Swenszkowski  
Chief Deputy Jonathan G. Owens

Chief Deputy Gabrielle O. Liddy  
Chief Deputy Dean Obernesser

Sheriff Robert M. Maciol

July 19, 2018

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The Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear County Executive Picente:

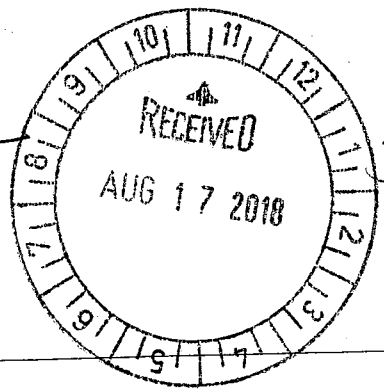
The Sheriff's Office was recently awarded a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services in the amount of \$1,000 under the GIVE project. I am requesting approval of this grant contract.

The grant is set to begin July 1, 2018, and end on June 30, 2019. **There are no County dollars in this contract.** The goal of GIVE is to assign deputies on an overtime basis, to conduct narcotics operations (involving gun possession), robbery (involving gun monitoring), warrant executions on top offenders, gang monitoring and surveillance, and multi-agency collaborations to reduce shootings and homicides. The Deputies will be assigned to the Gun Violence Strike Team (headed by UPD) and will be utilized in addition to the established multi-agency Emergency Response Team (ERT).

**This Agreement requires Board approval at the Board's next meeting date.**

If you find the enclosed grant contract acceptable, I am requesting your approval by way of signature both on paper and by **e-signature in the GMS portal**. I would like to thank you for your time and diligent attention to this matter in advance. If you have any questions, require clarification or seek additional information from me in order to help you make a decision regarding my request, please do not hesitate to contact me at any point in time.

Sincerely,  
  
Robert M. Maciol  
Sheriff



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by  
  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
Date 8-16-18

**Administrative Office**  
6065 Judd Road Oriskany, NY 13424  
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Fax (315) 765-2205

**Law Enforcement Division**  
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**Correction Division**  
6075 Judd Road Oriskany, NY 13424  
Voice (315) 768-7804  
Fax (315) 765-2327

**Civil Division**  
200 Elizabeth Street Utica, NY 13501  
Voice (315) 798-5862  
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Oneida Co. Department: Sheriff's Office

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_ Grant

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** NYS Department of Criminal Justice Services  
80 South Swan Street  
Albany, NY 12210

**Title of Activity or Service:** GIVE Grant

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County Residents

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** This grant is part of the GIVE Project. The goal of this grant is to assign deputies on an overtime basis to conduct narcotics operations (involving gun possession), robbery investigations (involving gun monitoring), warrant executions on top offenders, gang monitoring and surveillance, and multi-agency collaborations to reduce shootings and homicides. Deputies will be assigned to the Gun Violence Strike Team (headed by UPD) and will be utilized in addition to the established multi-agency Emergency Response Team (ERT).

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Using an average overtime cost of \$50 per hour, the Sheriff's Office will schedule approximately 20 hours throughout the year.

**3) Program Design and Staffing:** This grant will be used to pay overtime expenses.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$1,000.00

**Account #:** A3384

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$1,000.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State Funds

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** This has been a good program

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** E-Signature Required

<b>STATE AGENCY</b> Division of Criminal Justice Services 80 South Swan Street Albany, NY 12210	<b>NYS COMPTROLLER'S NUMBER:</b> T484596 (Contract Number)  <b>ORIGINATING AGENCY CODE:</b> 01490 - Division of Criminal Justice Services
<b>GRANTEE/CONTRACTOR:(Name &amp; Address)</b> Oneida County 800 Park Avenue Utica NY 13501-2939	<b>TYPE OF PROGRAMS:</b> GIVE Initiative <b>DCJS NUMBERS:</b> GV18484596 <b>CFDA NUMBERS:</b>
<b>FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NO:</b> 156000460 <b>MUNICIPALITY NO:</b> (if applicable) 300100000000	<b>INITIAL CONTRACT PERIOD:</b> FROM 07/01/2018 TO 06/30/2019 <b>FUNDING AMOUNT FROM INITIAL PERIOD:</b> \$1,000.00
<b>STATUS:</b> Contractor is not a sectarian entry. Contractor is not a not-for-profit organization.	<b>MULTI-YEAR TERM:</b> (if applicable): 0 1-year renewal options.
<b>CHARITIES REGISTRATION NUMBER:</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div> (Enter number or Exempt) If Exempt is entered above, reason for exemption. N/A <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">           Contractor has ___ has not ___ timely filed with the Attorney General's Charities Bureau all required periodic or annual written reports.         </div>	<b>APPENDIX ATTACHED AND PART OF THIS AGREEMENT</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A Standard Clauses required by the Attorney General for all State contracts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A1 APPENDIX A1 Agency-specific Clauses <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX B Budget <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX C Payment and Reporting Schedule <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX D Program Workplan <input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX F Guidelines for the Control and Use of Confidential Funds <input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX G Procedural Guidelines for the Control of Surveillance Equipment <input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX Other (Identify) Updated Appendix A-1
<b>IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have electronically executed or approved this AGREEMENT on the dates of their signatures.</b>	
NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services BY: Jeffrey Bender , Deputy Commissioner Date: 07/12/2018 Office of Program Development and Funding: State Agency Certification: In addition to the acceptance of this contract, I also certify that original copies of this signature page will be attached to all other exact copies of this contract. <b>GRANTEE:</b> BY: Hon. Anthony J Picente jr. County Executive Date: 07/09/2018	
<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE</b> _____ Title: _____ Date: _____	<b>APPROVED,</b> Thomas P. DiNapoli, State Comptroller _____ Title: _____ Date: _____

Award Contract

GIVE Initiative

AGREEMENT

STATE OF NEW YORK

AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT is hereby made by and between the State of New York agency (STATE) and the public or private agency (CONTRACTOR) identified on the face page hereof.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the STATE has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services; and

WHEREAS, the CONTRACTOR is ready, willing and able to provide such program services and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services required pursuant to the terms of this AGREEMENT;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities and covenants herein, the STATE and the CONTRACTOR agree as follows:

I. Conditions of Agreement

A. This AGREEMENT may consist of successive periods (PERIOD), as specified within the AGREEMENT or within a subsequent Modification Agreement(s) (Appendix X) Amendment. Each additional or superseding PERIOD shall be on the forms specified by the particular State agency, and shall be incorporated into this AGREEMENT.

B. Funding for the first PERIOD shall not exceed the funding amount specified on the face page hereof. Funding for each subsequent PERIOD, if any, shall not exceed the amount specified in the appropriate appendix amendment for that PERIOD.

C. This AGREEMENT incorporates the face page attached as presented in the Grants Management System (GMS) AWARD online printable report, and all of the marked appendices identified on the face page hereof.

D. For each succeeding PERIOD of this AGREEMENT, the parties shall prepare new appendices, to the extent that any require modification, and a Modification Agreement. Any terms of this AGREEMENT not modified shall remain in effect for each PERIOD of the AGREEMENT.

To modify the AGREEMENT within an existing PERIOD, the parties shall revise or complete the appropriate appendix form(s). Any change in the amount of consideration to be paid, change in scope, or change in term is subject to the approval of the Office of the State Comptroller. Any other modifications shall be processed in accordance with agency guidelines as stated in Appendix A-1.

E. The CONTRACTOR shall perform all services to the satisfaction of the STATE. The CONTRACTOR shall provide services and meet the program objectives summarized in the Program Workplan (Appendix D) in accordance with: provisions of the AGREEMENT; relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative and fiscal guidelines; and where applicable, operating certificates for facilities or licenses for an activity or program.

F. If the CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the STATE under this AGREEMENT. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the STATE.

G. Appendix A (Standard Clauses as required by the Attorney General for all State contracts) takes precedence over all other parts of the AGREEMENT.

## II. Payment and Reporting

A. The CONTRACTOR, to be eligible for payment, shall submit to the STATE's designated payment office (identified in Appendix C) any appropriate documentation as required by the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C) and by agency fiscal guidelines, in a manner acceptable to the STATE.

B. The STATE shall make payments and any reconciliations in accordance with the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C). The STATE shall pay the CONTRACTOR, in consideration of contract services for a given PERIOD, a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the face page hereof or in the respective Appendix designating the payment amount for that given PERIOD. This sum shall not duplicate reimbursement from other sources for CONTRACTOR costs and services provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT.

C. The CONTRACTOR shall meet the audit requirements specified by the STATE.

## III. Terminations

A. This AGREEMENT may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the STATE and the CONTRACTOR.

B. The STATE may terminate the AGREEMENT immediately, upon written notice of termination to the CONTRACTOR, if the CONTRACTOR fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies or procedures affecting this AGREEMENT.

C. The STATE may also terminate this AGREEMENT for any reason in accordance with provisions set forth in Appendix A-1.

D. Written notice of termination, where required, shall be sent by personal messenger service or by certified mail, return receipt requested. The termination shall be effective in accordance with the terms of the notice.

E. Upon receipt of notice of termination, the CONTRACTOR agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the STATE.



F. The STATE shall be responsible for payment on claims pursuant to services provided and costs incurred pursuant to terms of the AGREEMENT. In no event shall the STATE be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the program(s) in this AGREEMENT after the termination date.

#### IV. Indemnification

A. The CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the CONTRACTOR or its subcontractors pursuant to this AGREEMENT. The CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the STATE and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and costs of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to this AGREEMENT.

B. The CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee or subdivision of the STATE nor make any claim, demand or application to or for any right based upon any different status.

#### V. Property

Any equipment, furniture, supplies or other property purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT is deemed to be the property of the STATE except as may otherwise be governed by Federal or State laws, rules or regulations, or as stated in Appendix A-1.

#### VI Safeguards for Services and Confidentiality

A. Services performed pursuant to this AGREEMENT are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

B. Funds provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that may influence legislation or the election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

C. Information relating to individuals who may receive services pursuant to this AGREEMENT shall be maintained and used only for the purposes intended under the contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of the laws and regulations, or specified in Appendix A-1.

Certified by - Anthony Picente on 07/09/2018

APPENDIX A

STANDARD CLAUSES FOR NYS CONTRACTS

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, 'the contract' or 'this contract') agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word 'Contractor' herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

1. EXECUTORY CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under this contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond funds appropriated and available for this contract.

2. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, this contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law may be waived at the discretion of the contracting agency and with the concurrence of the State Comptroller where the original contract was subject to the State Comptroller's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that any Contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless this contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

3. COMPTROLLER'S APPROVAL. In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if this contract is with the State University or City University of New York, Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if this contract exceeds \$50,000 (or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller for certain S.U.N.Y. and C.U.N.Y. contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount, or if, by this contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by the State Comptroller and filed in his office. Comptroller's approval of contracts let by the Office of General Services is required when such contracts exceed \$85,000 (State Finance Law Section 163.6-a). However, such pre-approval shall not be required for any contract established as a centralized contract through the Office of General Services or for a purchase order or other transaction issued under such centralized contract.

4. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, this contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

5. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this contract shall be performed within the State of New York, Contractor agrees

that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

6. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS. If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

7. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION. In accordance with Section 139-d of the State Finance Law, if this contract was awarded based upon the submission of bids, Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. Contractor further affirms that, at the time Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive bidding certification on Contractor's behalf.

8. INTERNATIONAL BOYCOTT PROHIBITION. In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

9. SET-OFF RIGHTS. The State shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold for the purposes of set-off any moneys due to the Contractor under this contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to this contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of this contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State agency, its representatives, or the State Comptroller.

10. RECORDS. The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this contract (hereinafter, collectively, 'the Records'). The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The State Comptroller, the Attorney General and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The State shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the 'Statute') provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation.

#### 11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

(a) Identification Number(s). Every invoice or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a New York State agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Failure to include such number or numbers may delay payment. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or Claim for Payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

(b) Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principal purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this contract or lease. The information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York 12236.

12. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINORITIES AND WOMEN. In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if this contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the following shall apply and by signing this agreement the Contractor certifies and affirms that it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

(a) The Contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts and will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgradings, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

(b) at the request of the contracting agency, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

(c) the Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

Contractor will include the provisions of 'a', 'b', and 'c' above, in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (the 'Work') except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to this contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by a contractor or subcontractor with the requirements of any federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The contracting agency shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the contracting agency shall waive the applicability of Section 312 to the extent of such duplication or conflict. Contractor will comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

13. **CONFLICTING TERMS.** In the event of a conflict between the terms of the contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Appendix A, the terms of this Appendix A shall control.

14. **GOVERNING LAW.** This contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

15. **LATE PAYMENT.** Timeliness of payment and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.

16. **NO ARBITRATION.** Disputes involving this contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

17. **SERVICE OF PROCESS.** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules ('CPLR'), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be

complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. Contractor will have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

18. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS. The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.

In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

19. MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES. In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

20. OMNIBUS PROCUREMENT ACT OF 1992. It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100  
Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: opa@esd.ny.gov

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, New York 10017

212-803-2414

email: [mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov](mailto:mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov)

<http://esd.ny.gov.MWBE/directorySearch.html>

The Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing this bid proposal or contract, as applicable, Contractors certify that whenever the total bid amount is greater than \$1 million:

(a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of New York State Business Enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

(b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

(c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to New York State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

(d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of this contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

**21. RECIPROCITY AND SANCTIONS PROVISIONS.** Bidders are hereby notified that if their principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services they offer will be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that they be denied contracts which they would otherwise obtain. NOTE: As of May 15, 2002, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of South Carolina, Alaska, West Virginia, Wyoming, Louisiana and Hawaii. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for a current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

**22. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.** Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

**23. COMPLIANCE WITH CONSULTANT DISCLOSURE LAW.** If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal or similar services, then, in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

**24. PROCUREMENT LOBBYING.** To the extent this agreement is a 'procurement contract' as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to

be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

**25. CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION TO COLLECT SALES AND COMPENSATING USE TAX BY CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTORS, AFFILIATES AND SUBCONTRACTORS.**

To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

**26. IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.** By entering into this Agreement, Contractor certifies in accordance with State Finance Law §165-a that it is not on the - Entities Determined to be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers pursuant to the New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012 - (Prohibited Entities List) posted at: <http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf>

Contractor further certifies that it will not utilize on this Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of this Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before the contract assignment will be approved by the State.

During the term of the Contract, should the state agency receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, the state agency will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the state agency shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

The state agency reserves the right to reject any bid, request for assignment, renewal or extension for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award, assignment, renewal or extension of a contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any entity that is awarded a contract and appears on the Prohibited Entities list after contract award.

January, 2014

Certified by - Anthony Picente on 07/09/2018



APPENDIX B - Budget Summary by Participant

Oneida County Oneida County Sheriffs Office - Version 1

#	Personnel	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	OT - Sheriff's Deputy - MVCAC	1	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
			Total	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00

Oneida County Sheriffs Office Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00

APPENDIX C

PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE

NOTE: Additional payment provisions associated with the schedule(s) below are detailed in Appendix A-1.

For All Grantees:

1. The Grantee agrees that this is a reimbursement-based contract; an advance may be provided through Appendix D (Special Conditions). All requests for reimbursement must reflect actual costs that have been disbursed or items received by the Grantee. A purchase order issued without receipt of the items or service is not eligible for reimbursement.
2. Grantees must submit all required fiscal reports, supporting documentation and program progress reports. Failure to meet these requirements will result in the rejection of associated vouchers. Failure to submit the final program report, or interim progress report designated as the final report, may result in a disallowance of 25 percent (25%) of the grant amount. The Grantee must also refund all unexpended advances (see item three below.) Final vouchers, reimbursement payment and reports must be submitted by the last day of the month following the end of the grant contract period. Failure to voucher within this period may result in the loss of grant funds.
3. If at the end of this grant contract there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under this contract in the possession of the Grantee, the Grantee shall submit a certified check or money order for the unexpended balance payable to the order of the State of New York and return it to the DCJS Office of Financial Services with its final fiscal cost report by the last day of the month following termination of this grant contract.
4. Vouchers shall be submitted in a format acceptable to DCJS and the Office of the State Comptroller (see <http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ofpa/forms.htm>). Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the Project Budget (Appendix B) and during the contract period. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: a) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and b) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Grantee for this program. Requirement b) does not apply to Legislative sponsored State grants.
5. For purposes of prompt payment provisions, the Designated Payment Office for the processing of all vouchers is the DCJS Office of Financial Services. Payment of grant vouchers shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Article XI-A of the State Finance Law. Payment shall be preceded by an inspection period of 15 business days which shall be excluded from calculations of the payment due date for purposes of determining eligibility for interest payments. The Grantee must notify the Office of Financial Services in writing of a change of address in order to benefit from the prompt payment provision of the State Finance Law. When progress reports are overdue or the required MWBE reporting is not included, vouchers will not be eligible for prompt payment.
6. Timely and properly completed New York State vouchers, with supporting documentation when required, shall be submitted to:

NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services

Office of Financial Services

80 S. Swan St.

Albany, NY 12210

## 7. Payment Schedule

### PAYMENT

#### PAYMENT DUE DATE

1

Pending appropriation, 30 days after commencement date of contract with proper documentation or upon receipt of proper documentation, whichever is later.

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Quarterly

A not-for-profit Grantee operating on a multi-year contract may voucher for an optional fifth quarter advance against the succeeding year's appropriation, pursuant to NYS Finance Law, Section 179-u.

All submitted vouchers will reflect the Grantee's actual expenditures and will be accompanied by supporting detailed itemizations of personal service and non-personal service expenditures and other documentation as required, and by a fiscal cost report for the reporting period. DCJS reserves the right not to release subsequent grant awards pending Grantee compliance with this Agreement. In the event that any expenditure for which the Grantee has been reimbursed by grant funds is subsequently disallowed, DCJS in its sole discretion may reduce the voucher payment by the amount disallowed. If necessary, the Grantee may be required to submit a final budget reallocation. Fiscal cost reports showing grant expenditures and/or obligations for each quarter of the grant must be submitted by the last day of the month after the last day of the reporting period.

Advance payments shall be permitted as specified in Appendix A-1, and in the amount specified in Appendix D (Special Conditions).

Payment requests need to include the following documents as required:

- <i>Detailed Itemization of Personal Service Expenditures
- <i>Detailed Itemization of Non-Personal Service Expenditures
- <i>Detailed Itemization of Consultant Expenditures
- <i>Expert witness agreement and supporting documentation
- <i>Voucher and Fiscal Cost Report signed

<i>Written documentation of all required DCJS prior approvals as follows:

-DCJS approval of non-competitive consultant.

-DCJS approval of non-competitive vendor for services.

-DCJS approval of consultant services reimbursement greater than \$650 per eight hour day.

-DCJS approval of change to Personal Services by more than 10 percent.

-DCJS approval to exceed NYS Office of the State Comptroller travel, meals and lodging rates.

-DCJS approval to subaward to another organization.

-DCJS approval for overtime payments exceeding 25 percent of an employee's annual personnel cost.

-DCJS and NYS Office of the State Comptroller approval to modify the budget by more than 10 percent of the total value of the contract if the contract is less than five million.

-DCJS and NYS Office of the State Comptroller approval to modify the budget by more than 5 percent of the total value of the contract if the contract is five million or more.

-DCJS approval to reallocate funds between Personal Services and Non Personal Services.

8. CONTRACT PAYMENTS: Contractor shall provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the agency in order to receive payment. Billing invoices submitted to the agency must contain all information and supporting documentation required by the Contract, the Agency and the State Comptroller. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the Commissioner, in the Commissioner's sole discretion, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with ordinary State procedures and practices. The Contractor shall comply with the State Comptroller's procedures to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), or by email at [epayments@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epayments@osc.state.ny.us). Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any invoices submitted under this Contract if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Commissioner has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.

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**APPENDIX D - Work Plan****Goal**

The goal of the Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Initiative is the elimination of shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, through the integrated use of evidence-based strategies that are incorporated into the four core elements of GIVE: People, Places, Alignment, and Engagement.

**Objective #1**

To introduce the joint agency initiatives outlined in the GIVE V strategy to directly combat shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, by implementing the key elements of Problem Oriented Policing.

**Task #1 for Objective #1**

On a quarterly basis, the Sheriff's Office will complete and submit the DCJS Checklist of key Problem Oriented Policing elements and provide a written description of the status of their implementation of each key element on the checklist.

**#    Performance Measure**

- 1    Attach a copy of the completed GIVE strategy checklist and associated Key Element written summary to GMS by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 2    Email a copy of the completed checklist and associated Key Element written summary by the end of the month following the end of each quarter to the GIVE Program Manager.

**Objective #2**

To introduce the joint agency initiatives outlined in the GIVE V strategy to directly combat shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, by implementing the key elements of Procedural Justice.

**Task #1 for Objective #2**

On a quarterly basis, the Sheriff's Office will complete and submit the DCJS Checklist of key Procedural Justice elements and provide a written description of the status of their implementation of each key element on the checklist.

**#    Performance Measure**

- 1    Attach a copy of the completed GIVE strategy checklist and associated Key Element written summary to GMS by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 2    Email a copy of the completed checklist and associated Key Element written summary by the end of the month following the end of each quarter to the GIVE Program Manager.

**Objective #3**

To introduce the joint agency initiatives outlined in the GIVE V strategy to directly combat shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, by implementing the key elements of Hot-Spots Policing.

**Task #1 for Objective #3**

On a quarterly basis, the Sheriff's Office will complete and submit the DCJS Checklist of key Hot-Spots Policing elements and provide a written description of the status of their implementation of each key element on the checklist.

**#    Performance Measure**

- 1    Attach a copy of the completed GIVE strategy checklist and associated Key Element written summary to GMS by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 2    Email a copy of the completed checklist and associated Key Element written summary by the end of the month following the end of each quarter to the GIVE Program Manager.

**Objective #4**

To introduce the joint agency initiatives outlined in the GIVE V strategy to directly combat shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, by implementing the key elements of Focused Deterrence.

**Task #1 for Objective #4**

On a quarterly basis, the Sheriff's Office will complete and submit the DCJS Checklist of key Focused Deterrence elements and provide a written description of the status of their implementation of each key element on the checklist.

**#    Performance Measure**

- 1    Attach a copy of the completed GIVE strategy checklist and associated Key Element written summary to GMS by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 2    Email a copy of the completed checklist and associated Key Element written summary by the end of the month following the end of each quarter to the GIVE Program Manager.

**Objective #5**

To introduce the joint agency initiatives outlined in the GIVE V strategy to directly combat shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, by implementing the key elements of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED).

**Task #1 for Objective #5**

On a quarterly basis, the Sheriff's Office will complete and submit the DCJS Checklist of key CPTED elements and provide a written description of the status of their implementation of each key element on the checklist.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Attach a copy of the completed GIVE strategy checklist and associated Key Element written summary to GMS by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 2 Email a copy of the completed checklist and associated Key Element written summary by the end of the month following the end of each quarter to the GIVE Program Manager.

**Objective #6**

To demonstrate the joint agency initiatives outlined in the GIVE V strategy to directly combat shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, by enhanced information sharing between GIVE partners.

**Task #1 for Objective #6**

On a quarterly basis, the Sheriff's Office will complete a cumulative report outlining all of the GIVE partners work-plans into one comprehensive document.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Attach a copy of the cumulative report into GMS in Microsoft Word format, 11-point font to GMS by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 2 Email a copy of the report to your assigned GIVE rep. by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 3 Email a copy of the cumulative report to the Police Department by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 4 The Police Department will email a comprehensive cumulative report to their DCJS Program Manager within 45 days of the end of each quarter

**Objective #7**

To demonstrate the joint agency initiatives outlined in the GIVE V strategy to directly combat shootings and homicides, or aggravated assaults where applicable, by completing the required GIVE Tracker.

**Task #1 for Objective #7**

On a quarterly basis, the Sheriff's Office will complete and submit the DCJS GIVE Tracker that provides a quantitative description of the results of overtime details associated with GIVE operation.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Attach a copy of the completed GIVE strategy checklist and associated Key Element written summary to GMS by the end of the month following the end of each quarter.
- 2 Email a copy of the completed checklist and associated Key Element written summary by the end of the month following the end of each quarter to the GIVE Program Manager.

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**APPENDIX D - Award Conditions**

Upon approval of this grant by the Office of the State Comptroller, or DCJS for "T" contract only, the Grantee is authorized to initially voucher for advance payment of those prospective expenses previously approved by DCJS not to exceed \$0.00 from the total contracted amount. Consistent with paragraph 15 of Appendix A-1 of this grant contract, vouchers for advance payments for the purchase of equipment and supplies must be supported by a copy of the purchase order.

**Special Conditions****<b>A. <u>Publications:</b></u>**

1. The implementing agency will submit to DCJS for review all proposed publications (written, visual or sound) prior to their public release. Any such publications shall contain the following statement... "This project is supported by a grant from the New York State Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) Initiative. Points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position of policies of the Division of Criminal Justice"

2. No materials, items or publications resulting from award activities associated with the GIVE Initiative grant may use the DCJS logo or provide any attribution to DCJS in any form, without the prior approval from the Executive Deputy Commissioner of DCJS or his/her designee. Requests for such approval must be submitted in writing to DCJS Executive Deputy Commissioner and Counsel at least 30 calendar days before requested use. Determinations of such requests will be made by the DCJS Executive Deputy Commissioner on a case-by-case basis.

**<b>B. <u> Programs:</b></u>**

1. Grantee agrees that if funding is being provided for the implementation of any DCJS crime reduction strategies, the implementing agency will coordinate their GIVE strategy with those other strategy initiatives in the county.

2. Grantee agrees that if the project is not implemented within 60 calendar days of the award date, it will report by letter to OPDF the steps taken to initiate the project, the reasons for delay, and the expected implementation date. If the project is not operational within 90 calendar days of the original starting date of the grant period, the Grantee will submit a second statement to OPDF explaining the delay. At the discretion of the Executive Deputy Commissioner of DCJS, in consultation with the Board, the State may either revoke and redistribute the funds or extend the implementation date of the project beyond the 90-day period when warranted by extenuating circumstances.

3. The following special conditions apply to contracts with county or municipal governments as appropriate: Participating law enforcement agencies that are funded by DCJS to conduct drug, firearms or vehicle theft or vehicle related insurance fraud investigations shall register with SAFETNet. Participation in SAFETNet obligates the registered agency to submit information regarding persons or addresses under active investigation in accordance with SAFETNet standard operating procedures. In addition, the agency agrees to participate in the Upstate New York State Intelligence Center (NYSIC) or the New York/New Jersey High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area Regional Intelligence Center (NY/NJ HIDTA RIC) as appropriate.

4. Grantee shall enroll as a user of the Integrated Justice Portal (IJPortal) and make use of the IJPortal services as applicable. Law enforcement agencies are required to submit all monthly crime reports to DCJS through the Integrated Justice Portal (IJPortal) IBR/UCR Reporting Interface within 30 calendar days after the close of the reporting period. Failure to submit this information may result in grant funds being withheld.

Instructions for accessing and submitting crime reports through the IJPortal can be found at: <a href=http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/crimnet/ojsa/crimereporting/ucr\_refman/IJPortal-UCR-Data-Entry-Manual.pdf>http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/crimnet/ojsa/crimereporting/ucr\_refman/IJPortal-UCR-Data-Entry-Manual.pdf</a>

All law enforcement agencies must stay current with their monthly submissions. When the police department is unable to submit the data within 30 days, the Chief must submit the reasoning to DCJS, while ensuring the data is submitted as soon as possible. If it is deemed that the reasoning for the late submission was out of the control of the police department, a waiver will be granted to avoid the fiscal penalty.

Monthly Gun Data - Both primary and DCJS designated secondary police departments must submit the Monthly Gun Data Report within 30 days of the end of the month that is being reported on. When the police department is unable to submit the data within 30 days, the Chief must submit the reasoning to DCJS, while ensuring the data is submitted as soon as possible. If it is deemed that the reasoning for the late submission was out of the control of the police department, a waiver will be granted to avoid the fiscal penalty.

<b>B.</b><u>Program: Cont'd</u></b></u>

5. Incident-Based Reporting (IBR) agencies are required to use the IJPortal IBR Submission interface to upload their monthly NYSIBR extract file, and the IJPortal UCR Data Entry Interface to submit their monthly Hate Crime and Law Enforcement Officers Killed or Assaulted (LEOKA) reports.

Summary (UCR) reporting agencies are required to use the IJPortal UCR Data Entry Interface to submit all monthly UCR reports including the Return A (Monthly Offenses known to Police), Arrests of Persons 18 and Over, Arrest of Persons Under 18, Supplemental Homicide Report (SHR), Arson, Hate Crime, and the Law Enforcement Officers Killed or Assaulted (LEOKA).

6. Grantee shall enroll as applicable in the DCJSContact Directory established and administered by DCJS. DCJSContact is a statewide directory service provided free-of-charge by the Division of Criminal Justice Services to the criminal justice community of New York State. Information regarding enrollment in the DCJSContact Directory can be obtained by downloading the enrollment form: <a href=http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ojis/documents/dcscontactenrollform.pdf>http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ojis/documents/dcscontactenrollform.pdf</a> or by calling NYS DCJS Office of Public Safety at (518) 457-2667.

7. All criminal justice information management software which a grantee may purchase or develop with funds provided under the terms of this agreement must conform to established New York State criminal justice data standards as documented in the most current version of the New York Statewide Criminal Justice Data Dictionary. In addition, all such information management software purchased or developed with funds provided under the terms of this agreement must conform to statewide standards for the collection, processing and reporting of criminal justice information as documented in the New York State Standard Practices Manual for the Processing of Fingerprintable Criminal Cases. The latest versions of both documents referenced above can be accessed on the DCJS web site at <a href=http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/dict/dict.htm>http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/dict/dict.htm</a> and <a href=http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/pio/fp\_services.htm>http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/pio/fp\_services.htm</a> or obtained by calling the DCJS Customer Contact Center at (800) 262-3257.

8. Participating law enforcement agencies receiving GIVE funds shall enforce the provisions of Orders of Protection, particularly with respect to those provisions prohibiting the ownership or possession of firearms, when so ordered in family or criminal court and served upon the defendant and will enforce the firearms prohibition provisions of the federal Violence Against Women Act.

9. Participating agencies receiving funding through the GIVE Initiative will be required to participate in a GIVE program evaluation. This may require agencies to provide DCJS or its contractors with data and information relating to jurisdictional GIVE operations, initiatives, and enforcement efforts.

10. Grantee agrees to comply with all requirements included within the Project GIVE Request for Applications (RFA).

<b>C.</b><u>Funding:</u></b></u>1. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 11 of Appendix A1, the parties agree that DCJS' prior approval is not required for the employment of a consultant when such employment is secured in relationship to a criminal matter as an expert witness, consultant or investigator. The parties agree that the employment shall be supported by a written agreement and requests for reimbursement supported by documentation identifying the criminal matter involved, services provided, time commitment, and fee schedule.

2. This contract may be extended, increased, decreased, renewed, amended or renegotiated at the discretion of the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the Division of Criminal Justice Services or as otherwise agreed upon by the Parties.

3. Grantee agrees that these funds will be used to supplement and not supplant existing funds and services.

4. The following condition will apply to contracts between two New York State governmental entities:

This is an agreement between two New York State governmental entities, and as such the provisions contained herein with respect to grants are applicable only to the extent that the provisions would otherwise be applicable between New York State governmental entities.

5. Grantee agrees that all specifications for technology purchases exceeding \$5,000 (excluding laptops and desktop computers) must be reviewed by the DCJS Office of Justice Information Services. The review will take place within three business days and should be coordinated through the DCJS Office of Program Development and Funding.

<b><u>Supplemental GIVE Special Conditions - 3/21/2016</u></b></u>

1. Participating police departments will attend monthly meetings, at a minimum, with the Operation SNUG (also known as Neighborhood Violence Prevention Project) program manager or his/her designee and regional crime analysts to discuss firearm related crime, gang activity, and violence. Meeting frequency may be increased at the discretion of DCJS based on shootings, homicides, and the incidence of violence crime within a jurisdiction.

2. By the 15th day of each month, participating police departments will provide Operation SNUG personnel with a monthly list of high risk individuals who have been identified as known or suspected gang members, gang leaders who promote gun violence, and candidates most likely to carry guns and/or be involved in shooting incidents. Police agencies may use discretion when it comes to supplying sensitive information regarding these high-risk individuals (i.e. persons involved in active criminal investigations).

3. By the 15th day of each month, the participating police department will provide DCJS a crime map pinpointing the locations of the prior month's shooting incidents for both the Operation SNUG target area(s) and the entire city.

<b><u>Supplemental GIVE Special Conditions - 3/21/2016</u></b></u>

4. Participating police departments will provide DCJS an annual crime map pinpointing the locations of all shooting incidents which have occurred between July 1 and June 30 of the preceding GIVE contract period for both the Operation SNUG target area(s) and the entire city. This annual crime map will be due on the last day of the month following the expiration date of the contract.

5. By the 15th day of each month the participating police department will provide DCJS a report detailing a month to month comparison of shootings and homicides for the current calendar year and the two preceding calendar years for the target area(s) and the entire city.

6. Participating police departments will provide DCJS an annual report detailing a year to year comparison of shootings and homicides for the current GIVE contract period and the two preceding GIVE contract periods for the target area(s) and the entire city. This annual comprehensive report will be due on the last day of the month following the expiration date of the contract.

7. Participating police departments will develop written protocols detailing established procedures to notify the Operation SNUG program manager or his/her designee of all shootings and/or homicides within 24 hours of each incident. The written procedures must be submitted to DCJS with the first Quarterly Progress Report.



<b>APPENDIX A1 AGENCY-SPECIFIC CLAUSES

1. If this Agreement exceeds \$50,000, it shall not take effect until it is executed by the parties hereto and approved by the Attorney General and the Comptroller of the State of New York. If this Agreement is for \$50,000 or less, it shall not take effect until it is executed by both parties.
2. This Agreement sets forth the entire understanding of the parties and may not be altered or amended except in format approved by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, and electronically signed by the parties hereto.
3. The failure of a party to enforce a contractual obligation shall not eliminate the other party's obligation to perform such contractual obligation.
4. In the event that any provision of this Agreement is determined to be null and void, all remaining provisions shall continue to be in full force and effect.
5. The Grantee shall submit detailed itemization forms for personal service and fringe benefit expenditures, in a format determined by DCJS, with any voucher and Fiscal Cost Reports requesting payment for expenditures. The Grantee agrees to properly account for and will submit for payment according to the agreed titles and budget amounts unless otherwise approved by DCJS.
6. The Grantee must maintain specific documentation as support for project related personal service expenditures, depending upon whether this grant contract project is supported by State or Federal funds:
  - a. For State funded grants:

For all Grantee's staff whose salaries are paid in whole or in part from grant funds provided under this Agreement, the Grantee shall maintain a time recording system which shows the time devoted to the grant project. The system shall consist of time sheets, computerized workload distribution reports, or equivalent systems. The time devoted to grant activities must be determinable and verifiable by DCJS. If time sheets are used, each must be signed by the individual and certified by the individual's supervisor in a higher level position at the end of each time reporting period.

b. For Federally funded grants:

Depending upon the nature or extent of personal service provided under this Agreement, the Grantee shall maintain semi-annual (or more frequent) personal service certifications and/or an after-the-fact personnel activity reporting system (or equivalent) which complies with the requirements of the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circulars A-21, A-87 or A-122, as applicable:

- i. OMB Circular A-21 [Item J, General provisions for selected items of cost] identifies documentation required for educational institutions as support for grant project personnel costs.
- ii. OMB Circular A-87 [Attachment B, Selected Items of Cost] identifies the documentation required for local government agencies as support for grant project personnel costs.
- iii. OMB Circular A-122 [Attachment B, Selected Items of Cost] identifies the documentation required for non-profit organizations as support for grant project personnel costs.

The most current version of these Federal OMB Circulars may be viewed on-line at: <a href="https://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars/">https://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars/ </a> <i>

The Grantee is to ensure full compliance with specific personal service documentation requirements of these OMB Circulars as applicable directly to the Grant recipient and to any sub-recipient (or collaborative agency/organization). Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit.</i>

7. Budget amendments are governed as follows:

- a. Requests for modifications must be made in writing by an authorized representative of the Grantee. Any proposed modification to the contract must be submitted for prior approval by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) when:

- i. The amount of the modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of five million dollars or less; or
- ii. The amount of the modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than five percent for contracts in excess of five million dollars.

An Appendix X setting forth the proposed amendment must be electronically signed via the Grants Management System by the Grantee for approval by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller before the next voucher and/or fiscal cost report will be approved.

b. For proposed modifications to the contract less than the DCJS/OSC approval thresholds as set forth in 7 a, the following shall apply:

- i. For contracts equal to \$100,000 or less, no formal budget reallocation is required for a budget reallocation that would result in a transfer of funds between budget cost categories where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or less than ten percent.
- ii. For contracts over \$100,000, no formal budget reallocation is required for a budget reallocation that would result in a transfer of funds between budget cost categories where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or less than five percent.

For budget reallocations involving amounts above the thresholds established in paragraph b (above), a grant amendment setting forth the proposed reallocation must be approved by DCJS via the Grants Management System before the next payment will be approved.

c. Any other budget changes not covered in paragraphs a or b (above), such as reallocations within budget cost categories or changes in the number, title, job duties or rate of remuneration of project staff, must be requested and approved via email by a DCJS Criminal Justice Program Representative. Such approval shall be retained by the Grantee.

8. Space rental provided by this Agreement must be supported by a written lease, maintained on file and made available by the Grantee upon request.

9. Grant-supported travel is governed as follows:

a. The Grantee's request for travel, meals or lodging reimbursement shall be in accordance with Appendix B, Budget, and, unless prior written authorization has been received from DCJS, shall not exceed rates authorized by the NYS Office of the State Comptroller (OSC). Travel shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Grantee or the OSC travel guidelines.

b. Prior approval and written authorization from DCJS is required for out-of-state travel. Such approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

10. The Grantee's employment of a consultant must be supported by a written agreement executed by the Grantee and the consultant. A consultant is defined as an individual or organization hired by the Grantee for the stated purpose of accomplishing a specific task relative to the funded project. A copy of the written agreement must be submitted to DCJS as an attachment in the DCJS Grants Management System by the due date of the second quarterly progress report. All consultant services must be obtained in a manner that provides for fair and open competition. The Grantee shall retain copies of all solicitations seeking a consultant, written agreements and documentation justifying the cost and selection of the consultant. The Grantee further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Agreement and the Grantee must guarantee the work of the consultant as if it were its own.

a. The rate for a consultant should not exceed \$650 for an eight-hour day (not including travel and subsistence costs). A rate exceeding \$650 per eight-hour day requires prior written approval from DCJS and may be approved on a case-by-case basis where adequate justification is provided and expenses are reasonable and allowable.

b. In addition to the above requirements, a Grantee that is a local government or a not-for-profit must adhere to the following guidelines at a minimum when obtaining consultant services:

- i. Consultant services that cost up to \$999 under this grant agreement can be obtained at the Grantee's discretion.
- ii. Consultant services that cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999 under this grant agreement must be supported by at least three telephone

quotes and a record created of such quotes.

iii. Consultant services that cost between \$5,000 and \$9,999 under this grant agreement must be supported by at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and a record created of competitive procurement process utilized.

iv. A Grantee obtaining consultant services that cost in excess of \$10,000 must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DCJS. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

c. A Grantee who proposes to obtain consultant services from a vendor without competitive bidding, must obtain the prior written approval of DCJS. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such consultant services must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Justice. DCJS's approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

d. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, the Parties agree that DCJS' prior written approval is not required for the employment of a consultant when such employment is secured in relationship to a criminal matter as an expert witness, consultant or investigator. The Parties agree that the employment shall be supported by a written agreement and that all supporting documentation identifying the criminal matter involved, services provided, time commitment, and schedule shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

11. All procurements, other than consultant services, shall be conducted in the following manner. Written justification and documentation for all procurements must be maintained on file and made available upon request. Detailed itemization forms for non-personal service expenditures, in a format determined by DCJS, shall accompany each voucher and Fiscal Cost Report requesting payment. All procurements must be made in a fair and open manner and in accordance with the pre-determined methodology established for evaluating bids (e.g., lowest responsive bidder or best value).

a. A Grantee that is a state entity must make all procurements in accordance with State Finance Law Article 11, and any other applicable regulations.

b. A Grantee that is a local government must make procurements in accordance with General Municipal Law Article 5-A and any other applicable regulations.

c. In addition, a Grantee that is a not-for-profit must also make all procurements as noted below:

i. If the Grantee is eligible to purchase an item or service from a government contract or is able to purchase such item or service elsewhere at a lower than or equal price, then such purchase may be made immediately.

ii. A Grantee may purchase any single piece of equipment, single service or multiples of each that cost up to \$999 at its discretion.

iii. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999, a Grantee must secure at least three telephone quotes and create a record for audit of such quotes.

iv. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$5,000 and \$9,999, the Grantee must secure at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and maintain a record of the competitive procurement process for audit purposes.

v. A Grantee spending in aggregate of \$10,000 and above must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DCJS. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

vi. A Grantee who proposes to purchase from a vendor without competitive bidding must obtain the prior written approval of DCJS. The

request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and the basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such procurement must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Justice. A copy of DCJS' approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

12. Applicable equipment purchased with funds provided by this Agreement as listed in Appendix B, Budget, shall be assigned a unique inventory number. The Grantee shall list all applicable equipment purchased with such funds in the GMS Property Module at the time the last program progress report is filed or sooner. Items of equipment costing less than \$500 do not need to be listed in the GMS Property Module although the Grantee is encouraged to maintain an internal inventory for audit purposes. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Grantee, DCJS will consider a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds provided the equipment continues to be used in conducting a criminal justice program.

13. Grant funds may be expended only for purposes and activities set forth in this Agreement. Accordingly, the most important single requirement of accounting for this grant is the complete and accurate documentation of grant expenditures. If the Grantee receives funding from two or more sources, all necessary steps must be taken to ensure that grant-related transactions are not commingled. This includes, but is not limited to, the establishment of unique budget codes, a separate cost center, or a separate chart of accounts. Expenditures must be cross-referenced to supporting source documents (purchase orders, contracts, real estate leases, invoices, vouchers, timesheets, mileage logs, etc.). Grantee agrees it shall maintain adequate internal controls and adhere to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Government or Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Not-for-Profit Organizations. This Agreement may be subject to a fiscal audit by DCJS to ascertain financial compliance with Federal and/or State laws, regulations, and guidelines applicable to this Agreement. Such audits may include review of the Grantee's accounting, financial, and reporting practices to determine compliance with the Agreement and reporting requirements; maintenance of accurate and reliable original accounting records in accordance with governmental accounting standards as well as generally accepted accounting principles; and specific compliance with allowable cost and expenditure documentation standards prescribed by applicable Federal, State, and DCJS guidelines.

14. Where advance payments are approved by DCJS, the Grantee agrees to expend the advance payments in accordance with the purposes set forth in Appendix D and consistent with Appendix B.

15. DCJS reserves the right to suspend program funds if the Grantee is found to be in noncompliance with the provisions of this Agreement or other grant agreements between the Grantee and DCJS or, if the Grantee or principals of the Grantee are under investigation by a New York State or local law enforcement agency for noncompliance with State or Federal laws or regulatory provisions or, if in DCJS' judgment, the services provided by the Grantee under the Agreement are unsatisfactory or untimely. DCJS shall provide the Grantee with written notice of noncompliance. Upon the Grantee's failure to correct or comply with the written notice by DCJS, DCJS reserves the right to terminate this Agreement, recoup funds and recover any assets purchased with the proceeds of this Agreement. DCJS reserves the right to use approved grant related expenditures to offset disallowed expenditures from any grant funded through its offices upon issuance of a final audit report and appropriate notification to the Grantee, or upon reasonable assurance that the Grantee is not in compliance with Agreement terms.

16. The Grantee agrees, as a material condition of the Agreement, to comply with all applicable provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. "1501 et seq.) as amended.

17. Program income earned by the Grantee during the funding period as a direct result of the grant award must be reported in writing to DCJS, in addition to any other statutory reporting requirements. This includes income received from seized and forfeited assets and cash, as well as: sale of grant purchased property; royalties; fees for services; and registration/tuition fees. Interest earned on grant funds is not program income unless specified in Appendix D. The Grantee agrees to report the receipt and expenditures of grant program income to DCJS. All income, including interest, generated by the use of these grant funds will be used to enhance the grant project.

18. If applicable, the Grantee agrees to obtain not-for-profit status, a federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish DCJS with this information as soon as it is available.

19. Unless otherwise specified, in accordance with the State Finance Law, the availability of all State funds for liabilities already incurred thereunder shall cease on September 15th of the year following the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated, unless such funds are reappropriated by the New York State Legislature. To ensure payment, vouchers must be received by DCJS by August 1st of the year following the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated.

20. The Grantee will submit program progress reports to DCJS via the GMS system and additional information or amended data as required in Appendix D.

a. Program progress reports will be due on the last day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter or on an alternate schedule as prescribed in Appendix D. The first program progress report will be due on the last day of the month following the last day of the calendar quarter from the start date of the contract.

Program progress reports thereafter will continue to be made until such time as the funds subject to this Agreement are no longer available, have been accounted for, and/or throughout the Agreement period or project duration.

Calendar quarters, for the purposes of making program progress reports, shall be as follows:

Calendar Quarter

Report Due

January 1 - March 31

April 30

April 1 - June 30

July 31

July 1 - September 30

October 31

October 1 - December 31

January 31

b. The final progress report will summarize the project's achievements as well as describe activities for that quarter.

c. Grantees must be current on all program progress reports. Failure to submit program progress reports may result in placement of a stop payment and withholding of funds.

21. If for any reason the State of New York or the federal government terminates its appropriation through DCJS or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of this program, this Agreement may be terminated or reduced at the discretion of DCJS, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Grantee where funds are available to DCJS for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Agreement, all remaining funds paid to the Grantee that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Grantee shall be returned to DCJS. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by DCJS or by the State of New York beyond monies available for the purposes of this Agreement. The Grantee acknowledges that any funds due to DCJS because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be its responsibility.

22. If Appendix B, Program Budget, makes provisions for overtime payment, the Grantee agrees to submit vouchers for such payment of overtime charges by the last day of the month following the last day of the quarter for the reporting period. The Grantee further agrees to

limit overtime earnings to no more than 25 percent (25%) of the employee's annual personnel cost (salary plus fringe benefits) during the term of this Agreement. Prior written approval from DCJS is required for overtime charges in excess of the 25 percent (25%) limit. A copy of DCJS' approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

23. None of the goals, objectives or tasks set forth in Appendix D shall be subawarded to another organization without specific prior written approval by DCJS. Where the intention to make subawards is clearly indicated in the application, DCJS' approval is deemed given, if these activities are funded as proposed.

If this Agreement makes provisions for the Grantee to subgrant funds to other recipients, the Grantee agrees that all subgrantees shall be held accountable by the Grantee for all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. The Grantee further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Agreement and the Grantee must guarantee the work of any subgrantee as if it were its own.

The Grantee agrees that all subgrantee arrangements shall be formalized in writing between the parties involved. The writing must, at a minimum, include the following information:

- Activities to be performed;
- Time schedule;
- Project policies;
- Other policies and procedures to be followed;
- Dollar limitation of the Agreement;
- Appendix A, Appendix A-1, Appendix C, Appendix M, Certified Assurances for Federally Supported Projects, Certification Regarding Lobbying, Debarment and Suspension and any special conditions set forth in the Agreement; and
- Applicable Federal and/or State cost principles to be used in determining allowable costs.

The Grantee will not be reimbursed for subgranted funds unless all expenditures by a subgrantee are listed on certification forms. Backup documentation for such expenditures must be made available upon request. All expenditures must be programmatically consistent with the goals and objectives of this Agreement and with the financial plan set forth in Appendix B.

#### 24. Federal Funds

a. In accordance with Federal requirements, a Grantee which receives during its fiscal year \$500,000 or more of Federal funds (including pass-through and direct) from all sources, including this Agreement, must agree to have an independent audit of such Federal funds conducted in accordance with the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133. OMB Circular A-133 further requires that the final report for such audit be completed within nine months of the end of the Grantee's fiscal year. The Grantee further agrees to provide one copy of such audit report(s) to DCJS within nine months of the end of its fiscal year(s).

b. In accordance with Federal requirements, a Grantee receiving Federal pass-through funds must also agree to comply with the terms and conditions of any and all applicable Federal OMB Circulars. For the convenience of the Grantee, the following OMB circulars are noted as the most common applicable to federal funds passed through DCJS:

- OMB Circular A 21, Cost Principles for Educational Institutions;
- OMB Circular A 87, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments;
- OMB Circular A 102, Grants and Cooperative Agreements with State and Local Governments;
- OMB Circular A 110, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Other Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and Other Non Profit Organizations; and
- OMB Circular A 122, Cost Principles for Non Profit Organizations.

The Parties agree that, dependent upon the status of the Grantee; additional circulars may also be applicable. The most current version of all Federal OMB Circulars may be viewed on-line at:

<https://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars/>

The Grantee is to ensure full compliance with all cost documentation requirements of OMB Circulars as applicable directly to the Grant

recipient and to any sub-recipient (or collaborative agency/organization). Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit.</i>

25. No materials, items or publications resulting from award activities may use the DCJS logo or provide any attribution to DCJS in any form, without prior approval from the Executive Deputy Commissioner of DCJS or his designee. Requests for such approval must be submitted in writing to DCJS's Agency Counsel at least 30 days before requested use. Determinations of such requests will be made by the DCJS Executive Deputy Commissioner on a case-by-case basis.

26. Any creative or literary work developed or commissioned by the Grantee with grant support provided by DCJS shall become the property of DCJS, entitling DCJS to assert a copyright therein, unless the parties have expressly agreed otherwise in a written instrument signed by them.

a. If DCJS shares its right to copyright such work with the Grantee, DCJS reserves a royalty-free, non-exclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, subgrant, or contract under a grant or subgrant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Grantee, Subgrantee, or a Contractor purchases ownership with grant support.

b. If the grant support provided by DCJS is federally sponsored, the federal awarding agency also reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, subgrant or contract under a grant or subgrant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Grantee, Subgrantee, or a Contractor purchases ownership with such grant support.

c. The Grantee shall submit one copy of all reports and publications resulting from this Agreement to DCJS. Any publications must contain the following statement, in visible print, of any document generated pursuant to a grant administered by DCJS:

This project was supported by a grant administered by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. Points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position or policies of the Division of Criminal Justice Services.

27. Original records must be retained for six years following the submission of the final claim against this Agreement. In the event of a fiscal audit, the project manager or a designated responsible party must be prepared to produce source documents that substantiate claimed expenditures. DCJS requires that all documentation materials be organized, readily accessible, and cross-referenced to the Fiscal Cost Reports previously submitted. If fiscal records, such as purchase orders, vouchers, payroll registers, payroll tax records, etc., are to be kept in a fiscal office which is separate and apart from the program office, the project manager must have access to these original records. Such fiscal records must readily identify the associated project. In addition, a separate set of records must be retained for each project year.

28. Grant-related expenditures shall be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports and detailed itemization forms provided by DCJS. These reports must be prepared periodically as defined in Appendix C of this Agreement. All reported expenditures must reconcile to the program accounting records. Prior period adjustments shall be reported in the same accounting period that the correction was made.

#### 29. General Responsibility Language

The Contractor shall at all times during the Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity.

#### 30. Suspension of Work (for Non-Responsibility)

The Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee, in his or her sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when he or she discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the

suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

**31. Termination (for Non-Responsibility)**

Upon written notice to the Contractor, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with appropriate Agency officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee to be non-responsible. In such event, the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

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Certified by - Anthony Picente on 07/09/2018



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The Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear Mr. Picente:

Enclosed is the proposed annual installment for the Aid to Prosecution grant award which the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services has awarded our office in the amount of \$67,900.00. Grant funds will be used to support the District Attorney Office's work in prosecuting violent and non-violent felonies. This grant will be used to support one Assistant District Attorney staff position dedicated to the prosecution of these felonies.

The master grant term began October 1, 2017 and concludes September 30, 2019. The award for this period begins October 1, 2018 and goes through September 30, 2019. Matching funds are not required.

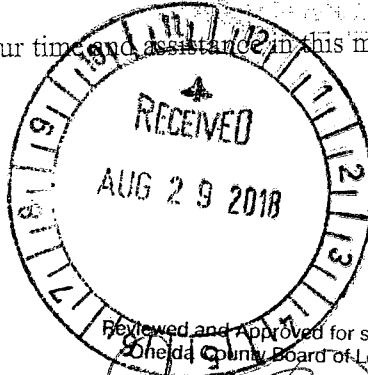
I am hereby requesting your review and approval of this grant. After doing so, please forward this information to the Oneida County Board of Legislators for their review and approval.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please notify me.

Thank you for your time and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Scott D. McNamara  
Oneida County District Attorney



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-28-18

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Oneida Co. Department: District Attorney

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

Name & Address of Vendor: NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services  
80 South Swan Street  
Albany, NY 12210

Title of Activity or Service: Aid to Prosecution Grant

Proposed Dates of Operation: 10/01/2018 – 9/30/2019

Client Population/Number to be Served: Oneida County

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:**

Funds will be used to enhance the prosecution of repeat violent and serious felony offenders by maintaining increased levels of experienced prosecution personnel who will seek to minimize use of the plea-bargaining option and to impose the maximum sentence for such defendants.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** To maintain experienced prosecutors and to reduce crime through investigations and targeting of violent and non-violent felony crimes.

**3) Program Design and Staffing:** Funds will support one Assistant District Attorney staff position dedicated to the above program for the term of this grant.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$67,900.00

**Account #**A1165.101

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$67,900.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State \$

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** None

<p><u>STATE AGENCY</u>                  Division of Criminal Justice Services                  80 South Swan Street                  Albany, NY 12210</p>	<p><u>NYS COMPTROLLER'S NUMBER:</u> C445042                  (Contract Number)   <u>ORIGINATING AGENCY CODE:</u> 01490 - Division of Criminal Justice Services</p>
<p><u>GRANTEE/CONTRACTOR:</u> (Name &amp; Address)                  Oneida County                  800 Park Avenue                  Utica, NY 13501-2939</p>	<p><u>TYPE OF PROGRAMS:</u> Aid to Prosecution  <u>DCJS NUMBERS:</u> APB8445042                  AP19445042  <u>CFDA NUMBERS:</u></p>
<p><u>FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NO:</u> 156000460  <u>MUNICIPALITY NO:</u> (if applicable) 300100000000</p>	<p><u>INITIAL CONTRACT PERIOD:</u>                  FROM 10/01/2017 TO 09/30/2019  <u>FUNDING AMOUNT FROM INITIAL PERIOD:</u> \$135,800.00</p>
<p><u>STATUS:</u>                  Contractor is not a sectarian entry.                  Contractor is not a not-for-profit organization.</p>	<p><u>MULTI-YEAR TERM:</u> (if applicable): 2 1-year renewal options.</p>
<p><u>CHARITIES REGISTRATION NUMBER:</u>                  [ ]                  (Enter number or Exempt)                  if "Exempt" is entered above, reason for exemption.  <u>N/A</u></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;"> <p>Contractor has ___ has not ___ timely filed with the Attorney General's Charities Bureau all required periodic or annual written reports.</p> </div>	<p><u>APPENDIX ATTACHED AND PART OF THIS AGREEMENT</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A Standard Clauses required by the Attorney General for all State contracts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A1 Agency-specific Clauses</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX B Budget</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX C Payment and Reporting Schedule</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX D Program Workplan</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX F Guidelines for the Control and Use of Confidential Funds</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX G Procedural Guidelines for the Control of Surveillance Equipment</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX M</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other (Identify)</p>
<p>IN WITNESS THERE OF, the parties hereto have electronically executed or approved this AGREEMENT on the dates of their signatures.</p>	
<p>NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services                  BY: _____ Date: _____                  Office of Program Development and Funding</p> <p><u>State Agency Certification:</u> "In addition to the acceptance of this contract, I also certify that original copies of this signature page will be attached to all other exact copies of this contract".</p> <p>GRANTEE:                  BY: Hon. Anthony J. Picente jr., County Executive Date: _____</p>	
<p>ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE                  _____                  Title: _____                  Date: _____</p>	<p>APPROVED,                  Thomas P. DiNapoli, State Comptroller                  _____                  Title: _____                  Date: _____</p>

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## AGREEMENT

STATE OF NEW YORK  
AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT is hereby made by and between the State of New York agency (STATE) and the public or private agency (CONTRACTOR) identified on the face page hereof.

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the STATE has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services; and WHEREAS, the CONTRACTOR is ready, willing and able to provide such program services and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services required pursuant to the terms of this AGREEMENT;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities and covenants herein, the STATE and the CONTRACTOR agree as follows:

## I. Conditions of Agreement

A. This AGREEMENT may consist of successive periods (PERIOD), as specified within the AGREEMENT or within a subsequent Modification Agreement(s) (Appendix X) Amendment. Each additional or superseding PERIOD shall be on the forms specified by the particular State agency, and shall be incorporated into this AGREEMENT.

B. Funding for the first PERIOD shall not exceed the funding amount specified on the face page hereof. Funding for each subsequent PERIOD, if any, shall not exceed the amount specified in the appropriate appendix amendment for that PERIOD.

C. This AGREEMENT incorporates the face page attached as presented in the Grants Management System (GMS) AWARD online printable report, and all of the marked appendices identified on the face page hereof.

D. For each succeeding PERIOD of this AGREEMENT, the parties shall prepare new appendices, to the extent that any require modification, and a Modification Agreement. Any terms of this AGREEMENT not modified shall remain in effect for each PERIOD of the AGREEMENT.

To modify the AGREEMENT within an existing PERIOD, the parties shall revise or complete the appropriate appendix form(s). Any change in the amount of consideration to be paid, change in scope, or change in term is subject to the approval of the Office of the State Comptroller. Any other modifications shall be processed in accordance with agency guidelines as stated in Appendix A-1.

E. The CONTRACTOR shall perform all services to the satisfaction of the STATE. The CONTRACTOR shall provide services and meet the program objectives summarized in the Program Workplan (Appendix D) in accordance with: provisions of the AGREEMENT; relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative and fiscal guidelines; and where applicable, operating certificates for facilities or licenses for an activity or program.

F. If the CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the STATE under this AGREEMENT. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the STATE.

G. Appendix A (Standard Clauses as required by the Attorney General for all State contracts) takes precedence over all other parts of the AGREEMENT.

## II. Payment and Reporting

A. The CONTRACTOR, to be eligible for payment, shall submit to the STATE's designated payment office (identified in Appendix C) any appropriate documentation as required by the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C) and by agency fiscal guidelines, in a manner acceptable to the STATE.

B. The STATE shall make payments and any reconciliations in accordance with the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C). The STATE shall pay the CONTRACTOR, in consideration of contract services for a given PERIOD, a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the face page hereof or in the respective Appendix designating the payment amount for that given PERIOD. This sum shall not duplicate reimbursement from other sources for CONTRACTOR costs and services provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT.

C. The CONTRACTOR shall meet the audit requirements specified by the STATE.

## III. Terminations

A. This AGREEMENT may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the STATE and the CONTRACTOR.

B. The STATE may terminate the AGREEMENT immediately, upon written notice of termination to the CONTRACTOR, if the CONTRACTOR fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies or procedures affecting this AGREEMENT.

C. The STATE may also terminate this AGREEMENT for any reason in accordance with provisions set forth in Appendix A-1.

D. Written notice of termination, where required, shall be sent by personal messenger service or by certified mail, return receipt requested. The termination shall be effective in accordance with the terms of the notice.

E. Upon receipt of notice of termination, the CONTRACTOR agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the STATE.

F. The STATE shall be responsible for payment on claims pursuant to services provided and costs incurred pursuant to terms of the AGREEMENT. In no event shall the STATE be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the program(s) in this AGREEMENT after the termination date.

#### IV. Indemnification

A. The CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the CONTRACTOR or its subcontractors pursuant to this AGREEMENT. The CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the STATE and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and costs of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to this AGREEMENT.

B. The CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee or subdivision of the STATE nor make any claim, demand or application to or for any right based upon any different status.

#### V. Property

Any equipment, furniture, supplies or other property purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT is deemed to be the property of the STATE except as may otherwise be governed by Federal or State laws, rules or regulations, or as stated in Appendix A-1.

#### VI Safeguards for Services and Confidentiality

A. Services performed pursuant to this AGREEMENT are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

B. Funds provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that may influence legislation or the election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

C. Information relating to individuals who may receive services pursuant to this AGREEMENT shall be maintained and used only for the purposes intended under the contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of the laws and regulations, or specified in Appendix A-1.

Certified by - on

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## APPENDIX A

## STANDARD CLAUSES FOR NYS CONTRACTS

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, 'the contract' or 'this contract') agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word 'Contractor' herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licenser, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

1. EXECUTORY CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under this contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond funds appropriated and available for this contract.
2. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, this contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law may be waived at the discretion of the contracting agency and with the concurrence of the State Comptroller where the original contract was subject to the State Comptroller's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that any Contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless this contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.
3. COMPTROLLER'S APPROVAL. In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if this contract is with the State University or City University of New York, Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if this contract exceeds \$50,000 (or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller for certain S.U.N.Y. and C.U.N.Y. contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount, or if, by this contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by the State Comptroller and filed in his office. Comptroller's approval of contracts let by the Office of General Services is required when such contracts exceed \$85,000 (State Finance Law Section 163.6-a). However, such pre-approval shall not be required for any contract established as a centralized contract through the Office of General Services or for a purchase order or other transaction issued under such centralized contract.
4. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, this contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.
5. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this contract shall be performed within the State of New York, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.
6. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS. If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of

the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

7. **NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.** In accordance with Section 139-d of the State Finance Law, if this contract was awarded based upon the submission of bids, Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. Contractor further affirms that, at the time Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive bidding certification on Contractor's behalf.

8. **INTERNATIONAL BOYCOTT PROHIBITION.** In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

9. **SET-OFF RIGHTS.** The State shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold for the purposes of set-off any moneys due to the Contractor under this contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to this contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of this contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State agency, its representatives, or the State Comptroller.

10. **RECORDS.** The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this contract (hereinafter, collectively, 'the Records'). The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The State Comptroller, the Attorney General and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The State shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the 'Statute') provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation.

11. **IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.**

(a) **Identification Number(s).** Every invoice or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a New York State agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Failure to include such number or numbers may delay payment. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or Claim for Payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

(b) **Privacy Notification.** (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principal purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this contract or lease. The information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York 12236.

12. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINORITIES AND WOMEN.** In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if this contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a

total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the following shall apply and by signing this agreement the Contractor certifies and affirms that it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

(a) The Contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts and will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgradings, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

(b) at the request of the contracting agency, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

(c) the Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

Contractor will include the provisions of 'a', 'b', and 'c' above, in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (the 'Work') except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to this contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by a contractor or subcontractor with the requirements of any federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The contracting agency shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the contracting agency shall waive the applicability of Section 312 to the extent of such duplication or conflict. Contractor will comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

13. **CONFLICTING TERMS.** In the event of a conflict between the terms of the contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Appendix A, the terms of this Appendix A shall control.

14. **GOVERNING LAW.** This contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

15. **LATE PAYMENT.** Timeliness of payment and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.

16. **NO ARBITRATION.** Disputes involving this contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

17. **SERVICE OF PROCESS.** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules ('CPLR'), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. Contractor will have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

18. **PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.** The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.



In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

19. **MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES.** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

20. **OMNIBUS PROCUREMENT ACT OF 1992.** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100  
Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: opa@esd.ny.gov

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, New York 10017  
212-803-2414  
email: mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov <http://esd.ny.gov/MWBE/directorySearch.html>

The Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing this bid proposal or contract, as applicable, Contractors certify that whenever the total bid amount is greater than \$1 million:

(a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of New York State Business Enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

(b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

(c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to New York State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

(d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of this contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

21. **RECIPROCITY AND SANCTIONS PROVISIONS.** Bidders are hereby notified that if their principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services they offer will be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that they be denied contracts which they would otherwise obtain. NOTE: As of May 15, 2002, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of South Carolina, Alaska, West Virginia, Wyoming, Louisiana and Hawaii. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for a current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

22. **COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.** Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

23. COMPLIANCE WITH CONSULTANT DISCLOSURE LAW. If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal or similar services, then, in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

24. PROCUREMENT LOBBYING. To the extent this agreement is a 'procurement contract' as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

25. CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION TO COLLECT SALES AND COMPENSATING USE TAX BY CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTORS, AFFILIATES AND SUBCONTRACTORS. To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

26. IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT. By entering into this Agreement, Contractor certifies in accordance with State Finance Law §165-a that it is not on the - Entities Determined to be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers pursuant to the New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012 - (Prohibited Entities List) posted at: <http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf>

Contractor further certifies that it will not utilize on this Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of this Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before the contract assignment will be approved by the State.

During the term of the Contract, should the state agency receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, the state agency will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the state agency shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

The state agency reserves the right to reject any bid, request for assignment, renewal or extension for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award, assignment, renewal or extension of a contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any entity that is awarded a contract and appears on the Prohibited Entities list after contract award.

January, 2014

Certified by - on

**Award Contract****Aid to Prosecution****Project No.****Grantee Name**

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**APPENDIX A1****AGENCY-SPECIFIC CLAUSES**

1. If this Agreement exceeds \$50,000, it shall not take effect until it is executed by the parties hereto and approved by the Attorney General and the Comptroller of the State of New York. If this Agreement is for \$50,000 or less, it shall not take effect until it is executed by both parties.
2. This Agreement sets forth the entire understanding of the parties and may not be altered or amended except in format approved by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, and electronically signed by the parties hereto.
3. The failure of a party to enforce a contractual obligation shall not eliminate the other party's obligation to perform such contractual obligation.
4. In the event that any provision of this Agreement is determined to be null and void, all remaining provisions shall continue to be in full force and effect.
5. The Grantee shall submit detailed itemization forms for personal service and fringe benefit expenditures, in a format determined by DCJS, with any voucher and Fiscal Cost Reports requesting payment for expenditures. The Grantee agrees to properly account for and will submit for payment according to the agreed titles and budget amounts unless otherwise approved by DCJS.
6. The Grantee must maintain specific documentation as support for project related personal service expenditures, depending upon whether this grant contract project is supported by State or Federal funds:

- a. For State funded grants:

For all Grantee's staff whose salaries are paid in whole or in part from grant funds provided under this Agreement, the Grantee shall maintain a time recording system which shows the time devoted to the grant project. The system shall consist of time sheets, computerized workload distribution reports, or equivalent systems. The time devoted to grant activities must be determinable and verifiable by DCJS. If time sheets are used, each must be signed by the individual and certified by the individual's supervisor in a higher level position at the end of each time reporting period.

- b. For Federally funded grants:

Depending upon the nature or extent of personal service provided under this Agreement, the Grantee shall maintain semi-annual (or more frequent) personal service certifications and/or an after-the-fact personnel activity reporting system (or equivalent) which complies with the requirements of the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circulars A-21, A-87 or A-122, as applicable:

- i. OMB Circular A-21 [Item J, General provisions for selected items of cost] identifies documentation required for educational institutions as support for grant project personnel costs.
- ii. OMB Circular A-87 [Attachment B, Selected Items of Cost] identifies the documentation required for local government agencies as support for grant project personnel costs.
- iii. OMB Circular A-122 [Attachment B, Selected Items of Cost] identifies the documentation required for non-profit organizations as support for grant project personnel costs.

The most current version of these Federal OMB Circulars may be viewed on-line at:  
<https://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars/>

*The Grantee is to ensure full compliance with specific personal service documentation requirements of these OMB Circulars as applicable directly to the Grant recipient and to any sub-recipient (or collaborative agency/organization). Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit.*

7. Budget amendments are governed as follows:

- a. Requests for modifications must be made in writing by an authorized representative of the Grantee. Any proposed modification to the contract must be submitted for prior approval by DCJS and the NYS Office of the

**State Comptroller (OSC) when:**

- i. The amount of the modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of five million dollars or less; or
- ii. The amount of the modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than five percent for contracts in excess of five million dollars.

An Appendix X setting forth the proposed amendment must be electronically signed via the Grants Management System by the Grantee for approval by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller before the next voucher and/or fiscal cost report will be approved.

b. For proposed modifications to the contract less than the DCJS/OSC approval thresholds as set forth in 7 a, the following shall apply:

i. For contracts equal to \$100,000 or less, no formal budget reallocation is required for a budget reallocation that would result in a transfer of funds between budget cost categories where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or less than ten percent.

ii. For contracts over \$100,000, no formal budget reallocation is required for a budget reallocation that would result in a transfer of funds between budget cost categories where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or less than five percent.

For budget reallocations involving amounts above the thresholds established in paragraph b (above), a grant amendment setting forth the proposed reallocation must be approved by DCJS via the Grants Management System before the next payment will be approved.

c. Any other budget changes not covered in paragraphs a or b (above), such as reallocations within budget cost categories or changes in the number, title, job duties or rate of remuneration of project staff, must be requested and approved via email by a DCJS Criminal Justice Program Representative. Such approval shall be retained by the Grantee.

8. Space rental provided by this Agreement must be supported by a written lease, maintained on file and made available by the Grantee upon request.

9. Grant-supported travel is governed as follows:

a. The Grantee's request for travel, meals or lodging reimbursement shall be in accordance with Appendix B, Budget, and, unless prior written authorization has been received from DCJS, shall not exceed rates authorized by the NYS Office of the State Comptroller (OSC). Travel shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Grantee or the OSC travel guidelines.

b. Prior approval and written authorization from DCJS is required for out-of-state travel. Such approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

10. The Grantee's employment of a consultant must be supported by a written agreement executed by the Grantee and the consultant. A consultant is defined as an individual or organization hired by the Grantee for the stated purpose of accomplishing a specific task relative to the funded project. A copy of the written agreement must be submitted to DCJS as an attachment in the DCJS Grants Management System by the due date of the second quarterly progress report. All consultant services must be obtained in a manner that provides for fair and open competition. The Grantee shall retain copies of all solicitations seeking a consultant, written agreements and documentation justifying the cost and selection of the consultant. The Grantee further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Agreement and the Grantee must guarantee the work of the consultant as if it were its own.

a. The rate for a consultant should not exceed \$650 for an eight-hour day (not including travel and subsistence costs). A rate exceeding \$650 per eight-hour day requires prior written approval from DCJS and may be approved on a case-by-case basis where adequate justification is provided and expenses are reasonable and allowable.

b. In addition to the above requirements, a Grantee that is a local government or a not-for-profit must adhere to the following guidelines at a minimum when obtaining consultant services:

i. Consultant services that cost up to \$999 under this grant agreement can be obtained at the Grantee's discretion.

ii. Consultant services that cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999 under this grant agreement must be supported by at least three telephone quotes and a record created of such quotes.

iii. Consultant services that cost between \$5,000 and \$9,999 under this grant agreement must be supported by at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and a record created of competitive procurement process utilized.

iv. A Grantee obtaining consultant services that cost in excess of \$10,000 must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DCJS. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

c. A Grantee who proposes to obtain consultant services from a vendor without competitive bidding, must obtain the prior written approval of DCJS. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such consultant services must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Justice. DCJS's approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

d. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, the Parties agree that DCJS' prior written approval is not required for the employment of a consultant when such employment is secured in relationship to a criminal matter as an expert witness, consultant or investigator. The Parties agree that the employment shall be supported by a written agreement and that all supporting documentation identifying the criminal matter involved, services provided, time commitment, and schedule shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

11. All procurements, other than consultant services, shall be conducted in the following manner. Written justification and documentation for all procurements must be maintained on file and made available upon request. Detailed itemization forms for non-personal service expenditures, in a format determined by DCJS, shall accompany each voucher and Fiscal Cost Report requesting payment. All procurements must be made in a fair and open manner and in accordance with the pre-determined methodology established for evaluating bids (e.g., lowest responsive bidder or best value).

a. A Grantee that is a state entity must make all procurements in accordance with State Finance Law Article 11, and any other applicable regulations.

b. A Grantee that is a local government must make procurements in accordance with General Municipal Law Article 5-A and any other applicable regulations.

c. In addition, a Grantee that is a not-for-profit must also make all procurements as noted below:

i. If the Grantee is eligible to purchase an item or service from a government contract or is able to purchase such item or service elsewhere at a lower than or equal price, then such purchase may be made immediately.

ii. A Grantee may purchase any single piece of equipment, single service or multiples of each that cost up to \$999 at its discretion.

iii. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999, a Grantee must secure at least three telephone quotes and create a record for audit of such quotes.

iv. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$5,000 and \$9,999, the Grantee must secure at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and maintain a record of the competitive procurement process for audit purposes.

v. A Grantee spending in aggregate of \$10,000 and above must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DCJS. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

vi. A Grantee who proposes to purchase from a vendor without competitive bidding must obtain the prior written approval of DCJS. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification

for selection and the basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such procurement must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Justice. A copy of DCJS' approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

12. Applicable equipment purchased with funds provided by this Agreement as listed in Appendix B, Budget, shall be assigned a unique inventory number. The Grantee shall list all applicable equipment purchased with such funds in the GMS Property Module at the time the last program progress report is filed or sooner. Items of equipment costing less than \$500 do not need to be listed in the GMS Property Module although the Grantee is encouraged to maintain an internal inventory for audit purposes. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Grantee, DCJS will consider a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds provided the equipment continues to be used in conducting a criminal justice program.

13. Grant funds may be expended only for purposes and activities set forth in this Agreement. Accordingly, the most important single requirement of accounting for this grant is the complete and accurate documentation of grant expenditures. If the Grantee receives funding from two or more sources, all necessary steps must be taken to ensure that grant-related transactions are not commingled. This includes, but is not limited to, the establishment of unique budget codes, a separate cost center, or a separate chart of accounts. Expenditures must be cross-referenced to supporting source documents (purchase orders, contracts, real estate leases, invoices, vouchers, timesheets, mileage logs, etc.). Grantee agrees it shall maintain adequate internal controls and adhere to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Government or Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Not-for-Profit Organizations.

This Agreement may be subject to a fiscal audit by DCJS to ascertain financial compliance with Federal and/or State laws, regulations, and guidelines applicable to this Agreement. Such audits may include review of the Grantee's accounting, financial, and reporting practices to determine compliance with the Agreement and reporting requirements; maintenance of accurate and reliable original accounting records in accordance with governmental accounting standards as well as generally accepted accounting principles; and specific compliance with allowable cost and expenditure documentation standards prescribed by applicable Federal, State, and DCJS guidelines.

14. Where advance payments are approved by DCJS, the Grantee agrees to expend the advance payments in accordance with the purposes set forth in Appendix D and consistent with Appendix B.

15. DCJS reserves the right to suspend program funds if the Grantee is found to be in noncompliance with the provisions of this Agreement or other grant agreements between the Grantee and DCJS or, if the Grantee or principals of the Grantee are under investigation by a New York State or local law enforcement agency for noncompliance with State or Federal laws or regulatory provisions or, if in DCJS' judgment, the services provided by the Grantee under the Agreement are unsatisfactory or untimely. DCJS shall provide the Grantee with written notice of noncompliance. Upon the Grantee's failure to correct or comply with the written notice by DCJS, DCJS reserves the right to terminate this Agreement, recoup funds and recover any assets purchased with the proceeds of this Agreement. DCJS reserves the right to use approved grant related expenditures to offset disallowed expenditures from any grant funded through its offices upon issuance of a final audit report and appropriate notification to the Grantee, or upon reasonable assurance that the Grantee is not in compliance with Agreement terms.

16. The Grantee agrees, as a material condition of the Agreement, to comply with all applicable provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. "1501 et seq.) as amended.

17. Program income earned by the Grantee during the funding period as a direct result of the grant award must be reported in writing to DCJS, in addition to any other statutory reporting requirements. This includes income received from seized and forfeited assets and cash, as well as: sale of grant purchased property; royalties; fees for services; and registration/tuition fees. Interest earned on grant funds is not program income unless specified in Appendix D. The Grantee agrees to report the receipt and expenditures of grant program income to DCJS. All income, including interest, generated by the use of these grant funds will be used to enhance the grant project.

18. If applicable, the Grantee agrees to obtain not-for-profit status, a federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish DCJS with this information as soon as it is available.

19. Unless otherwise specified, in accordance with the State Finance Law, the availability of all State funds for liabilities already incurred thereunder shall cease on September 15th of the year following the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated, unless such funds are reappropriated by the New York State Legislature. To ensure payment, vouchers must be received by DCJS by August 1st of the year following the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated.

20. The Grantee will submit program progress reports to DCJS via the GMS system and additional information or amended data as required in Appendix D.

a. Program progress reports will be due on the last day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter or on an alternate schedule as prescribed in Appendix D. The first program progress report will be due on the last day of the month following the last day of the calendar quarter from the start date of the contract.

Program progress reports thereafter will continue to be made until such time as the funds subject to this Agreement are no longer available, have been accounted for, and/or throughout the Agreement period or project duration.

Calendar quarters, for the purposes of making program progress reports, shall be as follows:

Calendar Quarter Report Due January 1 - March 31 April 30 April 1 - June 30 July 31 July 1 - September 30  
October 31 October 1 - December 31 January 31

b. The final progress report will summarize the project's achievements as well as describe activities for that quarter.

c. Grantees must be current on all program progress reports. Failure to submit program progress reports may result in placement of a stop payment and withholding of funds.

21. If for any reason the State of New York or the federal government terminates its appropriation through DCJS or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of this program, this Agreement may be terminated or reduced at the discretion of DCJS, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Grantee where funds are available to DCJS for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Agreement, all remaining funds paid to the Grantee that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Grantee shall be returned to DCJS. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by DCJS or by the State of New York beyond monies available for the purposes of this Agreement. The Grantee acknowledges that any funds due to DCJS because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be its responsibility.

22. If Appendix B, Program Budget, makes provisions for overtime payment, the Grantee agrees to submit vouchers for such payment of overtime charges by the last day of the month following the last day of the quarter for the reporting period. The Grantee further agrees to limit overtime earnings to no more than 25 percent (25%) of the employee's annual personnel cost (salary plus fringe benefits) during the term of this Agreement. Prior written approval from DCJS is required for overtime charges in excess of the 25 percent (25%) limit. A copy of DCJS' approval shall be retained by the Grantee and submitted upon request.

23. None of the goals, objectives or tasks set forth in Appendix D shall be subawarded to another organization without specific prior written approval by DCJS. Where the intention to make subawards is clearly indicated in the application, DCJS' approval is deemed given, if these activities are funded as proposed.

If this Agreement makes provisions for the Grantee to subgrant funds to other recipients, the Grantee agrees that all subgrantees shall be held accountable by the Grantee for all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. The Grantee further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Agreement and the Grantee must guarantee the work of any subgrantee as if it were its own.

The Grantee agrees that all subgrantee arrangements shall be formalized in writing between the parties involved. The writing must, at a minimum, include the following information:

- Activities to be performed;
- Time schedule;
- Project policies;
- Other policies and procedures to be followed;
- Dollar limitation of the Agreement;
- Appendix A, Appendix A-1, Appendix C, Appendix M, Certified Assurances for Federally Supported Projects, Certification Regarding Lobbying, Debarment and Suspension and any special conditions set forth in the Agreement; and
- Applicable Federal and/or State cost principles to be used in determining allowable costs.

The Grantee will not be reimbursed for subgranted funds unless all expenditures by a subgrantee are listed on certification forms. Backup documentation for such expenditures must be made available upon request. All expenditures must be programmatically consistent with the goals and objectives of this Agreement and with the financial plan set forth in Appendix B.

## 24. Federal Funds

a. In accordance with Federal requirements, a Grantee which receives during its fiscal year \$500,000 or more of Federal funds (including pass-through and direct) from all sources, including this Agreement, must agree to have an independent audit of such Federal funds conducted in accordance with the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133. OMB Circular A-133 further requires that the final report for such audit be completed within nine months of the end of the Grantee's fiscal year. The Grantee further agrees to provide one copy of such audit report(s) to DCJS within nine months of the end of its fiscal year(s).

b. In accordance with Federal requirements, a Grantee receiving Federal pass-through funds must also agree to comply with the terms and conditions of any and all applicable Federal OMB Circulars. For the convenience of the Grantee, the following OMB circulars are noted as the most common applicable to federal funds passed through DCJS:

- OMB Circular A 21, Cost Principles for Educational Institutions;
- OMB Circular A 87, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments;
- OMB Circular A 102, Grants and Cooperative Agreements with State and Local Governments;
- OMB Circular A 110, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Other Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and Other Non Profit Organizations; and
- OMB Circular A 122, Cost Principles for Non Profit Organizations.

The Parties agree that, dependent upon the status of the Grantee; additional circulars may also be applicable. The most current version of all Federal OMB Circulars may be viewed on-line at: <https://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars/>.

*The Grantee is to ensure full compliance with all cost documentation requirements of OMB Circulars as applicable directly to the Grant recipient and to any sub-recipient (or collaborative agency/organization). Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit.*

25. No materials, items or publications resulting from award activities may use the DCJS logo or provide any attribution to DCJS in any form, without prior approval from the Executive Deputy Commissioner of DCJS or his designee. Requests for such approval must be submitted in writing to DCJS's Agency Counsel at least 30 days before requested use. Determinations of such requests will be made by the DCJS Executive Deputy Commissioner on a case-by-case basis.

26. Any creative or literary work developed or commissioned by the Grantee with grant support provided by DCJS shall become the property of DCJS, entitling DCJS to assert a copyright therein, unless the parties have expressly agreed otherwise in a written instrument signed by them.

a. If DCJS shares its right to copyright such work with the Grantee, DCJS reserves a royalty-free, non-exclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, subgrant, or contract under a grant or subgrant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Grantee, Subgrantee, or a Contractor purchases ownership with grant support.

b. If the grant support provided by DCJS is federally sponsored, the federal awarding agency also reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, subgrant or contract under a grant or subgrant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Grantee, Subgrantee, or a Contractor purchases ownership with such grant support.

c. The Grantee shall submit one copy of all reports and publications resulting from this Agreement to DCJS. Any publications must contain the following statement, in visible print, of any document generated pursuant to a grant administered by DCJS:

This project was supported by a grant administered by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. Points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position or policies of the Division of Criminal Justice Services.

27. Original records must be retained for six years following the submission of the final claim against this Agreement. In the event of a fiscal audit, the project manager or a designated responsible party must be prepared to produce source documents that substantiate claimed expenditures. DCJS requires that all documentation materials be organized, readily accessible, and cross-referenced to the Fiscal Cost Reports previously submitted. If fiscal records, such as purchase orders, vouchers, payroll registers, payroll tax records, etc., are to be kept in a fiscal office which is separate and apart from the program office, the project manager must have access to these original records. Such fiscal records must readily identify the associated project. In addition, a separate set of



records must be retained for each project year.

**28. Grant-related expenditures shall be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports and detailed itemization forms provided by DCJS. These reports must be prepared periodically as defined in Appendix C of this Agreement. All reported expenditures must reconcile to the program accounting records. Prior period adjustments shall be reported in the same accounting period that the correction was made.**

**29. General Responsibility Language** The Contractor shall at all times during the Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity.

**30. Suspension of Work (for Non-Responsibility)** The Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee, in his or her sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when he or she discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

**31. Termination (for Non-Responsibility)** Upon written notice to the Contractor, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with appropriate Agency officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee to be non-responsible. In such event, the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

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**APPENDIX B - Budget Summary by Participant**

Oneida County

Oneida County District Attorneys Office - Version 1

#	Personnel	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Assistant District Attorney	1	\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$0.00
Justification: 6 Months: (10/1/18 - 3/31/19) Assistant District Attorney to investigate and prosecute Aid To Prosecution cases. Approx. 85% FTE, annual salary approx. \$79,763, working a minimum of approximately 35 hours per week. Assistant District Attorney duties include Grand Jury, motions, hearings, trials, investigations into computer crimes, burglaries, crimes against children, and general felony cases, which include both violent and non-violent felony cases.						
Total				\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$0.00

- Version 2

#	Personnel	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Assistant District Attorney	1	\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$0.00
Justification: 6 Months: (4/1/19 - 9/30/19) Assistant District Attorney to investigate and prosecute Aid To Prosecution cases. Approx. 85% FTE, annual salary approx. \$79,763, working a minimum of approximately 35 hours per week. Assistant District Attorney duties include Grand Jury, motions, hearings, trials, investigations into computer crimes, burglaries, crimes against children, and general felony cases, which include both violent and non-violent felony cases.						
Total				\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$33,950.00	\$33,950.00	\$0.00

Total Contract Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$67,900.00	\$67,900.00	\$0.00

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## APPENDIX C

## PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE

NOTE: Additional payment provisions associated with the schedule(s) below are detailed in Appendix A-1.

For All Grantees:

1. The Grantee agrees that this is a reimbursement-based contract; an advance may be provided through Appendix D (Special Conditions). All requests for reimbursement must reflect actual costs that have been disbursed or items received by the Grantee. A purchase order issued without receipt of the items or service is not eligible for reimbursement.
2. Grantees must submit all required fiscal reports, supporting documentation and program progress reports. Failure to meet these requirements will result in the rejection of associated vouchers. Failure to submit the final program report, or interim progress report designated as the final report, may result in a disallowance of 25 percent (25%) of the grant amount. The Grantee must also refund all unexpended advances (see item three below.) Final vouchers, reimbursement payment and reports must be submitted by the last day of the month following the end of the grant contract period. Failure to voucher within this period may result in the loss of grant funds.
3. If at the end of this grant contract there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under this contract in the possession of the Grantee, the Grantee shall submit a certified check or money order for the unexpended balance payable to the order of the State of New York and return it to the DCJS Office of Financial Services with its final fiscal cost report by the last day of the month following termination of this grant contract.
4. Vouchers shall be submitted in a format acceptable to DCJS and the Office of the State Comptroller (see <http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ofpa/forms.htm>). Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the Project Budget (Appendix B) and during the contract period. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: a) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and b) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Grantee for this program. Requirement b) does not apply to Legislative sponsored State grants.
5. For purposes of prompt payment provisions, the Designated Payment Office for the processing of all vouchers is the DCJS Office of Financial Services. Payment of grant vouchers shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Article XI-A of the State Finance Law. Payment shall be preceded by an inspection period of 15 business days which shall be excluded from calculations of the payment due date for purposes of determining eligibility for interest payments. The Grantee must notify the Office of Financial Services in writing of a change of address in order to benefit from the prompt payment provision of the State Finance Law. When progress reports are overdue or the required MWBE reporting is not included, vouchers will not be eligible for prompt payment.
6. Timely and properly completed New York State vouchers, with supporting documentation when required, shall be submitted to:

NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services  
Office of Financial Services  
80 S. Swan St.  
Albany, NY 12210

## 7. Payment Schedule

## PAYMENT PAYMENT DUE DATE

1 Pending appropriation, 30 days after commencement date of contract with proper documentation or upon receipt of proper documentation, whichever is later.

2-4 Quarterly

A not-for-profit Grantee operating on a multi-year contract may voucher for an optional fifth quarter advance against the succeeding year's appropriation, pursuant to NYS Finance Law, Section 179-u.

All submitted vouchers will reflect the Grantee's actual expenditures and will be accompanied by supporting detailed itemizations of personal service and non-personal service expenditures and other documentation as required, and by a fiscal cost report for the reporting period. DCJS reserves the right not to release subsequent grant awards pending Grantee compliance with this Agreement. In the event that any expenditure for which the Grantee has been reimbursed by grant funds is subsequently disallowed, DCJS in its sole discretion may reduce the voucher payment by the amount disallowed. If necessary, the Grantee may be required to submit a final budget reallocation. Fiscal cost reports showing grant expenditures and/or obligations for each quarter of the grant must be submitted by the last day of the month after the last day of the reporting period.

Advance payments shall be permitted as specified in Appendix A-1, and in the amount specified in Appendix D (Special Conditions).

Payment requests need to include the following documents as required:

- Detailed Itemization of Personal Service Expenditures
- Detailed Itemization of Non-Personal Service Expenditures
- Detailed Itemization of Consultant Expenditures
- Expert witness agreement and supporting documentation
- Voucher and Fiscal Cost Report signed
- Written documentation of all required DCJS prior approvals as follows:
  - DCJS approval of non-competitive consultant.
  - DCJS approval of non-competitive vendor for services.
  - DCJS approval of consultant services reimbursement greater than \$650 per eight hour day.
  - DCJS approval of change to Personal Services by more than 10 percent.
  - DCJS approval to exceed NYS Office of the State Comptroller travel, meals and lodging rates.
  - DCJS approval to subaward to another organization.
  - DCJS approval for overtime payments exceeding 25 percent of an employee's annual personnel cost.
  - DCJS and NYS Office of the State Comptroller approval to modify the budget by more than 10 percent of the total value of the contract if the contract is less than five million.
  - DCJS and NYS Office of the State Comptroller approval to modify the budget by more than 5 percent of the total value of the contract if the contract is five million or more.
  - DCJS approval to reallocate funds between Personal Services and Non Personal Services.

8. CONTRACT PAYMENTS: Contractor shall provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the agency in order to receive payment. Billing invoices submitted to the agency must contain all information and supporting documentation required by the Contract, the Agency and the State Comptroller. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the Commissioner, in the Commissioner's sole discretion, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with ordinary State procedures and practices. The Contractor shall comply with the State Comptroller's procedures to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), or by email at [epayments@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epayments@osc.state.ny.us). Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any invoices submitted under this Contract if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Commissioner has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.

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**APPENDIX D - Work Plan****Goal**

Enhance investigations and vertical prosecutions through increased efficiency of the Prosecutor's office resulting in decreased violent crime and safer communities.

**Objective #1**

To maintain experienced prosecutors utilizing funds as outlined in Appendix B, and limit their caseloads to maintain a policy of vertical prosecution.

**Task #1 for Objective #1**

Establish and implement a policy to screen all felony cases utilizing the established criteria for assignment to the Aid to Prosecution Program, and designate experienced prosecutors to handle these cases.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Names and years of experience of personnel funded under the Aid to Prosecution program, update quarterly if any changes.
- 2 Approximate percentage of time personnel are dedicated to ATP cases.
- 3 Number of Indictments including SCIs (Superior Court Information).
- 4 Number of Indictments/SCIs designated as ATP cases.
- 5 Number of ATP dispositions.
- 6 Number of ATP sentences.
- 7 Percentage of cases where vertical prosecution is used.

**Objective #2**

To reduce crime through investigations and enhanced vertical prosecution by targeting violent and non-violent felony crimes.

**Task #1 for Objective #2**

Target repeat and serious felony offenders in the following order of priority: 1. Repeat offenders, as defined by Penal Law Article 70, and charged with a violent felony classification of robbery, rape, burglary, homicide or aggravated assault. 2. Violent felony offenders including but not limited to defendants charged with the following violent felony offenses: murder, murder or assault of a police/peace officer, manslaughter, assault, kidnapping, rape, arson, sodomy, sexual abuse, robbery, burglary, criminal possession of a weapon and criminal sale or use of a firearm. 3. Repeat offenders charged with a non-violent felony offense. 4. All other felony offenders including but not limited to defendants charged with the following offenses: narcotics offenses, burglary, forgery, grand larceny, criminal possession of stolen property, robbery, assault, sex offenses, and offenses involving firearms.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Average case processing time for cases closed this period (Superior Court Arraignment to Final disposition).
- 2 Submit data regarding the number of diversions as alternatives to incarceration.
- 3 The percentage of cases sentenced to incarceration (state and local).

**Objective #3**

To implement the provisions of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR Parts 142-144 Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises Regulations (MWBE) by providing meaningful participation by NYS Certified MWBEs, as defined as subcontractors or suppliers. These requirements include equal employment opportunities for minority group members and women.

**Task #1 for Objective #3**

Utilize good faith efforts, pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8 of the New York State Executive Law Article 15-A, to meet the maximum feasible portion of the organization's established MWBE goals.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 What percent of your established Minority and Women Business Enterprise goal have you met to date?

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**Award Conditions**

Upon approval of this grant by the Office of the State Comptroller, or DCJS for "T" contract only, the Grantee is authorized to initially voucher for advance payment of those prospective expenses previously approved by DCJS not to exceed \$0.00 from the total contracted amount. Consistent with paragraph 15 of Appendix A-1 of this grant contract, vouchers for advance payments for the purchase of equipment and supplies must be supported by a copy of the purchase order.

**APPENDIX D - Special Conditions**

Grantee agrees that if the project is not implemented within 60 days of the original starting date of the grant period, it will report by letter to OPDF the steps taken to initiate the project, the reasons for delay, and the expected implementation date. If the project is not operational within 90 days of the original starting date of the grant period, the Grantee will submit a second statement to OPDF explaining the delay. At the discretion of the Executive Deputy Commissioner of DCJS, the State may revoke and redistribute the funds or extend the implementation date of the project beyond the 90-day period when warranted by extenuating circumstances.

Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 11 of Appendix A1, the parties agree that DCJS' prior approval is not required for the employment of a consultant when such employment is secured in relationship to a criminal matter as an expert witness, consultant or investigator. The parties agree that the employment shall be supported by a written agreement and requests for reimbursement supported by documentation identifying the criminal matter involved, services provided, time commitment and fee schedule.

Grantee agrees that these funds will be used to supplement and not supplant existing funds and services. This contract may be extended, increased, decreased, terminated, renewed, amended, or renegotiated at the discretion of the Executive Deputy Commissioner of the Division of Criminal Justice Services.

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Grantee shall enroll as a user of the Integrated Justice Portal (IJPortal) and make use of the IJPortal services as applicable.

Grantee shall enroll as applicable in the DCJSContact Directory established and administered by DCJS. DCJSContact is a statewide directory service provided free-of-charge by the Division of Criminal Justice Services to the criminal justice community of New York State. Information regarding enrollment in the DCJSContact Directory can be obtained by downloading the enrollment form at <http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ojs/documents/dcjscontactenrollform.pdf> or by calling NYS DCJS Office of Public Safety at (518) 457-2667.

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No materials, items or publications resulting from award activities may use the DCJS logo or provide any attribution to DCJS in any form, without the prior approval from the Commissioner of DCJS or his designee. Requests for such approval must be submitted in writing to DCJS's Agency Counsel at least 30 days before requested use. Determinations of such requests will be made by the DCJS Commissioner on a case-by-case basis.

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## Appendix M MWBE Contract Requirements (Local Assistance)

PARTICIPATION BY MINORITY GROUP MEMBERS AND WOMEN WITH RESPECT TO STATE CONTRACTS:  
REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES

## I. General Provisions

A. The Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) is required to implement the provisions of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR Parts 142-144 (MWBE Regulations) for all State contracts as defined therein, with a value (1) in excess of \$25,000 for labor, services, equipment, materials, or any combination of the foregoing or (2) in excess of \$100,000 for real property renovations and construction.

B. The Contractor to the subject contract (the Contractor and the Contract, respectively) agrees, in addition to any other nondiscrimination provision of the Contract and at no additional cost to the DCJS, to fully comply and cooperate with the DCJS in the implementation of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A. These requirements include equal employment opportunities for minority group members and women (EEO) and contracting opportunities for certified minority and women-owned business enterprises (MWBEs). Contractors demonstration of good faith efforts pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8 shall be a part of these requirements. These provisions shall be deemed supplementary to, and not in lieu of, the nondiscrimination provisions required by New York State Executive Law Article 15 (the Human Rights Law) or other applicable federal, state or local laws.

C. Failure to comply with all of the requirements herein may result in a finding of non-responsiveness, non-responsibility and/or a breach of contract, leading to the withholding of funds or such other actions, liquidated damages pursuant to Section VII of this Appendix or enforcement proceedings as allowed by the Contract.

## II. Contract Goals

A. For purposes of this contract, the DCJS has established overall goals for Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (MWBE) participation which are specified in the contract workplan.

B. For purposes of providing meaningful participation by MWBEs on the Contract and achieving the Contract Goals established in the contract workplan hereof, Contractor should reference the directory of New York State Certified MBWEs found at the following internet address: <http://www.esd.ny.gov/mwbe.html>. Additionally, Contractor is encouraged to contact the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development (518) 292-5250; (212) 803-2414; or (716) 846-8200 to discuss additional methods of maximizing participation by MWBEs on the Contract.

C. Where MWBE goals have been established herein, pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8, Contractor must document good faith efforts to provide meaningful participation by MWBEs as subcontractors or suppliers in the performance of the Contract. In accordance with Section 316-a of Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR §142.13, the Contractor acknowledges that if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals set forth in the Contract, such a finding constitutes a breach of contract and the Contractor shall be liable to the DCJS for liquidated or other appropriate damages, as set forth herein.

## III. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)

A. Contractor agrees to be bound by the provisions of Article 15-A and the MWBE Regulations promulgated by the Division of Minority and Women's Business Development of the Department of Economic Development (the Division). If any of these terms or provisions conflict with applicable law or regulations, such laws and regulations shall supersede these requirements.

B. Contractor shall comply with the following provisions of Article 15-A:

1. Contractor and Subcontractors shall undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status. For these purposes, EEO shall apply in the areas of recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation.

2. The Contractor shall maintain an EEO policy statement and submit it to the DCJS if requested.

3. If Contractor or Subcontractor does not have an existing EEO policy statement, Section 4 below may be used to develop

one.

4. The Contractors EEO policy statement shall include the following, or similar, language:

a. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force.

b. The Contractor shall state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees that, in the performance of the contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

c. The Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union, or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein.

d. The Contractor will include the provisions of Subdivisions (a) through (c) of this Subsection 4 and Paragraph E of this Section III, which provides for relevant provisions of the Human Rights Law, in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the Contract.

#### C. Staffing Plan

To ensure compliance with this Section, the Contractor shall submit a staffing plan to document the composition of the proposed workforce to be utilized in the performance of the Contract by the specified categories listed, including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. Contractors shall complete the Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan form and submit it as part of their bid or proposal or within a reasonable time, but no later than the time of award of the contract.

#### D. Workforce Employment Utilization Report

1. Once a contract has been awarded and during the term of Contract, Contractor is responsible for updating and providing notice to the DCJS of any changes to the previously submitted Local Assistance MWBE Equal Employment Opportunity Staffing Plan. This information is to be submitted annually or as otherwise required by the DCJS during the term of the contract, for the purpose of reporting the actual workforce utilized in the performance of the contract by the specified categories listed including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. The Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report form must be used to report this information.

2. Separate forms shall be completed by Contractor and any Subcontractor performing work on the Contract.

3. In limited instances, Contractor may not be able to separate out the workforce utilized in the performance of the Contract from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce. When a separation can be made, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided relates to the actual workforce utilized on the Contract. When the workforce to be utilized on the contract cannot be separated out from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce, Contractor shall submit the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report and indicate that the information provided is Contractor's total workforce during the subject time frame, not limited to work specifically under the contract.

E. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

#### IV. MWBE Utilization Plan

A. The Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has submitted a Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form either prior to, or at the time of, the execution of the contract.

B. Contractor agrees to use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Form for the performance of MWBEs on the Contract pursuant to the prescribed MWBE goals set forth in the contract workplan.

C. Contractor further agrees that a failure to submit and/or use such Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization

Proposal Form shall constitute a material breach of the terms of the Contract. Upon the occurrence of such a material breach, DCJS shall be entitled to any remedy provided herein, including but not limited to, a finding of Contractor non-responsiveness.

#### V. Waivers

A. If the DCJS, upon review of the Local Assistance MWBE Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Proposal Plan, the Detailed Itemization Forms or the Local Assistance MWBE Workforce Employment Utilization Report determines that a Contractor is failing or refusing to comply with the Contract goals and no waiver has been issued in regards to such non-compliance, the DCJS may issue a notice of deficiency to the Contractor. The Contractor must respond to the notice of deficiency within seven (7) business days of receipt. Such response may include a request for partial or total waiver of MWBE Contract Goals.

#### VI. MWBE Subcontractor Utilization Quarterly Report

Contractor is required to report MWBE Subcontractor utilization, as part of the quarterly claim process, to the DCJS by the last day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter over the term of the Contract documenting the progress made towards achievement of the MWBE goals of the Contract.

#### VII. Liquidated Damages - MWBE Participation

A. Where DCJS determines that Contractor is not in compliance with the requirements of the Contract and Contractor refuses to comply with such requirements, or if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals, such finding constitutes a breach of Contract and DCJS may withhold payment from the Contractor as liquidated damages and/or provide for other appropriate remedies.

B. Such liquidated damages shall be calculated as an amount equaling the difference between:

1. All sums identified for payment to MWBEs had the Contractor achieved the contractual MWBE goals; and
2. All sums actually paid to MWBEs for work performed or materials supplied under the Contract.

C. In the event a determination has been made which requires the payment of liquidated damages and such identified sums have not been withheld by the DCJS, Contractor shall pay such liquidated damages to the DCJS within sixty (60) days after they are assessed by the DCJS unless prior to the expiration of such sixtieth day, the Contractor has filed a complaint with the Director of the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development pursuant to Subdivision 8 of Section 313 of the Executive Law in which event the liquidated damages shall be payable if Director renders a decision in favor of the DCJS.

#### M/WBE AND EEO POLICY STATEMENT

The Contractor agrees to adopt the following policies or similar policies with respect to the project being developed or services rendered in this contract with the Division of Criminal Justice Services:

##### M/WBE

This organization will and will cause its contractors and subcontractors to take good faith actions to achieve the M/WBE contract participations goals set by the State for that area in which the State-funded project is located, by taking the following steps:

- (1) Actively and affirmatively solicit bids for contracts and subcontracts from qualified State certified MBEs or WBEs, including solicitations to M/WBE contractor associations.
- (2) Request a list of State-certified M/WBEs from AGENCY and solicit bids from them directly.
- (3) Ensure that plans, specifications, request for proposals and other documents used to secure bids will be made available in sufficient time for review by prospective M/WBEs.
- (4) Where feasible, divide the work into smaller portions to enhanced participations by M/WBEs and encourage the formation of joint venture and other partnerships among M/WBE contractors to enhance their participation.
- (5) Document and maintain records of bid solicitation, including those to M/WBEs and the results thereof. Contractor will also maintain records of actions that its subcontractors have taken toward meeting M/WBE contract participation goals.

Ensure that progress payments to M/WBEs are made on a timely basis so that undue financial hardship is avoided, and that bonding and other credit requirements are waived or appropriate alternatives developed to encourage M/WBE participation.

##### EEO

(a) This organization will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on state contracts.

(b) This organization shall state in all solicitation or advertisements for employees that in the performance of the State contract all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex disability or marital status.

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Contractor agrees to comply with all MWBE and EEO contract goals reflected on the MWBE Utilization Plan and Staffing Plan respectively, that have been submitted with the application for this contract. .

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APPENDIX X  
AMENDMENT OF GRANT CONTRACT TERMS

Agency Code: 01490

This is an Appendix (Appendix X) to the AGREEMENT between THE STATE OF NEW YORK, acting by and through the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS), and represents an amendment to the grant contract executed between DCJS and the Grantee Agency indicated in the GMS Participant Module (the Parties).

It is understood that the terms and conditions of the original grant contract have been modified by mutual agreement between DCJS and the Grantee Agency. Those terms and conditions which have been modified herein supersede prior executed versions of this contract. All other provisions of the contract shall remain in full force and effect for the duration of the contract, unless further amended by mutual agreement of the Parties, and by the electronic certification of a subsequent Appendix X by both DCJS and the Grantee Agency.

All Certified Assurances for federal programs, and DCJS Contract Appendices are also available online for download at <http://criminaljustice.state.ny.us/ofpa/forms.htm>.

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# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



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## ADMINISTRATION

Phone: (315) 798-6400 Fax: (315) 266-6138

June 7, 2018

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

## WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

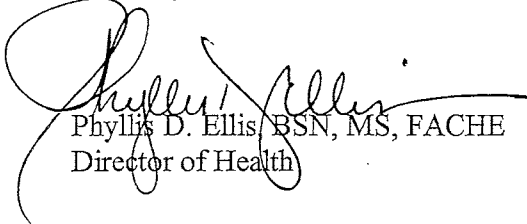
Attached are two (2) copies of an Agreement between Oneida County through its Health Department and Vernon Verona Sherrill Central School District. Through this Agreement, the County will provide related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities.

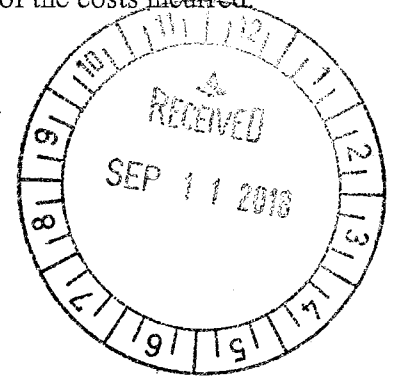
Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities. The term "related services" includes, but is not limited to, services such as audiology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech pathology, and psychological services.

The term of this agreement will commence July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2020. This is a New York State mandated program. New York State will reimburse the county 59.5% of the costs incurred. The expected total for three years is \$49,000.00 and is an estimate.

If this meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators.

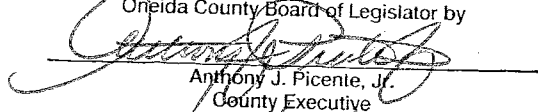
Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, FACHE  
Director of Health



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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 9/10/18

Oneida Co. Department: Health

Competing Proposal  X   
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

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**Name & Address of Vendor:** Vernon Verona Sherrill Central School District  
5275 State Route 31  
Verona, NY 13478

**Title of Activity or Service:** Preschool Related Services

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2020

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Eligible preschool children in Oneida  
County with disabilities

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, New York State requires that counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool aged children with disabilities.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Compliance with NYS Department of Education Law.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing** NA

**Total Funding Requested:** \$49,000      **Account#** A2960.1953  
Rev act A3277

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$49,000

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State pays 59.5% County pays 40.5%

**Cost Per Client Served:** NA

**Past Performance Data:** NA

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** Estimated annual expenditure is \$16,333.33





## ONEIDA COUNTY PRESCHOOL RELATED SERVICE CONTRACT

**THIS CONTRACT**, by and between the **COUNTY OF ONEIDA**, through its Health Department, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "County," and **VERNON VERONA SHERRILL CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**, a central school district organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office located at 5275 State Route 31, Verona, NY 13478, hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor."

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the County is in need of the provision of related services to preschool children with disabilities pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education, through the County's Education of Handicapped Children Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor has been approved by the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York to provide related services to preschool children with disabilities in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with 8 NYCRR Part 200, to eligible preschool students with disabilities, as recommended by the Committee on Preschool Special Education and approved by the appropriate Board of Education from the child's resident school district;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the parties hereto mutually agree as follows:

### 1. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Contract shall become effective July 1, 2018 and shall terminate on June 30, 2020, conditioned upon the continued availability of federal and/or New York State funds for the purpose set forth in this Contract. The County shall also have two (2) separate and consecutive options to extend this Contract. Each option shall be for one (1) year and shall be under the same terms and conditions contained in this Contract. Each such option shall be the sole and exclusive right of the County. Each option shall be exercised by the County in writing, and such option period shall commence upon the expiration of the immediately preceding Contract or option period.

### 2. RATES

Upon submission of a completed County voucher and required supporting documentation as discussed below for services rendered, the County shall pay the Contractor the rates set forth in the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, attached hereto and incorporated hereto as "Appendix A." Any rate changes during the life of this contract will be submitted as amendments to this Contract.

### 3. TERMINATION

- a. By Contractor: Should the Contractor request termination of this Contract, a written notice of any such termination shall be provided to the County by the Contractor not less than ninety (90) days prior to the intended effective date of such action. In the event of such termination, the parties shall adjust the accounts due and the Contractor shall undertake no additional expenditures not already required.
- b. By County: This Contract may be terminated at any time by the County upon ten (10) days written notice to the Contractor. However, in the event the Contractor defaults in the performance of any of its obligations under this Contract, the County may terminate this Contract effective upon written notice at any time. Furthermore, should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Contract, the County shall have the option to immediately terminate this Contract upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such event, the County shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the County be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

#### 4. SCOPE OF SERVICES

Services performed pursuant to this Contract shall be provided in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York set forth in 8 NYCRR 200.

- a. The Contractor shall provide appropriate Related Services for children with disabilities delivered on an itinerant basis subject to New York State Education Department (hereinafter "NYSED") and the appropriate Board of Education (hereinafter "BOE") approval. The parties hereto agree that "Related Services" as used herein shall have the same meaning as that term is defined in Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and 8 NYCRR 200.1(qq).
- b. The Contractor shall provide Related Services for children with disabilities during the school year. The school year is hereby defined as a July/August session from July 1 through August 31 and/or a September/June session from September 1 through June 30.
- c. The Contractor cannot begin providing Related Services to a child with disabilities until the BOE has approved the Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1 (System to Track and Account for Children), if the BOE uses the STAC 1, outlining the appropriate Related Services to be provided by the Contractor. The start date will be indicated on the STAC 1 and a copy shall be provided to the Contractor.
- d. All financial arrangements for services under this Contract shall be between the County and Contractor as outlined in the section entitled "Conditions of Payment" below. The County will maintain an approved Oneida County Related Services Provider List and ensure that the Contractor is a referral from this list approved by the New York State Department of Education for the County of Oneida.

#### 5. CONDITIONS OF PAYMENT:

The County, in accordance with the provisions of this Contract, shall reimburse the Contractor for expenditures made for contracted services as follows:

- a. The County will set rates for all related services delivered on an itinerant basis subject to NYSED approval.
- b. The County will provide payment of services rendered, as authorized on the child's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter "IEP") and the STAC 1 upon the Contractor's submission of a correctly completed voucher on a monthly basis. All submissions must include the required documentation as set forth in this Contract and any other documentation requested by the County. The Contractor shall maintain a copy of the child's IEP throughout the term of this Contract.
- c. The Contractor shall submit a voucher to the County for the services rendered not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of the July/August session and not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of each month for the September to June session.
- d. No payment shall be required to be made by the County prior to the receipt of Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1, if the BOE uses the STAC 1 as its notice of determination of placement.
- e. No parent or any person shall be required or requested to make payment for services in addition to the payments made by the County pursuant to this Contract.
- f. The Contractor must submit, for Medicaid eligible children, a signed Medicaid Provider Agreement and Reassignment form with the signed contract so the County can claim Medicaid reimbursement for the Related Services.

#### 6. MEDICAID COMPLIANCE:

The Contractor shall provide with the voucher the following information for all Medicaid eligible children enrolled in its programs pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law:

- a. Dates the child received a Related Service (e.g. physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, skilled nursing services and/or counseling, and transportation, as applicable).
- b. Documentation that each Related Service session was verified as delivered by the signature of the service provider.
- c. Copy of the Medicaid consent form to release child specific information signed by the parent of a child with a disability receiving Medicaid eligible services.
- d. All reporting requirements necessary for Medicaid compliance per Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law. The Contractor shall be responsible for reviewing Medicaid in Education notifications and changes, which can be found at <http://www.oms.nysed.gov/medicaid/>.
- e. Documentation evidencing the number of eligible Medicaid services by service type provided to each Medicaid eligible child pursuant to Section 4410 New York State Education Law.
- f. The Contractor shall obtain from the parent or person in parental relationship to the Medicaid eligible child receiving Related Services pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law, the Client Identification Number (hereinafter "CIN"), period of eligibility and any other relevant third party health insurance information for

the purpose of establishing Medicaid as the “payer of last resort.” Nothing herein shall preclude the child’s enrollment and initiation of services in accordance with the Board’s Notice of Determination. A copy is to remain in the Contractor’s file.

## 7. COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW

The Contractor agrees that while performing under the terms of this Contract that the Contractor shall comply with all federal, New York State statutes and regulations, and all local rules and regulations.

## 8. CHILD ABUSE/MALTREATMENT MANDATE

- a. In compliance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law, the Contractor is required to screen and be cleared through the State Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (hereinafter “SCR”).
- b. The Contractor is responsible for screening and obtaining clearance through the SCR for the following individuals: (1) Any person who is actively being considered for employment and who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with children who receive preschool special education programs and Related Services; (2) Any person who is employed by an individual, corporation, partnership, or association that provides goods or services to approved preschool special education children.
- c. The Contractor is responsible for screening individuals through the SCR regardless of whether an individual has been screened through the SCR for employment or contract with another County or agency provider.
- d. The Contractor will not permit unsupervised contact between child and any potential employee or contractor before receiving a completed clearance and acceptable response from SCR.
- e. The Contractor will notify all individuals being screened that an inquiry will be made to the SCR and that this is a State requirement. The Contractor will establish procedures to ensure that the confidentiality of any SCR response is maintained. The Contractor will comply with SCR regulations in not screening employees more than once every six months, and one time only to the extent required by Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law for contractors, consultants and volunteers.
- f. Proof of SCR database check in accordance with Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law must be submitted to the County with the instant Contract and on an ongoing basis as required for special education services and programs for preschool children with disabilities.

## 9. CONFIDENTIALITY

The County and the Contractor shall hold in strict confidence all child records and disclose information and data in such records only to persons or entities as authorized or required by law or by written consent of the child’s representative. The Contractor further agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this Contract. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this Contract in conformity with the provisions of applicable Federal, State, and local laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this Contract.

## 10. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- a. Contractor employed therapists shall be presently qualified to provide Related Services in New York State and shall submit copies of all appropriate license(s) or certification(s) to the County and update these as necessary during the term of this Contract.
- b. Contractor agrees to attend Committee for Preschool Special Education (hereinafter “CPSE”) annual review meetings and program reviews as scheduled by the CPSE Chairperson or BOCES Coordinator for the child being served. The Contractor shall submit a copy of any reports necessary for review at these meetings to the County, as well as the CPSE Chairperson/BOCES Coordinator, at least ten (10) school days prior to the meeting date.
- c. Speech pathologists shall be required to obtain a written prescription (recommendation/order) for speech services signed and dated from (1) NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist OR (2) a physician, physician’s assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes the appropriate and current ICD code. The NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist cannot write a referral if they have not seen the preschool child. According to 18 NYCRR 505.11, a written order must contain a diagnostic statement and purpose of treatment. It is not acceptable for the ordering or referring professional never to have met with the child as it is incompatible with the obligations of the ordering practitioner to assure that the ordered care, services or supplies will meet the recipients needs and restore him/her to the best possible functional level. Physician, physician assistants or nurse practitioner’s orders must be dated on or before the initiation of service. No direct or consultation services will be

- permitted unless an appropriately written prescription is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.
- d. **Physical Therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) from a physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
  - e. **Occupational therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) signed and dated by a licensed physician or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
  - f. No direct or consultation services can be delivered unless an appropriately signed and dated prescription by the appropriate professional is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.
  - g. The Contractor must obtain a current copy of the IEP from the CPSE Chairperson prior to start of service which will follow the BOE approval date. This is applicable to any later program changes on the IEP as well. The Contractor shall deliver services as specified on the IEP in the areas of remediation, frequency and duration of Related Services.
  - h. The Contractor shall submit an attendance and progress note for each session the child received Related Services on a monthly basis at the minimum, or with the invoice, whichever is presented first. All progress notes submitted must also have the signature and National Provider Identification (NPI) number of this licensed individual and title as well as the direct service provider and title.
  - i. The Contractor shall call the CPSE chairperson for a program review if services cannot be delivered as indicated on IEP due to child's absence, or if the therapist recommends a change in service or discharge.
  - j. The Contractor shall forward a copy of all documentation and justification for 12-month programming to the County and the CPSE prior to any scheduled program review or annual review, whenever such is recommended.
  - k. The Contractor shall meet with the child's parent/guardian at such times as appropriate during the year to discuss goals and progress. Whenever services are to be delivered in conjunction with a general education preschool program, the Contractor shall work with the program by communicating with staff, parents, school district and other therapists. An attempt will also be made to provide parent/guardian with follow up materials to be used at home to reinforce delivery of related services.
  - l. The Contractor shall inform the parent/guardian of his/her responsibility to ensure that the child's attendance enables him/her to benefit from the related services provided. The parent/guardian should be made aware of the need to alert the Contractor in a timely manner when the child will be absent or not available for Related Services if provided in the home.
  - m. If two or more Related Services are required for a child, the CPSE Chairperson shall select one of the therapists to act as a Coordinator of Service. If the CPSE determines that a Special Education Itinerant Teacher (hereinafter "SEIT") is to be provided in conjunction with one or more Related Services, the SEIT shall be responsible for the coordination of such services pursuant to Regulations of the Commissioner of Education. Compensation for such services is to be part of the NYSED established rates for the SEIT model.
  - n. The Contractor's progress notes addressing goals and objectives on the IEP must be completed quarterly. A copy of the progress notes must be provided to the parent, the CPSE Chairperson and the County.
  - o. Upon expiration of the term of this Contract, all files and records shall be retained by the Contractor for six (6) years from the last date of payment under this Contract.

## 11. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COORDINATOR OF SERVICE

- a. When two or more Related Services are mandated (not in conjunction with SEIT), the CPSE Chairperson will designate the coordinator of services from the list of approved Related Service providers maintained by the County. The coordinator must be one of the individuals/agencies providing Related Services to the child, as specified by the CPSE. It is suggested that, to the extent possible, service providers be selected from the same agency. It is the responsibility of the coordinator to stay thoroughly informed on all facets of the services provided to the child. In addition to duties as outlined in the section entitled "Reporting Requirements" above, the designated coordinator will perform appropriate coordination activities including but not limited to:
  - i. Arranging the schedule for service delivery, offering recommendations and consulting with the CPSE chairperson to resolve scheduling issues when appropriate.
  - ii. Sharing appropriate information with other Related Service providers for the appropriate integration of such services.
  - iii. Gathering appropriate progress reports and anecdotal information relating to the student's progress from all Related Service providers to ensure that the Coordinator has a general knowledge of the child's progress, as well as any significant considerations, in the Related Service area.
  - iv. Attend Annual Review meeting and other meetings, if requested by the CPSE chairperson. The coordinator is responsible to have all information on the child's progress and needs and is expected to represent the other therapists involved in the child's care at the CPSE meetings.
  - v. Conducting activities such as telephone conferences or other communication practices. Coordination activities must be documented and reported in half-hour service blocks on the Coordination Service Form.

- vi. Coordination services can be provided only by a licensed speech pathologist, physical therapist and occupational therapist.
- b. Billing for Coordination services shall not exceed 10 sessions or service blocks during a September/June session and 2 sessions or service blocks during a July/August session per child. One (1) session or service block consists of a half-hour and will be paid at the rate indicated under the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule. Each date of contact and length of time claimed for coordination during the month must be listed and identified. Periods of less than a half-hour block may be combined into half-hour service blocks of coordination services for billing purposes.

## 12. MAKE UP POLICY

- a. Reporting Absences. Habitual absences by the student should be reported to the school district (CPSE) and the Special Education Itinerant Teacher (SEIT) if the child receives SEIT services; if the child receives two or more Related Services, habitual absences shall be reported to the assigned Related Service coordinator appointed by the CPSE Chairperson.
- b. Student Absence or Cancellation. There shall be no makeup for therapy sessions provided under 4410 services which are missed due to a child's absence or cancellation (with or without notice). If a child's illness will necessitate canceling of service for several consecutive sessions, please request the parent/guardian call you to commence Related Services.
- c. Therapist Absence or Cancellation. Related Services which are missed due to the absence or cancellation of the therapist may be made up if the parent consents and the therapist's schedule permits. The makeup sessions must take place within the same week the Related Service was missed.
- d. Prolonged Absence of Therapist. When the therapist is absent for a prolonged period of time, the school district should be notified. The school district is responsible for arranging the replacement for the absent therapist. The school district is responsible for notifying the County of any change of a Related Service provider prior to the change so the County may give the new provider permission to begin services.
- e. Holidays and Other School Closings. The Contractor will follow the calendar of the local school district in which the child resides. Therefore, holiday and other school closings of that particular school district will apply. When Related Services are provided in a mainstream preschool setting, the preschool calendar will be followed except where written prior arrangements have been mandated by the school district and approved by the County.
- f. Limitations on Scheduling Therapy Makeup Sessions. Make up sessions must be clearly documented on the appropriate session notes with reasons for the makeup session.

## 13. INSURANCE

The Contractor shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate during the term of this Contract. The Contractor shall also maintain general liability insurance and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the County named as "additional insured" on the general liability policy and to provide the County with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing proof of insurance as stated heretofore. The Contractor further agrees to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without prior notice to the County of at least thirty (30) days. The Contractor grants Oneida County a limited power of attorney to communicate with the Contractor's insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverage required hereunder.

## 14. INDEMNIFICATION

The Contractor agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the Contractor or its agents, contractors, subcontractors, servants or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the Contractor or failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this Contract.

## 15. EXCLUSIVITY

- a. The County retains the right to reassign children receiving Related Services under the terms of this Contract to other Contractors or its own employees.
- b. The County retains the right to contract with other independent contractors for such services which are the same or similar to those provided by the Contractor, or to provide such services to its eligible children through its own employees. The Contractor retains the right to provide services directly or indirectly through contract with another agency, to persons who are not classified preschool aged children with a disability receiving Related Services in Oneida County.

**16. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS**

- a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Contractor to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Contractor's employees shall not be considered employees of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Contractor, in accordance with its status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that its employees will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the County by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.
- b. Contractor warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Contractor and County agree that Contractor is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Contract, and may continue to make its services available to the public.
- c. The Contractor's employees shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
- d. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that its employees and agents shall not be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
- e. Contractor shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Contractor or its employees and agents under this Contract, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Contractor's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with respect to the employees and agents, including payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Contractor shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Contract.
- f. The Contractor will indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.
- g. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Contractor's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.
- h. The Contractor agrees to comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the United States Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and civil rights requirements.

**17. SUBCONTRACT**

The Contractor may not assign the Contractor's rights and obligations under this Contract, or subcontract with or employ another to provide the services described above of this Contract, without the prior written consent of the County.

**18. EXPENSES**

Contractor is solely responsible for paying all of its business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

**19. TRAINING**

Contractor shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County. Contractor shall be fully responsible for its own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

**20. ADVICE OF COUNSEL**

Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Contract, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Contract.

21. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The terms of this contract, the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, the attached Standard Oneida County Conditions Addendum (Appendix B), and any other attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, are deemed incorporated herein in their entirety and constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Contract. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Contract shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

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

ONEIDA COUNTY

CONTRACTOR

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

BY: Catherine H. Suttmeier  
Catherine Suttmeier, President  
Board of Education

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: 8/29/18

Approved

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Raymond F. Bara  
Assistant County Attorney

**APPENDIX A  
ONEIDA COUNTY RELATED SERVICE RATES SCHEDULE**

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM INDIVIDUAL HALF HOUR RATE	MAXIMUM COORDINATOR RATE PER HALF- HOUR BLOCK
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Audiology	\$53	\$30
Assistive Technology Services	\$53	
Counseling Services	\$53	\$30
Occupational Therapy	\$53	\$30
Orientation & Mobility Services	\$53	
Physical Therapy	\$53	\$30
Speech Therapy	\$53	\$30
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$53	
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$53	
Aide 1:1	\$10	

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM GROUP HALF HOUR RATE
Assistive Technology Services	\$25.00
Audiology	\$25.00
Counseling Services	\$25.00
Occupational Therapy	\$25.00
Physical Therapy	\$25.00
Speech Therapy	\$25.00
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$25.00
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$25.00



**APPENDIX B**

**ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
- i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
- i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;

- B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
      - C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and
      - D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;
    - ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
  - c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
    - i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
      - A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
      - B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

- 1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or

2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and

- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the

County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;

- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so



are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set

forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from

public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from

another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application; request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the "use of tobacco" shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including:

chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.

- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.
- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida; and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.

# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

## ADMINISTRATION

Phone: (315) 798-6400 Fax: (315) 266-6138

July 31, 2018

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

## WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

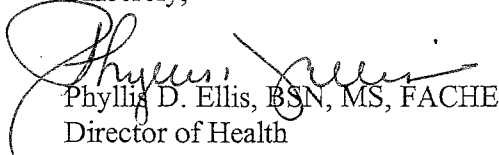
Attached are two (2) copies of an Agreement between Oneida County, through its Health Department, and Adrean Funeral Service, Inc. for transportation of decedents to locations designated by the Onondaga County Medical Examiner's office or its designees.

The term of this Agreement shall become effective January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019. The Agreement includes an option for renewal with a 2% increase for each of the additional two renewal periods. The amount of compensation for transportation services under the first term of this Agreement will be \$90,000.00. Compensation will be paid on a quarterly basis at the beginning of each quarter beginning January 1<sup>st</sup> and subsequently on April 1<sup>st</sup>, July 1<sup>st</sup> and October, 1<sup>st</sup>. If the renewal option is exercised, the reimbursement for three (3) years will total \$275,436.00 plus storage fees.

If this Agreement meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators for consideration at their next meeting.

Please feel free to contact me at 315-798-5220 or by e-mail at [pellis@ocgov.net](mailto:pellis@ocgov.net) should you require additional information.

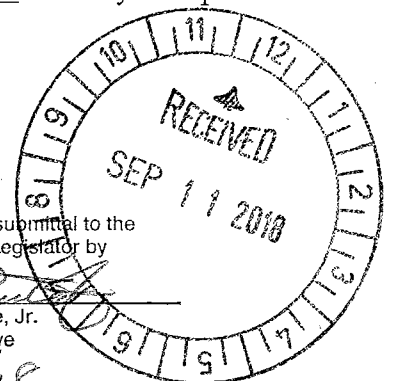
Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, FACHE  
Director of Health

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 9/10/18



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Oneida Co. Department: Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent X  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:**

Adrean Funeral Service, Inc.  
700 Rutger Street  
Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:**

Transportation of decedents

**Proposed Dates of Operation:**

January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019 with  
the option of two one year renewals

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

Oneida County

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Provide transportation services to remove and transport decedents to locations designated by the Onondaga County Medical Examiner's Office or its designees.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** NA
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** NA

**Total Funding Requested:** \$275,436 .00 plus storage fees      **Account # A1186.495**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$90,000.00 First year plus storage  
\$91,800.00 Second year plus storage  
\$93,636.00 Third year plus storage

\$90,000 for year one with a 2% increase each of the optional two year renewal periods, plus storage. Compensation paid quarterly with a year-end reconciliation

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$): County Funds**

**Cost Per Client Served:** NA

**Past Performance Data:** NA

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** NA

**MEDICAL EXAMINER OFFICE TRANSPORTATION  
SERVICES AGREEMENT**

**THIS AGREEMENT**, entered into on the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019, by and between the County of Oneida, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with offices located at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as "COUNTY," and Adrean Funeral Service, Inc., a domestic business corporation with its offices located at 700 Rutger Street, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "CONTRACTOR."

**WITNESSETH**

**WHEREAS**, the COUNTY wishes to engage the services of a qualified provider possessing the requisite skills, expertise and licensing to provide decedent removal, temporary storage, and transportation services to the Onondaga County Medical Examiner Office (OCMEO) who serves on the behalf of the COUNTY;

**WHEREAS**, the COUNTY requested proposals from qualified agencies to perform such services; and

**WHEREAS**, after a thorough review, it has been determined the CONTRACTOR possesses the requisite skills, expertise, and licensing to provide the required services set forth hereunder;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made by the parties herein, the COUNTY and the CONTRACTOR agree as follows:

**1. TERM:**

The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall commence January 1, 2019 and terminate December 31, 2019. Thereafter, in the COUNTY's sole discretion, the Agreement may be renewed for an additional two (2) one-year terms.

**2. SCOPE OF SERVICES:**

a. The Onondaga County Medical Examiner's Office (OCMEO) is located at 100 Elizabeth Blackwell Street, Syracuse, New York. The CONTRACTOR shall provide decedent removal, temporary storage, and transportation services to this location and/or to other locations as required in the event of a mass fatality or other incident where an off-site location is necessary (hereinafter collectively called the "Services").

b. The CONTRACTOR shall provide the Services at such times, dates and locations as designated by the COUNTY through the OCMEO. The Services shall be required at various locations throughout Oneida County, including, but not limited to, residences, roadways, wooded areas, funeral homes, and hospitals/health care facilities.

c. The CONTRACTOR shall provide such Services on an on-call basis, and shall provide such Services at any time, 24 hours a day, and 7 days a week.

d. The CONTRACTOR shall utilize vehicles conforming to New York State Health laws appropriate for the performance of Services. Vehicles will be subject to the approval of the OCMEO Chief Medical Examiner or his/her designated representative. Inappropriate or poorly maintained vehicles shall be disallowed.

- e. The CONTRACTOR shall utilize vehicles with appropriate equipment for a wide range of locations or scenarios and are unmarked or do not display a company name.
- f. The OCMEO shall provide the CONTRACTOR with information about scene location, weight of decedent, decontamination requirements, and any other information that may require additional assistance or resources by the CONTRACTOR at the time of notification.
- g. The CONTRACTOR agrees that it shall have available, at all times, a sufficient number of vehicles and staff to remove at least two decedents from two different locations at the same time.
- h. The CONTRACTOR shall respond to the designated location within forty-five (45) minutes of notification by the OCMEO except and unless, in the rare instance, there is a delay caused by unforeseen events beyond the CONTRACTOR's reasonable control.
- i. The CONTRACTOR agrees that it shall allot forty-five (45) minutes of time on-scene for stand-by and removal. On-scene time starts upon arrival at the scene and ends when the decedent is removed from the scene. OCMEO staff will contact the CONTRACTOR when the decedent is ready for removal; however, the CONTRACTOR must be aware there are times when the removal may be delayed due to law enforcement and/or other agency activities beyond the control of the OCMEO.
- j. The CONTRACTOR shall provide at least two (2) employees to remove decedents from scenes and emergency rooms and at least one (1) employee to remove decedents from hospital morgues. The CONTRACTOR's employees must be capable of moving heavy decedents up to 250 pounds and must have the appropriate number of staff and equipment to remove decedents up to 500 pounds. The CONTRACTOR should not expect any assistance with removal.
- k. The CONTRACTOR's employees shall dress professionally and appropriately for scene response.
- l. The CONTRACTOR and its employees shall demonstrate respect for the decedent and for family members of the decedent at all times during the performance of Services. A flat or plastic carry-board must be used to transfer all decedents to a stretcher for removal.
- m. The CONTRACTOR and its employees must maintain confidentiality of all information obtained during transport. This includes basic data such as decedent name, age, gender, sexual orientation, circumstances of death, as well as other information. Any breach of confidentiality may result in the termination of this Agreement and possible legal action.
- n. The CONTRACTOR and its employees must use universal precautions during performance of the Services.
- o. The CONTRACTOR and its employees must comply with Occupational Safety and Health regulations 29 CFR 1910.1030: Occupational Exposure to Blood-Borne Pathogens and 29 CFR 1910.132-136: Personal Protective Equipment, and supply personal protective supplies to meet these standards.
- p. The CONTRACTOR and its employees must read the CFS Safety Manual Contractor Safety Handout and complete the Contractor Safety Acknowledgement Signature form.

q. The CONTRACTOR shall utilize cellular telephone and/or two-way radio communication between the CONTRACTOR's main office, mobile vehicle(s) and OCMEO employees.

r. During performance of the Services, the CONTRACTOR shall utilize various types of body bags provided by the OCMEO. Heavy duty bags must be used in any instance where the death is the result of a criminal act, requires removal by hand carrying the remains (i.e. off road or woods), or in circumstances where special handling is required, as directed by the OCMEO staff on scene. In all other routine removal situations (hospitals, nursing homes, etc.), the decedent, ideally, must be placed in a bag provided by that institution. In those cases where a bag is not provided by an institution, or removal is made from a private residence, a lightweight bag must be utilized. In cases where the decedent is extremely obese, special oversized heavyweight bags shall be utilized as determined by OCMEO staff. All bags shall be replenished upon arrival at the OCMEO. All bags are the property of the OCMEO and must be used for only that purpose.

s. The CONTRACTOR shall utilize other supplies provided by the OCMEO for scene preservation as directed by OCMEO's Forensic Investigators (Forensic Investigators) or Medical Examiners.

t. The CONTRACTOR must complete the following chain of custody when a Forensic Investigator is present at the scene/pick-up location: The Forensic Investigator shall begin the chain of custody at the scene by sealing the bag with a numbered lock seal and shall then transfer the decedent to the CONTRACTOR for transport. The chain of custody shall continue at check-in of the decedent at the OCMEO. The CONTRACTOR and/or its employees shall not depart the OCMEO, following decedent transport, until said chain of custody is completed and signed by both the CONTRACTOR's representative and an OCMEO representative.

u. The CONTRACTOR must complete the following chain of custody when a Forensic Investigator is NOT present at the scene/pick-up location: The CONTRACTOR shall ensure the numbered lock seal on the body bag matches the seal number noted in the hospital or other agency's records/forms before transport to the OCMEO. If the body bag is NOT sealed upon arrival, the CONTRACTOR shall use an approved OCMEO property and evidence form to document personal property and valuables on the decedent, with hospital or other agency staff present, and then seal the bag with a numbered lock seal before transport to the OCMEO. The chain of custody shall continue at check-in of the decedent at the OCMEO. The CONTRACTOR and/or its employees shall not depart the OCMEO, following decedent transport, until said chain of custody is completed and signed by both the CONTRACTOR's representative and an OCMEO representative.

v. The CONTRACTOR shall bring any issues/problems encountered to the attention of the Forensic Investigator responsible for the particular scene, or to the OCMEO or his /her designee.

w. The CONTRACTOR must provide a monthly report on all responses including OCMEO case number, time of arrival and departure from the scene, scene location, and names of CONTRACTOR employees responding. This report shall be submitted with a quarterly invoice for Services performed to the Oneida County Director of Public Health.

### **3. COMPENSATION:**

a. The amount of compensation from the COUNTY to the CONTRACTOR for decedent removal and transportation performed under this Agreement shall be Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$90,000.00).

- i. Such compensation shall be made by the COUNTY after receipt of an Oneida County voucher presented by the CONTRACTOR to the COUNTY, on forms prescribed by the COUNTY and after audit and approval by the COUNTY's Public Health Director, the COUNTY's Department of Audit and Control, and the COUNTY's Comptroller.
  - ii. Compensation shall be made quarterly commencing January 1st, 2019 with subsequent payments on April 1st, 2019 July 1st, 2019, and October 1st, 2019 pursuant to the above procedures.
  - iii. At no time shall the CONTRACTOR submit a bill to a member of the decedent's family.
- b. The CONTRACTOR shall provide storage of decedents on an as-needed basis for an additional charge. In the event that storage of a decedent is necessary, the CONTRACTOR shall be compensated in accordance with the above procedures and pursuant to the following schedule:
- i. Storage time shall be calculated from the time a decedent arrives at the CONTRACTOR's facility until such time the decedent is removed from the CONTRACTOR's facility.
  - ii. There shall be no additional charge for non-refrigerated storage at the CONTRACTOR's facility for the first 24 hours. After the first 24 hours, a decedent shall be stored in refrigeration at the rate of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per 24 hours, or any part thereof.
  - iii. In the event a decedent requires immediate refrigeration upon arrival at the CONTRACTOR's facility, there will be an additional charge of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per 24 hours, or any part thereof.
- c. In the event the COUNTY elects to renew this Agreement, with the same terms and conditions, for a term commencing January 1, 2020 and terminating December 31, 2020, the amount of compensation for decedent removal and transportation shall be Ninety-One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$91,800.00) paid in accordance with the above procedures. Any additional charge for storage will be made pursuant to section b above.
- d. In the event the COUNTY elects to renew this Agreement, with the same terms and conditions, for a term commencing January 1, 2021 and terminating December 31, 2021, the amount of compensation for decedent removal and transportation shall be Ninety-Three Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-Six Dollars (\$93,636.00) paid in accordance with the above procedures. Any additional charge for storage will be made pursuant to section b above.

#### 4. CONFIDENTIALITY:

The CONTRACTOR shall hold in strict confidence all records and proceedings the CONTRACTOR has access to in the provision of the above Services. The CONTRACTOR shall not disclose any information, data or records except to those persons or entities as authorized or required by law or pursuant to a court *order*, or by written consent of the COUNTY, it being acknowledged and agreed that, except as otherwise required by law, the COUNTY shall have sole responsibility for responding to requests for access to such records.

**5. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:**

The CONTRACTOR shall keep separate and accurate records regarding performance of the Services under the term of this Agreement and, upon request by the COUNTY, the CONTRACTOR shall submit such documentation to the COUNTY.

**6. PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES:**

a. The CONTRACTOR represents that the CONTRACTOR is duly licensed (as applicable) and has the qualifications, the specialized skill(s), the experience, and the ability to properly perform the Services. The CONTRACTOR shall use its best efforts to perform the Services such that the results are satisfactory to the COUNTY. The CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible for determining the method, details, and means of performing the Services, except where federal, state or local laws and regulations impose specific requirements on performance of same.

b. The CONTRACTOR may, at its own expense, employ or engage the services of such employees, subcontractors, and/or partners as the CONTRACTOR deems necessary to perform the Services (collectively, the "Assistants"). The Assistants are not and shall not be deemed employees of the COUNTY, and the COUNTY shall have no obligation to provide the Assistants with any salary or benefits. The CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible and shall remain liable for the performance of the Services by the Assistants in a manner satisfactory to the COUNTY, in compliance with any and all applicable federal, state or local laws and regulations. The CONTRACTOR shall expressly advise the Assistants of the terms of this Agreement.

c. The CONTRACTOR acknowledges and agrees that the CONTRACTOR and its Assistants have no authority to enter into contracts that bind the COUNTY or create obligations on the part of the COUNTY without the prior written authorization of the COUNTY.

**7. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS:**

a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the CONTRACTOR and its Assistants to the COUNTY shall be that of Independent Contractors. The CONTRACTOR's Assistants shall not be considered employees of the COUNTY for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement or health insurance benefits. The CONTRACTOR, in accordance with its status as an Independent Contractor, covenants and agrees that its Assistants will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they shall not hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, officers or employees of the COUNTY by any reason thereof and they will not by any reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the COUNTY.

b. The CONTRACTOR warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar services to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. The CONTRACTOR and the COUNTY agree that the CONTRACTOR is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement and may continue to make its services available to the public.

c. The CONTRACTOR acknowledges and agrees that neither the CONTRACTOR, nor its Assistants, shall be eligible for any COUNTY employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.

d. The CONTRACTOR shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to the CONTRACTOR or its Assistants under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to the CONTRACTOR's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with respect to the Assistants, including payroll deductions, worker's compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The COUNTY shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for Services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). The CONTRACTOR shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.

e. The CONTRACTOR will indemnify and hold the COUNTY harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the COUNTY as a result of the COUNTY not making such payments or withholdings.

f. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the CONTRACTOR's or its Assistants' Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the COUNTY and the CONTRACTOR shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.

g. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

h. The CONTRACTOR shall not display the COUNTY's name in any manner, including, without limitation, for the purpose of promotion, development or acquisition of new business for the CONTRACTOR.

## **8. INDEMNIFICATION:**

The CONTRACTOR shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the COUNTY and ONONDAGA COUNTY, their officers, directors, elected officials and employees and other agents, from and against any claims, liabilities, damages, judgments or other losses (including attorneys' fees) imposed upon or incurred by them arising out of or as a result of any acts or omissions of the CONTRACTOR, or its officers, directors, employees or other agents, in connection with the performance of any of their respective obligations under this Agreement.

## **9. INSURANCE:**

a. The CONTRACTOR shall provide the COUNTY with proof that Adrean Funeral Service, Inc. is covered under a professional liability policy of insurance which coverage shall be extended or endorsed to include any work performed for the COUNTY under the terms of this Agreement.

b. The CONTRACTOR shall, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement, procure and maintain in force policies of insurance, written by one or more insurance carriers licensed to do business in the State of New York, and having offices within the State of New York, which will insure against liability for the Services to be performed under the Agreement.

c. The CONTRACTOR shall have the COUNTY and Onondaga County named as additional insureds on a primary basis to said policies, and to provide the COUNTY with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing the COUNTY and Onondaga County as additional insureds prior to execution of the Agreement, and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without prior written notice to the COUNTY at least fifteen (15) days prior to said termination.

d. Specific Insurance minimum requirements shall consist of the following:

- i. Commercial General Liability Insurance: One million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and Three Million dollars (\$3,000,000.00) aggregate;
- ii. Automobile Liability Insurance: One million (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and Three Million dollars (\$3,000,000.00) aggregate; and
- iii. Excess/ Umbrella coverage: Three million dollars (\$3,000,000.00) per occurrence and Three Million dollars (\$3,000,000.00) aggregate.

**10. AUDIT:**

The CONTRACTOR shall meet with the COUNTY on reasonable notice and at reasonable times and locations to permit the COUNTY to audit any and all files controlled or supervised by the CONTRACTOR under this Agreement.

**11. TERMINATION:**

This Agreement may be cancelled for cause by the COUNTY upon thirty (30) days written notice to the CONTRACTOR. However the parties shall diligently endeavor to resolve any issue creating cause prior to the COUNTY advising the CONTRACTOR of its intent to terminate for cause.

**12. ENTIRE AGREEMENT:**

This Agreement and the attachments hereto represent the entire understanding between the parties and may not be amended or any of its provisions waived without the prior written consent of both the COUNTY and the CONTRACTOR.

**13. CHOICE OF LAW, VENUE:**

a. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York.

b. If either party elects to commence litigation against the other in connection with any matter relating or arising out of this Agreement, it shall do so in a New York State Court of Competent Jurisdiction sitting in Oneida County, New York or in the United States District Court for the Northern District of New York,

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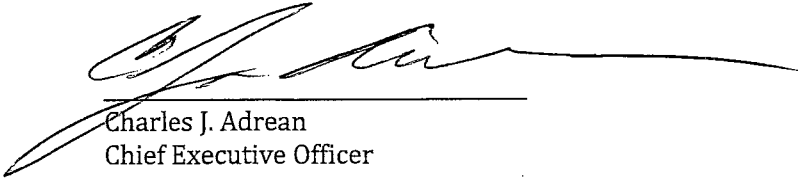


**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the COUNTY and the CONTRACTOR have executed this Agreement on the day and year first above written.

COUNTY OF ONEIDA

CONTRACTOR

\_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

  
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Charles J. Adrean  
Chief Executive Officer

Approved

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Maryangela Scalzo, Esq.  
Assistant County Attorney

**ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative

agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

- i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
- i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;
    - B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a

criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and

D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;

ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

- 1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
- 2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

- ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

- i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the

Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County



available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and

- ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as

determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records

shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application;

request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services

(hereinafter “OGS”) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the “use of tobacco” shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including: chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.
- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that

delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.

- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida;  
and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
  
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.



# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

## ADMINISTRATION

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August 9, 2018

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

## WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

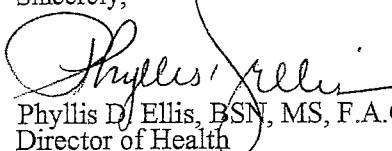
Attached are two (2) copies of an Agreement between Oneida County, through its Health Department, and Planned Parenthood Mohawk Hudson, Inc. (PPMH) for the provision of testing, diagnosing, and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases to residents of Oneida County. Such service is a requirement of the local health department according to Public Health regulation and therefore is a mandated public health service.

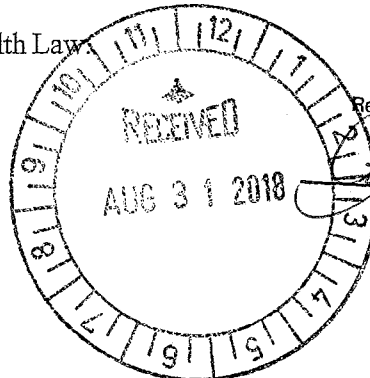
PPMH is licensed by the NYS Department of Health (NYSDOH) as an Article 28 Diagnostic and Treatment Center and operates under highly regulated standards of Planned Parenthood Federation of America. PPMH complies with medical standards and guidelines established by NYSDOH and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). They currently contract with Madison County, Schoharie County and Tompkins County Health Departments to provide testing and treatment of sexually transmitted infections for their respective residents.

This is a twenty-four (24) month contract from October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2020. Reimbursement is based on a per-service rate of \$150.00 or \$50.00, depending on services rendered. The contractor also will bill insurances for all insured clients who are willing to provide their insurance information. The total charges depend on volume of claims, and based on historic client volume costs will not exceed \$84,000.00 for the term of the agreement.

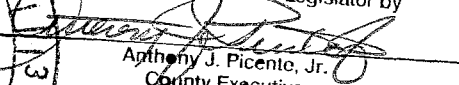
This is a program mandated by Public Health Law.

Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
Director of Health



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-29-18

Attachments  
PB

Oneida Co. Department: Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent   X    
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Planned Parenthood Mohawk Hudson, Inc.  
1040 State Street  
Schenectady, NY 12307

**Title of Activity or Service:** Provision of STD Clinic Services

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** October 1, 2018 to September 30, 2020

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** County Residents

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Diagnosis, testing and treatment of Sexually Transmitted Diseases for residents of Oneida County as outlined in the NYS Sanitary Code (10 NYCRR Chapter 1). Costs are reimbursable at 36% by NYSDOH.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Provision of care according to the NYSDOH requirements and guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** Contractor will see referred clients within three working days at the Article 28 Diagnostic and Treatment Clinic sites in both Utica and Rome, NY. Staffing will be licensed and certified as required by NYSDOH

**Total Funding Requested:** \$84,000                      **Account # A4012.195**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$84,000.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** 36% State 64% County

**Cost Per Client Served:** \$150.00

**Past Performance Data:** NA

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

## AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, by and between the COUNTY OF ONEIDA, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, hereinafter referred to as the "County," with offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, by and through the ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT, with offices at 185 Genesee Street, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "Agency," and PLANNED PARENTHOOD MOHAWK HUDSON, INC., a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with administrative offices at 1040 State Street, Schenectady, New York 12307, hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor."

### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County is responsible for providing diagnosis and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases, hereinafter referred to as "STD," under New York State Public Health Law 2304 and 10 NYCRR 23.2; and

WHEREAS, comprehensive awareness of STD in Oneida County is needed; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor is certified by the State of New York for diagnosis and treatment of STD; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor agrees to provide said diagnosis and treatment services to Oneida County residents who request an STD clinic appointment through the Agency;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, covenants, and agreement contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

1. Term:

The term of this Agreement shall be from October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2020 or until terminated according to the termination requirements contained within this Agreement.

2. Scope of Services:

- a. The Contractor shall provide testing, diagnosis, and treatment of STD to residents of Oneida County as outlined in the New York State Sanitary Code at 10 NYCRR Sections 23.1 through 23.1 and Section 23.5, hereinafter collectively called the "Services."
- b. The Contractor shall treat the following diseases, which are also listed in Group A of 10 NYCRR 23.1:
  - i. Chlamydia Trachomatis Infection;
  - ii. Gonorrhea;

- ii. Syphilis;
  - iii. Non-gonococcal Urethritis (NGU);
  - v. Non-gonococcal (mucopurulent) Cervicitis;
  - vi. Trichomoniasis;
  - vii. Lymphogranuloma Venereum;
  - viii. Chancroid; and
  - ix. Granuloma Inguinale
- c. The Contractor shall arrange to see clients within three (3) business days after referral by the Agency. The Contractor shall arrange for priority appointments for priority clients identified by the New York State Department of Health or the County. The Contractor shall operate sites in both Utica and Rome. Both sites will be open Monday through Friday and will offer same day and walk-in opportunities. The Contractor shall have evening appointments until 7:30 p.m. on Mondays at its Rome site and on Thursdays at its Utica site. The Contractor shall provide the County with two weeks' notice if the hours of operation change.
- d. The Contractor shall routinely screen all STD clients referred by the Agency for Hepatitis A and B and HPV vaccination eligibility and administer such vaccine(s) as appropriate. The Contractor shall document such screening and vaccination in client records. When referrals for subsequent vaccinations are indicated, the Contractor shall provide a referral notice to the County accordingly based on the appropriate vaccine dosage schedule.
- e. The Contractor shall immediately notify, by telephone, the New York State Department of Health investigators with information, as required by the New York State Department of Health, regarding positive tests for reportable communicable diseases, including but not limited to Gonorrhea, Syphilis, Chlamydia, Chancroid, and Lymphogranuloma Venereum.
- f. The Contractor shall identify and prioritize cases that require partner notification according to 10 NYCRR 23.5 and refer such cases to the New York State Department of Health.
- g. If the New York State Department of Health intervenes to obtain a field blood sample from a recalcitrant client, the Contractor shall handle sampling supplies, labeling, and specimen handling/shipping.

- h. The Contractor shall adhere to standards and guidelines as established by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention, as required by the New York State Department of Health "Sexually Transmitted Disease, HIV Services and Control" Guidance Document, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Attachment "A," and as established by the professional licensing requirements of the New York State Education Department.
  - i. The County shall conduct quality reviews of a representative sample of client records on an annual basis, at dates and times mutually arranged by the parties.
  - ii. The Contractor shall conduct its own regular quality assurance audits and shall share the results of such audits with the County.
  - iii. The Contractor shall provide the County with copies of all New York State Department of Health survey reports, including Statement of Deficiencies and approved Plans of Correction, if any, within 30 days of receipt of same.

3. Payment for Services:

- a. The County shall reimburse the Contractor pursuant to the following schedule:
  - i. A per-visit rate of \$150.00 for basic testing, diagnosis, and treatment of STD and counseling for the following: HIV (rapid test), chlamydia, gonorrhea, syphilis, trichomoniasis (women only), bacterial vaginosis, vaginal yeast infection, and genital herpes.
  - ii. A per-visit rate of \$50.00 for any follow-up treatment or visit, including retesting visits for positive STD clients. The follow-up visit shall include notification by phone or mail, dispensing of medication, discussing the meaning of test results and the use of medication, partner treatment that coincides with a visit, and the completion of reporting forms (Attachment "B") and communication with the County.
  - iii. A rate of \$25.00 for HIV Testing (rapid test).
- b. The County shall not be responsible for reimbursing the Contractor for the following:
  - i. Tests submitted to other laboratories, without prior approval from the Agency;
  - ii. Tests submitted to laboratories for non-Oneida County residents; and
  - iii. Tests submitted to laboratories for Family Planning clients.

- c. STD diagnosis and treatment services shall be billed to the client's private or public insurance payer with client consent and with no out-of-pocket cost to the client. However, at no time shall the client be denied access to services, diagnosis, or treatment based on the client's willingness to provide insurance information.
- d. The Contractor shall enroll eligible individuals in Medicaid and/or the Family Planning Benefit Program.
- e. The County's reimbursement to the Contractor shall be based upon the Contractor's monthly submission of an Oneida County Voucher with supporting documentation to the Agency.

4. Indemnification:

The Contractor agrees to defend, indemnify and save harmless the County from any loss the County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the acts or omissions of the Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of this Agreement, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of this Agreement, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under this Agreement or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to this Agreement.

5. Insurance:

a. Insurance Requirements:

- i. The Contractor shall purchase and maintain insurance of the following types of coverage and limits of liability with an insurance carrier qualified and admitted to do business in the State of New York. The insurance carrier must have at least an A- (excellent) rating by A. M. Best.
- ii. Commercial General Liability (CGL) coverage with limits of insurance of not less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$2,000,000 Annual Aggregate.
  - A. CGL coverage shall be written on ISO Occurrence form CG 00 01 1001 or a substitute form providing equivalent coverage and shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent

contracts, products-completed operations, and personal and advertising injury.

B. The County and all other parties required by the County, shall be included as additional insureds. Coverage for the additional insureds shall apply as primary and non-contributing insurance before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible or self-insured retention, maintained by, or provided to, the additional insureds. Coverage for these additional insureds shall include completed operations.

iii. Professional Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate.

iv. Umbrella Liability Coverage with limits of \$5,000,000 each occurrence and \$5,000,000 aggregate.

vi. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance.

A. Statutory limits apply.

b. Certificates of Insurance: Prior to the start of any work the Contractor shall provide certificates of insurance to the County. Attached to each certificate of insurance shall be a copy of the Additional Insured Endorsement that is part of the Contractor's CGL Policy. These certificates and the insurance policies required above shall contain a provision that coverage afforded under the policies will not be canceled or allowed to expire until at least thirty (30) days prior written notice has been given to the County.

c. Waiver of Subrogation: The Contractor waives all rights against the County and the Agency and their agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by CGL, Medical Malpractice/Professional Liability, Automobile Liability, or Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance maintained per requirements stated above.

## 6. Confidentiality:

The Contractor agrees to maintain files in a confidential manner pursuant to the applicable statutes contained in New York State Public Health Law and any Federal Law regulating such files. Information contained in these files shall be released only upon the written consent of the client being served or to the Agency as outlined below.

a. It is expressly understood that as a contractor for the County, the Contractor may and will receive confidential information from the Agency and this information may have been received from other independent contractors and/or licensed agencies. The Contractor agrees that all such information will be considered as being confidential and shall not be re-disclosed without the written consent of the client.

- b. Accordingly, as a condition of and in consideration of access to confidential information, the Contractor promises that:
- i. They shall use confidential information only as needed to perform the duties outlined in the "Scope of Services" above for the County. This means, among other things, that:
    - A. The Contractor shall only access confidential information for which there is a need to know;
    - B. The Contractor shall not in any way divulge, copy, release, sell, loan review, alter or destroy any confidential information except as properly authorized; and
    - C. The Contractor shall not misuse confidential information or carelessly handle confidential information.
  - ii. The Contractor shall safeguard and shall not disclose any access code or any other authorization that allows access to confidential information. The Contractor accepts responsibility for all activities undertaken using any access code and other authorization.
  - iii. The Contractor shall report activities by any individual or entity that is suspected of or may compromise the confidentiality of confidential information. Reports made in good faith about suspect activities shall be held in confidence to the extent permitted by law, including the name of the individual reporting the activities.
  - iv. The Contractor understands that the obligations under this Agreement will continue after termination of the Agreement and that it is further understood that any privileges hereunder are subject to periodic review, revision and if appropriate, renewal.
  - v. The Contractor understands that there is no right or ownership interest in any confidential information referred to in this Agreement. The Agency may at any time revoke any access code, other authorization, or access to confidential information. At all times during the course of providing Services under this Agreement, the Contractor shall safeguard the confidentiality of all confidential information.
  - vi. The Contractor shall be responsible for any misuse or wrongful disclosure of confidential information and for any failure to safeguard an access code or other authorization access to confidential information. It is expressly understood that any failure to comply with this Agreement may result in



immediate termination of access to the information system and legal action against the Contractor.

7. Termination:

- a. This Agreement may be terminated at any time by the County giving to the Contractor at least thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice of termination. However, in the event Contractor defaults in the performance of any of Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the County may terminate this Agreement effective upon written notice at any time.
- b. Upon notice of termination the Contractor shall immediately submit to the Agency all required documentation for Services rendered up to the date of termination, under the terms of this Agreement, before a final reimbursement for Services rendered can occur.

8. Performance of Services:

- a. The Contractor represents that the Contractor is duly licensed (as applicable) and has the qualifications, the specialized skill(s), the experience and the ability to properly perform the Services. The Contractor shall use its best efforts to perform the Services such that the results are satisfactory to the County. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for determining the location, method, details and means of performing the Services, except where federal and/or state laws and regulations impose specific requirements on performance of the same.
- b. The Contractor may, at its own expense, employ or engage the services of such employees, subcontractors and/or partners as the Contractor deems necessary to perform the Services (collectively, the "Assistants"). The Assistants are not and shall not be deemed employees of the County, and the County shall have no obligation to provide the Assistants with any salary or benefits. The Contractor shall be solely responsible and shall remain liable for the performance of the Services by the Assistants in a manner satisfactory to the County, and in compliance with any and all applicable federal and/or state laws and regulations. The Contractor shall expressly advise the Assistants of the terms of this Agreement.
- c. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the Contractor and its Assistants have no authority to enter into contracts that bind the County or create obligations on the part of the County without the prior written authorization of the County.
- d. The County maintains the right to contract with other individuals or entities to perform the same Services.

9. Independent Contractor Status:

- a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Contractor and its Assistants to the County shall be that of Independent Contractors. The Contractor's Assistants shall not be considered employees of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health insurance benefits. The Contractor, in accordance with its status as an Independent Contractor, covenants and agrees that its Assistants will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the Agency by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.
- b. The Contractor warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar Services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar Service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. The Contractor and the County agree that the Contractor is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement, and may continue to make its services available to the public.
- c. The Contractor's Assistants shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
- d. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that neither the Contractor, nor its Assistants, shall be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
- e. The Contractor shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to the Contractor or its Assistants under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Contractor's form of business organization, and with respect to the Assistants, including payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for Services rendered for state or federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). The Contractor shall provide proof of workers' compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.
- f. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.
- g. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Contractor's or its Assistants' Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the

governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.

- h. The Contractor agrees to comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

10. Expenses:

The Contractor is solely responsible for paying all of its business expenses related to furnishing the Services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

11. Training:

The Contractor shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County, other than those trainings mandated by federal and/or state law or regulations necessary to perform the Services described herein. Except for those trainings mandated by federal and/or state law or regulations necessary to perform the Services described herein, the Contractor shall be fully responsible for its own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the Services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

12. Advice of Counsel:

Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Agreement, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

13. Entire Agreement:

The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, including the Standard Oneida County Conditions Addendum, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No waiver, alterations or modifications of any provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

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IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day and year first below written.

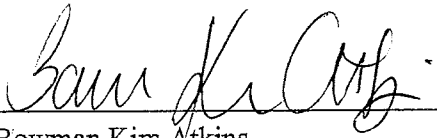
**COUNTY OF ONEIDA**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr. Date  
Oneida County Executive

**ONIEDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E. Date  
Director

**PLANNED PARENTHOOD MOHAWK HUDSON, INC.**

By:  8/28/18  
Bowman Kim Atkins Date  
Chief Executive Officer

Approved

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## ADDENDUM -- STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

### 1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

### 2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

### 3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative

agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

- i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
- i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;
    - B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a

criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and

D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;

ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;



- 1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
- 2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

- ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

- i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the

Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  - ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
  - i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  - ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  - iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  - iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  - v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
  - vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
  - vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  - viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County

available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and

- ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as

determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records

shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
  
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application;



request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### 17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### 18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services

(hereinafter “OGS”) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the “use of tobacco” shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including: chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.
- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that

delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.

- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida;  
and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
  
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.

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Article 6 – State Aid for General Public Health Work Program  
Guidance Document

Topic: Sexually Transmitted Disease, HIV Services and Control

Purpose and Background

New York State (NYS) relies on Local Health Departments (LHDs) to control, investigate, test, treat and report sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV). STDs include, but are not limited to, syphilis, gonorrhea, lymphogranuloma venereum, chancroid and Chlamydia. Disease control activities include surveillance, epidemiological control programs, and programs that provide laboratory and clinical services for STD.

Nationally, NYS has the highest reported number of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) cases and persons reported living with HIV and AIDS. NYS relies on the LHDs as part of a comprehensive approach to address the prevention, care and supportive services tailored to the needs of diverse populations with HIV/AIDS.

The LHD's authority and responsibility for STD prevention and control within their jurisdiction is referenced in Public Health Law § 2300 *et seq.* and 10 NYCRR 40-2.20. STDs are listed in 10 NYCRR 23.1. Notwithstanding Public Health Law (PHL) 2110, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene must conduct a STD/HIV program consistent with the guidance below to be eligible for State Aid.

Part 40 Regulations

40-2.20 Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs) and Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV); performance standards.

The local health department shall maintain a program designed to minimize the incidence of STDs and HIV. The program shall include, at a minimum, activities to ensure:

- (a) epidemiologic case finding, timely disease surveillance and reporting, in accordance with Part 2 of this Title;
- (b) availability of accessible laboratory testing for STDs and HIV;
- (c) provision of adequate facilities for diagnosis and treatment of STDs, directly or by contract, pursuant to Article 23 of the Public Health Law;
- (d) provision of partner notification and referral services for priority patients, as determined in an investigation undertaken pursuant to 10 NYCRR 2.6;
- (e) provision of prophylactic treatment to exposed partners for STDs;
- (f) information, referral and assistance in utilizing appropriate community service programs;
- (g) public health marketing and communication, including developing or adapting public education materials or campaigns, and promoting and disseminating such materials and campaigns, to promote healthy behaviors and reduce risk factors associated with STDs, HIV and related health disparities; and
- (h) distribution of at least one communication per year to health care providers,

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clinics and laboratories on local and regional morbidity rates, CDC guidelines, diagnostic and treatment modalities and Department reporting requirements for STDs and HIV.

**Conditions and procedures for State Aid**

In general, LHDs must comply with Article 6 of the PHL and 10 NYCRR Part 40, which establish conditions and procedures for State Aid reimbursement. Additionally, the Department has published a guidance document entitled "Article 6 State Aid Eligibility Conditions Requiring Special Attention," which applies to all General Public Health Work programs. LHDs should read this program-specific guidance in conjunction with those important resources.

**Description of required services and associated costs eligible for State aid**

The following describes the required elements for State Aid eligibility. It also includes recommended best practices.

1. Surveillance system (10 NYCRR 40-2.20 (a))

Required services:

- a) timely, complete, and accurate reporting by providers
  - i. providers must report infectious syphilis cases (including primary, secondary, and early latent syphilis or persons with non-treponemal serologic titers of  $> 1:8$ ) and reactive umbilical cord or maternal delivery test results by telephone to the LHD within 24 hours of diagnosis;
  - ii. all low titer reactive non-treponemal tests (titers  $\geq 1:16$ ) must be reported to the LHD by phone or fax or ECLRS within 24 hours of diagnosis; and
  - iii. cases of gonorrhea, Chlamydia, chancroid, and LGV must be reported to the LHD within 24 hours of diagnosis;
- b) timely verification of diagnosis and treatment of reported cases;
- c) timely, complete and accurate morbidity reporting to the State Department of Health. Upon receipt of a report of an STD, the LHD is required to immediately notify New York State Department of Health during normal business hours and ensure that communicable diseases are investigated to verify diagnosis, ascertain sources of infection, and seek out contacts and unreported cases;
- d) a written protocol that outlines the local health department procedures for interacting with providers, provider responsibilities, guidelines for diagnosis and treatment and procedures for case reporting;
- e) routine feedback of morbidity statistics to providers;
- f) a system of followup that maintains an historical record of laboratory results from syphilis tests; and
- g) copies or records of any written correspondence or other communication with

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laboratories, healthcare providers and healthcare facilities about unreported cases and/or failures to comply with communicable disease reporting requirements must be retained by the LHD and made available to the NYSDOH Program staff for monitoring/auditing for a minimum of seven years (6 plus current year) to ensure that such services are being implemented.

Best Practices:

- a) verification of diagnosis and treatment by the LHD within 72 hours (3 business days) of receiving the case report;
- b) completion of the HIN (CDESS) report within 7 days of receiving the case report (information on possible cases of infectious syphilis should be recorded on CDESS as soon as it is received by the LHD with case confirmation including complete information entered within 7 days of receiving a case report);
- c) creation of an Electronic Serology Registry entry when the LHD receives laboratory confirmation of infection in previously unreported individual or when a new RPR is received for an individual whose historic record of syphilis is documented in paper format (19-A card). When a new Electronic Serology Registry entry is made to create or update an individual's information, the entry should include sufficient historic lab results and treatment information to facilitate clinical assessment of this individual;
- d) protocols for addressing non-reporting and repeated non-reporting for medical providers, laboratories, and health care facilities that fail to report; and
- e) communication of morbidity statistics to providers at least annually.

2. Clinical and Laboratory Services (10 NYCRR 40-2.20(b) and (c))

Required services:

The LHD's STD/HIV clinical and laboratory services must include all of the following:

- a) provide facilities and services, either directly or through contract, for the diagnosis and treatment of persons with STD who live within the local health jurisdiction, consistent with PHL § 2304 and 10 NYCRR 23.1 and 23.2;
- b) provide services in a confidential manner consistent with Public Health Law § 2306;
- c) clearly communicate to the general public how to access and obtain STD/HIV services;
- d) provide clinic facilities that are physically accessible, in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. 12101 *et seq.*);
- e) offer operating locations and hours that are sufficient to meet STD/HIV morbidity needs among the general population;
- f) provide clinic hours and staffing sufficient to accommodate disease intervention

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- specialist referrals and priority patients on a walk-in basis;
- g) provide referral and follow-up for patients presenting with common STD-related problems and complications (e.g., pelvic inflammatory disease, adverse reactions to medication, desensitization for penicillin allergic pregnant woman with syphilis, follow-up on abnormal PAP smears, etc.) that cannot be addressed in the clinic setting;
- h) provide screening for high-risk populations;
- i) ensure that clinical staff possess the appropriate licensing credentials commensurate with the care being provided; and
- j) if laboratory services are provided on-site, ensure that the clinic holds a current New York State laboratory permit as required by PHL 570 *et seq.*

**Best Practices for Clinical services:**

- a) have a system in place to assess patient satisfaction;
- b) be accessible to public and/or private transportation from residential areas;
- c) provide clinical staff specific training in the diagnosis and management of STD/HIV such as provided by:
  - i. the NYSDOH Bureau of STD Prevention and Epidemiology's STD Center of Excellence or the NYC DOHMH STD/HIV Prevention Training Center;
  - ii. Staff should receive annual clinical updates to stay abreast of recent changes in clinical guidelines and recommendations;
- d) have the capacity to accurately diagnose and treat bacterial STDs, as well as other viral, protozoal, and ectoparasitic STD and fungal genital infections that are prevalent in the community;
- e) have the capacity to distribute medications for disease diagnosed in the clinic;
- f) provide condoms and counseling on primary prevention to all patients;
- g) provide targeted screening of STD (e.g., syphilis, gonorrhea, and Chlamydia) to at-risk populations (which may include those seen in LHD conducted or supported HIV, TB, Family Planning, and Perinatal clinics, as well as other venues);
- h) actively manage through site review and, when contracted to another agency, conduct contract monitoring; and
- i) have established referrals for HIV care for those patients identified with HIV.

**Best Practices for Laboratory services:**

- a) each clinic should have an on-site stat laboratory or the capacity to perform stat tests;
- b) on-site laboratories should perform the following tests, which, with the exception of urine pregnancy tests (a waived test under CLIA) are classified as moderate complexity under CLIA, and thus must be performed under a laboratory permit issued pursuant to Article 5,

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Title V of PHL: Gram stain; non-treponemal antibody card tests for syphilis; saline wet mount for *Trichomonas vaginalis*; detection of clue cells of bacterial vaginosis; KOH wet mount for the identification of yeast and amine odor (Whiff) test; and urine pregnancy tests. Provision of any laboratory testing on site requires compliance with clinical laboratory statutes (PHL 570 - 583) and regulations (10 NYCRR 58 & 19).

3. Epidemiologic case finding services (10 NYCRR 40-2.20(a))

Required services:

- a) conduct therapy monitoring (i.e., confirmation/verification with follow-up for cases receiving inadequate or inappropriate treatment) for all priority cases (i.e., all infectious syphilis and congenital syphilis cases, as well as pregnant women and adolescents with gonorrhea and chlamydia);
- b) conduct partner services (partner notification and referral) – all LHDs which have their own STD/HIV investigative staff should have an epidemiologically-based method for selecting priority cases for follow-up. LHDs which are not required to have their own STD/HIV investigative staff should refer to the regional office to conduct partner services for patients in their jurisdiction;
- c) regular communication with community medical providers and facilities serving high-risk populations (e.g., juvenile detention centers, county jails, psychiatric facilities, drug and alcohol treatment centers, family planning/planned parenthood organizations, community health centers, etc.) to foster reporting and cooperation with screening recommendations and partner notification efforts; and
- d) develop and implement a protocol for assuring provision of prophylactic treatment of exposed partners.

Best practices:

- a) conduct therapy monitoring (i.e., confirmation/verification with follow-up for cases receiving inadequate or inappropriate treatment) for syphilis within 24 hours of receiving the disease report;
- b) conduct therapy monitoring for all gonorrhea and Chlamydia within 72 hours of receiving the disease report;
- c) for those LHDs that have their own STD/HIV investigative staff: conduct partner notification services for syphilis within 24 hours of case assignment and priority gonorrhea and Chlamydia cases within 72 hours of case assignment to investigative staff;
- d) prioritize and refer patients for partner services in terms of specific diseases as established in the Reactor Grid and Field Activity Priority Schedule of the New York State Department of Health Field Operations Manual or based on locally defined and justifiable epidemiologic parameters that identify high



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- risk persons (e.g., age, sex, pregnancy-status, behavior, or geographic location, etc.);
- e) collaborate/communicate with non-health department care providers, particularly those that regularly diagnosis and treat patients with STD/HIV, at least annually;
  - f) collaborate/communicate with, including make site visits to, juvenile detention facilities, county jails, psychiatric facilities, drug and alcohol treatment centers as well as other institutional providers and residential facilities at least annually to assure reporting and contact tracing occurs among institutional residents and, where feasible, promote screening for STD/HIV; and
  - g) prophylactically treat anyone reasonably believed to have been exposed to STD/HIV.

4. Educational outreach and health promotion (10 NYCRR 40-2.20(g) and (h))

Required services:

- a) Required services provide factual information regarding the identification and prevention of STD/HIV to the community;
- b) actively provide information to county residents where public services can be obtained, especially among high-risk populations including adolescents; and
- c) provide at least one communication per year to the medical community apprising them of local morbidity rates, current New York State diagnostic and treatment modalities, and reporting requirements related to STD/HIV.

Best practices:

- a) produce an annual statistical summary of STD/HIV morbidity;
- b) target populations with high-risk behaviors for educational outreach;
- c) inform the public, especially adolescents, young adults and populations experiencing increased morbidity, to be aware of and to recognize symptoms of STDs;
- d) promote safer sex practices and use of barrier methods such as condom use to reduce acquisition and transmission of STD/HIV;
- e) develop and maintain the capacity to implement community and individual level behavior change interventions; and
- f) establish distribution plan for timely dissemination of information to CBOs serving county populations identified as at high risk based on increased morbidity.

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Description of enhanced services and associated costs eligible (but not required) for State Aid

1. screening for Hepatitis A, B and C antibody
2. screening for Herpes Simplex Virus type 2 antibodies
3. screening for Human Papilloma Virus/cervical cancer (PAP smear)
4. provision of male/female condoms along with education on proper use
5. provision of syringe access programs to promote safe disposal of sharps (needles, syringes, lancets) as well as providing access to sterile needles/syringes
6. provision of HIV prevention interventions pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) and post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP)
  - a) PrEP is an antiretroviral medication which when taken daily can prevent the acquisition of HIV infection in persons considered high-risk. The LHD plays a key role in reaching such persons and assessing them for appropriateness in receiving PrEP. The following services are eligible for reimbursement during clinic visits:
    - 1) educate high-risk person regarding PrEP
    - 2) assess person's appropriateness and readiness to begin PrEP
    - 3) conduct/obtain baseline HIV/STD screening
    - 4) write the first two prescriptions for PrEP to be filled at the pharmacy or through the manufacturer's patient assistance program
    - 5) begin the referral process to a community provider for the continuation of PrEP which includes:
      - o evaluation of person's compliance with the medication regime and readiness to follow through with provider care
      - o reinforce person's continued medication compliance each visit
      - o once it is determined a person is appropriate and compliant with medication regime and care, provide an active referral (make appointment) for continued PrEP care with a community provider
    - 6) If a community provider is not available, reimbursable services will include PrEP services as recommended by New York State guidelines. In such cases, the LHD must demonstrate a good faith effort to link the person to a community provider and demonstrate that the LHD pursued support through patient assistance programs and third party reimbursement.

Please see Figure 1 at:

<http://www.hivguidelines.org/clinical-guidelines/pre-exposure-prophylaxis/guidance-for-the-use-of-pre-exposure-prophylaxis-prep-to-prevent-hiv-transmission/>

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b) Post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) consists of three antiretroviral medications taken for 28 days following exposure to HIV. Exposure to HIV is considered a medical emergency and there are three separate clinical guidelines for HIV prophylaxis: 1) following a sexual assault, 2) an occupational exposure or 3) a non-occupational exposure. In the event that a person presents to a LHD clinic with a possible exposure to HIV within the previous 36 hours, PEP may be appropriate. Decisions regarding initiation of PEP beyond 36 hours post exposure should be made on a case-by-case basis with the realization of diminished efficacy when timing of initiation is prolonged. The patient should be counselled about PEP and urgently referred to the nearest emergency department (ED) or experienced community provider known to have PEP medication available for immediate treatment. The following services are eligible for reimbursement during clinic visits:

- 1) Educating HIV negative patients on the availability of PEP for possible exposure to HIV
- 2) Counseling and urgent referral to an ED or community provider known to have PEP medication available for immediate treatment
- 3) Providing PEP medication and HIV, STD, hepatitis B and hepatitis C testing as per New York State guidelines, as necessary. This guidance does not supersede existing practice related to sexual assault. Sexual assault should be referred to the ED immediately.

**Billing Third Parties for STD services**

LHDs are encouraged to bill patients and must, to the greatest extent practicable, bill insurance for STD services. However, if patients do not have insurance or are not willing to have their insurance billed, LHDs must provide services for the diagnosis and treatment of persons with STDs who live in the local health jurisdiction, regardless of their ability to pay. STD services provided by the LHD are eligible for Article 6 reimbursement.

The New York State Department of Health Bureau of STD Prevention and Epidemiology has developed technical assistance on billing third party payers and on maintaining confidentiality as required by law (see Resources/Guidance section).

**Reporting of costs on the State Aid Application (SAA)**

Salaries, revenues and direct costs associated with STD/HIV activities and services must be reported on the STD/HIV line of the SAA.

**Description of ineligible services and associated costs**

1. The cost of general hospital care of communicable disease patients, including STD/HIV patients, is ineligible, except that hospital in-patient care for patients with syphilis or tuberculosis is eligible for Article 6 reimbursement, pursuant to 10 NYCRR 40-2.3(b)(3).

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2. Costs related to STD/HIV ongoing case management, mental health, housing and other services beyond education, counseling and testing are ineligible.
3. Diagnosis and treatment of other coexisting conditions not directly related to the care of STDs is ineligible.
4. Other than what is stated under Enhanced Services, care and treatment of a patient with HIV is ineligible. In addition, PrEP medication and ongoing PrEP care of a HIV negative patient is also ineligible.

Note: Reimbursement for on-going continual care can be obtained by a healthcare provider through billing private insurance, Medicaid or the New York State Department of Health Pre-exposure Prophylaxis Assistance Program (PrEP-AP). PrEP-AP provides reimbursement to enrolled providers for monitoring and care, as recommended by NYSDOH PrEP guidance, of eligible persons on PrEP. PrEP medication may be obtained by uninsured or underinsured individuals through the manufacturer's patient assistance program.

Payment options for expenses related to PrEP are summarized on the NYSDOH website at: [http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/prep/docs/payment\\_options.pdf](http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/prep/docs/payment_options.pdf)

Payment options for PEP are summarized at: <http://www.hivguidelines.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/06/npep-payment-options-05-22-2013.pdf>

### Resources/Guidance

#### NYSDOH Bureau of Sexually Transmitted Disease Prevention and Epidemiology

- Field Operations Manual, available upon request by e-mail to: [stdc@health.ny.gov](mailto:stdc@health.ny.gov).
- Billing Guidance Supplement: promoting confidential access to care. This resource is available upon request by contacting [stdc@health.ny.gov](mailto:stdc@health.ny.gov).

#### New York State Department of Health

- NYSDOH AIDS Institute Office of the Medical Directors HIV Clinical Resources available at: <http://www.hivguidelines.org/>.
- Information about HIV testing is available on the NYSDOH web site at: <http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/providers/testing/index.htm>.

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

- Program Operations Guidelines for STD Prevention available at:  
<http://www.cdc.gov/std/program/gl-2001.htm>
- Sexually Transmitted Diseases Treatment Guidelines available at:  
<http://www.cdc.gov/std/treatment/2010/default.htm>

PrEP and PEP Resources

- The NYSDOH website at [www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/prep/](http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/prep/).
- NYS HIV Clinical Guidelines site:  
PrEP:
  - o <http://www.hivguidelines.org/clinical-guidelines/pre-exposure-prophylaxis/guidance-for-the-use-of-pre-exposure-prophylaxis-prep-to-prevent-hiv-transmission/>PEP:
  - o Non-Occupational Exposure <http://www.hivguidelines.org/clinical-guidelines/post-exposure-prophylaxis/hiv-prophylaxis-following-non-occupational-exposure/>
  - o Occupational Exposure <http://www.hivguidelines.org/clinical-guidelines/post-exposure-prophylaxis/hiv-prophylaxis-following-occupational-exposure/>
  - o Sexual Assault <http://www.hivguidelines.org/clinical-guidelines/post-exposure-prophylaxis/hiv-prophylaxis-for-victims-of-sexual-assault/>
- Clinical training is available through:  
The Clinical Education Initiative at [www.ceitraining.org](http://www.ceitraining.org).
- Training for support service staff can be obtained through:  
AIDS Institute's HIV Education & Training Program at [www.hivtrainingny.org/](http://www.hivtrainingny.org/)
- Patient Information can be found at:  
PrEP: <http://www.health.ny.gov/publications/9146.pdf> (English)  
<http://www.health.ny.gov/publications/9147.pdf> (Spanish)  
PEP: <http://www.health.ny.gov/publications/9104.pdf> (English)  
<http://www.health.ny.gov/publications/9105.pdf> (Spanish)

ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT CONFIDENTIAL CASE REPORT WORKSHEET  
PHONE: (315) 798-5747 FAX: (315) 798-1057 (REVISED 3/17)

**IMMEDIATE ATTENTION IS REQUIRED - PLEASE COMPLETE & FAX BACK**

Patient Name: Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ County: Oneida  
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ F

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|--------------------|------------------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Occupation:</b> | <b>Setting:</b>        | <b>Race:</b>                             | <b>Ethnicity:</b>        | <b>Pregnant:</b>      |
| 1 Food Services    | 1 Camp                 | 1 White                                  | 1 Hispanic or Latino     | 1 Yes (# WEEKS _____) |
| 2 Unemployed       | 2 Day Care Facility    | 2 Black                                  | 2 Not Hispanic or Latino | (EDC: _____)          |
| 3 Retired          | 3 Health Care Facility | 3 American Indian/Alaskan                | 3 Unknown                | 2 No                  |
| 4 Day Care         | 4 Homeless             | 4 Asian                                  |                          | 3 Unknown             |
| 5 Health Care      | 5 Jail/Prison          | 5 Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander |                          |                       |
| 6 Student/School   | 6 School               | 6 Other                                  |                          |                       |
| 7 Inmate           | 7 Other                | 7 Unknown                                |                          |                       |
| 8 Other Occupation | 8 Unknown              |  |                          |                       |
| 9 Correction Work  |                        |  |                          |                       |
| 10 Unknown         |                        |  |                          |                       |

Disease: Chlamydia [   PID] Hospitalized?    Yes (Admin Date \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital \_\_\_\_\_)  
   Gonorrhea [   PID    Disseminated]    No  
   Syphilis [   primary    secondary    early    latent]

Reason for visit:    Symptoms    Referral    Screening    Other    Unknown

Testing health provider: \_\_\_\_\_ Facility name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of first symptom: \_\_\_\_\_ Exam/specimen collection date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Source of specimen: \_\_\_\_\_ Site of infection: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lab name: \_\_\_\_\_ Report date: \_\_\_\_\_

Treating/prescribing physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Facility name: \_\_\_\_\_

Treating Facility phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Treatment date: \_\_\_\_\_ Drug: \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage: \_\_\_\_\_ Route: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Treatment date: \_\_\_\_\_ Drug: \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage: \_\_\_\_\_ Route: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF LAST HIV TEST: \_\_\_\_\_ PREP    YES DATE STARTED \_\_\_\_\_

PRESCRIBER ADMINISTERED IN OFFICE: YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

E-SCRIPT DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ PHARMACY & PHONE#    \_\_\_\_\_ \*

For Chlamydia infections only: Was expedited partner therapy given? \_\_\_\_\_

If no treatment was given - narrative \_\_\_\_\_

# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

## ADMINISTRATION

Phone: (315) 798-6400 Fax: (315) 266-6138

June 7, 2018

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 18-327

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Dear Mr. Picente:

### WAYS & MEANS

Attached are two (2) copies of an Agreement between Oneida County through its Health Department and Building Blocks Comprehensive Services, Inc. Through this Agreement, the County will provide related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities.

Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities. The term "related services" includes, but is not limited to services such as audiology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech pathology, and psychological services.

The term of this agreement will commence July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2020. This is a New York State mandated program. New York State will reimburse the county 59.5% of the costs incurred. The expected total is \$34,991.00 per year based on previous expenditures and is an estimate, for a three-year estimate of \$104,973.00.

If this meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators.

Sincerely,

Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, FACHE  
Director of Health

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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislator by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-28-18

Oneida Co. Department: Health

Competing Proposal X  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Building Blocks Comprehensive Services, Inc.  
275 Parrish St, Ste A  
Canandaigua, NY 14424

**Title of Activity or Service:** Preschool Related Services

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2020

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Eligible preschool children in Oneida  
County with disabilities

**Summary Statements**

1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, New York State requires that counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool aged children with disabilities.

2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Compliance with NYS Department of Education Law

3) **Program Design and Staffing** NA

**Total Funding Requested:** \$104,973      **Account #** A2960.1953  
Rev act A3277

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$104,973

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State pays 59.5% County pays 40.5%

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** 2017 expenditure was \$21,882.00. First quarter of 2018 shows a 59.91% increase

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** Annual estimated expense is \$34,991.00.





## ONEIDA COUNTY PRESCHOOL RELATED SERVICE CONTRACT

**THIS CONTRACT**, by and between the COUNTY OF ONEIDA, through its Health Department, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "County," and **BUILDING BLOCKS COMPREHENSIVE SERVICE, INC.**, a domestic business corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office at ~~275~~ <sup>PO Box</sup> Parrish St, Suite A, Canandaigua, NY 14424, hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor." 1209

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the County is in need of the provision of related services to preschool children with disabilities pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education, through the County's Education of Handicapped Children Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor has been approved by the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York to provide related services to preschool children with disabilities in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with 8 NYCRR Part 200, to eligible preschool students with disabilities, as recommended by the Committee on Preschool Special Education and approved by the appropriate Board of Education from the child's resident school district;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the parties hereto mutually agree as follows:

#### 1. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Contract shall become effective July 1, 2018 and shall terminate on June 30, 2020, conditioned upon the continued availability of federal and/or New York State funds for the purpose set forth in this Contract. The County shall also have two (2) separate and consecutive options to extend this Contract. Each option shall be for one (1) year and shall be under the same terms and conditions contained in this Contract. Each such option shall be the sole and exclusive right of the County. Each option shall be exercised by the County in writing, and such option period shall commence upon the expiration of the immediately preceding Contract or option period.

#### 2. RATES

Upon submission of a completed County voucher and required supporting documentation as discussed below for services rendered, the County shall pay the Contractor the rates set forth in the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, attached hereto and incorporated hereto as "Appendix A." Any rate changes during the life of this contract will be submitted as amendments to this Contract.

#### 3. TERMINATION

- a. By Contractor: Should the Contractor request termination of this Contract, a written notice of any such termination shall be provided to the County by the Contractor not less than ninety (90) days prior to the intended effective date of such action. In the event of such termination, the parties shall adjust the accounts due and the Contractor shall undertake no additional expenditures not already required.
- b. By County: This Contract may be terminated at any time by the County upon ten (10) days written notice to the Contractor. However, in the event the Contractor defaults in the performance of any of its obligations under this Contract, the County may terminate this Contract effective upon written notice at any time. Furthermore, should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Contract, the County shall have the option to immediately terminate this Contract upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such event, the County shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the County be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

#### 4. SCOPE OF SERVICES

Services performed pursuant to this Contract shall be provided in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York set forth in 8 NYCRR 200.

- a. The Contractor shall provide appropriate Related Services for children with disabilities delivered on an itinerant basis subject to New York State Education Department (hereinafter "NYSED") and the appropriate Board of Education (hereinafter "BOE") approval. The parties hereto agree that "Related Services" as used herein shall have the same meaning as that term is defined in Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and 8 NYCRR 200.1(qq).
- b. The Contractor shall provide Related Services for children with disabilities during the school year. The school year is hereby defined as a July/August session from July 1 through August 31 and/or a September/June session from September 1 through June 30.
- c. The Contractor cannot begin providing Related Services to a child with disabilities until the BOE has approved the Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1 (System to Track and Account for Children), if the BOE uses the STAC 1, outlining the appropriate Related Services to be provided by the Contractor. The start date will be indicated on the STAC 1 and a copy shall be provided to the Contractor.
- d. All financial arrangements for services under this Contract shall be between the County and Contractor as outlined in the section entitled "Conditions of Payment" below. The County will maintain an approved Oneida County Related Services Provider List and ensure that the Contractor is a referral from this list approved by the New York State Department of Education for the County of Oneida.

#### 5. CONDITIONS OF PAYMENT:

The County, in accordance with the provisions of this Contract, shall reimburse the Contractor for expenditures made for contracted services as follows:

- a. The County will set rates for all related services delivered on an itinerant basis subject to NYSED approval.
- b. The County will provide payment of services rendered, as authorized on the child's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter "IEP") and the STAC 1 upon the Contractor's submission of a correctly completed voucher on a monthly basis. All submissions must include the required documentation as set forth in this Contract and any other documentation requested by the County. The Contractor shall maintain a copy of the child's IEP throughout the term of this Contract.
- c. The Contractor shall submit a voucher to the County for the services rendered not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of the July/August session and not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of each month for the September to June session.
- d. No payment shall be required to be made by the County prior to the receipt of Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1, if the BOE uses the STAC 1 as its notice of determination of placement.
- e. No parent or any person shall be required or requested to make payment for services in addition to the payments made by the County pursuant to this Contract.
- f. The Contractor must submit, for Medicaid eligible children, a signed Medicaid Provider Agreement and Reassignment form with the signed contract so the County can claim Medicaid reimbursement for the Related Services.

#### 6. MEDICAID COMPLIANCE:

The Contractor shall provide with the voucher the following information for all Medicaid eligible children enrolled in its programs pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law:

- a. Dates the child received a Related Service (e.g. physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, skilled nursing services and/or counseling, and transportation, as applicable).
- b. Documentation that each Related Service session was verified as delivered by the signature of the service provider.
- c. Copy of the Medicaid consent form to release child specific information signed by the parent of a child with a disability receiving Medicaid eligible services.
- d. All reporting requirements necessary for Medicaid compliance per Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law. The Contractor shall be responsible for reviewing Medicaid in Education notifications and changes, which can be found at <http://www.oms.nysed.gov/medicaid/>.
- e. Documentation evidencing the number of eligible Medicaid services by service type provided to each Medicaid eligible child pursuant to Section 4410 New York State Education Law.
- f. The Contractor shall obtain from the parent or person in parental relationship to the Medicaid eligible child receiving Related Services pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law, the Client Identification Number (hereinafter "CIN"), period of eligibility and any other relevant third party health insurance information for

the purpose of establishing Medicaid as the “payer of last resort.” Nothing herein shall preclude the child’s enrollment and initiation of services in accordance with the Board’s Notice of Determination. A copy is to remain in the Contractor’s file.

## 7. COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW

The Contractor agrees that while performing under the terms of this Contract that the Contractor shall comply with all federal, New York State statutes and regulations, and all local rules and regulations.

## 8. CHILD ABUSE/MALTREATMENT MANDATE

- a. In compliance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law, the Contractor is required to screen and be cleared through the State Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (hereinafter “SCR”).
- b. The Contractor is responsible for screening and obtaining clearance through the SCR for the following individuals: (1) Any person who is actively being considered for employment and who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with children who receive preschool special education programs and Related Services; (2) Any person who is employed by an individual, corporation, partnership, or association that provides goods or services to approved preschool special education children.
- c. The Contractor is responsible for screening individuals through the SCR regardless of whether an individual has been screened through the SCR for employment or contract with another County or agency provider.
- d. The Contractor will not permit unsupervised contact between child and any potential employee or contractor before receiving a completed clearance and acceptable response from SCR.
- e. The Contractor will notify all individuals being screened that an inquiry will be made to the SCR and that this is a State requirement. The Contractor will establish procedures to ensure that the confidentiality of any SCR response is maintained. The Contractor will comply with SCR regulations in not screening employees more than once every six months, and one time only to the extent required by Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law for contractors, consultants and volunteers.
- f. Proof of SCR database check in accordance with Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law must be submitted to the County with the instant Contract and on an ongoing basis as required for special education services and programs for preschool children with disabilities.

## 9. CONFIDENTIALITY

The County and the Contractor shall hold in strict confidence all child records and disclose information and data in such records only to persons or entities as authorized or required by law or by written consent of the child’s representative. The Contractor further agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this Contract. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this Contract in conformity with the provisions of applicable Federal, State, and local laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, her agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this Contract.

## 10. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- a. Contractor employed therapists shall be presently qualified to provide Related Services in New York State and shall submit copies of all appropriate license(s) or certification(s) to the County and update these as necessary during the term of this Contract.
- b. Contractor agrees to attend Committee for Preschool Special Education (hereinafter “CPSE”) annual review meetings and program reviews as scheduled by the CPSE Chairperson or BOCES Coordinator for the child being served. The Contractor shall submit a copy of any reports necessary for review at these meetings to the County, as well as the CPSE Chairperson/BOCES Coordinator, at least ten (10) school days prior to the meeting date.
- c. Speech pathologists shall be required to obtain a written prescription (recommendation/order) for speech services signed and dated from (1) NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist OR (2) a physician, physician’s assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes the appropriate and current ICD code. The NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist cannot write a referral if they have not seen the preschool child. According to 18 NYCRR 505.11, a written order must contain a diagnostic statement and purpose of treatment. It is not acceptable for the ordering or referring professional never to have met with the child as it is incompatible with the obligations of the ordering practitioner to assure that the ordered care, services or supplies will meet the recipients needs and restore him/her to the best possible functional level. Physician, physician assistants or nurse practitioner’s orders must be dated on or before the initiation of service. No direct or consultation services will be

- permitted unless an appropriately written prescription is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.
- d. **Physical Therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) from a physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
  - e. **Occupational therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) signed and dated by a licensed physician or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
  - f. No direct or consultation services can be delivered unless an appropriately signed and dated prescription by the appropriate professional is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.
  - g. The Contractor must obtain a current copy of the IEP from the CPSE Chairperson prior to start of service which will follow the BOE approval date. This is applicable to any later program changes on the IEP as well. The Contractor shall deliver services as specified on the IEP in the areas of remediation, frequency and duration of Related Services.
  - h. The Contractor shall submit an attendance and progress note for each session the child received Related Services on a monthly basis at the minimum, or with the invoice, whichever is presented first. All progress notes submitted must also have the signature and National Provider Identification (NPI) number of this licensed individual and title as well as the direct service provider and title.
  - i. The Contractor shall call the CPSE chairperson for a program review if services cannot be delivered as indicated on IEP due to child's absence, or if the therapist recommends a change in service or discharge.
  - j. The Contractor shall forward a copy of all documentation and justification for 12-month programming to the County and the CPSE prior to any scheduled program review or annual review, whenever such is recommended.
  - k. The Contractor shall meet with the child's parent/guardian at such times as appropriate during the year to discuss goals and progress. Whenever services are to be delivered in conjunction with a general education preschool program, the Contractor shall work with the program by communicating with staff, parents, school district and other therapists. An attempt will also be made to provide parent/guardian with follow up materials to be used at home to reinforce delivery of related services.
  - l. The Contractor shall inform the parent/guardian of his/her responsibility to ensure that the child's attendance enables him/her to benefit from the related services provided. The parent/guardian should be made aware of the need to alert the Contractor in a timely manner when the child will be absent or not available for Related Services if provided in the home.
  - m. If two or more Related Services are required for a child, the CPSE Chairperson shall select one of the therapists to act as a Coordinator of Service. If the CPSE determines that a Special Education Itinerant Teacher (hereinafter "SEIT") is to be provided in conjunction with one or more Related Services, the SEIT shall be responsible for the coordination of such services pursuant to Regulations of the Commissioner of Education. Compensation for such services is to be part of the NYSED established rates for the SEIT model.
  - n. The Contractor's progress notes addressing goals and objectives on the IEP must be completed quarterly. A copy of the progress notes must be provided to the parent, the CPSE Chairperson and the County.
  - o. Upon expiration of the term of this Contract, all files and records shall be retained by the Contractor for six (6) years from the last date of payment under this Contract.

## 11. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COORDINATOR OF SERVICE

- a. When two or more Related Services are mandated (not in conjunction with SEIT), the CPSE Chairperson will designate the coordinator of services from the list of approved Related Service providers maintained by the County. The coordinator must be one of the individuals/agencies providing Related Services to the child, as specified by the CPSE. It is suggested that, to the extent possible, service providers be selected from the same agency. It is the responsibility of the coordinator to stay thoroughly informed on all facets of the services provided to the child. In addition to duties as outlined in the section entitled "Reporting Requirements" above, the designated coordinator will perform appropriate coordination activities including but not limited to:
  - i. Arranging the schedule for service delivery, offering recommendations and consulting with the CPSE chairperson to resolve scheduling issues when appropriate.
  - ii. Sharing appropriate information with other Related Service providers for the appropriate integration of such services.
  - iii. Gathering appropriate progress reports and anecdotal information relating to the student's progress from all Related Service providers to ensure that the Coordinator has a general knowledge of the child's progress, as well as any significant considerations, in the Related Service area.
  - iv. Attend Annual Review meeting and other meetings, if requested by the CPSE chairperson. The coordinator is responsible to have all information on the child's progress and needs and is expected to represent the other therapists involved in the child's care at the CPSE meetings.
  - v. Conducting activities such as telephone conferences or other communication practices. Coordination activities must be documented and reported in half-hour service blocks on the Coordination Service Form.

- vi. Coordination services can be provided only by a licensed speech pathologist, physical therapist and occupational therapist.
- b. Billing for Coordination services shall not exceed 10 sessions or service blocks during a September/June session and 2 sessions or service blocks during a July/August session per child. One (1) session or service block consists of a half-hour and will be paid at the rate indicated under the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule. Each date of contact and length of time claimed for coordination during the month must be listed and identified. Periods of less than a half-hour block may be combined into half-hour service blocks of coordination services for billing purposes.

**12. MAKE UP POLICY**

- a. Reporting Absences. Habitual absences by the student should be reported to the school district (CPSE) and the Special Education Itinerant Teacher (SEIT) if the child receives SEIT services; if the child receives two or more Related Services, habitual absences shall be reported to the assigned Related Service coordinator appointed by the CPSE Chairperson.
- b. Student Absence or Cancellation. There shall be no makeup for therapy sessions provided under 4410 services which are missed due to a child's absence or cancellation (with or without notice). If a child's illness will necessitate canceling of service for several consecutive sessions, please request the parent/guardian call you to commence Related Services.
- c. Therapist Absence or Cancellation. Related Services which are missed due to the absence or cancellation of the therapist may be made up if the parent consents and the therapist's schedule permits. The makeup sessions must take place within the same week the Related Service was missed.
- d. Prolonged Absence of Therapist. When the therapist is absent for a prolonged period of time, the school district should be notified. The school district is responsible for arranging the replacement for the absent therapist. The school district is responsible for notifying the County of any change of a Related Service provider prior to the change so the County may give the new provider permission to begin services.
- e. Holidays and Other School Closings. The Contractor will follow the calendar of the local school district in which the child resides. Therefore, holiday and other school closings of that particular school district will apply. When Related Services are provided in a mainstream preschool setting, the preschool calendar will be followed except where written prior arrangements have been mandated by the school district and approved by the County.
- f. Limitations on Scheduling Therapy Makeup Sessions. Make up sessions must be clearly documented on the appropriate session notes with reasons for the makeup session.

**13. INSURANCE**

The Contractor shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate during the term of this Contract. The Contractor shall also maintain general liability insurance and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the County named as "additional insured" on the general liability policy and to provide the County with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing proof of insurance as stated heretofore. The Contractor further agrees to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without prior notice to the County of at least thirty (30) days. The Contractor grants Oneida County a limited power of attorney to communicate with the Contractor's insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverage required hereunder.

**14. INDEMNIFICATION**

The Contractor agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the Contractor or her agents, contractors, subcontractors, servants or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the Contractor or failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this Contract.

**15. EXCLUSIVITY**

- a. The County retains the right to reassign children receiving Related Services under the terms of this Contract to other Contractors or its own employees.
- b. The County retains the right to contract with other independent contractors for such services which are the same or similar to those provided by the Contractor, or to provide such services to its eligible children through its own employees. The Contractor retains the right to provide services directly or indirectly through contract with another agency, to persons who are not classified preschool aged children with a disability receiving Related Services in Oneida County.

**16. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS**

- a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Contractor to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Contractor shall not be considered an employee of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Contractor, in accordance with her status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that she will conduct herself in accordance with such status, that she will neither hold herself out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the County by reason thereof and that she will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.
- b. Contractor warrants and represents that she is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Contractor and County agree that Contractor is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Contract, and may continue to make her services available to the public.
- c. The Contractor shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
- d. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that neither Contractor, nor her employees and agents, shall be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
- e. Contractor shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Contractor or its employees and agents under this Contract, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Contractor's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with respect to the employees and agents, including payroll deductions, workers compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Contractor shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Contract.
- f. The Contractor will indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.
- g. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Contractor's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.
- h. The Contractor agrees to comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the United States Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and civil rights requirements.

**17. SUBCONTRACT**

The Contractor may not assign the Contractor's rights and obligations under this Contract, or subcontract with or employ another to provide the services described above of this Contract, without the prior written consent of the County.

**18. EXPENSES**

Contractor is solely responsible for paying all of her business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

**19. TRAINING**

Contractor shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County. Contractor shall be fully responsible for her or her own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

**20. ADVICE OF COUNSEL**

Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Contract, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Contract.

21. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The terms of this contract, the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, the attached Standard Oneida County Conditions Addendum, and any other attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, are deemed incorporated herein in their entirety and constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this contract. No wavier, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this contract shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

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

ONEIDA COUNTY

CONTRACTOR

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

BY: Kelly Bateman  
Kelly Bateman, CEO  
Building Blocks Comprehensive Services, Inc.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: 8/15/18

Approved

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Raymond F Bara  
Assistant County Attorney

**APPENDIX A**  
**ONEIDA COUNTY RELATED SERVICE RATES SCHEDULE**

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM INDIVIDUAL HALF HOUR RATE	MAXIMUM COORDINATOR RATE PER HALF- HOUR BLOCK
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Audiology	\$53	\$30
Assistive Technology Services	\$53	
Counseling Services	\$53	\$30
Occupational Therapy	\$53	\$30
Orientation & Mobility Services	\$53	
Physical Therapy	\$53	\$30
Speech Therapy	\$53	\$30
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$53	
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$53	
Aide 1:1	\$10	

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM GROUP HALF HOUR RATE
Assistive Technology Services	\$25.00
Audiology	\$25.00
Counseling Services	\$25.00
Occupational Therapy	\$25.00
Physical Therapy	\$25.00
Speech Therapy	\$25.00
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$25.00
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$25.00



## APPENDIX B

### ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
  - i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
  - i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;

- B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and
  - D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;
- ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
- i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
    - A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
    - B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

- 1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or

2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and

- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the

County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;

- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so



are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set

forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from

public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from

another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application; request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### 17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### 18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the "use of tobacco" shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including:

chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.

- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.
- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida; and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.

# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
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June 11, 2018

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

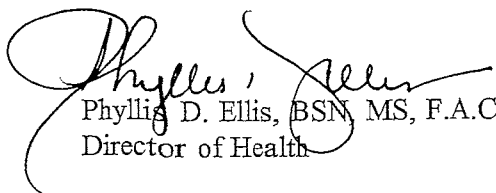
Attached are two (2) copies of an Agreement between Oneida County through its Health Department and the Kelberman Center, Inc. for the reimbursement of Preschool Programs rendered to eligible preschool children with disabilities for the period of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2021.

Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, municipalities are required to provide payment for Preschool Special Education Programs rendered to eligible preschool aged children with disabilities.

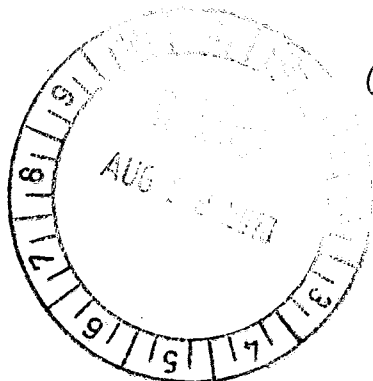
This is a New York State mandated program. The tuition rate is set by New York State. We anticipate reimbursements will total \$4,500,000.00.

If this contract meets with your approval please forward it to the Board of Legislators.

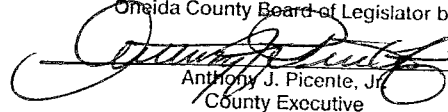
Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
Director of Health

Attachments  
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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-21-18







## ONEIDA COUNTY PRESCHOOL PROGRAM CONTRACT

THIS CONTRACT, by and between the COUNTY OF ONEIDA, through its Health Department, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "County," and KELBERMAN CENTER, INC., a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 1601 Armory Dr. Utica, New York, hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor."

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the County is in need of the provision of a Preschool Program for preschool children with disabilities pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education, through the County's Education of Handicapped Children Program.

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor has been approved by the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York to provide the above named Preschool Program in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with 8 NYCRR Part 200, to an eligible preschool student with a disability, as recommended by the Committee on Preschool Special Education (CPSE) AND approved by the Board of Education (BOE) from the child's resident school district.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the parties hereto mutually agree as follows:

### 1. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Contract shall become effective July 1, 2018 and shall terminate on June 30, 2021, conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State funds for the purpose set forth in this Contract.

### 2. RATES

Upon submission of a completed County voucher and required supporting documentation as discussed below for a Preschool Program rendered, the County shall pay the Contractor the rates approved by the New York State Education Department (NYSED). Rates shall be the amount established for such purpose by the Commissioner of Education and certified by the Director of Budget of the State of New York. The County shall pay the Contractor only those rates published on the NYSED website by the Commissioner of Education and only for such period as the Contractor has the Commissioner's approval. Compensation to the Contractor shall not exceed Four Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars and no cents (\$4,500,000.00) during the term of this Contract.

### 3. TERMINATION

- a. **BY CONTRACTOR:** Should the Contractor request termination of this Contract, a written notice of any such termination shall be provided to the County by the Contractor not less than ninety (90) days prior to the intended effective date of such action. In the event of such termination, the parties shall adjust the accounts due and the Contractor shall undertake no additional expenditures not already required.
- b. **BY COUNTY:** This Contract may be terminated at any time by the County upon ninety (90) days written notice to the Contractor. However, in the event the Contractor defaults in the performance of any of its obligations under this Contract, the County may terminate this Contract effective upon written notice at any time. Furthermore, should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Contract, the County shall have the option to immediately terminate this Contract upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such event, the County shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the County be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

#### 4. SCOPE OF SERVICES

Services performed pursuant to this Contract shall be provided in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York set forth in 8 NYCRR 200.

- a. The Contractor shall provide an appropriate Preschool Program for children with disabilities subject to NYSED and BOE approval. The parties hereto agree that "Preschool Program" as used herein shall have the same meaning as that term is defined in Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and 8 NYCRR 200.1(nn).
- b. The Contractor shall provide a Preschool Program for children with disabilities during the school year. The school year is hereby defined as a July/August session from July 1 through August 31 and/or a September/June session from September 1 through June 30.
- c. **The Contractor cannot begin providing a Preschool Program to a child with disabilities until the BOE has approved the Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1, if the BOE uses the STAC 1, outlining the appropriate Preschool Program to be provided by the Contractor. The start date will be indicated on the STAC 1(System to Track and Account for Children) and a copy shall be provided to the Contractor.**
- d. All financial arrangements for services under this Contract shall be between the County and Contractor in accordance with the Provisions of Section 5 of this Contract. The Contractor shall be responsible for the delivery of appropriate services, including the training and/or retraining of direct service staff employed by the Contractor. For purposes hereof, "direct service staff" shall be defined as, but not limited to, individuals providing Preschool Program services that are certified by law, to provide such services as mandated on the child's Individualized Education Program (IEP).

#### 5. CONDITIONS OF PAYMENT:

The County, in accordance with the provisions of this Contract, shall reimburse the Contractor for expenditures made for contracted services as follows:

- a. The County will provide payment for a Preschool Program rendered as authorized on the child's IEP and the STAC 1 upon the Contractor's submission of a correctly completed voucher on a monthly basis. All submissions must include the required documentation as set forth in this contract and any other documentation requested by the County. The Contractor shall maintain a copy of the child's IEP throughout the term of this Contract.
- b. The Contractor shall submit a voucher to the County for the services rendered not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of the July/August session and not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of each month for the September to June session.
- c. No payment shall be required to be made by the County prior to the receipt of Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1, if the BOE uses the STAC 1 as its notice of determination of placement.
- d. No parent or any person shall be required or requested to make payment for services in addition to the payments made by the County pursuant to this contract.
- e. The Contractor must submit, for Medicaid eligible children, a signed Medicaid Provider Agreement and Reassignment form with the signed contract so the County can claim Medicaid reimbursement.
- f. The Contractor shall prepare and make available such statistical, financial and other records pursuant to section 4410 of the New York State Education Law, as necessary for reporting and accountability. All documents and records shall be consistent with New York State requirements for audit and rate establishment procedures. The financial records shall be retained by the Contractor for seven (7) years after the school year in which the services were provided. The Contractor shall also be responsible for submitting to the County a copy of their cost report for the contract term provided herein.
- g. These records pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law shall be subject at all reasonable times to inspection, review or audit by the BOE, the County where the Contractor is located, the State of New York, acting through the Education Department or the State Comptroller, federal and other personnel duly authorized by such County. In addition, the County shall make available any and all copies of such documents to such other Municipalities.

## **6. MEDICAID COMPLIANCE:**

The Contractor shall provide with the voucher the following information for all Medicaid eligible children pursuant to Section 4410 of the Education Law:

- a. Dates of services rendered and documentation that each Preschool Program session was verified as delivered by the signature of the service provider.
- b. Copy of the Medicaid consent form to release child specific information signed by the parent of a child with a disability receiving Medicaid eligible services.
- c. All reporting requirements necessary for Medicaid compliance per Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law. The Contractor shall be responsible for reviewing Medicaid in Education notifications and changes, which can be found at <http://www.oms.nysed.gov/medicaid/>.
- d. The Contractor shall obtain from the parent or person in parental relationship to the Medicaid eligible child receiving services pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law, the Client Identification Number (CIN), period of eligibility and any other relevant third party health insurance information for the purpose of establishing Medicaid as the "payer of last resort". Nothing herein shall preclude the child's enrollment and initiation of services in accordance with the Board's Notice of Determination. A copy is to remain in the Contractor's file.

## **7. COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW**

The Contractor agrees that while performing under the terms of this contract that the Contractor shall comply with all Federal, New York State statutes and regulations and all local rules and regulations.

## **8. CHILD ABUSE/MALTREATMENT MANDATE**

- a. In compliance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law, the Contractor is required to screen and be cleared through the State Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR).
- b. The Contractor is responsible for screening and obtaining clearance through the SCR for the following individuals: (1) Any person who is actively being considered for employment and who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with children who receive preschool special education programs and Related Services; (2) Any person who is employed by an individual, corporation, partnership, or association that provides goods or services to approved preschool special education children.
- c. The Contractor is responsible for screening individuals through the SCR regardless of whether an individual has been screened through the SCR for employment or contract with another County or agency provider.
- d. The Contractor will not permit unsupervised contact between child and any potential employee or contractor before receiving a completed clearance and acceptable response from SCR.
- e. The Contractor will notify all individuals being screened that an inquiry will be made to the SCR and that this is a State requirement. The Contractor will establish procedures to ensure that the confidentiality of any SCR response is maintained. The Contractor will comply with SCR regulations in not screening employees more than once every six months, and one time only to the extent required by Section 424-a of the Social Services Law for contractors, consultants and volunteers.
- f. Proof of SCR database check in accordance with Section 424-a of the Social Services Law must be submitted to the County with the instant contract and on an ongoing basis as required for special education services and programs for preschool children with disabilities.

## **9. CONFIDENTIALITY**

The County and the Contractor shall hold in strict confidence all child records and disclose information and data in such records only to persons or entities as authorized or required by law or by written consent of the child's representative. The Contractor further agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive

services in the course of this Contract. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this contract in conformity with the provisions of applicable Federal, State, and local laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this Contract.

## 10. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- a. Contractor employed therapists and teachers shall be presently qualified to provide a Preschool Program in New York State and shall submit copies of all appropriate license(s) or certification(s) to the County and update these as necessary during the term of this Contract.
- b. Contractor agrees to attend Committee for Preschool Special Education (CPSE) annual review meetings and program reviews as scheduled by the CPSE Chairperson or BOCES Coordinator for the child being served. **The Contractor shall submit a copy of any reports necessary for review at these meetings to the County, as well as the CPSE Chairperson/BOCES Coordinator, at least ten (10) school days prior to the meeting date.**
- c. **Speech pathologists** shall be required to obtain a written **Prescription** (recommendation/order) for speech services signed and dated from (1) NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist OR (2) a physician, physician's assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes the appropriate and current **ICD code**. **The NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist cannot write a referral if they have not seen the preschool child. 18NYCRR 505.11 states that a written order must contain a diagnostic statement and purpose of treatment. It is not acceptable for the ordering or referring professional never to have met with the child as it is incompatible with the obligations of the ordering practitioner to assure that the ordered care, services or supplies will meet the recipients needs and restore him/her to the best possible functional level. Physician, physician assistants or nurse practitioner's orders must be dated on or before the initiation of service. No direct or consultation services will be permitted unless an appropriately written prescription is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.**
- d. **Physical Therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/ recommendation) from a physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes an **ICD code**.
- e. **Occupational therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) signed and dated by a licensed physician or nurse practitioner which denotes an **ICD code**.
- f. **No direct or consultation services can be delivered unless an appropriately signed and dated prescription by the appropriate professional is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.**
- g. The Contractor must obtain a current copy of the IEP from the CPSE Chairperson prior to start of service which will follow the BOE approval date. This is applicable to any later program changes on the IEP as well. The Contractor shall deliver services as specified on the IEP in the areas of remediation, frequency and duration of SEIS.
- h. The Contractor shall submit an attendance and progress note for each session the child received Preschool Program on a monthly basis at the minimum, or with the invoice, whichever is presented first. **All progress notes submitted must also have the signature and National Provider Identification number (NPI#) of this licensed individual and title as well as the direct service provider and title.**
- i. The Contractor shall call the CPSE chairperson for a program review if services cannot be delivered as indicated on IEP due to child's absence, or if the therapist recommends a change in service or discharge.
- k. The Contractor shall forward a copy of all documentation and justification for 12-month programming to the County and the CPSE prior to any scheduled program review or annual review, whenever such is recommended.
- l. The Contractor shall meet with the child's parent/guardian at such times as appropriate during the year to discuss goals and progress. Whenever services are to be delivered in conjunction with a general education preschool program, the Contractor shall work with the program by communicating with staff, parents, school district and other therapists. An attempt will also be made to provide parent/guardian with follow up materials to be used at home to reinforce delivery of related services.

- m. The Contractor shall inform the parent/guardian of his/her responsibility to ensure that the child's attendance enables him/her to benefit from the Preschool Program provided. The parent/guardian should be made aware of the need to alert the Contractor in a timely manner when the child will be absent or not available for the Preschool Program.
- n. The Contractor's progress notes addressing goals and objectives on the IEP must be completed quarterly. A copy of the progress notes must be provided to the parent, the CPSE Chairperson and the County.

#### **11. INSURANCE**

The Contractor shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The Contractor shall also maintain general liability insurance and will provide County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have Oneida County named as an "additional insured", on a "primary, non-contributory basis, as its interests may appear" on the general liability policy and to provide the County with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing the proof of insurance as stated heretofore. The County reserves the right to require Contractor to provide insurance policies for review by the County. The Contractor grants the County a limited power of attorney to communicate with Contractor's insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverages required hereunder.

#### **12. INDEMNIFICATION**

The Contractor agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the Contractor or its agents, contractors, subcontractors, servants or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the Contractor or failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this Contract.

#### **13. EXCLUSIVITY**

- a. The County retains the right to reassign children receiving SEIS under the terms of this Contract to other Contractors or its own employees.
- b. The County retains the right to contract with other independent contractors for such services which are the same or similar to those provided by the Contractor, or to provide such services to its eligible children through its own employees. The Contractor retains the right to provide services directly or indirectly through contract with another agency, to persons who are not classified preschool aged children with a disability receiving SEIS in Oneida County.

#### **14. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS:**

- a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Contractor to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Contractor's employees shall not be considered employees of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Contractor, in accordance with its status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that its employees will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the County by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.
- b. Contractor warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Contractor and County agree that Contractor is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Contract, and may continue to make its services available to the public.
- c. The Contractor's employees shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
- d. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that its employees shall not be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
- e. Contractor shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Contractor or its employees or agents under this Contract, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Contractor's self-employment, sole proprietorship or

other form of business organization, and with respect to the Contractor's employees and agents, including payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Contractor shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Contract.

- f. The Contractor will indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.
- g. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Contractor's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.
- h. The Contractor agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

**15. SUBCONTRACT**

The Contractor may not assign the Contractor's rights and obligations under this contract, or subcontract with or employ another to provide the services described above of this contract, without the prior written consent of the County.

**16. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

The terms of this contract, the attached Appendix A (Standard Oneida County Conditions), and any other attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, are deemed incorporated herein in their entirety and constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Contract. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this contract shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

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

ONEIDA COUNTY

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

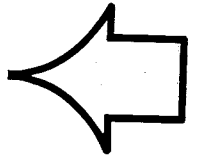
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BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Raymond F. Bara  
Assistant County Attorney

CONTRACTOR

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Robert Myers, Executive Director  
Kelberman Center, Inc.

DATE: 6/29/18





## APPENDIX A

### ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
  - i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
  - i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;

- B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and
  - D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;
- ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
    - i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
      - A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
      - B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

- 1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or

2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and

- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the

County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;

- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so



are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set

forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from

public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from

another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application; request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the "use of tobacco" shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including:

chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.

- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.
- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida; and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.

# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

## ADMINISTRATION

Phone: (315) 798-6400 Fax: (315) 266-6138

June 7, 2018

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

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HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Dear Mr. Picente:

### WAYS & MEANS

Attached are two (2) copies of an Agreement between Oneida County through its Health Department and Waterville Central School District. Through this Agreement, the County will provide related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities.

Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities. The term "related services" includes, but is not limited to, services such as audiology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech pathology, and psychological services.

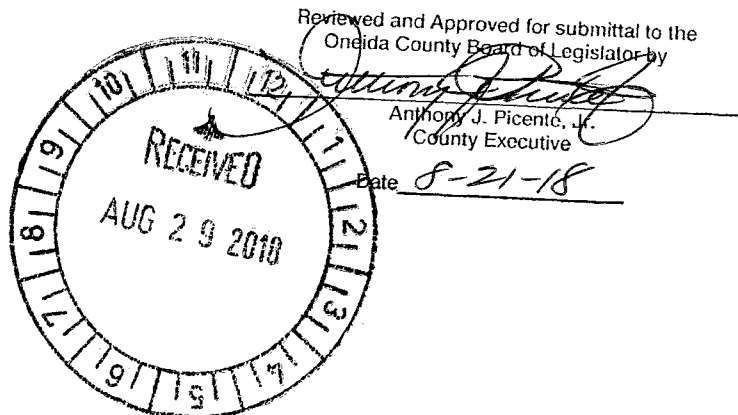
The term of this agreement will commence July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2020. This is a New York State mandated program. New York State will reimburse the county 59.5% of the costs incurred. The expected total for three years is \$49,000.00 is an estimate.

If this meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators.

Sincerely,

Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, FACHE  
Director of Health

CM





Oneida Co. Department: Health

Competing Proposal X  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Waterville Central School District  
381 Madison St.  
Waterville, NY 13480

**Title of Activity or Service:** Preschool Related Services

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2020

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Eligible preschool children in Oneida County with disabilities

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, New York State requires that counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool aged children with disabilities.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Compliance with NYS Department of Education Law.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing** NA

**Total Funding Requested:** \$49,000      **Account#**      **A2960.1953**  
Rev act A3277

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$49,000

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State pays 59.5% County pays 40.5%

**Cost Per Client Served:** NA

**Past Performance Data:** NA

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** Estimated cost per year is \$16,333.00



## ONEIDA COUNTY PRESCHOOL RELATED SERVICE CONTRACT

**THIS CONTRACT**, by and between the **COUNTY OF ONEIDA**, through its Health Department, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "County," and **WATERVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**, a central school district organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office located at 381 Madison Street, Waterville, NY 13480, hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor."

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the County is in need of the provision of related services to preschool children with disabilities pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education, through the County's Education of Handicapped Children Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor has been approved by the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York to provide related services to preschool children with disabilities in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with 8 NYCRR Part 200, to eligible preschool students with disabilities, as recommended by the Committee on Preschool Special Education and approved by the appropriate Board of Education from the child's resident school district;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the parties hereto mutually agree as follows:

### 1. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Contract shall become effective July 1, 2018 and shall terminate on June 30, 2020, conditioned upon the continued availability of federal and/or New York State funds for the purpose set forth in this Contract. The County shall also have two (2) separate and consecutive options to extend this Contract. Each option shall be for one (1) year and shall be under the same terms and conditions contained in this Contract. Each such option shall be the sole and exclusive right of the County. Each option shall be exercised by the County in writing, and such option period shall commence upon the expiration of the immediately preceding Contract or option period.

### 2. RATES

Upon submission of a completed County voucher and required supporting documentation as discussed below for services rendered, the County shall pay the Contractor the rates set forth in the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, attached hereto and incorporated hereto as "Appendix A." Any rate changes during the life of this contract will be submitted as amendments to this Contract.

### 3. TERMINATION

- a. By Contractor: Should the Contractor request termination of this Contract, a written notice of any such termination shall be provided to the County by the Contractor not less than ninety (90) days prior to the intended effective date of such action. In the event of such termination, the parties shall adjust the accounts due and the Contractor shall undertake no additional expenditures not already required.
- b. By County: This Contract may be terminated at any time by the County upon ten (10) days written notice to the Contractor. However, in the event the Contractor defaults in the performance of any of its obligations under this Contract, the County may terminate this Contract effective upon written notice at any time. Furthermore, should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Contract, the County shall have the option to immediately terminate this Contract upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such event, the County shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the County be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

#### 4. SCOPE OF SERVICES

Services performed pursuant to this Contract shall be provided in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York set forth in 8 NYCRR 200.

- a. The Contractor shall provide appropriate Related Services for children with disabilities delivered on an itinerant basis subject to New York State Education Department (hereinafter "NYSED") and the appropriate Board of Education (hereinafter "BOE") approval. The parties hereto agree that "Related Services" as used herein shall have the same meaning as that term is defined in Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and 8 NYCRR 200.1(qq).
- b. The Contractor shall provide Related Services for children with disabilities during the school year. The school year is hereby defined as a July/August session from July 1 through August 31 and/or a September/June session from September 1 through June 30.
- c. The Contractor cannot begin providing Related Services to a child with disabilities until the BOE has approved the Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1 (System to Track and Account for Children), if the BOE uses the STAC 1, outlining the appropriate Related Services to be provided by the Contractor. The start date will be indicated on the STAC 1 and a copy shall be provided to the Contractor.
- d. All financial arrangements for services under this Contract shall be between the County and Contractor as outlined in the section entitled "Conditions of Payment" below. The County will maintain an approved Oneida County Related Services Provider List and ensure that the Contractor is a referral from this list approved by the New York State Department of Education for the County of Oneida.

#### 5. CONDITIONS OF PAYMENT:

The County, in accordance with the provisions of this Contract, shall reimburse the Contractor for expenditures made for contracted services as follows:

- a. The County will set rates for all related services delivered on an itinerant basis subject to NYSED approval.
- b. The County will provide payment of services rendered, as authorized on the child's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter "IEP") and the STAC 1 upon the Contractor's submission of a correctly completed voucher on a monthly basis. All submissions must include the required documentation as set forth in this Contract and any other documentation requested by the County. The Contractor shall maintain a copy of the child's IEP throughout the term of this Contract.
- c. The Contractor shall submit a voucher to the County for the services rendered not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of the July/August session and not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of each month for the September to June session.
- d. No payment shall be required to be made by the County prior to the receipt of Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1, if the BOE uses the STAC 1 as its notice of determination of placement.
- e. No parent or any person shall be required or requested to make payment for services in addition to the payments made by the County pursuant to this Contract.
- f. The Contractor must submit, for Medicaid eligible children, a signed Medicaid Provider Agreement and Reassignment form with the signed contract so the County can claim Medicaid reimbursement for the Related Services.

#### 6. MEDICAID COMPLIANCE:

The Contractor shall provide with the voucher the following information for all Medicaid eligible children enrolled in its programs pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law:

- a. Dates the child received a Related Service (e.g. physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, skilled nursing services and/or counseling, and transportation, as applicable).
- b. Documentation that each Related Service session was verified as delivered by the signature of the service provider.
- c. Copy of the Medicaid consent form to release child specific information signed by the parent of a child with a disability receiving Medicaid eligible services.
- d. All reporting requirements necessary for Medicaid compliance per Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law. The Contractor shall be responsible for reviewing Medicaid in Education notifications and changes, which can be found at <http://www.oms.nysed.gov/medicaid/>.
- e. Documentation evidencing the number of eligible Medicaid services by service type provided to each Medicaid eligible child pursuant to Section 4410 New York State Education Law.
- f. The Contractor shall obtain from the parent or person in parental relationship to the Medicaid eligible child receiving Related Services pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law, the Client Identification Number (hereinafter "CIN"), period of eligibility and any other relevant third party health insurance information for

the purpose of establishing Medicaid as the “payer of last resort.” Nothing herein shall preclude the child’s enrollment and initiation of services in accordance with the Board’s Notice of Determination. A copy is to remain in the Contractor’s file.

## 7. COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW

The Contractor agrees that while performing under the terms of this Contract that the Contractor shall comply with all federal, New York State statutes and regulations, and all local rules and regulations.

## 8. CHILD ABUSE/MALTREATMENT MANDATE

- a. In compliance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law, the Contractor is required to screen and be cleared through the State Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (hereinafter “SCR”).
- b. The Contractor is responsible for screening and obtaining clearance through the SCR for the following individuals: (1) Any person who is actively being considered for employment and who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with children who receive preschool special education programs and Related Services; (2) Any person who is employed by an individual, corporation, partnership, or association that provides goods or services to approved preschool special education children.
- c. The Contractor is responsible for screening individuals through the SCR regardless of whether an individual has been screened through the SCR for employment or contract with another County or agency provider.
- d. The Contractor will not permit unsupervised contact between child and any potential employee or contractor before receiving a completed clearance and acceptable response from SCR.
- e. The Contractor will notify all individuals being screened that an inquiry will be made to the SCR and that this is a State requirement. The Contractor will establish procedures to ensure that the confidentiality of any SCR response is maintained. The Contractor will comply with SCR regulations in not screening employees more than once every six months, and one time only to the extent required by Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law for contractors, consultants and volunteers.
- f. Proof of SCR database check in accordance with Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law must be submitted to the County with the instant Contract and on an ongoing basis as required for special education services and programs for preschool children with disabilities.

## 9. CONFIDENTIALITY

The County and the Contractor shall hold in strict confidence all child records and disclose information and data in such records only to persons or entities as authorized or required by law or by written consent of the child’s representative. The Contractor further agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this Contract. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this Contract in conformity with the provisions of applicable Federal, State, and local laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this Contract.

## 10. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- a. Contractor employed therapists shall be presently qualified to provide Related Services in New York State and shall submit copies of all appropriate license(s) or certification(s) to the County and update these as necessary during the term of this Contract.
- b. Contractor agrees to attend Committee for Preschool Special Education (hereinafter “CPSE”) annual review meetings and program reviews as scheduled by the CPSE Chairperson or BOCES Coordinator for the child being served. The Contractor shall submit a copy of any reports necessary for review at these meetings to the County, as well as the CPSE Chairperson/BOCES Coordinator, at least ten (10) school days prior to the meeting date.
- c. **Speech pathologists** shall be required to obtain a written prescription (recommendation/order) for speech services signed and dated from (1) NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist OR (2) a physician, physician’s assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes the appropriate and current **ICD code**. The NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist cannot write a referral if they have not seen the preschool child. According to 18 NYCRR 505.11, a written order must contain a diagnostic statement and purpose of treatment. It is not acceptable for the ordering or referring professional never to have met with the child as it is incompatible with the obligations of the ordering practitioner to assure that the ordered care, services or supplies will meet the recipients needs and restore him/her to the best possible functional level. Physician, physician assistants or nurse practitioner’s orders must be dated on or before the initiation of service. No direct or consultation services will be

permitted unless an appropriately written prescription is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.

- d. **Physical Therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) from a physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
- e. **Occupational therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) signed and dated by a licensed physician or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
- f. No direct or consultation services can be delivered unless an appropriately signed and dated prescription by the appropriate professional is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.
- g. The Contractor must obtain a current copy of the IEP from the CPSE Chairperson prior to start of service which will follow the BOE approval date. This is applicable to any later program changes on the IEP as well. The Contractor shall deliver services as specified on the IEP in the areas of remediation, frequency and duration of Related Services.
- h. The Contractor shall submit an attendance and progress note for each session the child received Related Services on a monthly basis at the minimum, or with the invoice, whichever is presented first. All progress notes submitted must also have the signature and National Provider Identification (NPI) number of this licensed individual and title as well as the direct service provider and title.
- i. The Contractor shall call the CPSE chairperson for a program review if services cannot be delivered as indicated on IEP due to child's absence, or if the therapist recommends a change in service or discharge.
- j. The Contractor shall forward a copy of all documentation and justification for 12-month programming to the County and the CPSE prior to any scheduled program review or annual review, whenever such is recommended.
- k. The Contractor shall meet with the child's parent/guardian at such times as appropriate during the year to discuss goals and progress. Whenever services are to be delivered in conjunction with a general education preschool program, the Contractor shall work with the program by communicating with staff, parents, school district and other therapists. An attempt will also be made to provide parent/guardian with follow up materials to be used at home to reinforce delivery of related services.
- l. The Contractor shall inform the parent/guardian of his/her responsibility to ensure that the child's attendance enables him/her to benefit from the related services provided. The parent/guardian should be made aware of the need to alert the Contractor in a timely manner when the child will be absent or not available for Related Services if provided in the home.
- m. If two or more Related Services are required for a child, the CPSE Chairperson shall select one of the therapists to act as a Coordinator of Service. If the CPSE determines that a Special Education Itinerant Teacher (hereinafter "SEIT") is to be provided in conjunction with one or more Related Services, the SEIT shall be responsible for the coordination of such services pursuant to Regulations of the Commissioner of Education. Compensation for such services is to be part of the NYSED established rates for the SEIT model.
- n. The Contractor's progress notes addressing goals and objectives on the IEP must be completed quarterly. A copy of the progress notes must be provided to the parent, the CPSE Chairperson and the County.
- o. Upon expiration of the term of this Contract, all files and records shall be retained by the Contractor for six (6) years from the last date of payment under this Contract.

## 11. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COORDINATOR OF SERVICE

- a. When two or more Related Services are mandated (not in conjunction with SEIT), the CPSE Chairperson will designate the coordinator of services from the list of approved Related Service providers maintained by the County. The coordinator must be one of the individuals/agencies providing Related Services to the child, as specified by the CPSE. It is suggested that, to the extent possible, service providers be selected from the same agency. It is the responsibility of the coordinator to stay thoroughly informed on all facets of the services provided to the child. In addition to duties as outlined in the section entitled "Reporting Requirements" above, the designated coordinator will perform appropriate coordination activities including but not limited to:
  - i. Arranging the schedule for service delivery, offering recommendations and consulting with the CPSE chairperson to resolve scheduling issues when appropriate.
  - ii. Sharing appropriate information with other Related Service providers for the appropriate integration of such services.
  - iii. Gathering appropriate progress reports and anecdotal information relating to the student's progress from all Related Service providers to ensure that the Coordinator has a general knowledge of the child's progress, as well as any significant considerations, in the Related Service area.
  - iv. Attend Annual Review meeting and other meetings, if requested by the CPSE chairperson. The coordinator is responsible to have all information on the child's progress and needs and is expected to represent the other therapists involved in the child's care at the CPSE meetings.
  - v. Conducting activities such as telephone conferences or other communication practices. Coordination activities must be documented and reported in half-hour service blocks on the Coordination Service Form.

- vi. Coordination services can be provided only by a licensed speech pathologist, physical therapist and occupational therapist.
- b. Billing for Coordination services shall not exceed 10 sessions or service blocks during a September/June session and 2 sessions or service blocks during a July/August session per child. One (1) session or service block consists of a half-hour and will be paid at the rate indicated under the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule. Each date of contact and length of time claimed for coordination during the month must be listed and identified. Periods of less than a half-hour block may be combined into half-hour service blocks of coordination services for billing purposes.

## 12. MAKE UP POLICY

- a. Reporting Absences. Habitual absences by the student should be reported to the school district (CPSE) and the Special Education Itinerant Teacher (SEIT) if the child receives SEIT services; if the child receives two or more Related Services, habitual absences shall be reported to the assigned Related Service coordinator appointed by the CPSE Chairperson.
- b. Student Absence or Cancellation. There shall be no makeup for therapy sessions provided under 4410 services which are missed due to a child's absence or cancellation (with or without notice). If a child's illness will necessitate canceling of service for several consecutive sessions, please request the parent/guardian call you to commence Related Services.
- c. Therapist Absence or Cancellation. Related Services which are missed due to the absence or cancellation of the therapist may be made up if the parent consents and the therapist's schedule permits. The makeup sessions must take place within the same week the Related Service was missed.
- d. Prolonged Absence of Therapist. When the therapist is absent for a prolonged period of time, the school district should be notified. The school district is responsible for arranging the replacement for the absent therapist. The school district is responsible for notifying the County of any change of a Related Service provider prior to the change so the County may give the new provider permission to begin services.
- e. Holidays and Other School Closings. The Contractor will follow the calendar of the local school district in which the child resides. Therefore, holiday and other school closings of that particular school district will apply. When Related Services are provided in a mainstream preschool setting, the preschool calendar will be followed except where written prior arrangements have been mandated by the school district and approved by the County.
- f. Limitations on Scheduling Therapy Makeup Sessions. Make up sessions must be clearly documented on the appropriate session notes with reasons for the makeup session.

## 13. INSURANCE

The Contractor shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate during the term of this Contract. The Contractor shall also maintain general liability insurance and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the County named as "additional insured" on the general liability policy and to provide the County with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing proof of insurance as stated heretofore. The Contractor further agrees to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without prior notice to the County of at least thirty (30) days. The Contractor grants Oneida County a limited power of attorney to communicate with the Contractor's insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverage required hereunder.

## 14. INDEMNIFICATION

The Contractor agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the Contractor or its agents, contractors, subcontractors, servants or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the Contractor or failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this Contract.

## 15. EXCLUSIVITY

- a. The County retains the right to reassign children receiving Related Services under the terms of this Contract to other Contractors or its own employees.
- b. The County retains the right to contract with other independent contractors for such services which are the same or similar to those provided by the Contractor, or to provide such services to its eligible children through its own employees. The Contractor retains the right to provide services directly or indirectly through contract with another agency, to persons who are not classified preschool aged children with a disability receiving Related Services in Oneida County.

**16. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS**

- a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Contractor to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Contractor's employees shall not be considered employees of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Contractor, in accordance with its status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that its employees will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the County by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.
- b. Contractor warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Contractor and County agree that Contractor is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Contract, and may continue to make its services available to the public.
- c. The Contractor's employees shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
- d. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that its employees and agents shall not be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
- e. Contractor shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Contractor or its employees and agents under this Contract, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Contractor's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with respect to the employees and agents, including payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Contractor shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Contract.
- f. The Contractor will indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.
- g. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Contractor's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.
- h. The Contractor agrees to comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the United States Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and civil rights requirements.

**17. SUBCONTRACT**

The Contractor may not assign the Contractor's rights and obligations under this Contract, or subcontract with or employ another to provide the services described above of this Contract, without the prior written consent of the County.

**18. EXPENSES**

Contractor is solely responsible for paying all of its business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

**19. TRAINING**

Contractor shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County. Contractor shall be fully responsible for its own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

**20. ADVICE OF COUNSEL**

Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Contract, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Contract.

21. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The terms of this contract, the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, the attached Standard Oneida County Conditions Addendum (Appendix B), and any other attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, are deemed incorporated herein in their entirety and constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Contract. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Contract shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

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

ONEIDA COUNTY

CONTRACTOR

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

BY: Roberta Williams  
Roberta Williams  
President, Board of Education

DATE: 6-26-18

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Raymond F. Bara  
Assistant County Attorney



**APPENDIX A  
ONEIDA COUNTY RELATED SERVICE RATES SCHEDULE**

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM INDIVIDUAL HALF HOUR RATE	MAXIMUM COORDINATOR RATE PER HALF- HOUR BLOCK
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Audiology	\$53	\$30
Assistive Technology Services	\$53	
Counseling Services	\$53	\$30
Occupational Therapy	\$53	\$30
Orientation & Mobility Services	\$53	
Physical Therapy	\$53	\$30
Speech Therapy	\$53	\$30
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$53	
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$53	
Aide 1:1	\$10	

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM GROUP HALF HOUR RATE
Assistive Technology Services	\$25.00
Audiology	\$25.00
Counseling Services	\$25.00
Occupational Therapy	\$25.00
Physical Therapy	\$25.00
Speech Therapy	\$25.00
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$25.00
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$25.00

## APPENDIX B

### ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
  - i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
  - i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;

- B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and
  - D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;
- ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
    - i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
      - A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
      - B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

- 1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or

2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and

- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the

County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;



- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so

are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set

forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from

public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from

another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application; request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### 17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### 18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the "use of tobacco" shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including:

chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.

- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.
- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida; and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.



# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

## ADMINISTRATION

Phone: (315) 798-6400 Fax: (315) 266-6138

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June 7, 2018

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

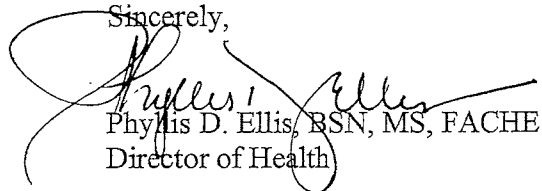
Attached are two (2) copies of an Agreement between Oneida County through its Health Department and Upstate Cerebral Palsy. Through this Agreement, the County will provide related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities.

Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool age children with disabilities. The term "related services" includes, but is not limited to services such as audiology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech pathology, and psychological services.

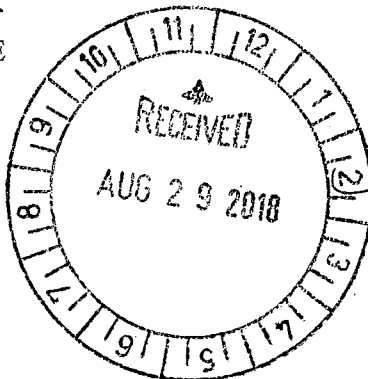
The term of this agreement will commence July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2020. This is a New York State mandated program. New York State will reimburse the county 59.5% of the costs incurred. The expected total is 116,247.00 per year based on previous expenditures and is an estimate, for a three-year estimate of \$348,741.00.

If this meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators.

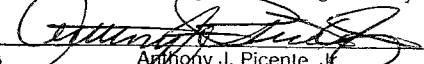
Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, FACHE  
Director of Health

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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-21-18

Oneida Co. Department: Health

Competing Proposal X  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Upstate Cerebral Palsy  
1020 Mary Street  
Utica, NY 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Preschool Related Services

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2020

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Eligible preschool children in Oneida  
County with disabilities

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Under Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, New York State requires that counties are to provide payment for related services rendered to eligible preschool aged children with disabilities.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Compliance with NYS Department of Education Law
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing** NA

**Total Funding Requested:** \$348,741      **Account** A2960.1953 Rev A3277

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$ 348,741

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State pays 59.5% County pays 40.5%

**Cost Per Client Served:** NA

**Past Performance Data:** 2017 expenditure was \$163,728. The first quarter of 2018 shows a 29% decrease

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** Annual expenditure estimated as \$116,247



## ONEIDA COUNTY PRESCHOOL RELATED SERVICE CONTRACT

**THIS CONTRACT**, by and between the **COUNTY OF ONEIDA**, through its Health Department, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "County," and **UPSTATE CERABRAL PALSY, INC.**, a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 1020 Mary Street, Utica, NY 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor."

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the County is in need of the provision of related services to preschool children with disabilities pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Part 200 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education, through the County's Education of Handicapped Children Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor has been approved by the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York to provide related services to preschool children with disabilities in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with 8 NYCRR Part 200, to eligible preschool students with disabilities, as recommended by the Committee on Preschool Special Education and approved by the appropriate Board of Education from the child's resident school district;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the parties hereto mutually agree as follows:

### 1. TERM OF AGREEMENT

This Contract shall become effective July 1, 2018 and shall terminate on June 30, 2020, conditioned upon the continued availability of federal and/or New York State funds for the purpose set forth in this Contract. The County shall also have two (2) separate and consecutive options to extend this Contract. Each option shall be for one (1) year and shall be under the same terms and conditions contained in this Contract. Each such option shall be the sole and exclusive right of the County. Each option shall be exercised by the County in writing, and such option period shall commence upon the expiration of the immediately preceding Contract or option period.

### 2. RATES

Upon submission of a completed County voucher and required supporting documentation as discussed below for services rendered, the County shall pay the Contractor the rates set forth in the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, attached hereto and incorporated hereto as "Appendix A." Any rate changes during the life of this contract will be submitted as amendments to this Contract.

### 3. TERMINATION

- a. By Contractor: Should the Contractor request termination of this Contract, a written notice of any such termination shall be provided to the County by the Contractor not less than ninety (90) days prior to the intended effective date of such action. In the event of such termination, the parties shall adjust the accounts due and the Contractor shall undertake no additional expenditures not already required.
- b. By County: This Contract may be terminated at any time by the County upon ten (10) days written notice to the Contractor. However, in the event the Contractor defaults in the performance of any of its obligations under this Contract, the County may terminate this Contract effective upon written notice at any time. Furthermore, should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Contract, the County shall have the option to immediately terminate this Contract upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such event, the County shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the County be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

#### 4. SCOPE OF SERVICES

Services performed pursuant to this Contract shall be provided in accordance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and in compliance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education of the State of New York set forth in 8 NYCRR 200.

- a. The Contractor shall provide appropriate Related Services for children with disabilities delivered on an itinerant basis subject to New York State Education Department (hereinafter "NYSED") and the appropriate Board of Education (hereinafter "BOE") approval. The parties hereto agree that "Related Services" as used herein shall have the same meaning as that term is defined in Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and 8 NYCRR 200.1(qq).
- b. The Contractor shall provide Related Services for children with disabilities during the school year. The school year is hereby defined as a July/August session from July 1 through August 31 and/or a September/June session from September 1 through June 30.
- c. The Contractor cannot begin providing Related Services to a child with disabilities until the BOE has approved the Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1 (System to Track and Account for Children), if the BOE uses the STAC 1, outlining the appropriate Related Services to be provided by the Contractor. The start date will be indicated on the STAC 1 and a copy shall be provided to the Contractor.
- d. All financial arrangements for services under this Contract shall be between the County and Contractor as outlined in the section entitled "Conditions of Payment" below. The County will maintain an approved Oneida County Related Services Provider List and ensure that the Contractor is a referral from this list approved by the New York State Department of Education for the County of Oneida.

#### 5. CONDITIONS OF PAYMENT:

The County, in accordance with the provisions of this Contract, shall reimburse the Contractor for expenditures made for contracted services as follows:

- a. The County will set rates for all related services delivered on an itinerant basis subject to NYSED approval.
- b. The County will provide payment of services rendered, as authorized on the child's Individualized Education Program (hereinafter "IEP") and the STAC 1 upon the Contractor's submission of a correctly completed voucher on a monthly basis. All submissions must include the required documentation as set forth in this Contract and any other documentation requested by the County. The Contractor shall maintain a copy of the child's IEP throughout the term of this Contract.
- c. The Contractor shall submit a voucher to the County for the services rendered not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of the July/August session and not later than fifteen (15) days after the end of each month for the September to June session.
- d. No payment shall be required to be made by the County prior to the receipt of Notification of Determination of Placement or STAC 1, if the BOE uses the STAC 1 as its notice of determination of placement.
- e. No parent or any person shall be required or requested to make payment for services in addition to the payments made by the County pursuant to this Contract.
- f. The Contractor must submit, for Medicaid eligible children, a signed Medicaid Provider Agreement and Reassignment form with the signed contract so the County can claim Medicaid reimbursement for the Related Services.

#### 6. MEDICAID COMPLIANCE:

The Contractor shall provide with the voucher the following information for all Medicaid eligible children enrolled in its programs pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law:

- a. Dates the child received a Related Service (e.g. physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, skilled nursing services and/or counseling, and transportation, as applicable).
- b. Documentation that each Related Service session was verified as delivered by the signature of the service provider.
- c. Copy of the Medicaid consent form to release child specific information signed by the parent of a child with a disability receiving Medicaid eligible services.
- d. All reporting requirements necessary for Medicaid compliance per Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law. The Contractor shall be responsible for reviewing Medicaid in Education notifications and changes, which can be found at <http://www.oms.nysed.gov/medicaid/>.
- e. Documentation evidencing the number of eligible Medicaid services by service type provided to each Medicaid eligible child pursuant to Section 4410 New York State Education Law.
- f. The Contractor shall obtain from the parent or person in parental relationship to the Medicaid eligible child receiving Related Services pursuant to Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law, the Client Identification Number (hereinafter "CIN"), period of eligibility and any other relevant third party health insurance information for

the purpose of establishing Medicaid as the “payer of last resort.” Nothing herein shall preclude the child’s enrollment and initiation of services in accordance with the Board’s Notice of Determination. A copy is to remain in the Contractor’s file.

## 7. COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW

The Contractor agrees that while performing under the terms of this Contract that the Contractor shall comply with all federal, New York State statutes and regulations, and all local rules and regulations.

## 8. CHILD ABUSE/MALTREATMENT MANDATE

- a. In compliance with Section 4410 of the New York State Education Law and Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law, the Contractor is required to screen and be cleared through the State Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (hereinafter “SCR”).
- b. The Contractor is responsible for screening and obtaining clearance through the SCR for the following individuals: (1) Any person who is actively being considered for employment and who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with children who receive preschool special education programs and Related Services; (2) Any person who is employed by an individual, corporation, partnership, or association that provides goods or services to approved preschool special education children.
- c. The Contractor is responsible for screening individuals through the SCR regardless of whether an individual has been screened through the SCR for employment or contract with another County or agency provider.
- d. The Contractor will not permit unsupervised contact between child and any potential employee or contractor before receiving a completed clearance and acceptable response from SCR.
- e. The Contractor will notify all individuals being screened that an inquiry will be made to the SCR and that this is a State requirement. The Contractor will establish procedures to ensure that the confidentiality of any SCR response is maintained. The Contractor will comply with SCR regulations in not screening employees more than once every six months, and one time only to the extent required by Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law for contractors, consultants and volunteers.
- f. Proof of SCR database check in accordance with Section 424-a of the New York State Social Services Law must be submitted to the County with the instant Contract and on an ongoing basis as required for special education services and programs for preschool children with disabilities.

## 9. CONFIDENTIALITY

The County and the Contractor shall hold in strict confidence all child records and disclose information and data in such records only to persons or entities as authorized or required by law or by written consent of the child’s representative. The Contractor further agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this Contract. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this Contract in conformity with the provisions of applicable Federal, State, and local laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, her agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this Contract.

## 10. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- a. Contractor employed therapists shall be presently qualified to provide Related Services in New York State and shall submit copies of all appropriate license(s) or certification(s) to the County and update these as necessary during the term of this Contract.
- b. Contractor agrees to attend Committee for Preschool Special Education (hereinafter “CPSE”) annual review meetings and program reviews as scheduled by the CPSE Chairperson or BOCES Coordinator for the child being served. The Contractor shall submit a copy of any reports necessary for review at these meetings to the County, as well as the CPSE Chairperson/BOCES Coordinator, at least ten (10) school days prior to the meeting date.
- c. **Speech pathologists** shall be required to obtain a written prescription (recommendation/order) for speech services signed and dated from (1) NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist OR (2) a physician, physician’s assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes the appropriate and current ICD code. The NYS Licensed and ASHA Certified Speech-Language Pathologist cannot write a referral if they have not seen the preschool child. According to 18 NYCRR 505.11, a written order must contain a diagnostic statement and purpose of treatment. It is not acceptable for the ordering or referring professional never to have met with the child as it is incompatible with the obligations of the ordering practitioner to assure that the ordered care, services or supplies will meet the recipients needs and restore him/her to the best possible functional level. Physician, physician assistants or nurse practitioner’s orders must be dated on or before the initiation of service. No direct or consultation services will be

- permitted unless an appropriately written prescription is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.
- d. **Physical Therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) from a physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
  - e. **Occupational therapists** must obtain a signed prescription (order/recommendation) signed and dated by a licensed physician or nurse practitioner which denotes an ICD code.
  - f. No direct or consultation services can be delivered unless an appropriately signed and dated prescription by the appropriate professional is obtained. A copy of this prescription must also be forwarded to the County with the initial bill.
  - g. The Contractor must obtain a current copy of the IEP from the CPSE Chairperson prior to start of service which will follow the BOE approval date. This is applicable to any later program changes on the IEP as well. The Contractor shall deliver services as specified on the IEP in the areas of remediation, frequency and duration of Related Services.
  - h. The Contractor shall submit an attendance and progress note for each session the child received Related Services on a monthly basis at the minimum, or with the invoice, whichever is presented first. All progress notes submitted must also have the signature and National Provider Identification (NPI) number of this licensed individual and title as well as the direct service provider and title.
  - i. The Contractor shall call the CPSE chairperson for a program review if services cannot be delivered as indicated on IEP due to child's absence, or if the therapist recommends a change in service or discharge.
  - j. The Contractor shall forward a copy of all documentation and justification for 12-month programming to the County and the CPSE prior to any scheduled program review or annual review, whenever such is recommended.
  - k. The Contractor shall meet with the child's parent/guardian at such times as appropriate during the year to discuss goals and progress. Whenever services are to be delivered in conjunction with a general education preschool program, the Contractor shall work with the program by communicating with staff, parents, school district and other therapists. An attempt will also be made to provide parent/guardian with follow up materials to be used at home to reinforce delivery of related services.
  - l. The Contractor shall inform the parent/guardian of his/her responsibility to ensure that the child's attendance enables him/her to benefit from the related services provided. The parent/guardian should be made aware of the need to alert the Contractor in a timely manner when the child will be absent or not available for Related Services if provided in the home.
  - m. If two or more Related Services are required for a child, the CPSE Chairperson shall select one of the therapists to act as a Coordinator of Service. If the CPSE determines that a Special Education Itinerant Teacher (hereinafter "SEIT") is to be provided in conjunction with one or more Related Services, the SEIT shall be responsible for the coordination of such services pursuant to Regulations of the Commissioner of Education. Compensation for such services is to be part of the NYSED established rates for the SEIT model.
  - n. The Contractor's progress notes addressing goals and objectives on the IEP must be completed quarterly. A copy of the progress notes must be provided to the parent, the CPSE Chairperson and the County.
  - o. Upon expiration of the term of this Contract, all files and records shall be retained by the Contractor for six (6) years from the last date of payment under this Contract.

## 11. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COORDINATOR OF SERVICE

- a. When two or more Related Services are mandated (not in conjunction with SEIT), the CPSE Chairperson will designate the coordinator of services from the list of approved Related Service providers maintained by the County. The coordinator must be one of the individuals/agencies providing Related Services to the child, as specified by the CPSE. It is suggested that, to the extent possible, service providers be selected from the same agency. It is the responsibility of the coordinator to stay thoroughly informed on all facets of the services provided to the child. In addition to duties as outlined in the section entitled "Reporting Requirements" above, the designated coordinator will perform appropriate coordination activities including but not limited to:
  - i. Arranging the schedule for service delivery, offering recommendations and consulting with the CPSE chairperson to resolve scheduling issues when appropriate.
  - ii. Sharing appropriate information with other Related Service providers for the appropriate integration of such services.
  - iii. Gathering appropriate progress reports and anecdotal information relating to the student's progress from all Related Service providers to ensure that the Coordinator has a general knowledge of the child's progress, as well as any significant considerations, in the Related Service area.
  - iv. Attend Annual Review meeting and other meetings, if requested by the CPSE chairperson. The coordinator is responsible to have all information on the child's progress and needs and is expected to represent the other therapists involved in the child's care at the CPSE meetings.
  - v. Conducting activities such as telephone conferences or other communication practices. Coordination activities must be documented and reported in half-hour service blocks on the Coordination Service Form.

- vi. Coordination services can be provided only by a licensed speech pathologist, physical therapist and occupational therapist.
- b. Billing for Coordination services shall not exceed 10 sessions or service blocks during a September/June session and 2 sessions or service blocks during a July/August session per child. One (1) session or service block consists of a half-hour and will be paid at the rate indicated under the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule. Each date of contact and length of time claimed for coordination during the month must be listed and identified. Periods of less than a half-hour block may be combined into half-hour service blocks of coordination services for billing purposes.

## 12. MAKE UP POLICY

- a. Reporting Absences. Habitual absences by the student should be reported to the school district (CPSE) and the Special Education Itinerant Teacher (SEIT) if the child receives SEIT services; if the child receives two or more Related Services, habitual absences shall be reported to the assigned Related Service coordinator appointed by the CPSE Chairperson.
- b. Student Absence or Cancellation. There shall be no makeup for therapy sessions provided under 4410 services which are missed due to a child's absence or cancellation (with or without notice). If a child's illness will necessitate canceling of service for several consecutive sessions, please request the parent/guardian call you to commence Related Services.
- c. Therapist Absence or Cancellation. Related Services which are missed due to the absence or cancellation of the therapist may be made up if the parent consents and the therapist's schedule permits. The makeup sessions must take place within the same week the Related Service was missed.
- d. Prolonged Absence of Therapist. When the therapist is absent for a prolonged period of time, the school district should be notified. The school district is responsible for arranging the replacement for the absent therapist. The school district is responsible for notifying the County of any change of a Related Service provider prior to the change so the County may give the new provider permission to begin services.
- e. Holidays and Other School Closings. The Contractor will follow the calendar of the local school district in which the child resides. Therefore, holiday and other school closings of that particular school district will apply. When Related Services are provided in a mainstream preschool setting, the preschool calendar will be followed except where written prior arrangements have been mandated by the school district and approved by the County.
- f. Limitations on Scheduling Therapy Makeup Sessions. Makeup sessions must be clearly documented on the appropriate session notes with reasons for the makeup session.

## 13. INSURANCE

The Contractor shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate during the term of this Contract. The Contractor shall also maintain general liability insurance and will provide the County with proof of coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the County named as "additional insured" on the general liability policy and to provide the County with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing proof of insurance as stated heretofore. The Contractor further agrees to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without prior notice to the County of at least thirty (30) days. The Contractor grants Oneida County a limited power of attorney to communicate with the Contractor's insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverage required hereunder.

## 14. INDEMNIFICATION

The Contractor agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the Contractor or her agents, contractors, subcontractors, servants or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the Contractor or failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this Contract.

## 15. EXCLUSIVITY

- a. The County retains the right to reassign children receiving Related Services under the terms of this Contract to other Contractors or its own employees.
- b. The County retains the right to contract with other independent contractors for such services which are the same or similar to those provided by the Contractor, or to provide such services to its eligible children through its own employees. The Contractor retains the right to provide services directly or indirectly through contract with another agency, to persons who are not classified preschool aged children with a disability receiving Related Services in Oneida County.

**16. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS**

- a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Contractor to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Contractor shall not be considered an employee of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Contractor, in accordance with her status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that she will conduct herself in accordance with such status, that she will neither hold herself out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the County by reason thereof and that she will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.
- b. Contractor warrants and represents that she is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Contractor and County agree that Contractor is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Contract, and may continue to make her services available to the public.
- c. The Contractor shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
- d. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that neither Contractor, nor her employees and agents, shall be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
- e. Contractor shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Contractor or its employees and agents under this Contract, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Contractor's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with respect to the employees and agents, including payroll deductions, workers compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Contractor shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Contract.
- f. The Contractor will indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.
- g. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Contractor's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.
- h. The Contractor agrees to comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the United States Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and civil rights requirements.

**17. SUBCONTRACT**

The Contractor may not assign the Contractor's rights and obligations under this Contract, or subcontract with or employ another to provide the services described above of this Contract, without the prior written consent of the County.

**18. EXPENSES**

Contractor is solely responsible for paying all of her business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

**19. TRAINING**

Contractor shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County. Contractor shall be fully responsible for her or her own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

**20. ADVICE OF COUNSEL**

Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Contract, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Contract.



**ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

The terms of this contract, the Oneida County Related Service Rates Schedule, the attached Standard Oneida County Conditions Addendum, and any other attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, are deemed incorporated herein in their entirety and constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this contract. No wavier, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this contract shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have executed this Contract.

ONEIDA COUNTY

CONTRACTOR

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

BY: Gene DeCondo  
Gene DeCondo, Executive Director  
Upstate Cerebral Palsy

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: 6/20/18

Approved

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Raymond F Bara  
Assistant County Attorney



**APPENDIX A  
ONEIDA COUNTY RELATED SERVICE RATES SCHEDULE**

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM INDIVIDUAL HALF HOUR RATE	MAXIMUM COORDINATOR RATE
PER HALF-		HOUR BLOCK

Audiology	\$53	\$30
Assistive Technology Services	\$53	
Counseling Services	\$53	\$30
Occupational Therapy	\$53	\$30
Orientation & Mobility Services	\$53	
Physical Therapy	\$53	\$30
Speech Therapy	\$53	\$30
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$53	
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$53	
Aide 1:1	\$10	

RELATED SERVICE	MAXIMUM GROUP HALF HOUR RATE
Assistive Technology Services	\$25.00
Audiology	\$25.00
Counseling Services	\$25.00
Occupational Therapy	\$25.00
Physical Therapy	\$25.00
Speech Therapy	\$25.00
Teacher of Hearing Impaired	\$25.00
Teacher of Visually Impaired	\$25.00

## APPENDIX B

### ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
- i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
- i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;

- B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
      - C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and
      - D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;
    - ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
  - c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
    - i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
      - A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
      - B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

- 1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or

2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and

- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the



County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;

- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so

are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set

forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from

public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from

another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application; request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### 17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### 18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the "use of tobacco" shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including:



chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.

- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.
- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida;  
and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.

# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

## ADMINISTRATION

Phone: (315) 798-6400 Fax: (315) 266-6138

July 31, 2018

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

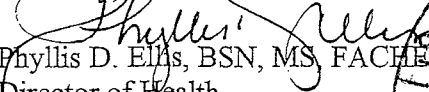
Attached are two (2) copies of a multi-year grant between Oneida County, through its Health Department's Environmental Health Division, and the New York State Department of Health.

The Bureau of Community Environmental Health and Food Protection (BCEHFP) is responsible for the implementation and oversight of the New York State Public Health Law, Article 13-F, also known as the Adolescent Tobacco Use Prevention Act (ATUPA). The ATUPA prohibits the sale of cigarettes, cigars, chewing tobacco, powdered tobacco, shisha or other tobacco products, herbal cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, rolling papers or smoking paraphernalia to persons under 18 years of age. The BCEHFP also oversees enforcement of the New York State Public Health Law, Article 13-E, known as the Clean Indoor Air Act (CIAA), which prohibits smoking in all indoor public areas and work places. Under this contract, the program participant is responsible for enforcing the ATUPA and CIAA which includes conducting unannounced compliance checks of retail tobacco dealers and vendors using under age youth, educating facility operators, responding to public inquires, responding to complaints about non-compliance, and initiating enforcement against violators, fulfilling all program reporting requirements.

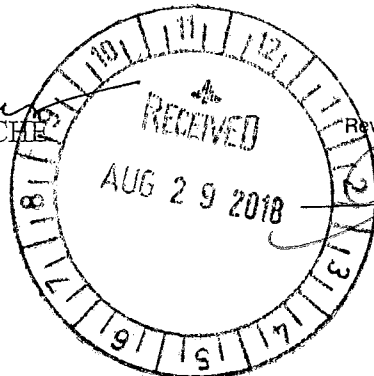
This is a multi-year grant from April 1, 2018 through March 31, 2023 in the amount of \$350,230.00 and is 100% state funded. Projected funding amounts- are expected to remain steady at an annual rate of \$70,046.00.

This is a program mandated by Public Health Law. If this meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators. The reason this grant is being forwarded for signature after the commencement date is due to delays in processing. Feel free to contact me should you require further information.

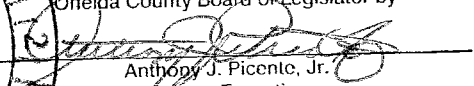
Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, FACHE  
Director of Health

attachments  
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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-24-18

Oneida Co. Department: Public Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Grant renewal

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** NYS Department of Health  
Corning Tower, Rm 1619  
Empire State Plaza  
Albany, NY 12237

**Title of Activity or Service:** Tobacco Enforcement Program

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** April 1, 2018 through March 31, 2023

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** All Oneida County residents

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

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**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes** Enforcement of ATUPA and CIAA will include conducting unannounced compliance checks of retail tobacco dealers and vendors using underage youth, educating facility operators, responding to public inquires, responding to complaints about non-compliance, initiating enforcement against violators, fulfilling all program reporting requirements. The Health Department submits a quarterly report of compliance checks, complaint investigation, non-registered vendors, enforcement actions and names and addresses of violators penalized and/or fined to the Bureau of Community Sanitation and Food Protection.

**3) Program Design and Staffing:** \$16,911.00 staff salary allocation and subcontracted activities to the Oneida County Sheriff

**Total Funding Requested:** \$350,230.00

**Expense Account:** A4018

**Revenue Account:** A3401.05

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$350,230.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** 100% State funded.

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** 100% State funded

**STATE OF NEW YORK MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS FACE PAGE**

<p>STATE AGENCY (Name &amp; Address):                  Department of Health                   Department of Health                  Corning Tower                  Empire State Plaza                  Albany, NY 12237</p>	<p>BUSINESS UNIT/DEPT. ID:     DOH01                  CONTRACT NUMBER:     DOH01-C33461GG-3450000                  CONTRACT TYPE:  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-Year Agreement  <input type="checkbox"/> Simplified Renewal Agreement  <input type="checkbox"/> Fixed Term Agreement</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME:                  ONEIDA COUNTY OF</p>	<p>TRANSACTION TYPE:  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New  <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal  <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR DOS INCORPORATED NAME:                  Oneida County Public Health Department</p>	<p>PROJECT NAME:                  Tobacco Enforcement Program</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS:                   NYS Vendor ID Number:     1000002595                  Federal Tax ID Number:     156000460                  DUNS Number (if applicable):     075814186</p>	<p>AGENCY IDENTIFIER:                   CFDA NUMBER (Federally Funded Grants Only):</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR PRIMARY MAILING ADDRESS:                  185 GENESEE ST 4TH FL                  UTICA, NY 13501</p> <p>CONTRACTOR PAYMENT ADDRESS:  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if same as primary mailing address                  800 PARK AVE                  UTICA, NY 13501</p> <p>CONTRACT MAILING ADDRESS:  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if same as primary mailing address</p>	<p>CONTRACTOR STATUS:   <input type="checkbox"/> For Profit  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Municipality, Code:     300100000000  <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Nation  <input type="checkbox"/> Individual  <input type="checkbox"/> Not-for-Profit</p> <p>Charities Registration Number:                   Exemption State/Code:   <input type="checkbox"/> Sectarian Entity</p>

Contract Number: #     DOH01-C33461GG-3450000

**STATE OF NEW YORK MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS FACE PAGE**

<p><b>CURRENT CONTRACT TERM:</b></p> <p>From: 04/01/2018                      To: 03/31/2023</p> <p><b>CURRENT CONTRACT PERIOD:</b></p> <p>From: 04/01/2018                      To: 03/31/2023</p> <p><b>AMENDED TERM:</b></p> <p>From:    To:</p> <p><b>AMENDED PERIOD:</b></p> <p>From:    To:</p>	<p><b>CONTRACT FUNDING AMOUNT</b></p> <p>(Multi-year - enter total projected amount of the contract; Fixed Term/Simplified Renewal - enter current period amount):</p> <p>CURRENT:        \$350,230.00</p> <p><b>AMENDED:</b></p> <p><b>FUNDING SOURCE(S)</b></p> <p align="center"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State  <input type="checkbox"/> Federal  <input type="checkbox"/> Other         </p>
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*FOR MULTI-YEAR AGREEMENTS ONLY - CONTRACT AND FUNDING AMOUNT:*

(Out years represents projected funding amounts)

#	CURRENT PERIOD	CURRENT AMOUNT	AMENDED PERIOD	AMENDED AMOUNT
1	04/01/2018-03/31/2019	\$70,046.00		
2	04/01/2019-03/31/2020	\$70,046.00		
3	04/01/2020-03/31/2021	\$70,046.00		
4	04/01/2021-03/31/2022	\$70,046.00		
5	04/01/2022-03/31/2023	\$70,046.00		

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ATTACHMENTS PART OF THIS AGREEMENT:

Attachment A:  A-1 Program Specific Terms and Conditions  
 A-2 Federally Funded Grants

Attachment B:  B-1 Expenditure Based Budget  
 B-2 Performance Based Budget  
 B-3 Capital Budget  
 B-4 Net Deficit Budget  
 B-1 (A) Expenditure Based Budget (Amendment)  
 B-2 (A) Performance Based Budget (Amendment)  
 B-3 (A) Capital Budget (Amendment)  
 B-4 (A) Net Deficit Budget (Amendment)

Attachment C: Work Plan

Attachment D: Payment and Reporting Schedule

Other: Attachment M: MWBE Requirements & Procedures

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IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have electronically executed or approved this Master Contract on the dates below their signature.

In addition, I, acting in the capacity as Contractor, certify that I am the signing authority, or have been delegated or designated formally as the signing authority by the appropriate authority or officials, and as such I do agree, and I have the authority to agree, to all of the terms and conditions set forth in the Master Contract, including all appendices and attachments. I understand that (i) payment of a claim on this Master Contract is conditioned upon the Contractor's compliance with all applicable conditions of participation in this program and ( if I am acting in the capacity as a not-for profit Contractor) the accuracy and completeness of information submitted to the State of New York through the Gateway vendor prequalification process and (ii) by electronically indicating my acceptance of the terms and conditions of the Master Contract, I certify that (a) to the extent that the Contractor is required to register and/or file reports with the Office of Attorney General's Charities Bureau ("Charities Bureau"), the Contractor's registration is current, all applicable reports have been filed, and the Contractor has no outstanding requests from the Charities Bureau relating to its filings and (b) all data and responses in the application submitted by the Contractor are true, complete and accurate. I also understand that use of my assigned User ID and Password on the State's contract management system is equivalent to having placed my signature on the Master Contract and that I am responsible for any activity attributable to the use of my User ID and Password. Additionally, any information entered will be considered to have been entered and provided at my direction. I further certify and agree that the Contractor agrees to waive any claim that this electronic record or signature is inadmissible in court, notwithstanding the choice of law provisions.

CONTRACTOR:

ONEIDA COUNTY OF

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

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

In addition, the party below certifies that it has verified the electronic signature of the Contractor to this Master Contract.

STATE AGENCY:

Department of Health

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

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE  
APPROVED AS TO FORM

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

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

STATE COMPTROLLER'S SIGNATURE

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

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Contract Number: # DOH01-C33461GG-3450000

**STATE OF NEW YORK  
MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS**

This State of New York Master Contract for Grants (Master Contract) is hereby made by and between the State of New York acting by and through the applicable State Agency (State) and the public or private entity (Contractor) identified on the face page hereof (Face Page).

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the State has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services, design or the execution and performance of construction projects, as applicable and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services or work, as applicable; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor is ready, willing and able to provide such program services or the execution and performance of construction projects and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services or work, as applicable, required pursuant to the terms of the Master Contract;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities, and covenants herein, the State and the Contractor agree as follows:

**STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**I. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

**A. Executory Clause:** In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under the Master Contract to the Contractor, or to anyone else, beyond funds appropriated and available for the Master Contract.

**B. Required Approvals:** In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if the Master Contract is with the State University of New York (SUNY) or City University of New York (CUNY), Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if the Master Contract exceeds \$50,000 (or \$85,000 for contracts let by the Office of General Services, or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) for certain SUNY and CUNY contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount including, but not limited to, changes in amount, consideration, scope or contract term identified on the Face Page (Contract Term), it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the New York Attorney General Contract Approval Unit (AG) and OSC. If, by the Master Contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the AG and OSC.

**Budget Changes:** An amendment that would result in a transfer of funds among program activities or budget cost categories that does not affect the amount, consideration, scope or other terms of such contract may be subject to the approval of the AG and OSC where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of less than five million dollars, or five percent for contracts of more than



five million dollars; and, in addition, such amendment may be subject to prior approval by the applicable State Agency as detailed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

### **C. Order of Precedence:**

In the event of a conflict among (i) the terms of the Master Contract (including any and all attachments and amendments) or (ii) between the terms of the Master Contract and the original request for proposal, the program application or other attachment that was completed and executed by the Contractor in connection with the Master Contract, the order of precedence is as follows:

1. Standard Terms and Conditions
2. Modifications to the Face Page
3. Modifications to Attachment A-2<sup>1</sup>, Attachment B, Attachment C and Attachment D
4. The Face Page
5. Attachment A-2<sup>2</sup>, Attachment B, Attachment C and Attachment D
6. Modification to Attachment A-1
7. Attachment A-1
8. Other attachments, including, but not limited to, the request for proposal or program application

**D. Funding:** Funding for the term of the Master Contract shall not exceed the amount specified as “Contract Funding Amount” on the Face Page or as subsequently revised to reflect an approved renewal or cost amendment. Funding for the initial and subsequent periods of the Master Contract shall not exceed the applicable amounts specified in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget).

**E. Contract Performance:** The Contractor shall perform all services or work, as applicable, and comply with all provisions of the Master Contract to the satisfaction of the State. The Contractor shall provide services or work, as applicable, and meet the program objectives summarized in Attachment C (Work Plan) in accordance with the provisions of the Master Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative, program and fiscal guidelines, and where applicable, operating certificate for facilities or licenses for an activity or program.

**F. Modifications:** To modify the Attachments or Face Page, the parties mutually agree to record, in writing, the terms of such modification and to revise or complete the Face Page and all the appropriate attachments in conjunction therewith. In addition, to the extent that such modification meets the criteria set forth in Section I.B herein, it shall be subject to the approval of the AG and

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<sup>1</sup> To the extent that the modifications to Attachment A-2 are required by Federal requirements and conflict with other provisions of the Master Contract, the modifications to Attachment A-2 shall supersede all other provisions of this Master Contract. See Section I(V).

<sup>2</sup> To the extent that the terms of Attachment A-2 are required by Federal requirements and conflict with other provisions of the Master Contract, the Federal requirements of Attachment A-2 shall supersede all other provisions of this Master Contract. See Section I(V). Contract Number: # DOH01-C33461GG-3450000

OSC before it shall become valid, effective and binding upon the State. Modifications that are not subject to the AG and OSC approval shall be processed in accordance with the guidelines stated in the Master Contract.

**G. Governing Law:** The Master Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

**H. Severability:** Any provision of the Master Contract that is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be ineffective only to the extent of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability, without affecting in any way the remaining provisions hereof; provided, however, that the parties to the Master Contract shall attempt in good faith to reform the Master Contract in a manner consistent with the intent of any such ineffective provision for the purpose of carrying out such intent. If any provision is held void, invalid or unenforceable with respect to particular circumstances, it shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect in all other circumstances.

**I. Interpretation:** The headings in the Master Contract are inserted for convenience and reference only and do not modify or restrict any of the provisions herein. All personal pronouns used herein shall be considered to be gender neutral. The Master Contract has been made under the laws of the State of New York, and the venue for resolving any disputes hereunder shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**J. Notice:**

1. All notices, except for notices of termination, shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:
  - a) by certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b) by facsimile transmission;
  - c) by personal delivery;
  - d) by expedited delivery service; or
  - e) by e-mail.
2. Notices to the State shall be addressed to the Program Office designated in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).
3. Notices to the Contractor shall be addressed to the Contractor's designee as designated in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).
4. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or e-mail, upon receipt.
5. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different e-mail address, facsimile number or address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under the

Master Contract by giving fifteen (15) calendar days prior written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of receiving notices under the Master Contract. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation, administration, billing and resolving issues and/or disputes.

**K. Service of Process:** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules (CPLR), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. The Contractor shall have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

**L. Set-Off Rights:** The State shall have all of its common law, equitable, and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold, for the purposes of set-off, any moneys due to the Contractor under the Master Contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to the Master Contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of the Master Contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies, or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State Agency, its representatives, or OSC.

**M. Indemnification:** The Contractor shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the Contractor or its subcontractors pursuant to this Master Contract. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the State and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and cost of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to the Master Contract.

**N. Non-Assignment Clause:** In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, the Master Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet, or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so shall be considered to be null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract, let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law, may be waived at the discretion of the State Agency and with the concurrence of OSC, where the original contract was subject to OSC's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger, or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that the merged contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless the Master Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

**O. Legal Action:** No litigation or regulatory action shall be brought against the State of New York, the State Agency, or against any county or other local government entity with funds provided under the Master Contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from

any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity. The term “regulatory action” shall include commencing or threatening to commence a regulatory proceeding, or requesting any regulatory relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity.

**P. No Arbitration:** Disputes involving the Master Contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**Q. Secular Purpose:** Services performed pursuant to the Master Contract are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

**R. Partisan Political Activity and Lobbying:** Funds provided pursuant to the Master Contract shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that attempt to influence legislation or election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

**S. Reciprocity and Sanctions Provisions:** The Contractor is hereby notified that if its principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state, or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services it offers shall be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that it be denied contracts which it would otherwise obtain.<sup>3</sup>

**T. Reporting Fraud and Abuse:** Contractor acknowledges that it has reviewed information on how to prevent, detect, and report fraud, waste and abuse of public funds, including information about the Federal False Claims Act, the New York State False Claims Act, and whistleblower protections.

**U. Non-Collusive Bidding:** By submission of this bid, the Contractor and each person signing on behalf of the Contractor certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive binding certification on the Contractor’s behalf.

**V. Federally Funded Grants and Requirements Mandated by Federal Laws:** All of the Specific Federal requirements that are applicable to the Master Contract are identified in Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants and Requirements Mandated by Federal Laws) hereto. To the extent that the Master Contract is funded in whole or part with Federal funds or mandated by Federal laws, (i) the provisions of the Master Contract that conflict with Federal rules, Federal regulations, or Federal program specific requirements shall not apply and (ii) the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable Federal rules, regulations and program specific requirements including, but not limited to, those provisions that are set forth in Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants and Requirements Mandated by Federal Laws) hereto.

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<sup>3</sup>As of October 9, 2012, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of Alaska, Hawaii, Louisiana, South Carolina, West Virginia and Wyoming. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for the most current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

## II. TERM, TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

**A. Term:** The term of the Master Contract shall be as specified on the Face Page, unless terminated sooner as provided herein.

**B. Renewal:**

**1. General Renewal:** The Master Contract may consist of successive periods on the same terms and conditions, as specified within the Master Contract (a “Simplified Renewal Contract”). Each additional or superseding period shall be on the forms specified by the State and shall be incorporated in the Master Contract.

**2. Renewal Notice to Not-for-Profit Contractors:**

a) Pursuant to State Finance Law §179-t, if the Master Contract is with a not-for-profit Contractor and provides for a renewal option, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State’s intent to renew or not to renew the Master Contract no later than ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Master Contract, unless funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation. If funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State’s intent to renew or not to renew the Master Contract the later of: (1) ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Master Contract, and (2) thirty (30) calendar days after the necessary appropriation becomes law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the State is unable to comply with the time frames set forth in this paragraph due to unusual circumstances beyond the control of the State (“Unusual Circumstances”), no payment of interest shall be due to the not-for-profit Contractor. For purposes of State Finance Law §179-t, “Unusual Circumstances” shall not mean the failure by the State to (i) plan for implementation of a program, (ii) assign sufficient staff resources to implement a program, (iii) establish a schedule for the implementation of a program or (iv) anticipate any other reasonably foreseeable circumstance.

b) Notification to the not-for-profit Contractor of the State’s intent to not renew the Master Contract must be in writing in the form of a letter, with the reason(s) for the non-renewal included. If the State does not provide notice to the not-for-profit Contractor of its intent not to renew the Master Contract as required in this Section and State Finance Law §179-t, the Master Contract shall be deemed continued until the date the State provides the necessary notice to the Contractor, in accordance with State Finance Law §179-t. Expenses incurred by the not-for-profit Contractor during such extension shall be reimbursable under the terms of the Master Contract.

## C. Termination:

### 1. Grounds:

- a) Mutual Consent: The Master Contract may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the State and the Contractor.
- b) Cause: The State may terminate the Master Contract immediately, upon written notice of termination to the Contractor, if the Contractor fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of the Master Contract and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies, or procedures that are applicable to the Master Contract.
- c) Non-Responsibility: In accordance with the provisions of Sections IV(N)(6) and (7) herein, the State may make a final determination that the Contractor is non-responsible (Determination of Non-Responsibility). In such event, the State may terminate the Master Contract at the Contractor's expense, complete the contractual requirements in any manner the State deems advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.
- d) Convenience: The State may terminate the Master Contract in its sole discretion upon thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice.
- e) Lack of Funds: If for any reason the State or the Federal government terminates or reduces its appropriation to the applicable State Agency entering into the Master Contract or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of one or more programs funded under this Master Contract, the Master Contract may be terminated or reduced at the State Agency's discretion, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor where funds are available to the State Agency for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Master Contract, all remaining funds paid to the Contractor that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor shall be returned to the State Agency. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by the State (including the State Agency) beyond monies available for the purposes of the Master Contract. The Contractor acknowledges that any funds due to the State Agency or the State of New York because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be the Contractor's responsibility.
- f) Force Majeure: The State may terminate or suspend its performance under the Master Contract immediately upon the occurrence of a "force majeure." For purposes of the Master Contract, "Force majeure" shall include, but not be limited to, natural disasters, war, rebellion, insurrection, riot, strikes, lockout and any unforeseen circumstances and acts beyond the control of the State which render the performance of its obligations impossible.

### 2. Notice of Termination:

- a) Service of notice: Written notice of termination shall be sent by:
  - (i) personal messenger service; or
  - (ii) certified mail, return receipt requested and first class mail.

b) Effective date of termination: The effective date of the termination shall be the later of (i) the date indicated in the notice and (ii) the date the notice is received by the Contractor, and shall be established as follows:

(i) if the notice is delivered by hand, the date of receipt shall be established by the receipt given to the Contractor or by affidavit of the individual making such hand delivery attesting to the date of delivery; or

(ii) if the notice is delivered by registered or certified mail, by the receipt returned from the United States Postal Service, or if no receipt is returned, five (5) business days from the date of mailing of the first class letter, postage prepaid, in a depository under the care and control of the United States Postal Service.

### **3. *Effect of Notice and Termination on State's Payment Obligations:***

a) Upon receipt of notice of termination, the Contractor agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the State.

b) The State shall be responsible for payment on claims for services or work provided and costs incurred pursuant to the terms of the Master Contract. In no event shall the State be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the requirements of the Master Contract after its termination date.

### **4. *Effect of Termination Based on Misuse or Conversion of State or Federal Property:***

Where the Master Contract is terminated for cause based on Contractor's failure to use some or all of the real property or equipment purchased pursuant to the Master Contract for the purposes set forth herein, the State may, at its option, require:

a) the repayment to the State of any monies previously paid to the Contractor; or

b) the return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of the Master Contract; or

c) an appropriate combination of clauses (a) and (b) of Section II(C)(4) herein.

Nothing herein shall be intended to limit the State's ability to pursue such other legal or equitable remedies as may be available.

**D. Suspension:** The State may, in its discretion, order the Contractor to suspend performance for a reasonable period of time. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given a formal written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor shall comply with the particulars of the notice. The State shall have no obligation to reimburse Contractor's expenses during such suspension period. Activities may resume at such time as the State issues a formal written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Master Contract.

### III. PAYMENT AND REPORTING

#### A. Terms and Conditions:

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, the State Agency agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page.
2. The State has no obligation to make payment until all required approvals, including the approval of the AG and OSC, if required, have been obtained. Contractor obligations or expenditures that precede the start date of the Master Contract shall not be reimbursed.
3. Contractor must provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the State in order to receive payment. Provided, however, the State may, at its discretion, automatically generate a voucher in accordance with an approved contract payment schedule. Billing invoices submitted to the State must contain all information and supporting documentation required by Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein. The State may require the Contractor to submit billing invoices electronically.
4. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the head of the State Agency, in the sole discretion of the head of such State Agency, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with OSC's procedures and practices to authorize electronic payments.
5. If travel expenses are an approved expenditure under the Master Contract, travel expenses shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Contractor, the OSC guidelines, or United States General Services Administration rates. No out-of-state travel costs shall be permitted unless specifically detailed and pre-approved by the State.
6. Timeliness of advance payments or other claims for reimbursement, and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment, shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.
7. Article 11-B of the State Finance Law sets forth certain time frames for the Full Execution of contracts or renewal contracts with not-for-profit organizations and the implementation of any program plan associated with such contract. For purposes of this section, "Full Execution" shall mean that the contract has been signed by all parties thereto and has obtained the approval of the AG and OSC. Any interest to be paid on a missed payment to the Contractor based on a delay in the Full Execution of the Master Contract shall be governed by Article 11-B of the State Finance Law.



## **B. Advance Payment and Recoupment:**

1. Advance payments, which the State in its sole discretion may make to not-for-profit grant recipients, shall be made and recouped in accordance with State Finance Law Section 179(u), this Section and the provisions of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).
2. Initial advance payments made by the State to not-for-profit grant recipients shall be due no later than thirty (30) calendar days, excluding legal holidays, after the first day of the Contract Term or, if renewed, in the period identified on the Face Page. Subsequent advance payments made by the State to not-for-profit grant recipients shall be due no later than thirty (30) calendar days, excluding legal holidays, after the dates specified in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).
3. For subsequent contract years in multi-year contracts, Contractor will be notified of the scheduled advance payments for the upcoming contract year no later than 90 days prior to the commencement of the contract year. For simplified renewals, the payment schedule (Attachment D) will be modified as part of the renewal process.
4. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting the percentage of subsequent claims listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein and such claims shall be reduced until the advance is fully recovered within the Contract Term. Any unexpended advance balance at the end of the Contract Term shall be refunded by the Contractor to the State.
5. If for any reason the amount of any claim is not sufficient to cover the proportionate advance amount to be recovered, then subsequent claims may be reduced until the advance is fully recovered.

## **C. Claims for Reimbursement:**

1. The Contractor shall submit claims for the reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the State under the Master Contract in accordance with this Section and the applicable claiming schedule in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget) and during the Contract Term. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: (i) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and (ii) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program. Requirement (ii) does not apply to grants funded pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation.

2. Consistent with the selected reimbursement claiming schedule in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the appropriate following provisions:
  - a) Quarterly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency quarterly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

b) Monthly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency monthly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

c) Biannual Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency biannually voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

d) Milestone/Performance Reimbursement:<sup>4</sup> Requests for payment based upon an event or milestone may be either severable or cumulative. A severable event/milestone is independent of accomplishment of any other event. If the event is cumulative, the successful completion of an event or milestone is dependent on the previous completion of another event.

Milestone payments shall be made to the Contractor when requested in a form approved by the State, and at frequencies and in amounts stated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The State Agency shall make milestone payments subject to the Contractor's satisfactory performance.

e) Fee for Service Reimbursement:<sup>5</sup> Payment shall be limited to only those fees specifically agreed upon in the Master Contract and shall be payable no more frequently than monthly upon submission of a voucher by the contractor.

f) Rate Based Reimbursement:<sup>6</sup> Payment shall be limited to rate(s) established in the Master Contract. Payment may be requested no more frequently than monthly.

g) Scheduled Reimbursement:<sup>7</sup> The State Agency shall generate vouchers at the frequencies and amounts as set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), and service reports shall be used to determine funding levels appropriate to the next annual contract period.

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<sup>4</sup> A milestone/ performance payment schedule identifies mutually agreed-to payment amounts based on meeting contract events or milestones. Events or milestones must represent integral and meaningful aspects of contract performance and should signify true progress in completing the Master Contract effort.

<sup>5</sup> Fee for Service is a rate established by the Contractor for a service or services rendered.

<sup>6</sup> Rate based agreements are those agreements in which payment is premised upon a specific established rate per unit.

<sup>7</sup> Scheduled Reimbursement agreements provide for payments that occur at defined and regular intervals that provide for a specified dollar amount to be paid to the Contractor at the beginning of each payment period (i.e. quarterly, monthly or bi-annually). While these payments are related to the particular services and outcomes defined in the Master Contract, they are not dependent upon particular services or expenses in any one payment period and provide the Contractor with a defined and regular payment over the life of the contract.

h) Interim Reimbursement: The State Agency shall generate vouchers on an interim basis and at the amounts requested by the Contractor as set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

i) Fifth Quarter Payments.<sup>8</sup> Fifth quarter payment shall be paid to the Contractor at the conclusion of the final scheduled payment period of the preceding contract period. The State Agency shall use a written directive for fifth quarter financing. The State Agency shall generate a voucher in the fourth quarter of the current contract year to pay the scheduled payment for the next contract year.

3. The Contractor shall also submit supporting fiscal documentation for the expenses claimed.
4. The State reserves the right to withhold up to fifteen percent (15%) of the total amount of the Master Contract as security for the faithful completion of services or work, as applicable, under the Master Contract. This amount may be withheld in whole or in part from any single payment or combination of payments otherwise due under the Master Contract. In the event that such withheld funds are insufficient to satisfy Contractor's obligations to the State, the State may pursue all available remedies, including the right of setoff and recoupment.
5. The State shall not be liable for payments on the Master Contract if it is made pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation if insufficient monies are available pursuant to Section 99-d of the State Finance Law.
6. All vouchers submitted by the Contractor pursuant to the Master Contract shall be submitted to the State Agency no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the end date of the period for which reimbursement is claimed. In no event shall the amount received by the Contractor exceed the budget amount approved by the State Agency, and, if actual expenditures by the Contractor are less than such sum, the amount payable by the State Agency to the Contractor shall not exceed the amount of actual expenditures.
7. All obligations must be incurred prior to the end date of the contract. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section III(C)(6) above, with respect to the final period for which reimbursement is claimed, so long as the obligations were incurred prior to the end date of the contract, the Contractor shall have up to ninety (90) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures; provided, however, that if the Master Contract is funded, in whole or in part, with Federal funds, the Contractor shall have up to sixty (60) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures.

#### **D. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification:**

1. Every voucher or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a State Agency by the Contractor, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property, must include the Contractor's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System, and any or all of the following identification numbers: (i) the Contractor's Federal employer identification number,

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<sup>8</sup> Fifth Quarter Payments occurs where there are scheduled payments and where there is an expectation that services will be continued through renewals or subsequent contracts. Fifth Quarter Payments allow for the continuation of scheduled payments to a Contractor for the first payment period quarter of an anticipated renewal or new contract.

(ii) the Contractor's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) DUNS number. Failure to include such identification number or numbers may delay payment by the State to the Contractor. Where the Contractor does not have such number or numbers, the Contractor, on its voucher or Claim for Payment, must provide the reason or reasons for why the Contractor does not have such number or numbers.

2. The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the State Agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by the Master Contract. This information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York, 12236.

#### **E. Refunds:**

1. In the event that the Contractor must make a refund to the State for Master Contract-related activities, including repayment of an advance or an audit disallowance, payment must be made payable as set forth in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions). The Contractor must reference the contract number with its payment and include a brief explanation of why the refund is being made. Refund payments must be submitted to the Designated Refund Office at the address specified in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).

2. If at the end or termination of the Master Contract, there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under the Master Contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall make payment within forty-five (45) calendar days of the end or termination of the Master Contract. In the event that the Contractor fails to refund such balance the State may pursue all available remedies.

**F. Outstanding Amounts Owed to the State:** Prior period overpayments (including, but not limited to, contract advances in excess of actual expenditures) and/or audit recoveries associated with the Contractor may be recouped against future payments made under this Master Contract to Contractor. The recoupment generally begins with the first payment made to the Contractor following identification of the overpayment and/or audit recovery amount. In the event that there are no payments to apply recoveries against, the Contractor shall make payment as provided in Section III(E) (Refunds) herein.

#### **G. Program and Fiscal Reporting Requirements:**

1. The Contractor shall submit required periodic reports in accordance with the applicable schedule provided in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). All required reports or other work products developed pursuant to the Master Contract must be completed as provided by the agreed upon work schedule in a manner satisfactory and acceptable to the State Agency in order for the Contractor to be eligible for payment.

2. Consistent with the selected reporting options in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the following applicable provisions:

a) If the Expenditure Based Reports option is indicated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide the State Agency with one or more of the following reports as required by the following provisions and Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

- (i) *Narrative/Qualitative Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a report, in narrative form, summarizing the services rendered during the quarter. This report shall detail how the Contractor has progressed toward attaining the qualitative goals enumerated in Attachment C (Work Plan). This report should address all goals and objectives of the project and include a discussion of problems encountered and steps taken to solve them.
- (ii) *Statistical/Quantitative Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed report analyzing the quantitative aspects of the program plan, as appropriate (e.g., number of meals served, clients transported, patient/client encounters, procedures performed, training sessions conducted, etc.)
- (iii) *Expenditure Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed expenditure report, by object of expense. This report shall accompany the voucher submitted for such period.
- (iv) *Final Report*: The Contractor shall submit a final report as required by the Master Contract, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) which reports on all aspects of the program and detailing how the use of funds were utilized in achieving the goals set forth in Attachment C (Work Plan).
- (v) *Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR)*: The Contractor shall submit a CFR, which includes a year-end cost report and final claim not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

b) If the Performance-Based Reports option is indicated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide the State Agency with the following reports as required by the following provisions and Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

- (i) *Progress Report*: The Contractor shall provide the State Agency with a written progress report using the forms and formats as provided by the State Agency, summarizing the work performed during the period. These reports shall detail the Contractor's progress toward attaining the specific goals enumerated in Attachment C (Work Plan). Progress reports shall be submitted in a format prescribed in the Master Contract.

(ii) *Final Progress Report*: Final scheduled payment is due during the time period set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The deadline for submission of the final report shall be the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The State Agency shall complete its audit and notify the Contractor of the results no later than the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). Payment shall be adjusted by the State Agency to reflect only those services/expenditures that were made in accordance with the Master Contract. The Contractor shall submit a detailed comprehensive final progress report not later than the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), summarizing the work performed during the entire Contract Term (i.e., a cumulative report), in the forms and formats required.

3. In addition to the periodic reports stated above, the Contractor may be required (a) to submit such other reports as are required in Table 1 of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), and (b) prior to receipt of final payment under the Master Contract, to submit one or more final reports in accordance with the form, content, and schedule stated in Table 1 of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

#### **H. Notification of Significant Occurrences:**

1. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of this project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones or other program requirements, the Contractor agrees to submit to the State Agency within three (3) calendar days of becoming aware of the occurrence or of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

2. The Contractor shall immediately notify in writing the program manager assigned to the Master Contract of any unusual incident, occurrence, or event that involves the staff, volunteers, directors or officers of the Contractor, any subcontractor or program participant funded through the Master Contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity that could impact the successful completion of this project; any destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor; or other matters of a similarly serious nature.

### **IV. ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES**

#### **A. Contractor as an Independent Contractor/Employees:**

1. The State and the Contractor agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor, and not an employee of the State and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee, or subdivision of the State nor make any claim, demand, or application to or for any right based upon any different status. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the State and the Contractor agree that if the Contractor is a New York State municipality, the Contractor shall be permitted to hold itself out, and claim, to be a subdivision of the State.

The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Master Contract, and all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

2. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff, and any and all subcontractors have all the necessary licenses, approvals, and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable local, state, or Federal government to perform the services or work, as applicable, pursuant to the Master Contract and/or any subcontract entered into under the Master Contract. The Contractor further agrees that such required licenses, approvals, and certificates shall be kept in full force and effect during the term of the Master Contract, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals, or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and subcontractors to obtain the requisite licenses, approvals, or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval, or certification to perform the services or work, as applicable, under the Master Contract, Contractor shall immediately notify the State.

**B. Subcontractors:**

1. If the Contractor enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to the Master Contract, the Contractor shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Master Contract. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the State.

2. If requested by the State, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, that are in excess of \$100,000 for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written permission of the State, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract in excess of \$100,000 prior to giving written permission to the Contractor to enter into the subcontract. All agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of the Master Contract, (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Master Contract, and (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under the Master Contract, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the State. In addition, subcontracts shall contain any other provisions which are required to be included in subcontracts pursuant to the terms herein.

3. If requested by the State, prior to executing a subcontract, the Contractor agrees to require the subcontractor to provide to the State the information the State needs to determine whether a proposed subcontractor is a responsible vendor.

4. If requested by the State, when a subcontract equals or exceeds \$100,000, the subcontractor shall submit a Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire (Questionnaire).

5. If requested by the State, upon the execution of a subcontract, the Contractor shall provide detailed subcontract information (a copy of subcontract will suffice) to the State within fifteen (15) calendar days after execution. The State may request from the Contractor copies of subcontracts between a subcontractor and its subcontractor.

6. The Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors to submit to the Contractor all financial claims for Services or work to the State agency, as applicable, rendered and required supporting documentation and reports as necessary to permit Contractor to meet claim deadlines and documentation requirements as established in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting

Schedule) and Section III. Subcontractors shall be paid by the Contractor on a timely basis after submitting the required reports and vouchers for reimbursement of services or work, as applicable. Subcontractors shall be informed by the Contractor of the possibility of non-payment or rejection by the Contractor of claims that do not contain the required information, and/or are not received by the Contractor by said due date.

**C. Use Of Material, Equipment, Or Personnel:**

1. The Contractor shall not use materials, equipment, or personnel paid for under the Master Contract for any activity other than those provided for under the Master Contract, except with the State's prior written permission.
2. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the State shall be deemed to be the property of the State and shall either be credited to the State at the close-out of the Master Contract or, upon the written permission of the State, shall be expended on additional services or work, as applicable, provided for under the Master Contract.

**D. Property:**

1. Property is real property, equipment, or tangible personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$1,000 or more per unit.
  - a) If an item of Property required by the Contractor is available as surplus to the State, the State at its sole discretion, may arrange to provide such Property to the Contractor in lieu of the purchase of such Property.
  - b) If the State consents in writing, the Contractor may retain possession of Property owned by the State, as provided herein, after the termination of the Master Contract to use for similar purposes. Otherwise, the Contractor shall return such Property to the State at the Contractor's cost and expense upon the expiration of the Master Contract.
  - c) In addition, the Contractor agrees to permit the State to inspect the Property and to monitor its use at reasonable intervals during the Contractor's regular business hours.
  - d) The Contractor shall be responsible for maintaining and repairing Property purchased or procured under the Master Contract at its own cost and expense. The Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance at its own cost and expense in an amount satisfactory to the State Agency, naming the State Agency as an additional insured, covering the loss, theft or destruction of such equipment.
  - e) A rental charge to the Master Contract for a piece of Property owned by the Contractor shall not be allowed.
  - f) The State has the right to review and approve in writing any new contract for the purchase of or lease for rental of Property (Purchase/Lease Contract) operated in connection with the provision of the services or work, as applicable, as specified in the Master Contract, if applicable, and any modifications, amendments, or extensions of an existing lease or purchase prior to its execution. If, in its discretion, the State disapproves of any



Purchase/Lease Contract, then the State shall not be obligated to make any payments for such Property.

g) No member, officer, director or employee of the Contractor shall retain or acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Property, paid for with funds under the Master Contract, nor retain any interest, direct or indirect, in such, without full and complete prior disclosure of such interest and the date of acquisition thereof, in writing to the Contractor and the State.

2. For non-Federally-funded contracts, unless otherwise provided herein, the State shall have the following rights to Property purchased with funds provided under the Master Contract:

a) For cost-reimbursable contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the State.

b) For performance-based contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the Contractor.

3. For Federally funded contracts, title to Property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies provided under the Master Contract shall be governed by the terms and conditions of Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants and Requirements Mandated by Federal Laws).

4. Upon written direction by the State, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of all Property that is owned by the State as provided herein.

5. The Contractor shall execute any documents which the State may reasonably require to effectuate the provisions of this section.

## **E. Records and Audits:**

### **1. General:**

a) The Contractor shall establish and maintain, in paper or electronic format, complete and accurate books, records, documents, receipts, accounts, and other evidence directly pertinent to its performance under the Master Contract (collectively, Records).

b) The Contractor agrees to produce and retain for the balance of the term of the Master Contract, and for a period of six years from the later of the date of (i) the Master Contract and (ii) the most recent renewal of the Master Contract, any and all Records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under the Master Contract. Such Records may include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:

(i) personal service expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, vouchers and invoices, records of contract labor, any and all records listing payroll and the money value of non-cash advantages provided to employees, time cards, work schedules and logs, employee personal history folders,

detailed and general ledgers, sales records, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(ii) payroll taxes and fringe benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, invoices for fringe benefit expenses, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(iii) non-personal services expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(iv) receipt and deposit of advance and reimbursements: itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.

c) The OSC, AG and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the State Agency or State Agencies involved in the Master Contract that provided funding, shall have access to the Records during the hours of 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding State recognized holidays), at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying.

d) The State shall protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records, as exempt under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law, is reasonable.

e) Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's rights in connection with its audit and investigatory authority or the State's rights in connection with discovery in any pending or future litigation.

## **2. Cost Allocation:**

a) For non-performance based contracts, the proper allocation of the Contractor's costs must be made according to a cost allocation plan that meets the requirements of OMB Circulars A-87, A-122, and/or A-21. Methods used to determine and assign costs shall conform to generally accepted accounting practices and shall be consistent with the method(s) used by the Contractor to determine costs for other operations or programs. Such accounting standards and practices shall be subject to approval of the State.

b) For performance based milestone contracts, or for the portion of the contract amount paid on a performance basis, the Contractor shall maintain documentation demonstrating that milestones were attained.

## **3. Federal Funds:** For records and audit provisions governing Federal funds, please see Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants and Requirements Mandated by Federal Laws).

**F. Confidentiality:** The Contractor agrees that it shall use and maintain personally identifiable information relating to individuals who may receive services, and their families pursuant to the Master Contract, or any other information, data or records marked as, or reasonably deemed, confidential by the State (Confidential Information) only for the limited purposes of the Master Contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of State and Federal law. The Contractor (i) has an affirmative obligation to safeguard any such Confidential Information from unnecessary or unauthorized disclosure and (ii) must comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

**G. Publicity:**

1. Publicity includes, but is not limited to: news conferences; news releases; public announcements; advertising; brochures; reports; discussions or presentations at conferences or meetings; and/or the inclusion of State materials, the State's name or other such references to the State in any document or forum. Publicity regarding this project may not be released without prior written approval from the State.

2. Any publications, presentations or announcements of conferences, meetings or trainings which are funded in whole or in part through any activity supported under the Master Contract may not be published, presented or announced without prior approval of the State. Any such publication, presentation or announcement shall:

a) Acknowledge the support of the State of New York and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency; and

b) State that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretations or policy of the State or if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency.

3. Notwithstanding the above, (i) if the Contractor is an educational research institution, the Contractor may, for scholarly or academic purposes, use, present, discuss, report or publish any material, data or analyses, other than Confidential Information, that derives from activity under the Master Contract and the Contractor agrees to use best efforts to provide copies of any manuscripts arising from Contractor's performance under this Master Contract, or if requested by the State, the Contractor shall provide the State with a thirty (30) day period in which to review each manuscript for compliance with Confidential Information requirements; or (ii) if the Contractor is not an educational research institution, the Contractor may submit for publication, scholarly or academic publications that derive from activity under the Master Contract (but are not deliverable under the Master Contract), provided that the Contractor first submits such manuscripts to the State forty-five (45) calendar days prior to submission for consideration by a publisher in order for the State to review the manuscript for compliance with confidentiality requirements and restrictions and to make such other comments as the State deems appropriate. All derivative publications shall follow the same acknowledgments and disclaimer as described in Section IV(G)(2) (Publicity) hereof.

**H. Web-Based Applications-Accessibility:** Any web-based intranet and Internet information and applications development, or programming delivered pursuant to the Master Contract or procurement shall comply with New York State Enterprise IT Policy NYS-P08-005, Accessibility

Web-Based Information and Applications, and New York State Enterprise IT Standard NYS-S08-005, Accessibility of Web-Based Information Applications, as such policy or standard may be amended, modified or superseded, which requires that State Agency web-based intranet and Internet information and applications are accessible to person with disabilities. Web content must conform to New York State Enterprise IT Standards NYS-S08-005, as determined by quality assurance testing. Such quality assurance testing shall be conducted by the State Agency and the results of such testing must be satisfactory to the State Agency before web content shall be considered a qualified deliverable under the Master Contract or procurement.

**I. Non-Discrimination Requirements:** Pursuant to Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor and sub-contractors will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex (including gender expression), national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that the Master Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Master Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Master Contract. The Contractor shall be subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 of the Labor Law.

**J. Equal Opportunities for Minorities and Women; Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises:** In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if the Master Contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting State Agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the Contractor certifies and affirms that (i) it is subject to Article 15-A of the Executive Law which includes, but is not limited to, those provisions concerning the maximizing of opportunities for the participation of minority and women-owned business enterprises and (ii) the following provisions shall apply and it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

1. The Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status;

2. The Contractor shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts;
3. The Contractor shall undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;
4. At the request of the State, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative shall affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and
5. The Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants shall be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

The Contractor shall include the provisions of subclauses 1 – 5 of this Section (IV)(J), in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (Work) except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 of the Executive Law does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to the Master Contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by the Contractor or a subcontractor with the requirements of any Federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The State shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such Federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the State shall waive the applicability of Section 312 of the Executive Law to the extent of such duplication or conflict. The Contractor shall comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

**K. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992:** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises, as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

1. If the total dollar amount of the Master Contract is greater than \$1 million, the Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing the Master Contract, the Contractor certifies the following:
  - a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of State business enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of the Master Contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

**L. Workers' Compensation Benefits:**

1. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, the Master Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of the Master Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

2. If a Contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement they must apply for an exemption.

**M. Unemployment Insurance Compliance:** The Contractor shall remain current in both its quarterly reporting and payment of contributions or payments in lieu of contributions, as applicable, to the State Unemployment Insurance system as a condition of maintaining this grant.

The Contractor hereby authorizes the State Department of Labor to disclose to the State Agency staff only such information as is necessary to determine the Contractor's compliance with the State Unemployment Insurance Law. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. any records of unemployment insurance (UI) contributions, interest, and/or penalty payment arrears or reporting delinquency;
2. any debts owed for UI contributions, interest, and/or penalties;
3. the history and results of any audit or investigation; and
4. copies of wage reporting information.

Such disclosures are protected under Section 537 of the State Labor Law, which makes it a misdemeanor for the recipient of such information to use or disclose the information for any purpose other than the performing due diligence as a part of the approval process for the Master Contract.

**N. Vendor Responsibility:**

1. If a Contractor is required to complete a Questionnaire, the Contractor covenants and represents that it has, to the best of its knowledge, truthfully, accurately and thoroughly completed such Questionnaire. Although electronic filing is preferred, the Contractor may

obtain a paper form from the OSC prior to execution of the Master Contract. The Contractor further covenants and represents that as of the date of execution of the Master Contract, there are no material events, omissions, changes or corrections to such document requiring an amendment to the Questionnaire.

2. The Contractor shall provide to the State updates to the Questionnaire if any material event(s) occurs requiring an amendment or as new information material to such Questionnaire becomes available.

3. The Contractor shall, in addition, promptly report to the State the initiation of any investigation or audit by a governmental entity with enforcement authority with respect to any alleged violation of Federal or state law by the Contractor, its employees, its officers and/or directors in connection with matters involving, relating to or arising out of the Contractor's business. Such report shall be made within five (5) business days following the Contractor becoming aware of such event, investigation, or audit. Such report may be considered by the State in making a Determination of Vendor Non-Responsibility pursuant to this section.

4. The State reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of the Master Contract:

- a) to require updates or clarifications to the Questionnaire upon written request;
- b) to inquire about information included in or required information omitted from the Questionnaire;
- c) to require the Contractor to provide such information to the State within a reasonable timeframe; and
- d) to require as a condition precedent to entering into the Master Contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as shall be necessary to satisfy the State that the Contractor is, and shall remain, a responsible vendor; and
- e) to require the Contractor to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity. By signing the Master Contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of the Master Contract.

5. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under the Master Contract, at any time, when it discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the State issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Master Contract.

6. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to make a final Determination of Non-Responsibility at any time during the term of the Master Contract based on:

- a) any information provided in the Questionnaire and/or in any updates, clarifications or amendments thereof; or
- b) the State's discovery of any material information which pertains to the Contractor's responsibility.

7. Prior to making a final Determination of Non-Responsibility, the State shall provide written notice to the Contractor that it has made a preliminary determination of non-responsibility. The State shall detail the reason(s) for the preliminary determination, and shall provide the Contractor with an opportunity to be heard.

**O. Charities Registration:** If applicable, the Contractor agrees to (i) obtain not-for-profit status, a Federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish the State Agency with this information as soon as it is available, (ii) be in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements at the time of the awarding of this Master Contract by the State and (iii) remain in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements throughout the term of the Master Contract.

**P. Consultant Disclosure Law:**<sup>9</sup> If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services, then in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

**Q. Wage and Hours Provisions:** If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

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<sup>9</sup> Not applicable to not-for-profit entities.



**ATTACHMENT A-1**  
**AGENCY AND PROGRAM SPECIFIC CLAUSES**

**Part A. Agency Specific Clauses**

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, "the contract" or "this contract") agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word "Contractor" herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

**A. International Boycott Prohibition:** In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

**B. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods:**

1. The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.

2. In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

**C. MacBride Fair Employment Principles:** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that

the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

**D. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992:** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100  
Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: [opa@esd.ny.gov](mailto:opa@esd.ny.gov)

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, NY 10017  
212-803-2414  
email: [mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov](mailto:mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov)  
<http://esd.ny.gov/MWBE/directorySearch.html>

**E. Procurement Lobbying:** To the extent this agreement is a "procurement contract" as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

**F. Certification of Registration to Collect Sales and Compensating Use Tax by Certain State Contractors, Affiliates, and Subcontractors:** To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the

Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

- G.** The CONTRACTOR certifies that all revenue earned during the budget period as a result of services and related activities performed pursuant to this contract shall be used either to expand those program services funded by this AGREEMENT or to offset expenditures submitted to the STATE for reimbursement.

**H. Administrative Rules and Audits:**

1. If this contract is funded in whole or in part from federal funds, the CONTRACTOR shall comply with the federal grant requirements regarding administration and allowable costs:

a) For local and Indian tribal governments, non-profit organizations; and educational institutions, use the administrative requirements and cost principles (Subparts A through E) in Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Title 2 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards.

b) Exceptions: Pursuant to 2 CFR Part 200 Appendix IX, for a hospital, use the cost principles in Department of Health and Human Services, 45 CFR Part 74, Appendix E, "Principles for Determining Costs Applicable to Research and Development under Grants and Contracts with Hospitals". For hospital administrative requirements, use OMB, 2 CFR, Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards.

For fixed amount awards, cost principles (Subpart E) do not apply.

2. If this contract is funded entirely from STATE funds, and if there are no specific administration and allowable costs requirements applicable, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to the applicable principles in "1" above.

3. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following grant requirements regarding audits.

a) If the contract is funded from federal awards, and the CONTRACTOR expends \$750,000 or more (or the amount per the current federal regulations 2 CFR Part 200 as revised, which is scheduled to be updated every 5 years) in federal awards during their fiscal year, an audit report must be submitted in accordance with Subpart F of OMB, 2 CFR, Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards.

b) If this contract is funded from other than federal awards or if the contract is funded from a combination of STATE and federal awards but federal awards are less than \$750,000 (or the amount per the current federal regulations 2 CFR Part 200 as revised,

which is scheduled to be updated every 5 years), and if the CONTRACTOR expends \$750,000 or more in total annual payments from the STATE, the CONTRACTOR shall submit to the STATE after the end of the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year an audit report. The audit report shall be submitted to the STATE within thirty days after its completion but no later than nine months after the end of the audit period. The audit report shall summarize the business and financial transactions of the CONTRACTOR. The report shall be prepared and certified by an independent accounting firm or other accounting entity, which is demonstrably independent of the administration of the program being audited. Audits performed of the CONTRACTOR's records shall be conducted in accordance with Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States covering financial audits. This audit requirement may be met through entity-wide audits, coincident with the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year, as described in OMB, 2 CFR, Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards. Reports, disclosures, comments and opinions required under these publications should be so noted in the audit report.

4. For audit reports that are not received by the dates due, the following steps shall be taken:
  - a) If the audit report is one or more days late, voucher payments shall be held until a compliant audit report is received.
  - b) If the audit report is 180 days or more late, the STATE shall terminate all active contracts, prohibit renewal of those contracts and prohibit the execution of future contracts until all outstanding compliant audit reports have been submitted.

**I.** The CONTRACTOR shall accept responsibility for compensating the STATE for any exceptions which are revealed on an audit and sustained after completion of the normal audit procedure.

**J.** The STATE, its employees, representatives and designees, shall have the right at any time during normal business hours to inspect the sites where services are performed and observe the services being performed by the CONTRACTOR. The CONTRACTOR shall render all assistance and cooperation to the STATE in making such inspections. The surveyors shall have the responsibility for determining contract compliance as well as the quality of service being rendered.

**K.** The CONTRACTOR has an affirmative duty to take prompt, effective, investigative and remedial action where it has actual or constructive notice of discrimination in the terms, conditions or privileges of employment against (including harassment of) any of its employees by any of its other employees, including managerial personnel, based on race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation or marital status.

**L.** The CONTRACTOR shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, national

origin, age, disability, sexual orientation or marital status against any person seeking services for which the CONTRACTOR may receive reimbursement or payment under this AGREEMENT

**M.** The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, State and local civil rights and human rights laws with reference to equal employment opportunities and the provision of services.

**N.** Unless the CONTRACTOR is a political sub-division of New York State, the CONTRACTOR shall provide proof, completed by the CONTRACTOR's insurance carrier and/or the Workers' Compensation Board, of coverage for:

1. Workers' Compensation, for which one of the following is incorporated into the Econtract under the Contract Package Tool in the Grants Gateway or as Attachment E-1 in the paper based contract:

a) **CE-200** -- Certificate of Attestation For New York Entities With No Employees And Certain Out Of State Entities, That New York State Workers' Compensation And/Or Disability Benefits Insurance Coverage Is Not Required; OR

b) **C-105.2** -- Certificate of Workers' Compensation Insurance. PLEASE NOTE: The State Insurance Fund provides its own version of this form, the **U-26.3**; OR

c) **SI-12** -- Certificate of Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance, OR **GSI-105.2** -- Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Self-Insurance

2. Disability Benefits coverage, for which one of the following is incorporated into the Econtract under the Contract Package Tool in the Grants Gateway or as Attachment E-2 in the paper based contract:

a) **CE-200**, Certificate of Attestation For New York Entities With No Employees And Certain Out Of State Entities, That New York State Workers' Compensation And/Or Disability Benefits Insurance Coverage Is Not Required; OR

b) **DB-120.1** -- Certificate of Disability Benefits Insurance OR

c) **DB-155** -- Certificate of Disability Benefits Self-Insurance

**O.** Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208). Contractor shall be liable for the costs associated with any breach if caused by Contractor's negligent or willful acts or omissions, or the negligent or willful acts or omissions of Contractor's agents, officers, employees or subcontractors.

P. All products supplied pursuant to this agreement shall meet local, state and federal regulations, guidelines and action levels for lead as they exist at the time of the State's acceptance of this contract.

Q. All bidders/contractors agree that all state funds dispersed under this bid/contract will be bound by the terms, conditions, obligations and regulations promulgated or to be promulgated by the Department in accordance with E.O. 38, signed in 2012, governing restrictions on executive compensation.

R. The CONTRACTOR shall submit to the STATE (*monthly or quarterly*) voucher claims and reports of expenditures on such forms and in such detail as the STATE shall require. The CONTRACTOR shall submit vouchers to:

**Rachel Cates**  
**Center for Environmental Health**  
**Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Bldg., Room 1629**  
**Albany, NY 12237**

S. If the CONTRACTOR is eligible for an annual cost of living adjustment (COLA), enacted in New York State Law, that is associated with this grant AGREEMENT, payment of such COLA shall be made separate from payments under this AGREEMENT and shall not be applied toward or amend amounts payable under Attachment B of this Agreement.

Before payment of a COLA can be made, the STATE shall notify the CONTRACTOR, in writing, of eligibility for any COLA. The CONTRACTOR shall be required to submit a written certification attesting that all COLA funding will be used to promote the recruitment and retention of staff or respond to other critical non-personal service costs during the State fiscal year for which the cost of living adjustment was allocated, or provide any other such certification as may be required in the enacted legislation authorizing the COLA.

T. Certification Regarding Environmental Tobacco Smoke: Public Law 103-227, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act), requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, early childhood development services, education or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee. The law also applies to children's services that are provided in indoor facilities that are constructed, operated, or maintained with such federal funds. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences; portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment; service providers whose sole source of applicable federal funds is Medicare or Medicaid; or facilities where WIC coupons are redeemed. Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a monetary penalty of up to \$1000 for each violation and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity.

By signing this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR certifies that it will comply with the requirements of the Act and will not allow smoking within any portion of any indoor facility used for the provision of services for children as defined by the Act. The CONTRACTOR agrees that

it will require that the language of this certification be included in any subawards which contain provisions for children's services and that all subrecipients shall certify accordingly.

U. Pursuant to the Master Contract's Standard Terms and Conditions, I. (General Provisions); J. (Notices), such notices shall be addressed as follows or to such different addresses as the parties may from time to time designate:

**State of New York Department of Health**

**Name: Michael J. Cambridge**

**Title: Deputy Director, Center for Environmental Health**

**Address: Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Bldg., Room 1619, Albany, NY 12237**

**Telephone Number: 518-402-7500**

**Facsimile Number: 518-402-7509**

**E-Mail Address: Michael.Cambridge@health.ny.gov**

**Vendor/Grantee**

Vendor/Grantee notices shall be addressed to the Executive Director at the address listed within "Contractor Primary Mailing Address" on Page 1 of 2, Master Grant Contract, Face Page.

**Part B. Program Specific Clauses**

Attachment A-1 Part B intentionally omitted.

**ATTACHMENT B-1 EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
SUMMARY**

PROJECT NAME: Tobacco Enforcement Program

CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME: ONEIDA COUNTY OF

CONTRACT PERIOD: From: 04/01/2018

To: 03/31/2019

CATEGORY OF EXPENSE	GRANT FUNDS	MATCH FUNDS	MATCH %	OTHER FUNDS	TOTAL
<b>1. Personal Services</b>					
a) Salary	\$16,911.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$16,911.00
b) Fringe	\$9,251.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$9,251.00
Subtotal	\$26,162.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$26,162.00
<b>2. Non Personal Services</b>					
a) Contractual Services	\$40,000.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$40,000.00
b) Travel	\$884.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$884.00
c) Equipment	\$3,000.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$3,000.00
d) Space/Property & Utilities	\$0.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$0.00
e) Operating Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$0.00
f) Other	\$0.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotal	\$43,884.00	\$0.00	0 %	\$0.00	\$43,884.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$70,046.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0 %</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$70,046.00</b>



ATTACHMENT B-1 EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET

PERSONAL SERVICES DETAIL

POSITION TITLE	SALARY					TOTAL
	ANNUALIZED SALARY PER POSITION	STANDARD WORK WEEK (HOURS)	PERCENT FOR EFFORT FUNDED	NUMBER OF MONTHS FUNDED		
Environmental Health Director	\$100,938.00	35	3.96	12	\$4,000.00	
Senior Public Health Sanitarian	\$54,555.00	35	9.1	12	\$5,000.00	
Senior Public Health Sanitarian	\$67,977.00	35	1.5	12	\$1,000.00	
Sanitarian	\$54,986.00	35	1.8	12	\$1,000.00	
Public Health Technician II	\$40,568.00	35	1.23	12	\$500.00	
Public Health Technician I	\$33,265.00	35	1.5	12	\$500.00	
Public Health Educator	\$48,942.00	35	4.08	12	\$2,000.00	
Principal Clerk	\$43,410.00	35	2.3	12	\$1,000.00	
Public Health Tech I	\$34,425.00	35	2.9	12	\$1,000.00	
Public Health Educator	\$60,975.00	35	1.5	12	\$911.00	
Subtotal					\$16,911.00	
<b>TOTAL FRINGE</b>						
					\$9,251.00	
<b>PERSONAL SERVICES TOTAL</b>					\$26,162.00	

ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
NON-PERSONAL SERVICES DETAIL

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
Oncida County Sheriff's Department	\$40,000.00
TOTAL	\$40,000.00

ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
NON-PERSONAL SERVICES DETAIL

TRAVEL TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
Milage	\$884.00
TOTAL	\$884.00

EQUIPMENT TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
2 Ipads for data entry, 2 office chairs	\$3,000.00
TOTAL	\$3,000.00

SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES: RENT - TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
	TOTAL

SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES/OWN TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
	TOTAL

TYPE/DESCRIPTION OF UTILITY EXPENSES	TOTAL
TOTAL	

OPERATING EXPENSES - TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
TOTAL	



OTHER TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
	TOTAL

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

Objective

- 1 Utilize eHIPS for ATUPA for all tasks in the approved workplan

Tasks

- 1 1. Establish and maintain an up-to-date inventory, including compliance and enforcement status, for registered and unregistered tobacco retail dealers and vendors (including cigarette vending machines) within jurisdiction;

Performance Measures

- 1 1 Inspections conducted, inventory of vendors maintained - Violations enforced

Tasks

- 2 2. Enter compliance check and enforcement data (i.e., Notice of Violation (NOV), stipulation or hearing, payment, etc.) within five (5) business days after the completed action;

Performance Measures

- 1 1 ATUPA violations & enforcement - All ATUPA NOV's, stipulations, and enforcement activity to be entered into ehips.

Tasks

- 3 3. At the end of the program quarter, validate that an eHIPS generated report for the quarter is current and accurately reflects the work (cont.)

Performance Measures

- 1 1 Use ehips for ATUPA - Enter ATUPA data into ehips

Tasks

- 4 3. (cont.) (i.e., compliance checks, complaint investigations, non-registered vendors, enforcement actions, names and addresses of violators penalized and/or fined, date of violations and enforcement, training efforts, etc.) for that quarter;

Performance Measures

Tasks

- 5 4. Within 30 days after the quarter's end, notify the Bureau of Community Environmental Health and Food Protection (BCEHFP) that the quarterly report is valid and available to download.

Performance Measures

- 1 1 Quarterly reporting - Provide quarterly reports to NYS DOH within 30 days

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
*DETAIL*

**Objective**

- 2 Perform compliance checks with underage youth

**Tasks**

- 1 1. New compliance checks during contract period 04/01/2018 - 03/31/2019: Complete at least one (1) unannounced compliance check with a minor at all facilities where tobacco is sold by March 31, 2019.

Performance Measures

**Tasks**

- 2 2. Re-inspections during contract period 04/1/2018- 03/31/2019: For each facility that, on April 1, 2018, has active points on their record, complete a minimum of two (2) additional compliance checks before March 31, 2019.

Performance Measures

**Tasks**

- 3 3. Synar Survey: When required, complete assigned compliance checks and submit inspection reports by the deadline for the annual random Synar survey.

Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

Objective

3 Verify that tobacco retail dealers and vendors meet the tasks listed.

Tasks

1 1. are registered with the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance (DTF) to sell tobacco  
Performance Measures

Tasks

2 2. post required signage  
Performance Measures

Tasks

3 3. display and store tobacco, herbal cigarettes, electronic cigarettes and liquid nicotine either behind the counter or in a locked container  
Performance Measures

Tasks

4 4. comply with minimum package size requirements  
Performance Measures

Tasks

5 5. for vending machines, verify that location is acceptable and supervised  
Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

**Objective**

4 Report unregistered tobacco dealers and vendors to the BCEHFP

**Tasks**

1 1. Report tobacco dealers and vendors without a valid registration to the BCEHFP within five (5) business days of inspection, utilizing a New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) inspection form.

Performance Measures

**Objective**

5 Collect and document violator information

**Tasks**

1 1. When a retail tobacco dealer or vendor is found in violation of Article 13-F, verify the name and address of the operator, notify the operator of the violations and obtain the following information: (cont.)

Performance Measures

**Tasks**

2 1. (cont.) a. Lottery agent number, if a New York State Lottery agent; and  
b. The full name of the seller

Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

**Objective**

6 Issue formal enforcement for violations

**Tasks**

- 1 Issue formal enforcement against the operator by confirmed delivery of a written Notice of Violation (NOV) within seven (7) business days for all retail tobacco dealers and vendors that are cited for one or more violations (cont.)
- Performance Measures

**Tasks**

- 2 1. (cont.) of Article 13-F including, but not limited to:
    - a. selling tobacco products (including bidis, gutka or Shisha), herbal cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, liquid nicotine or smoking paraphernalia to persons under 18 years of age; (cont.)
- Performance Measures

**Tasks**

- 3 1. (cont.) b. selling out-of-package cigarettes;
    - c. selling tobacco products in packaging that fails to meet minimum package size requirements;
    - d. selling bidis or gutka from a location that is not a "tobacco business"; (cont.)
- Performance Measures

**Tasks**

- 4 1. (cont.) e. failing to supervise a vending machine, or locating the machine in an area not allowed by Article 13-F of the PHL;
    - f. failing to comply with the self-service ban; and
    - g. selling tobacco with a suspended/revoked registration
- Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

**Objective**

7 Provide an advisory notice to violators of Article 13-F

**Tasks**

1 1. When a violation of Article 13-F is sustained as a result of a formal enforcement action (stipulation or hearing) against a retail tobacco dealer or vendor, advise the dealer or vendor of the consequences of subsequent violations.

Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

**Objective**

8 Notify the BCEHFP of violations of Article 13-F

**Tasks**

1. When a violation of Article 13-F is sustained as a result of formal enforcement action (stipulation or hearing) against a retail tobacco dealer or vendor, notify the BCEHFP by submitting documentation of the sustained enforcement actions (cont.)
- Performance Measures

**Tasks**

2. 1. (cont.) and Lottery agent status, for all retail tobacco dealers with the following points/violations:
    - a. any NYS Tax and Finance registered tobacco retailer with three (3) active points; (cont.)
- Performance Measures

**Tasks**

3. 1. (cont.) b. any NYS Tax and Finance registered tobacco retailer with four (4) violations of Article 13-F occurring within a three-year period. (cont.)
- Performance Measures

**Tasks**

4. 1. (cont.) c. for NYS Tax and Finance registered vending machines only, any three (3) violations of Article 13-F occurring within a two (2) year period or any four (4) violations occurring ever.
- Performance Measures



ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

Objective

9 Conduct follow up visits

Tasks

1 Within 2-3 months after any retail tobacco dealer's State Department of Taxation and Finance (DTF) registration to sell tobacco or herbal cigarettes is suspended/revoked as a result of violations of Article 13-F, conduct a follow up (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

2 1. (cont.) visit to determine if tobacco and/or herbal cigarettes are being sold. Initiate enforcement against any retail tobacco dealer that continues to sell tobacco and/or herbal cigarettes with a suspended or revoked registration.

Performance Measures

Tasks

3 2. Notify the Bureau of Community Environmental Health and Food Protection (BCEHFP) of the sale by submittal of sustained enforcement documentation, and request notification of State Department of Taxation and Finance (DTF) (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

4 2. (cont.) to permanently revoke the dealer's registration.

Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

Objective

10 Provide public notices of dealers and vendors found in violation

Tasks

1 1. At least quarterly, publish in a local newspaper, or post on a Local Health Department web site, the names and addresses of retail tobacco dealers and vendors where enforcement action is finalized for a violation of Article 13-F. (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

2 1. (cont.) Notification shall be for the sale of tobacco or herbal cigarettes to an underage youth during a compliance check or for selling tobacco or herbal cigarettes with a suspended or revoked registration. (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

3 1. (cont.) Such notification is to include the number of times the tobacco dealer has been in violation of this Article. A complete listing of all violators is also posted on the State Health Department's public web site as part of the (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

4 1. (cont.) Youth Access Tobacco Enforcement Annual Report.

Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
*DETAIL*

Objective	
11	Program education
Tasks	
1	1. Coordinate program education for new tobacco vendors and those who fail compliance checks.
	<u>Performance Measures</u>

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

Objective

12 Respond to ATUPA complaints

Tasks

- 1 a. comply with age verification and sale restriction requirements, as necessary;
- b. post required signage;
- (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

- 2 1. (cont.) c. display and store tobacco, herbal cigarettes, electronic cigarettes and liquid nicotine either behind the counter or in a locked container, and liquid nicotine is available only in child resistant bottles; (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

- 3 1. (cont.) d. comply with minimum package size requirements;
- e. for vending machines, verify that location is acceptable and supervised; and
- (cont.)

Performance Measures

Tasks

- 4 1. (cont.) f. when required, are registered with the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance (DTF) to sell tobacco.

Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

**Objective**

13 Issue formal enforcement action for ATUPA

**Tasks**

1 1. See tasks outlined in Objective 6

Performance Measures

**Objective**

14 Conduct follow-up visits for ATUPA violations

**Tasks**

1 1. Within two (2) to three (3) months after any facility is cited for violation of Article 13-F that results in an enforcement action, conduct a follow-up visit to determine (cont.)

Performance Measures

**Tasks**

2 1. (cont.) if violation has been corrected. Initiate additional enforcement against facility operators that continue to violate Article 13-F.

Performance Measures

ATTACHMENT C - WORK PLAN  
DETAIL

**Objective**

15 Utilize eHIPS for Clean Indoor Air Act (CIAA)

**Tasks**

1 1. Establish and maintain an up-to-date record of all Clean Indoor Air Act (CIAA) related complaints and actions taken to resolve the complaint.

Performance Measures

1 Complaints - Complaints documented and responded and recorded in ehips.

**Tasks**

2 2. Establish and maintain an up-to-date record of all CIAA enforcement activity and outcomes including fines assessed and fines paid.

Performance Measures

1 All CIAA activities to be entered in ehips - Complaints, violations, & enforcements to be entered into ehips

**Tasks**

3 3. Report all program staff time and activity.

Performance Measures

1 Use ehips for CIAA - Enter all program and staff time activity for CIAA into ehips







## II. REPORTING PROVISIONS

### A. Expenditure-Based Reports (select the applicable report type):

Narrative/Qualitative Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(i) of the Master Contract

Statistical/Quantitative Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than \_\_\_ days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(ii) of the Master Contract.

Expenditure Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than \_\_\_ days after the end date for which reimbursement is being claimed, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(iii) of the Master Contract.

Final Report

The Contractor will submit the final report as described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(iv) of the Master Contract, no later than 30 days after the end of the contract period.

Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR)

<sup>1</sup>

The Contractor will submit the CFR on an annual basis, in accordance with the time frames designated in the CFR manual. For New York City contractors, the due date shall be May 1 of each year; for Upstate and Long Island contractors, the due date shall be November 1 of each year.

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The Consolidated Fiscal Reporting System is a standardized electronic reporting method accepted by Office of Alcoholism & Substance Services, Office of Mental Health, Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities and the State Education Department, consisting of schedules which, in different combinations, capture financial information for budgets, quarterly and/or mid-year claims, an annual cost report, and a final claim. The CFR, which must be submitted annually, is both a year-end cost report and a year-end claiming document.

Contract Number: # DOH01-C33461GG-3450000

## **B. Progress-Based Reports**

### 1. Progress Reports

The Contractor shall provide the report described in Section III(G)(2)(b)(i) of the Master Contract in accordance with the forms and in the format provided by the State Agency, summarizing the work performed during the contract period (See Table 1 below for the annual schedule).

### 2. Final Progress Report

Final scheduled payment will not be due until \_\_\_ days after completion of agency's audit of the final expenditures report/documentation showing total grant expenses submitted by vendor with its final invoice. Deadline for submission of the final report is \_\_\_\_\_. The agency shall complete its audit and notify vendor of the results no later than \_\_\_\_\_. The Contractor shall submit the report not later than \_\_\_ days from the end of the contract.

## **C. Other Reports**

The Contractor shall provide reports in accordance with the form, content and schedule as set forth in Table 1.

TABLE 1 - REPORTING SCHEDULE

PROGRESS REPORT #	PERIOD COVERED	Due Date
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III. SPECIAL PAYMENT AND REPORTING PROVISIONS

Contract Number: # DOH01-C33461GG-3450000

Attachment M

**PARTICIPATION BY MINORITY GROUP MEMBERS AND WOMEN WITH RESPECT TO STATE CONTRACTS: REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES**

**I. General Provisions**

- A. The New York State Department of Health is required to implement the provisions of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR Parts 140-145 (“MWBE Regulations”) for all State contracts as defined therein, with a value (1) in excess of \$25,000 for labor, services, equipment, materials, or any combination of the foregoing or (2) in excess of \$100,000 for real property renovations and construction.
- B. The Contractor to the subject contract (the “Contractor” and the “Contract,” respectively) agrees, in addition to any other nondiscrimination provision of the Contract and at no additional cost to the New York State New York State Department of Health (the “New York State Department of Health”), to fully comply and cooperate with the New York State Department of Health in the implementation of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A. These requirements include equal employment opportunities for minority group members and women (“EEO”) and contracting opportunities for certified minority and women-owned business enterprises (“MWBEs”). Contractor’s demonstration of “good faith efforts” pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8 shall be a part of these requirements. These provisions shall be deemed supplementary to, and not in lieu of, the nondiscrimination provisions required by New York State Executive Law Article 15 (the “Human Rights Law”) or other applicable federal, state or local laws.
- C. Failure to comply with all of the requirements herein may result in a finding of non-responsiveness, non-responsibility and/or a breach of contract, leading to the withholding of funds or such other actions, liquidated damages pursuant to Section VII of this Attachment or enforcement proceedings as allowed by the Contract.

**II. Contract Goals**

- A. For purposes of this contract, the New York State Department of Health hereby establishes a goal of 30% for Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (“MWBE”) participation on any eligible expenses including subcontracted labor or services, equipment, materials, or any combined purchase of the foregoing under this contract. The goal on the eligible portion of this contract will be 15% for Minority-Owned Business Enterprises (“MBE”) participation and 15% for Women-Owned Business Enterprises (“WBE”) participation (based on the current availability of qualified MBEs and WBEs).
- B. For purposes of providing meaningful participation by MWBEs on the Contract and achieving the Contract Goals established in Section II-A hereof, Contractor should reference the directory of New York State Certified MBWEs found at the following internet address:  
<https://ny.newnycontracts.com/>

Additionally, Contractor is encouraged to contact the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development ((518) 292-5250; (212) 803-2414; or (716) 846-8200) to discuss additional methods of maximizing participation by MWBEs on the Contract.

- C. Where MWBE goals have been established herein, pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8, Contractor must document “good faith efforts” to provide meaningful participation by MWBEs as subcontractors or suppliers in the performance of the Contract. In accordance with Section 316-a of Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR §142.13, the Contractor acknowledges that if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals set forth in the Contract, such a finding constitutes a breach of contract and the Contractor shall be liable to the New York State Department of Health for liquidated or other appropriate damages, as set forth herein.

### **III. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)**

- A. Contractor agrees to be bound by the provisions of Article 15-A and the MWBE Regulations promulgated by the Division of Minority and Women's Business Development of the Department of Economic Development (the “Division”). If any of these terms or provisions conflict with applicable law or regulations, such laws and regulations shall supersede these requirements.
- B. Contractor shall comply with the following provisions of Article 15-A:
1. Contractor and Subcontractors shall undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status. For these purposes, EEO shall apply in the areas of recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation.
  2. The Contractor shall submit an EEO policy statement to the New York State Department of Health within seventy two (72) hours after the date of the notice by New York State Department of Health to award the Contract to the Contractor.
  3. If Contractor or Subcontractor does not have an existing EEO policy statement, the New York State Department of Health may provide the Contractor or Subcontractor a model statement (see Form #5 - Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises Equal Employment Opportunity Policy Statement).
  4. The Contractor’s EEO policy statement shall include the following language:
    - a. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force.
    - b. The Contractor shall state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees that, in the performance of the contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.
    - c. The Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union,

or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein.

- d. The Contractor will include the provisions of Subdivisions (a) through (c) of this Subsection 4 and Paragraph "D" of this Section III, which provides for relevant provisions of the Human Rights Law, in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the Contract.

#### C. Form #4 - Staffing Plan

To ensure compliance with this Section, the Contractor shall submit a staffing plan to document the composition of the proposed workforce to be utilized in the performance of the Contract by the specified categories listed, including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. Contractors shall complete the Staffing plan form and submit it as part of their bid or proposal or within a reasonable time, but no later than the time of award of the contract.

- D. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

#### IV. MWBE Utilization Plan

- A. The Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has submitted an MWBE Utilization Plan (Form #1) either prior to, or at the time of, the execution of the contract.
- B. Contractor agrees to use such MWBE Utilization Plan for the performance of MWBEs on the Contract pursuant to the prescribed MWBE goals set forth in Section III-A of this Attachment.
- C. Contractor further agrees that a failure to submit and/or use such MWBE Utilization Plan shall constitute a material breach of the terms of the Contract. Upon the occurrence of such a material breach, New York State Department of Health shall be entitled to any remedy provided herein, including but not limited to, a finding of Contractor non-responsiveness.

#### V. Waivers

- A. Contractors without eligible expenses as defined in Section II.A. or who are not able to meet the goal as stated in Section II.A. of this Attachment, must submit a Waiver request (Form #2) to the Department.
- B. If the Contractor, after making good faith efforts, is unable to comply with MWBE goals, the Contractor may submit a Request for Waiver form documenting good faith efforts by the Contractor to meet such goals. If the documentation included with the waiver request is complete, the New York State Department of Health shall evaluate the request and issue a written notice of acceptance or denial after the waiver has been fully processed.

- C. If the New York State Department of Health, upon review of the MWBE Utilization Plan and updated Quarterly MWBE Contractor Compliance Reports determines that Contractor is failing or refusing to comply with the Contract goals and no waiver has been issued in regards to such non-compliance, the New York State Department of Health may issue a notice of deficiency to the Contractor. The Contractor must respond to the notice of deficiency within seven (7) business days of receipt. Such response may include a request for partial or total waiver of MWBE Contract Goals.

## **VI. Quarterly MWBE Contractor Compliance Report**

- A. Contractor is required to submit a Quarterly MWBE Contractor Compliance Report to the New York State Department of Health by the 10<sup>th</sup> day following each end of quarter over the term of the Contract documenting the progress made towards achievement of the MWBE goals of the Contract. Data should be submitted via the online compliance system at <https://ny.newnycontracts.com>.

## **VII. Liquidated Damages - MWBE Participation**

- A. Where New York State Department of Health determines that Contractor is not in compliance with the requirements of the Contract and Contractor refuses to comply with such requirements, or if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals, Contractor shall be obligated to pay to the New York State Department of Health liquidated damages.
- B. Such liquidated damages shall be calculated as an amount equaling the difference between:
  - 1. All sums identified for payment to MWBEs had the Contractor achieved the contractual MWBE goals; and
  - 2. All sums actually paid to MWBEs for work performed or materials supplied under the Contract.
- C. In the event a determination has been made which requires the payment of liquidated damages and such identified sums have not been withheld by the New York State Department of Health, Contractor shall pay such liquidated damages to the New York State Department of Health within sixty (60) days after they are assessed by the New York State Department of Health unless prior to the expiration of such sixtieth day, the Contractor has filed a complaint with the Director of the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development pursuant to Subdivision 8 of Section 313 of the Executive Law in which event the liquidated damages shall be payable if Director renders a decision in favor of the New York State Department of Health.



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July 20, 2018

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding four (4) copies of a Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and **Kids Oneida, Inc.** for your review. If this meets with your approval, please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review. This Agreement provides additional funding for services performed under an agreement, the term of which began January 1, 2017 and ended December 31, 2017 (County contract number 11169).

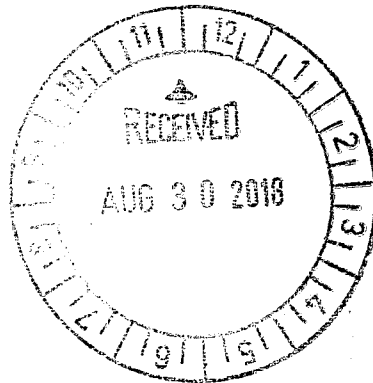
The amount of this Agreement is **\$25,569.00** and reflects a COLA increase for 2017 in the amount of **\$69.00**, reallocation of funds specific to local assistance services in the amount of **\$7,500.00**, and community support services in the amount of **\$18,000.00**. The amount is **100%** OMH State Aid Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

*Robin E. O'Brien*  
Robin E. O'Brien  
Commissioner

REO/ts  
Encs.



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-29-18



Oneida Co. Department: MENTAL HEALTH

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other  X

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Kids Oneida, Inc.  
310 Main Street  
Utica, NY 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Children & Family Intervention

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** Upon execution- October 19, 2018  
(COLA Increase / Reallocated Funds)

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Service:** Children and Family Intervention:

Provide treatment and services for youth appropriately diagnosed, and their families. Assign a Service Program for Individual Needs (SPIN) Coordinator to monitor services implemented via the Tier 1 process. Coordination of case reviews. Provide documentation of services (within 15 days of service for each episode).

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

The primary objective is to maintain children in the community and enhance parenting skills with the goal of keeping families intact.

**3) Program Design and Staffing**

The NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH), as applicable. The program meets the appropriate staffing model developed and monitored by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) and guidelines and regulations.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$25,569.00

**Account #** A4310.4951

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$58,569.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** 100% OMH State Aid

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** Amendment Includes Reallocation of OMH State Aid program funds for Community Support Services (\$18,000.00), Local Assistance Services (\$7,500.00), and additional OMH COLA of \$69.00.

## AGREEMENT

**THIS AGREEMENT** is by and between Oneida County, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, 13501 by and through its Department of Mental Health, with offices at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424, herein collectively referred to as the "County," and Kids Oneida, Inc., a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office located at 310 Main Street, Utica, NY 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "Provider Agency."

### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider Agency entered into an agreement whereby the Provider Agency provided mental health services to Oneida County residents with a term from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017, hereinafter referred to as the "Original Agreement," (County contract number 11169), a copy of which is attached hereto as "Exhibit A;" and

**WHEREAS**, despite the term of the Original Agreement ending, the New York State Office of Mental Health, hereinafter referred to as "OMH," has altered the funding allocation for the Provider Agency for services provided under the Original Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the parties desirous of entering into an Agreement through which the County can pass the additional funding from OMH to the provider Agency;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. This Agreement shall be in effect from upon execution through October 19, 2018.
2. The County shall pay to the following amounts to the Provider Agency:
  - a. Sixty-Nine Dollars (\$69.00) for 2017 as a result of a Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) increase;
  - b. Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000.00) as a result of reallocation of OMH program funding for community support services;
  - c. Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500.00) as a result of reallocation of OMH program funding for local assistance services.
3. The total amount of this Agreement shall not exceed Twenty-Five Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-Nine Dollars (\$25,569.00).
4. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the County and the Provider Agency have signed this Agreement on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

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

**Department of Mental Health**

By: Robin E. O'Brien  
Robin E. O'Brien, Commissioner

Date: 08/27/2018

**Kids Oneida, Inc.**

By: [Signature]  
Steven Bulger, Executive Director

Date: 8/17/18

Approved:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Maryangela Scalzo, Assistant County Attorney

# Oneida County Contract Tracking Sheet

<b>Contract #</b> 11169	<b>Code</b> New	<b>Prior #</b> 014245	<b>Dept #</b> 4310
<b>Vendor</b> Kids Oneida, Inc.	<b>Type:</b> Purchase of Services		
<b>Starts on Contract Execution:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Start Date</b> 1/1/2017	<b>End Date</b> 12/31/2017	

**Department:** Mental Health      **Appropriation Acct(s):** A4310.4951      **Revenue Code:** 3490      **Contract Amount:** \$60,000.00

**Contact Person:**

Tadd Stokes

Purchase of SPIN Tier 1 Services for county residing in the county and whom qualify under OMH Guidelines.

**1) County Attorney** *Date*      *Item Number*

Approval as to Form:	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NO _____	_____	_____
Contract Amount Over \$50,000:	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NO _____	_____	_____
Board of Legislators Approval Req'd:	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NO _____	_____	_____
Board of Acquisition and Contract:	YES _____	NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____
Requires Notary Public:	YES _____	NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____

*Comments:*

**Date:** 1/12/2017  
**Initials:** RFB

**2) Budget Director** *Date*

*Comments:*

Return to CA.

**Date:** 2/21/17  
**Initials:** GPB

**3) Final Review County Attorney** *Date*

*Comments:*

**Date:** 2/21/2017  
**Initials:** ALC a/b/c PMR

**4) Sent to Board of Legislators** *Sent Date:*

(contract to be held in Law Dept.)

**Sent Date:** 3/20/17 JKR  
**Approval Date:** 5/10/17  
**Resolution Number:** 157

**Sent to County Executive for Signature** *Date:*

**Date:** 5/16/17

## ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

### RESOLUTION NO. 157

INTRODUCED BY: Messrs. Paparella, Porter  
2ND BY: Mr. Joseph

RE: PURCHASE OF SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN ONEIDA COUNTY THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND KIDS ONEIDA, INC.

WHEREAS, This Board is in receipt of a Purchase of Services Agreement between Oneida County through its Department of Mental Health and Kids Oneida, Inc. for a maximum amount of \$60,000.00 to provide Children & Family Intervention services to Oneida County children and youth with a serious emotional disturbance and/or severe behavioral disorder, and their parents and families, and

WHEREAS, The Agreement shall be for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and terminating December 31, 2017, with either party having the right to terminate the Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party, and

WHEREAS, In accordance with Oneida County Charter Section 2202, said Agreement must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That this Board authorizes and approves a Purchase of Services Agreement between Oneida County through its Department of Mental Health and Kids Oneida, Inc. for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and terminating December 31, 2017, with either party having the right to terminate the Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party.

APPROVED: Health and Human Services Committee (May 2, 2017)  
Ways & Means Committee (May 10, 2017)

DATED: May 10, 2017

Adopted by the following vote:

AYES 20 NAYS 0 ABSENT 3 (Messrs. Waterman, Hendricks, Welsh)



Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

Robin E. O'Brien, Commissioner



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March 20, 2017

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
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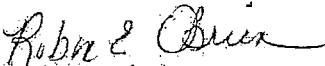
Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding four (4) copies of the 2017 Purchase of Service Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and Kids Oneida, Inc. for your review and signature. If this meets with your approval, please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

The Agreement begins on January 1, 2017 and ends on December 31, 2017. The funding amount for the year 2017 will be \$60,000.00, which reflects an increase of \$10,000.00 from 2016 as a result of a 20% increase in the number of children utilizing the services. The gross amount of this Agreement is \$60,000.00 for the year of the Agreement. The amount reflects 100% OMH State Aid Funding for 2017.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

  
Robin E. O'Brien  
Commissioner

REO/ts  
Encs.

Oneida Co. Department: Mental Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Kids Oneida, Inc.  
310 Main Street  
Utica, NY 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Children & Family Intervention

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County Children and youth with a serious emotional disturbance and/or severe behavioral disorder, and their parents/families.

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:**

**a. Children & Family Intervention**

Provide treatment and services for youth appropriately diagnosed, and their families. Assign a Service Program for Individual Needs (SPIN) Coordinator to monitor services implemented via the Tier 1 process. Coordination of case reviews. Provide documentation of services (within 15 days of service for each episode).

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

The primary objective is to maintain children in the community and enhance parenting skills keeping families intact.

**3) Program Design and Staffing**

The NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH), as applicable. The program meets the appropriate staffing model developed and monitored by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) and guidelines and regulations.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$60,000.00

**Account #**A4310.4951

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$60,000.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State \$60,000.00

**Cost Per Client Served:** (N/A)

**Past Performance Data:** (N/A)

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** (N/A)

## AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT between ONEIDA COUNTY, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, by and through its Department of Mental Health, with offices at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424, hereinafter collectively referred to as the "County," and KIDS ONEIDA, INC., a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office located at 310 Main Street, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "Provider Agency."

### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County through its Department of Mental Health desires to establish a comprehensive and integrated system of community mental health services as required by Article 41 of the Mental Hygiene Law of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Article 41 of New York State, hereinafter referred to as the "State," Mental Hygiene Law mandates and authorizes the County through its Department of Mental Health to enter into a series of Agreements, which establish a comprehensive and integrated system of community mental health services that will address the needs of the citizens and residents of Oneida County, and

WHEREAS, the Provider Agency hereby warrants that they have the proper and necessary staff and infrastructure to act as a provider and resource to and for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health; and

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants hereinafter expressed, the parties agree as follows:

1. The term of this Agreement shall be from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 or until terminated according to the termination requirements contained within this Agreement.
2. Scope of Services. The Provider Agency shall:
  - (A) Provide specialized treatment and support services for children and youth diagnosed with a serious emotional disturbance or severe behavioral disorder, and their families;
  - (B) Assign a Service Program for Individual Needs (SPIN) Coordinator to monitor and oversee all interim individualized services developed and implemented via the Tier I process, i.e. Single Point of Access & Accountability (SPOA/A). The SPIN Coordinator will:
    1. Participate in any initial and subsequent meetings with the respective child and family.
    2. Link clients and their families to appropriate resources/services in a timely and coordinated manner.
    3. Act as a liaison between Tier I, agency personnel and other service providers as necessary and appropriate.
  - (C) Attend all case-specific and programmatic meetings convened by the Oneida County Department of Mental Health Children and Youth SPOA/A to assist in the coordination



and collaboration of case assignments and case reviews, and to assure the timely delivery of services;

(D) Collect and Provide documentation of services provided within 15 days of service for each episode.

3. For the Services provided, the Oneida County Department of Mental Health will reimburse the provider Agency a maximum of Sixty Thousand Dollars and no cents (\$60,000.00) during the term of this Agreement. This shall include but not be limited to travel time, evaluation time and any court time as deemed necessary by the court. The payment schedule will be based upon submission of an Oneida County Voucher to the Department of Mental Health. Annexed hereto and made part hereof as Appendix A is the Provider Agency's Contract Budget for the term of this Agreement.

4. The County will make State Aid Payments either monthly or quarterly based on payments made to the County by New York State and the timely submission of correct monthly payment vouchers. Payments will be provided subsequent to services rendered and upon review of the voucher receipt submitted by the Provider Agency.

5. The Provider Agency agrees to participate in the development and implementation of the Local Governmental Plan. Participation may include but not necessarily be limited to: attendance at appropriate subcommittee meetings; notification to a subcommittee of intent to submit a Certificate of Need (CON) application and/or grant application which will modify Services offered by the Provider Agency; submission of planning reports and CON applications and/or Prior Approval and Review applications to the County prior to submission to the State; and attendance and cooperation with various ad hoc work groups of the subcommittee.

6. Independent Contractor Status.

(A) It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Provider Agency to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Provider Agency and its employees shall not be considered employees of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Provider Agency and its employees, in accordance with their status as an independent contractor, covenant and agree that they will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the Department by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.

(B) Provider Agency warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar services to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Provider Agency and County agree that Provider Agency is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement, and may continue to make his or her services available to the public.

(C) The Provider Agency and its employees shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.

(D) Provider Agency acknowledges and agrees that neither Provider Agency, nor its employees, shall be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.

(E) Provider Agency shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Provider Agency or its employees under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Provider Agency's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with respect to its employees, including payroll deductions, worker's compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Provider Agency shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.

(F) The Provider Agency shall indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.

(G) If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Provider Agency's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Provider Agency shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.

(H) The Provider Agency agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

7. The Provider Agency agrees, where applicable, to provide any and all Services, authorized by this agreement or other license or certification, to individuals involved in the NYS OMH Assisted Outpatient Treatment (AOT) Program. This includes individuals under a court order and individuals that meet the criteria for an AOT order but have been diverted from the formal court proceedings. The Provider Agency further agrees to provide any and all required client-specific information as required by the State of New York and/or the Oneida County Department of Mental Health for monitoring purposes. It is expressly understood that all information sent to the Oneida County Department of Mental Health will be handled in a safe and confidential manner.

8. In the event that the State or County approves or makes changes to the funding amount that is listed in Appendix A, the Provider Agency, at the request of the County shall submit a revised budget plan which reflects the approved Operating Costs, Net Operating Costs and funding by the various Deficit Funding Sources. It is expressly understood that the County assumes no responsibility for either costs not approved for reimbursements by the either the County or the State; or changes to the budget anytime during the contract period. Should any expenses be disapproved in a post-audit by the State of New York or funds are not spent in the approved programs during the fiscal year, the Provider Agency shall submit a check payable to the County Commissioner of Finance equal to the amount of any disallowance already paid to the Provider Agency by the County within thirty (30) days of notification. This provision shall apply to this agreement and all previous agreements between the County and the Provider Agency.

9. The Provider Agency agrees to submit to the County on the last business day of the following month at the end of each quarter (e.g., Jan-Mar report due April 30th) a Quarterly Financial

Analysis, Performance Analysis, and Service Utilization Report. In addition, the Provider Agency agrees to submit the following reports by the listed required dates as applicable to funding received:

(A) Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) Budgets for the current year is required to be received by the County by February 1st;

(B) Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) Estimated Claims for the prior year are required to be received by the County by April 15th.

(C) Pre- Approved 30-day Office of Mental Health (OMH) Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR) Extension Requests for the prior year OMH CFR are required to be received by the County by April 15th.

(D) OMH, OASAS and OPWDD (Full) Audited CFR for the prior year that do not have a pre-approved 30-day extension(OMH only)are required to be received by the County by April 15th. An OPWDD Estimated CFR is required by this date if an extension was filed. An OASAS Estimated Claim is required to be received by this date; no extension allowed for OASAS CFRs.

(E) Fully Audited CFRs for OMH, OPWDD, and OASAS for the prior year with an extension submitted for OMH and OPWDD and/or an Estimated OASAS CFR supplied to the County by April 15th are required to be received by the County by May 15th.

(F) OASAS Mid-Year Claim for the current year is required to be received by the County by August 15th.

(G) OASAS Consolidated Budget Report (CBR) for the next year is (with scope) required to be received by the County by September 15th.

(H) OMH CBRs for the current year are required to be received by the County by October 15th.

10. The Provider Agency shall submit a copy of the following reports during the first quarter of each Fiscal Year:

(A) Disaster Response Plan. In addition the Provider Agency will participate in the development of an Oneida County plan to respond to man-made or natural disasters.

(B) Accounting System & Financial Capability Questionnaire (where applicable).

(C) Corporate Compliance Plan. The plan will reflect efforts to ensure that personnel are aware of and in compliance with relevant laws and regulations.

(D) Annual Audit and Financial Reports.

(E) Federal Single Audit Report. If the Provider Agency is scheduled to receive funds in excess of \$300,000.00 or more in a year in federal funds, exclusive of Medicaid and Medicare. The Single Audit shall be conducted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, OMB Circular A-110, the A-102 Common Rule and such other circulars, interpretations, opinions, rules or regulations that may be issued in connection with the single Audit Act Amendments of 1996.

11. The Provider Agency shall operate all programs in compliance with the laws, rules and regulations as passed and/or promulgated by the County, State or Federal governments. It is further understood by the Provider Agency that agencies and departments of New York State other than OMH, Office of Alcoholism & Substance Abuse Services (OASAS), and Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) may promulgate these rules and regulations.

12. The Provider Agency further covenants and agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the County, its officers, agents and employees, from and against any and all loss or expenses

that may arise by reason of liability for damage, injury or death, or for invasion of personal or property rights, of every name and nature, and whether casual or continuing trespass or nuisance, and any other claims for damages arising at law and equity alleged to have been caused or sustained in whole or in part by or because of any omission of duty, negligence or wrongful act on the part of the Provider Agency, in connection with this Agreement.

13. The Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain comprehensive general liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$2,000,000 aggregate coverage. In addition, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain professional liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$2,000,000 aggregate coverage. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain umbrella liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$5,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$5,000,000 aggregate coverage. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain commercial automobile liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 combined single limit, such coverage must include coverage for liability arising out of all owned, leased, hired and non-owned automobiles. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain Workers Compensation and Employers Liability insurance at the statutory limits in the State of New York. The County of Oneida must be named as an "Additionally Insured" on a "primary and non-contributing basis" as part of the Provider Agency's insurance policies. Proof of all three types of insurance coverage must be provided to the County at the time of the execution of this contract. It is expressly understood that if during the course of this Agreement, said insurance policy is canceled or otherwise allowed to lapse, the Provider Agency must provide the County proof of insurance consistent with the requirements listed above. Failure to provide proof of insurance is a basis for the County to seek the immediate termination of this Agreement.

14. Contractor waives all rights against Oneida County and their agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by Commercial General Liability, Professional Liability, or Workers Compensation and Employers Liability insurance maintained per requirements stated above.

15. Either party may terminate this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party. Notwithstanding the above, if through any cause, the Provider Agency fails to comply with legal, professional, County or State requirements for the provision of the services covered under this Agreement, or if the Provider Agency becomes bankrupt or insolvent or falsify their records or reports, the County may terminate this Agreement effective immediately, or, at its option, effective at a later date after sending notice of such termination to the Provider Agency.

(A) The County shall be released from any and all responsibilities and obligations arising from the services covered by this Agreement, effective as of the date of termination. The County shall be responsible for payment of all claims for services provided and costs incurred by the Provider Agency prior to the termination of this Agreement that are pursuant to and after Provider Agency compliance with the terms and conditions herein.

(B) Notice of termination must be in writing, signed by an authorized official, and sent to the other party by certified mail or messenger, and receipt shall be requested. Notice of termination shall be deemed delivered as of the date of its posting by certified mail or at the time it is delivered to the other party by messenger.

(C) If any term or provision of this Agreement shall be found to be illegal or unenforceable, then, notwithstanding the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect and such term or provision shall be deemed stricken. The laws of the State of New York shall govern this contract and jurisdiction and venue shall lie within the State of New York.

16. The Provider Agency agrees to maintain files in a confidential manner pursuant to the applicable statutes contained in New York State Mental Hygiene Law and any Federal Law regulating such files. Information contained in these files shall be released only upon the written consent of the client being served or to the Oneida County Department of Mental Health as outlined below:

(A) It is expressly understood that as a Provider Agency for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health, it may and will receive confidential information from the Department of Mental Health and this information may have been received from other independent contractors and/or licensed agencies. The Provider Agency agrees that all such information will be considered as being confidential and shall not be re-disclosed without the written consent of the individual.

(B) Accordingly, as a condition of and in consideration of access to confidential information, the Provider Agency promises that:

(i) They will use confidential information only as needed to perform the duties outlined in the "Scope of Services" above for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and the Tier I program. This means, among other things, that:

(a) The Provider Agency will only access confidential information for which there is a need to know; and

(b) The Provider Agency will not in any way divulge, copy, release, sell, loan review, alter or destroy any confidential information except as properly authorized.

(c) The Provider Agency will not misuse confidential information or carelessly handle confidential information.

(ii) The Provider Agency will safeguard and will not disclose any access code or any other authorization that allows access to confidential information. The Provider Agency accepts responsibility for all activities undertaken using any access code and other authorization.

(iii) The Provider Agency will report activities by any individual or entity that is suspected of or may compromise the confidentiality of confidential information. Reports made in good faith about suspect activities will be held in confidence to the extent permitted by law, including the name of the individual reporting the activities.

(iv) The Provider Agency understands that the obligations under this Agreement will continue after termination of employment and that it is further understood that any privileges hereunder are subject to periodic review, revision and if appropriate, renewal.

(v) The Provider Agency understands that there is no right or ownership interest in any confidential information referred to in this Agreement. The Oneida County Department of Mental Health may at any time revoke any access code, other authorization, or access to confidential information. At all times during the course of providing services under this Agreement, the Provider Agency will safeguard the confidentiality of all confidential information.

(vi) The Provider Agency will be responsible for any misuse or wrongful disclosure of confidential information and for any failure to safeguard an access code or other authorization access to confidential information. It is expressly understood that any failure to comply with this Agreement may result in immediate termination of access to the information system and legal action against the Provider.

17. The Provider Agency agrees not to discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals diagnosed with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV related illness. If the Provider Agency is provided with any confidential HIV related information during the course of providing services and in accordance with "Program Requirements For Social Services" found at 18 NYCRR Part 403, and the confidentiality and disclosure requirements of New York State Public Health Law Section 2782, they shall be informed of the penalties and fines for any re-disclosure found to be in violation of New York State Law and/or Regulations.

The Provider Agency shall include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV-related information:

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records, which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

18. The Provider Agency agrees that as mandated reporters, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect, and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the New York Statewide Central Register as required by law. Each verbal report to the Statewide Central Register shall be followed by the submission of completed Form 2221A ("Report of Suspected Child Abuse or Maltreatment") to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the decision to file a report with the Statewide Central Register. The Provider Agency shall also notify the Commissioner of Oneida County Department of Mental Health of any and all reports made to the Statewide Central Register.

19. The Provider Agency is solely responsible for paying all of his/her business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

20. The Provider Agency shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County. The Provider Agency shall be fully responsible for his or her own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.


21. Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Agreement, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

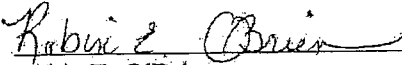
22. It is understood that this instrument represents the entire Agreement of the parties hereto; both parties shall execute that all previous understandings are merged herein; and that no modifications hereof shall be valid unless written evidence shall be executed thereof.

23. Annexed hereto and made a part hereof as Appendix A (Contract Budget) and Appendix B (Standard Oneida County Contract Addendum), which are additional terms, covenants and conditions that the respective parties agree to be bound by and follow as part of this Agreement.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties herein have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

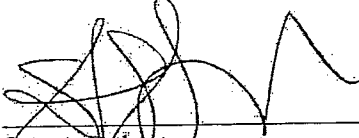
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By:  5-16-17  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr. Date  
Oneida County Executive

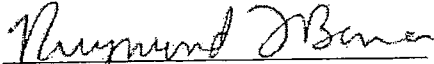
By:  03/21/2017  
Robin E. O'Brien Date  
Commissioner, Department of Mental Health

KIDS ONEIDA, INC.

By:  3/13/17  
~~Resario Dalia~~ William McDonald Date  
President, Board of Directors

By:  3/13/2017  
Steven Bulger Date  
Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer

Approved

By:   
Raymond F. Bara, Esq.  
Assistant County Attorney

Kids Onfield, Inc.

APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2017

OMH	\$60,000.00
Total State Aid	\$60,000.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING</b>	<b>\$60,000.00</b>

Monthly Voucher Amount January through December	No. of Payments	Total Amount
\$5,000.00	12	\$60,000.00
		<u>\$0.00</u>
		\$60,000.00



STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONTRACT ADDENDUM

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1 day of January, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, and thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executory or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislators Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.

b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,

1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:

- a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
- b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contracts under a public transaction, violation of federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
- c. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph 1(b) of this certification; and
- d. Have not within a three-year period, preceding this Contract, had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and

2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
    1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
    4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
  - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
    1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
  - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
  - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted:
    1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
    2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
  - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

#### 4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access protected health information electronically; and
3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.

b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.

d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:

1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or

3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.

e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Workers' Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any

employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

#### **8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

#### **9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

#### **10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an

office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### **11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### **12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.



**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### **17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### **18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the

responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.



Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

Robin E. O'Brien, Commissioner



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August 13, 2018

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Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding four (4) copies of a Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and **Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc.** for your review and signature. This Agreement provides additional funding for services performed January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 under County agreement number 15511.

The amount of this Agreement is Eighteen Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Two Dollars. This amount reflects an OMH State Aid COLA increase of **\$884.00** and a transfer of OMH State Aid Funding to support clinical services in the amount of **\$17,568.00**.

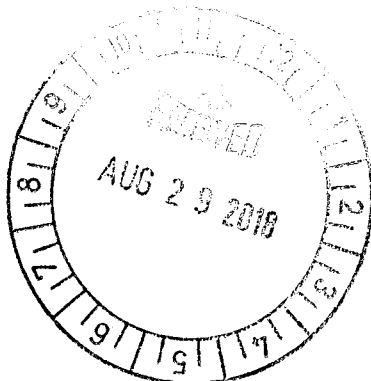
Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement. If the same meets with your approval, kindly forward to the Board of Legislators for further action.

Respectfully,

*Robin E. O'Brien*

Robin E. O'Brien  
Commissioner

REO/ts  
Encs.



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-28-18

Oneida Co. Department: MENTAL HEALTH

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other  X

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:**

Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc.  
1020 Mary Street  
Utica, NY 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:**

Supported Housing/Case Management  
Mentally Ill Chemical Abuse Network (MICA)  
Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)  
Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)  
Advocacy

**Proposed Dates of Operation:**

Upon execution through October 18, 2018  
(OMH COLA/Transfer Clinical)

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

Adults and children with serious and persistent  
mental illness

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

- a. Supported Housing/Case Management – supported housing services assist consumers in locating and securing mainstream housing of their choice and accessing the supports necessary to live successfully in the community.
- b. Mentally Ill Chemical Abuse Network (MICA) – assists the homeless with a co-diagnosed along with substance abuse, live successfully in the community.
- c. Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) – Temporary, short-term supports to individuals interested in returning to the workforce.
- d. Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE) – competitive employment in integrated community settings with supports.
- e. Advocacy – linkage to mental health legal services or access to peer services.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

The primary objective of all services is to support individuals to help them achieve and maintain the most independent level of functioning in their lives.

**3) Program Design and Staffing**

All services are licensed by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH), as applicable. Assisted Competitive Employment is monitored and certified through the NYS Education Department Bureau of Vocational & Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (ACCESS-VR).

All programs meet the appropriate staffing models developed and monitored by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) in concert with the NYS Division of Budget (DOB) and in conjunction with guidelines and regulations.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$18,452.00

**Account #** A4310.49517

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$18,452.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** 100% OMH State Aid Funding.

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** OMH Funding reflects an increase COLA in the amount of \$884.00 and OMH State Aid funds transfer of clinical service dollars in the amount of \$17,568.00 for the 2017 contract term.

## **AGREEMENT**

**THIS AGREEMENT** is by and between Oneida County, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, 13501 by and through its Department of Mental Health, with offices at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424, herein collectively referred to as the "County," and Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc., a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office located at 1020 Mary Street, Utica, NY 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "Provider Agency."

### **WITNESSETH**

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider Agency entered into an agreement whereby the Provider Agency provided mental health services to Oneida County residents with a term from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017, hereinafter referred to as the "Original Agreement" (County contract number 15511), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS**, despite the term of the Original Agreement ending, New York State Office of Mental Health, herein referred to as "OMH," has altered the funding allocation for the Provider Agency for services provided under the Original Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Agreement, through which the County can pass the additional funding from OMH to the Provider Agency;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. This Agreement shall be in effect from upon execution through October 18, 2018.
2. The County shall pay the following amounts to the Provider Agency:
  - a. Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-Eight Dollars (\$17,568.00) for 2017 as a result of additional OMH State Aid funding to support clinical services.
  - b. Eight Hundred Eighty-Four Dollars (\$884.00) for 2017 as a result of a Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) increase.
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

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IN WITNESS THEREOF, the County and the Provider Agency have signed this Agreement on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Department of Mental Health**

By: Robin E. O'Brien  
Robin E. O'Brien, Commissioner

8/23/18  
Date

**Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc.**

By: Geno DeCondo  
Geno DeCondo, Executive Director

8/20/18  
Date

Approved

\_\_\_\_\_  
Maryangela Scalzo, Assistant County Attorney



# Oneida County Contract Tracking Sheet

<b>Contract #</b> 68175	<b>Code</b> Amendment	<b>Prior #</b> L15511	<b>Dept #</b>
<b>Vendor</b> Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc.	<b>Type:</b> Purchase of Services		
<b>Starts on Contract Execution:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Start Date</b> 7/19/2018	<b>End Date</b> 10/19/2018	

**Department:** Mental Health      **Appropriation Acct(s):** A4310.49517      **Revenue Code:**      **Contract Amount:** \$18,452.00

**Contact Person:**  
Todd Stokes

Agreement increases funding for services provided under Purchase of Services Agreement for the 2017 year. Additional funding represents clinical services and a COLA increase.

**1) County Attorney**

		<i>Date</i>	<i>Item Number</i>
Approval as to Form:	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____ NO _____	7/9/2018	_____
Contract Amount Over \$50,000:	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____ NO _____	_____	_____
Board of Legislators Approval Req'd:	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____ NO _____	_____	_____
Board of Acquisition and Contract:	YES _____ NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____	_____	_____
Requires Notary Public:	YES _____ NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> _____	_____	_____

*Comments:*

**Date:**   
**Initials:**

**2) Budget Director**

*Comments:*

Returned to the County Attorney's Office.

**Date:**   
**Initials:**

**3) Final Review County Attorney**

*Comments:*

**Date:**   
**Initials:**

**4) Sent to Board of Legislators**

(contract to be held in Law Dept.)

**Sent Date:**

**Approval Date:**

**Resolution Number:**

Sent to County Executive for Signature

**Date:**

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# Oneida County Contract Tracking Sheet

Contract # 15511	Code New	Prior #	Dept # 4310
Vendor: Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc.		Type: Purchase of Services	
Starts on Contract Execution: <input type="checkbox"/>	Start Date: 1/1/2017	End Date: 12/31/2017	

**Department:** Mental Health     
**Appropriation Acct(s):** A4310.49517     
**Revenue Code:** 3490     
**Contract Amount:** 1,029,101.00  
**Contact Person:** Todd Stokes  
Purchase of Psychosocial club, supported housing, rehab, employment, and advocacy services for County residents who qualify under OMH guidelines.

**1) County Attorney**

	Date	Item Number
Approval as to Form: YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO _____		
Contract Amount Over \$50,000: YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO _____		
Board of Legislators Approval Req'd: YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO _____		
Board of Acquisition and Contract: YES _____ NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Requires Notary Public: YES _____ NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

**Comments:** 

**Date:** 3/14/2017  
**Initials:** RFB

**2) Budget Director**

**Comments:** Returned to the County Attorney's Office.

**Date:** 03/20/2017  
**Initials:** TBK

**3) Final Review County Attorney**

**Comments:** 

**Date:** 3/14/2017  
**Initials:** ALC o/b/o PMR

**4) Sent to Board of Legislators**

**Sent Date:** 4-3-17 JES  
**Approval Date:** 5/10/17  
**Resolution Number:** 104

*(contract to be held in Law Dept.)*

**Sent to County Executive for Signature** **Date:** 5/16/17

## ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

### RESOLUTION NO. 164

INTRODUCED BY: Messrs. Paparella, Porter  
2ND BY: Mr. Joseph

RE: PURCHASE OF SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN ONEIDA COUNTY THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND UPSTATE CEREBRAL PALSY, INC.

WHEREAS, This Board is in receipt of a Purchase of Services Agreement between Oneida County through its Department of Mental Health and Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc. for a maximum amount of \$1,029,101.00 to provide Psychosocial Clubhouse, Supported Housing/Care Management, Mentally Ill Chemical Abuse Network (MICA), Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE), Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE), and Advocacy services to adults and children with a serious and persistent mental illness, and

WHEREAS, The Agreement shall be for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and terminating December 31, 2017, with either party having the right to terminate the Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party, and

WHEREAS, In accordance with Oneida County Charter Section 2202, said Agreement must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That this Board authorizes and approves a Purchase of Services Agreement between Oneida County through its Department of Mental Health and Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc. for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and terminating December 31, 2017.

APPROVED: Health and Human Services Committee (May 2, 2017)  
Ways & Means Committee (May 10, 2017)

DATED: May 10, 2017

Adopted by the following vote:

AYES 20 NAYS 0 ABSENT 3 (Messrs. Waterman, Hendricks, Welsh)



Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

Robin E. O'Brien, Commissioner



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March 27, 2017

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding four (4) copies of the Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc. for your review and signature.

The amount of this Agreement is one million twenty-nine thousand one hundred one dollars **\$1,029,101.00** for the **2017** year. This amount reflects **100%** State Aid Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

Robin E. O'Brien  
Commissioner

REO/ts  
Encs.

Oneida Co. Department: Mental Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:**

Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc.  
1020 Mary Street  
Utica, NY 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:**

Psychosocial Clubhouse  
Supported Housing/Case Management  
Mentally Ill Chemical Abuse Network (MICA)  
Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)  
Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)  
Advocacy

**Proposed Dates of Operation:**

January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Adults and Children with a serious and persistent mental illness.

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:**

**a. Psychosocial Club**

For individuals diagnosed with a major mental illness and functional deficits in the general life areas of socializing, employment and/or education and living environments.

**b. Supported Housing/Case Management**

Supported Housing services assist consumers in locating and securing mainstream housing of their choice and accessing the supports necessary to live successfully in the community.

**c. Mentally Ill Chemical Abuse Network (MICA)**

Assists the homeless with a co-diagnosis along with substance abuse, live successfully in the community.

**d. Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)**

Temporary, short-term supports to individuals interested in returning to the workforce.

**e. Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)**

Competitive employment in integrated community settings with supports.

**f. Advocacy**

Linkage to mental health legal services or access to peer services.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

The primary objective of all services is to support individuals to help them achieve and maintain the most independent level of functioning possible in their lives.

**3) Program Design and Staffing**

All services are licensed by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH), as applicable. Assisted Competitive Employment is monitored and certified through the NYS Education Department Bureau of Vocational & Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (ACCESS-VR). All programs meet the appropriate staffing models developed and monitored by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) in concert with the NYS Division of Budget (DOB) and in conjunction with guidelines and regulations.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$1,029,101.00

**Account #A4310.49517**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$1,029,101.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State \$1,029,101.00

**Cost Per Client Served:** (N/A)

**Past Performance Data:** (N/A)

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** (N/A)

## AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT between ONEIDA COUNTY, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, by and through its Department of Mental Health, with offices at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424, hereinafter collectively referred to as the "County," and UPSTATE CEREBRAL PALSY, INC., a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office located at 1020 Mary Street, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as the "Provider Agency."

### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County through its Department of Mental Health desires to establish a comprehensive and integrated system of community mental health services as required by Article 41 of the Mental Hygiene Law of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Article 41 of New York State, hereinafter referred to as the "State," Mental Hygiene Law mandates and authorizes the County through its Department of Mental Health to enter into a series of Agreements, which establish a comprehensive and integrated system of community mental health services that will address the needs of the citizens and residents of Oneida County, and

WHEREAS, the Provider Agency hereby warrants that they have the proper and necessary staff and infrastructure to act as a provider and resource to and for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health; and

**NOW THEREFORE,** in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The term of this Agreement shall be from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 or until terminated according to the termination requirements contained within this Agreement.

2. The Provider Agency shall:

(A) Provide Psychosocial Club Services for individuals with a major mental illness, to include a focus on socializing, employment and/or education and living environments;

(B) Provide Supported Housing to assist consumers in locating and securing housing, and providing supports to include financial assistance with security deposits, and purchasing furniture. Case Management Services will include assistance in choosing housing, negotiating leases, financial consultations, assistance in daily living and linkage to needed services;

(C) Facilitate Mentally Ill Chemical Abuser (MICA) Network Case Management Services to dually diagnosed homeless individuals. Services will include the provision of support, advocacy, and linkage to treatment to avoid contacts with the

criminal justice system and prevent homelessness;

(D) Facilitate temporarily, short-term supports to individuals interested in returning to the workforce through Assisted Competitive Employment Services. Services include intake/assessment, information and referral, job readiness skills, and job coaching;

(E) Provide Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment Services by securing competitive employment, providing on-site coaching, employer consultation, supports in integrated community settings;

(F) Provide Advocacy Services to seriously and persistently mentally ill adults on an individualized and as needed basis, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Services will include linkage to mental health legal services and/or access to peer services.

3. For the Services provided, County will reimburse the provider Agency a maximum of One Million Twenty-Nine Thousand One Hundred One Dollars and no cents (\$1,029,101.00) during the term of this Agreement. This shall include but not be limited to travel time, evaluation time and any court time as deemed necessary by the court. The payment schedule will be based upon submission of an Oneida County Voucher to the Department of Mental Health, Annexed hereto and made part hereof as Appendix A is the Provider Agency's Contract Budget for the term of this Agreement.

4. Referrals to the Provider Agency. The Provider Agency shall accept referrals for the services provided under this Agreement either from the County's (SPOA/A) or through Health Home Network, Inc.

(A) If the Provider Agency accepts a referral through Health Home Network, Inc., the Provider Agency shall promptly provide a copy of that referral to the County.

(B) If the Provider Agency declines a referral from Health Home Network, Inc. because it is inappropriate for the Provider Agency to service, then the Provider Agency shall provide prompt notice of such declination to the County.

(C) On a monthly basis, the Provider Agency shall provide the County with the following lists. Each list shall include the client's assigned care management agency and the client's demographic information, including the client's name and date of birth.

(i) A list of all cases that are currently open to the Provider Agency, whether referred to the Provider Agency by the SPOA/A or the Health Home Network, Inc.; and

(ii) A list of all cases that have been closed by the Provider Agency since the last monthly report.

5. The County will make State Aid Payments either monthly or quarterly based on payments made to the County by New York State and the timely submission of correct monthly payment vouchers. Payments will be provided subsequent to services rendered and upon review of the voucher receipt submitted by the Provider Agency.

6. The Provider Agency agrees to participate in the development and implementation of the Local Governmental Plan. Participation may include but not necessarily be limited to: attendance at appropriate subcommittee meetings; notification to a subcommittee of intent to submit a Certificate of Need (CON) application and/or grant application which will modify Services offered by the



Provider Agency; submission of planning reports and CON applications and/or Prior Approval and Review applications to the County prior to submission to the State; and attendance and cooperation with various ad hoc work groups of the subcommittee.

7. Independent Contractor Status.

(A) It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Provider Agency to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Provider Agency and its employees shall not be considered employees of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Provider Agency and its employees, in accordance with their status as an independent contractor, covenant and agree that they will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the Department by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.

(B) Provider Agency warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar services to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Provider Agency and County agree that Provider Agency is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement, and may continue to make his or her services available to the public.

(C) The Provider Agency shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.

(D) Provider Agency acknowledges and agrees that neither Provider Agency, nor its employees, shall be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.

(E) Provider Agency shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Provider Agency or its employees under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Provider Agency's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with respect to its employees, including payroll deductions, worker's compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Provider Agency shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.

(F) The Provider Agency shall indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.

(G) If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Provider Agency's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Provider Agency shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.

(H) The Provider Agency agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as

supplemented in the Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

8. The Provider Agency agrees, where applicable, to provide any and all Services, authorized by this agreement or other license or certification, to individuals involved in the NYS OMH Assisted Outpatient Treatment (AOT) Program. This includes individuals under a court order and individuals that meet the criteria for an AOT order but have been diverted from the formal court proceedings. The Provider Agency further agrees to provide any and all required client-specific information as required by the State of New York and/or the Oneida County Department of Mental Health for monitoring purposes. It is expressly understood that all information sent to the Oneida County Department of Mental Health will be handled in a safe and confidential manner.

9. In the event that the State or County approves or makes changes to the funding amount that is listed in Appendix A, the Provider Agency, at the request of the County shall submit a revised budget plan which reflects the approved Operating Costs, Net Operating Costs and funding by the various Deficit Funding Sources. It is expressly understood that the County assumes no responsibility for either costs not approved for reimbursements by the either the County or the State; or changes to the budget anytime during the contract period. Should any expenses be disapproved in a post-audit by the State of New York or funds are not spent in the approved programs during the fiscal year, the Provider Agency shall submit a check payable to the County Commissioner of Finance equal to the amount of any disallowance already paid to the Provider Agency by the County within thirty (30) days of notification. This provision shall apply to this agreement and all previous agreements between the County and the Provider Agency.

10. The Provider Agency agrees to submit to the County on the last business day of the following month at the end of each quarter (e.g., Jan-Mar report due April 30th) a Quarterly Financial Analysis, Performance Analysis, and Service Utilization Report. In addition, the Provider Agency agrees to submit the following reports by the listed required dates as applicable to funding received:

- (A) Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) Budgets for the current year is required to be received by the County by February 1<sup>st</sup>.
- (B) Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) Estimated Claims for the prior year are required to be received by the County by April 15th.
- (C) Pre- Approved 30-day Office of Mental Health (OMH) Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR) Extension Requests for the prior year OMH CFR are required to be received by the County by April 15th.
- (D) OMH, OASAS and OPWDD (Full) Audited CFR for the prior year that do not have a pre-approved 30-day extension (OMH only) are required to be received by the County by April 15th. An OPWDD Estimated CFR is required by this date if an extension was filed. An OASAS Estimated Claim is required to be received by this date; no extension allowed for OASAS CFRs.
- (E) Fully Audited CFRs for OMH, OPWDD, and OASAS for the prior year with an extension submitted for OMH and OPWDD and/or an Estimated OASAS CFR supplied to the County by April 15th are required to be received by the County by May 15th.
- (F) OASAS Mid-Year Claim for the current year is required to be received by the County by August 15th.

(G) OASAS Consolidated Budget Report (CBR) for the next year is (with scope) required to be received by the County by September 15th.

(H) OMH CBRs for the current year are required to be received by the County by October 15th.

11. The Provider Agency shall submit a copy of the following reports during the first quarter of each Fiscal Year:

(A) Disaster Response Plan. In addition the Provider Agency will participate in the development of an Oneida County plan to respond to man-made or natural disasters.

(B) Accounting System & Financial Capability Questionnaire (where applicable).

(C) Corporate Compliance Plan. The plan will reflect efforts to ensure that personnel are aware of and in compliance with relevant laws and regulations.

(D) Annual Audit and Financial Reports.

(E) Federal Single Audit Report. If the Provider Agency is scheduled to receive funds in excess of \$300,000.00 or more in a year in federal funds, exclusive of Medicaid and Medicare. The Single Audit shall be conducted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, OMB Circular A-110, the A-102 Common Rule and such other circulars, interpretations, opinions, rules or regulations that may be issued in connection with the single Audit Act Amendments of 1996.

12. The Provider Agency shall operate all programs in compliance with the laws, rules and regulations as passed and/or promulgated by the County, State or Federal governments. It is further understood by the Provider Agency that agencies and departments of New York State other than OMH, Office of Alcoholism & Substance Abuse Services (OASAS), and Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) may promulgate these rules and regulations.

13. The Provider Agency further covenants and agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the County, its officers, agents and employees, from and against any and all loss or expenses that may arise by reason of liability for damage, injury or death, or for invasion of personal or property rights, of every name and nature, and whether casual or continuing trespass or nuisance, and any other claims for damages arising at law and equity alleged to have been caused or sustained in whole or in part by or because of any omission of duty, negligence or wrongful act on the part of the Provider Agency, in connection with this Agreement.

14. The Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain comprehensive general liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$2,000,000 aggregate coverage. In addition, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain professional liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$2,000,000 aggregate coverage. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain umbrella liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$5,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$5,000,000 aggregate coverage. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and commercial automobile liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 combined single limit, such coverage must include coverage for liability arising out of all owned, leased, hired and non-owned automobiles. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain Workers Compensation and Employers Liability insurance at the statutory limits in the State

of New York. The County of Oneida must be named as an "Additionally Insured" on a "primary and non-contributing basis" as part of the Provider Agency's insurance policies. Proof of all three types of insurance coverage must be provided to the County at the time of the execution of this contract. It is expressly understood that if during the course of this Agreement, said insurance policy is canceled or otherwise allowed to lapse, the Provider Agency must provide the County proof of insurance consistent with the requirements listed above. Failure to provide proof of insurance is a basis for the County to seek the immediate termination of this Agreement.

15. The Provider Agency waives all rights against the County and its agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by Commercial General Liability, Professional Liability, or Workers Compensation and Employers Liability insurance maintained per requirements stated above.

16. Either party may terminate this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party. Notwithstanding the above, if, through any cause, the Provider Agency fails to comply with legal, professional, County or State requirements for the provision of the services covered under this Agreement, or if the Provider Agency becomes bankrupt or insolvent or falsify their records or reports, the County may terminate this Agreement effective immediately, or, at its option, effective at a later date after sending notice of such termination to the Provider Agency.

(A) The County shall be released from any and all responsibilities and obligations arising from the services covered by this Agreement, effective as of the date of termination. The County shall be responsible for payment of all claims for services provided and costs incurred by the Provider Agency prior to the termination of this Agreement that are pursuant to and after Provider Agency compliance with the terms and conditions herein.

(B) Notice of termination must be in writing, signed by an authorized official, and sent to the other party by certified mail or messenger, and receipt shall be requested. Notice of termination shall be deemed delivered as of the date of its posting by certified mail or at the time it is delivered to the other party by messenger.

(C) If any term or provision of this Agreement shall be found to be illegal or unenforceable, then, notwithstanding the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect and such term or provision shall be deemed stricken. The laws of the State of New York shall govern this contract and jurisdiction and venue shall lie within the State of New York.

17. The Provider Agency agrees to maintain files in a confidential manner pursuant to the applicable statutes contained in New York State Mental Hygiene Law and any Federal Law regulating such files. Information contained in these files shall be released only upon the written consent of the client being served or to the Oneida County Department of Mental Health as outlined below.

(A) It is expressly understood that as a Provider Agency for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health, it may and will receive confidential information from the Department of Mental Health and this information may have been received from other independent contractors and/or licensed agencies. The Provider Agency agrees that all such information will be considered as being confidential and shall not be re-disclosed without the written consent of the individual.

(B) Accordingly, as a condition of and in consideration of access to confidential

information, the Provider Agency promises that:

(i) They will use confidential information only as needed to perform the duties outlined in the "Scope of Services" above for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and the Tier I program. This means, among other things, that:

(a) The Provider Agency will only access confidential information for which there is a need to know; and

(b) The Provider Agency will not in any way divulge, copy, release, sell, loan review, alter or destroy any confidential information except as properly authorized.

(c) The Provider Agency will not misuse confidential information or carelessly handle confidential information.

(ii) The Provider Agency will safeguard and will not disclose any access code or any other authorization that allows access to confidential information. The Provider Agency accepts responsibility for all activities undertaken using any access code and other authorization.

(iii) The Provider Agency will report activities by any individual or entity that is suspected of or may compromise the confidentiality of confidential information. Reports made in good faith about suspect activities will be held in confidence to the extent permitted by law, including the name of the individual reporting the activities.

(iv) The Provider Agency understands that the obligations under this Agreement will continue after termination of employment and that it is further understood that any privileges hereunder are subject to periodic review, revision and if appropriate, renewal.

(v) The Provider Agency understands that there is no right or ownership interest in any confidential information referred to in this Agreement. The Oneida County Department of Mental Health may at any time revoke any access code, other authorization, or access to confidential information. At all times during the course of providing services under this Agreement, the Provider Agency will safeguard the confidentiality of all confidential information.

(vi) The Provider Agency will be responsible for any misuse or wrongful disclosure of confidential information and for any failure to safeguard an access code or other authorization access to confidential information. It is expressly understood that any failure to comply with this Agreement may result in immediate termination of access to the information system and legal action against the Provider.

18. The Provider Agency agrees not to discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals diagnosed with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV related illness. If the Provider Agency is provided with any confidential HIV related information during the course of providing services and in accordance with "Program Requirements For Social Services" found at 18 NYCRR Part 403, and the confidentiality and disclosure requirements of New York State Public Health Law Section 2782, they shall be informed of the penalties and fines for any re-disclosure found to be in violation of New York State Law and/or Regulations.

The Provider Agency shall include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV-related information:

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records, which are

protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

19. The Provider Agency agrees that as mandated reporters, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect, and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the New York Statewide Central Register as required by law. Each verbal report to the Statewide Central Register shall be followed by the submission of completed Form 2221 A ("Report of Suspected Child Abuse or Maltreatment") to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the decision to file a report with the Statewide Central Register. The Provider Agency shall also notify the Commissioner of Oneida County Department of Mental Health of any and all reports made to the Statewide Central Register.

20. The Provider Agency is solely responsible for paying all of his/her business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

21. The Provider Agency shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County. The Provider Agency shall be fully responsible for his or her own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

22. Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Agreement, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

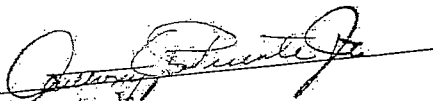
23. It is understood that this instrument represents the entire Agreement of the parties hereto; both parties shall execute that all previous understandings are merged herein; and that no modifications hereof shall be valid unless written evidence shall be executed thereof.

24. Annexed hereto and made a part hereof as Appendix A (Contract Budget) and Appendix B (Standard Oneida County Contract Addendum), which are additional terms, covenants and conditions that the respective parties agree to be bound by and follow as part of this Agreement.


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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties herein have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

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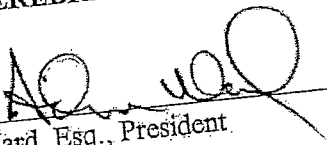
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Oneida County Executive

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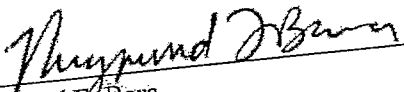
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Board of Directors

3-24-17  
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Louis Tehan, President and CEO

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Oneida County Attorney

By:   
Raymond E. Bara  
Assistant County Attorney

Upstate Cerebral Palsy, Inc.

APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2017

OMH	\$1,029,101.00
Total State Aid	\$1,029,101.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING</b>	<b>\$1,029,101.00</b>

No. of Payments

Total Amount:

Monthly Voucher Amount January through November	\$85,758.00	11	\$943,338.00
Final Voucher Amount for December	\$85,763.00	1	<u>\$85,763.00</u>
			\$1,029,101.00



STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONTRACT ADDENDUM

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1 day of January, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, and thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executory or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislators Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.

b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,

1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:

- a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
  - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contracts under a public transaction, violation of federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - c. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph 1(b) of this certification; and
  - d. Have not within a three-year period, preceding this Contract, had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default;
- and

2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
    1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
    4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
  - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
    1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
  - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
  - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted:
    1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
    2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
  - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

#### 4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access protected health information electronically; and
3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.

b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.

d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:

1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or

3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.

e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Workers' Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any

employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an

office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

**11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

**12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.



**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### 17. Audit

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### 18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the

responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.



Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

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July 9, 2018

FN 20 18-334

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding four (4) copies of a Purchase of Service Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and NYSARC, Inc., through its local chapter, The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter, for your review and signature. If this meets with approval, please forward this to the Board of Legislators for further action.

This Agreement provides additional funding for services performed under an agreement from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017. The cost of this Agreement is One Hundred Thirty-Four Dollars (\$134.00) which reflects an OMH COLA increase.

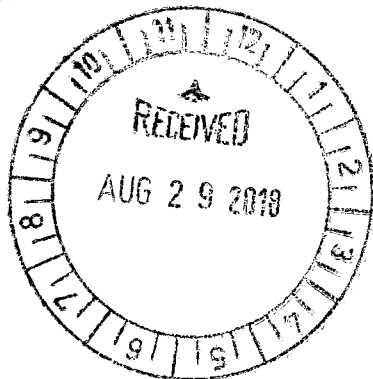
Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

*Robin E. O'Brien*

Robin E. O'Brien  
Commissioner

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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislator by

*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-28-18

Oneida Co. Department: Mental Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** NYSARC, Inc.  
245 Genesee Street  
Utica, NY 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Respite Program Enhancement  
Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)  
Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** Upon execution through October 19, 2019.  
(OMH COLA Increase)

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

- i. **Respite Program Enhancement** Providing County designated funds to support respite programming that provides socialization activities to clients and supports the needs of families;
- ii. **Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)** ACE is a community based supported employment program which provides; intake/assessment, individualized job development, job shadowing, community internships, benefits counseling, transportation, and life skills advocacy.
- iii. **Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)** OISE provides individuals with direct placement into community based employment accompanied by needed support and follow along services. Support services include; on-site job coaching, benefits counseling, transportation, life skills advocacy, and long term job retention supports. Extended services are provided to the individual as long as they are needed to ensure gainful employment is successfully maintained.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

The primary objective of the above services is to support individuals and help them achieve and maintain maximum independence.

**3) Program Design and Staffing**

All services are licensed by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH). ACE is monitored and certified through the NYS Education Department Bureau of Vocational & Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (ACCESS-VR).

All programs meet the appropriate staffing models developed and monitored by OMH guidelines and regulations.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$134.00 **Account #** A4310.49516

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$134.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** State Aid - OMH

**Cost Per Client Served:** (N/A)

**Past Performance Data:** (N/A)

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** 100% OMH State Aid – Amendment reflects an increase OMH COLA of \$134.00

BOL RESOLUTION #435 / fm 2017-431

## **AGREEMENT**

**THIS AGREEMENT** is by and between Oneida County, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, 13501, by and through its Department of Mental Health, with offices at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424, herein collectively referred to as the “County,” and **NYSARC, Inc.**, a domestic not-for-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, by and through its local division, The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter, having its principal office located at 245 Genesee Street, Utica, NY 13501, hereinafter collectively referred to as the “Provider Agency.”

### **WITNESSETH**

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider Agency entered into an agreement whereby the Provider Agency provided mental health services to Oneida County residents with a term of January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017, hereinafter referred to as the “Original Agreement” (County contract number 15513), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS**, despite the term of the Original Agreement ending, New York State Office of Mental Health, hereinafter referred to as “OMH,” altered the funding allocation for the Provider Agency for services provided under the Original Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Agreement, through which the County can pass the additional funding from OMH to the Provider Agency;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. This Agreement shall be in effect from upon execution through October 19, 2018.
2. The County shall pay One Hundred Thirty-Four Dollars (\$134.00) to the Provider Agency for services performed under the Original Agreement as a result of a Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) increase.
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

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**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider Agency have signed this Agreement on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr., Oneida County Executive

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Department of Mental Health**

By: Robin E. O'Brien  
Robin E. O'Brien, Commissioner

8/22/18  
Date

**NYSARC, Inc.**

By: [Signature]  
Karen Korotzer, Executive Director

8/17/18  
Date

Approved:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Maryangela Scalzo, Assistant County Attorney



# Oneida County Contract Tracking Sheet

Contract # 15513	Code New	Prior #	Dept # 4310
Vendor The ARC of Oneida and Lewis Counties, Inc.		Type: Purchase of Services	
Starts on Contract Execution: <input type="checkbox"/>	Start Date 1/1/2017	End Date	12/31/2017

**Department:** Mental Health     
**Appropriation Acct(s):** A4310.49516     
**Revenue Code:** 3490     
**Contract Amount:** 322,367.00

**Contact Person:** Todd Stokes  
Purchase of ACE and OISE Employment Services for County residents who qualify under the OMH Guidelines.

1) County Attorney	Date	Item Number
Approval as to Form: YES <u>X</u> NO _____	_____	_____
Contract Amount Over \$50,000: YES <u>X</u> NO _____	_____	_____
Board of Legislators Approval Req'd: YES <u>X</u> NO _____	_____	_____
Board of Acquisition and Contract: YES _____ NO <u>X</u> _____	_____	_____
Requires Notary Public: YES _____ NO <u>X</u> _____	_____	_____

**Comments:** 
**Date:** 3/14/2017  
**Initials:** RFB

**2) Budget Director**      **Comments:** 
**Date:** 3/27/17  
**Initials:** GPB

**3) Final Review County Attorney**      **Comments:** 
**Date:** 3/24/2017  
**Initials:** ALC o/b/o PMR

**4) Sent to Board of Legislators**      **Sent Date:** 4/7/17  
(contract to be held in Law Dept.)      **Approval Date:**   
**Resolution Number:**

**Sent to County Executive for Signature**      **Date:** 5-16-17

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**

**RESOLUTION NO. 154**

**INTRODUCED BY: Messrs. Paparella, Porter**

**2ND BY: Mr. Joseph**

**RE: PURCHASE OF SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN ONEIDA COUNTY THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND THE ARC ONEIDA-LEWIS CHAPTER, NYSARC, INC.**

**WHEREAS,** This Board is in receipt of a Purchase of Services Agreement between Oneida County through its Department of Mental Health and The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter, NYSARC, Inc. for a maximum amount of \$322,367.00 to provide Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) and Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE) services to adults with a serious and persistent mental illness and individuals with developmental disabilities in need of respite services, and

**WHEREAS,** The Agreement shall be for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and terminating December 31, 2017, with either party having the right to terminate the Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party, and

**WHEREAS,** In accordance with Oneida County Charter Section 2202, said Agreement must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

**RESOLVED,** That this Board authorizes and approves a Purchase of Services Agreement between Oneida County through its Department of Mental Health and The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter, NYSARC, Inc. for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and terminating December 31, 2017, with either party having the right to terminate the Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party.

**APPROVED:** Health and Human Services Committee (May 2, 2017)  
Ways & Means Committee (May 10, 2017)

**DATED:** May 10, 2017

Adopted by the following vote:

**AYES 20 NAYS 0 ABSENT 3 (Messrs. Waterman, Hendricks, Welsh)**



Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

Robin E. O'Brien, Commissioner



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April 6, 2017

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding four (4) copies of the 2017 Purchase of Service Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter, **NYSARC, Inc.** for your review and signature. If this meets with approval, please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

The Agreement begins **January 1, 2017** and ends **December 31, 2017**. The funding amount for the 2017 year will be **\$322,367.00**. This amount reflects **\$297,367.00** of OMH State Aid Funding for 2017, and **\$25,000.00** of County Funding to help support the respite services provided by the contractor.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

Robin E. O'Brien  
Commissioner

REO/ts  
Encs.

Oneida Co. Department: Mental Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other X

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

Name & Address of Vendor: The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter,  
NYSARC, Inc.  
245 Genesee Street  
Utica, NY 13501

Title of Activity or Service: Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)  
Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)

Proposed Dates of Operation: January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017

Client Population/Number to be Served: Adults with a serious and persistent mental illness;  
and individuals with developmental disabilities in need of respite services.

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:**

**a. Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)**

Provides intake/assessment, individualized job development, job shadowing, community internships, benefits counseling, transportation, and life skills advocacy.

**b. Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)**

Direct placement into community based employment accompanied by needed support and follow along services.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

The primary objective of all services is to support individuals to help them achieve and maintain the most independent level of functioning possible in their lives.

**3) Program Design and Staffing**

All services are licensed by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH). Assisted Competitive Employment is monitored and certified through the NYS Education Department Bureau of Vocational & Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (ACCESS-VR). All programs meet the appropriate staffing models developed and monitored by the NYS Office of Mental Health and guidelines and regulations.

Total Funding Requested: \$322,367.00

Account #A4310.49516

Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation: \$322,367.00

Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):

State \$297,367.00

County \$25,000.00

Cost Per Client Served: (N/A)

Past Performance Data: (N/A)

O.C. Department Staff Comments: (N/A)

## AGREEMENT

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### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County through its Department of Mental Health desires to establish a comprehensive and integrated system of community mental health services as required by Article 41 of the Mental Hygiene Law of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, Article 41 of New York State, hereinafter referred to as the "State," Mental Hygiene Law mandates and authorizes the County through its Department of Mental Health to enter into a series of Agreements, which establish a comprehensive and integrated system of community mental health services that will address the needs of the citizens and residents of Oneida County; and

WHEREAS, the Provider Agency hereby warrants that they have the proper and necessary staff and infrastructure to act as a provider and resource to and for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health; and

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants hereinafter expressed, the parties agree as follows:

1. The term of this Agreement shall be from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 or until terminated according to the termination requirements contained within this Agreement.

2. Scope of Services. The Provider Agency shall:

(A) Provide respite services, under the OPWDD Respite Program Enhancement, for individuals with developmental disabilities to assist those individuals and their families;

(B) Provide assisted competitive employment services to individuals with severe mental illness, in accordance with NYS Office of Mental Health guidelines and regulations, that include intake/assessment, individualized job development, job shadowing, community internships, benefits counseling, transportation, and life skills advocacy;

(C) Provide ongoing integrated supported employment services to individuals with severe mental illness, in accordance to NYS Office of Mental Health guidelines and regulations that include on-site job coaching, benefits counseling, transportation, life skills advocacy, and long-term job retention supports as needed to ensure gainful employment is successfully maintained.

3. For the Services provided, the Oneida County Department of Mental Health will reimburse the provider Agency a maximum of Three Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Three Hundred

3. For the Services provided, the Oneida County Department of Mental Health will reimburse the provider Agency a maximum of Three Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Three Hundred Sixty-Seven Dollars and no cents (\$322,367.00) during the term of this Agreement. This shall include but not be limited to travel time, evaluation time and any court time as deemed necessary by the court. The payment schedule will be based upon submission of an Oneida County Voucher to the Department of Mental Health. Annexed hereto and made part hereof as Appendix A is the Provider Agency's Contract Budget for the term of this Agreement.

4. The County will make State Aid Payments either monthly or quarterly based on payments made to the County by New York State and the timely submission of correct monthly payment vouchers. Payments will be provided subsequent to services rendered and upon review of the voucher receipt submitted by the Provider Agency.

5. The Provider Agency agrees to participate in the development and implementation of the Local Governmental Plan. Participation may include but not necessarily be limited to: attendance at appropriate subcommittee meetings; notification to a subcommittee of intent to submit a Certificate of Need (CON) application and/or grant application which will modify Services offered by the Provider Agency; submission of planning reports and CON applications and/or Prior Approval and Review applications to the County prior to submission to the State; and attendance and cooperation with various ad hoc work groups of the subcommittee.

6. Independent Contractor Status.

(A) It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Provider Agency to the County shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The Provider Agency and its employees shall not be considered employees of the County for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Provider Agency and its employees, in accordance with their status as an independent contractor, covenant and agree that they will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the Department by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the County.

(B) Provider Agency warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar services to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Provider Agency and County agree that Provider Agency is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement, and may continue to make his or her services available to the public.

(C) The Provider Agency and its employees shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.

(D) Provider Agency acknowledges and agrees that neither Provider Agency, nor its employees, shall be eligible for any County employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.

(E) Provider Agency shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to Provider Agency or its employees under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Provider Agency's self-employment, sole proprietorship or other form of business organization, and with

respect to its employees, including payroll deductions, worker's compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The County shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). Provider Agency shall provide proof of worker's compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.

(F) The Provider Agency shall indemnify and hold the County harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the County as a result of the County not making such payments or withholdings.

(G) If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Provider Agency's Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the County and the Provider Agency shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.

(H) The Provider Agency agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

7. The Provider Agency agrees, where applicable, to provide any and all Services, authorized by this agreement or other license or certification, to individuals involved in the NYS OMH Assisted Outpatient Treatment (AOT) Program. This includes individuals under a court order and individuals that meet the criteria for an AOT order but have been diverted from the formal court proceedings. The Provider Agency further agrees to provide any and all required client-specific information as required by the State of New York and/or the Oneida County Department of Mental Health for monitoring purposes. It is expressly understood that all information sent to the Oneida County Department of Mental Health will be handled in a safe and confidential manner.

8. In the event that the State or County approves or makes changes to the funding amount that is listed in Appendix A, the Provider Agency, at the request of the County shall submit a revised budget plan which reflects the approved Operating Costs, Net Operating Costs and funding by the various Deficit Funding Sources. It is expressly understood that the County assumes no responsibility for either costs not approved for reimbursements by the either the County or the State; or changes to the budget anytime during the contract period. Should any expenses be disapproved in a post-audit by the State of New York or funds are not spent in the approved programs during the fiscal year, the Provider Agency shall submit a check payable to the County Commissioner of Finance equal to the amount of any disallowance already paid to the Provider Agency by the County within thirty (30) days of notification. This provision shall apply to this agreement and all previous agreements between the County and the Provider Agency.

9. The Provider Agency agrees to submit to the County on the last business day of the following month at the end of each quarter (e.g., Jan-Mar report due April 30th) a Quarterly Financial Analysis, Performance Analysis, and Service Utilization Report. In addition, the Provider Agency agrees to submit the following reports by the listed required dates as applicable to funding received:

(A) Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) Budgets for the current year is required to be received by the County by February 1st;

(B) Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) Estimated Claims for the prior year are required to be received by the County by April 15th.

(C) Pre- Approved 30-day Office of Mental Health (OMH) Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR) Extension Requests for the prior year OMH CFR are required to be received by the County by April 15th.

(D) OMH, OASAS and OPWDD (Full) Audited CFR for the prior year that do not have a pre-approved 30-day extension(OMH only)are required to be received by the County by April 15th. An OPWDD Estimated CFR is required by this date if an extension was filed. An OASAS Estimated Claim is required to be received by this date; no extension allowed for OASAS CFRs.

(E) Fully Audited CFRs for OMH, OPWDD, and OASAS for the prior year with an extension submitted for OMH and OPWDD and/or an Estimated OASAS CFR supplied to the County by April 15th are required to be received by the County by May 15th.

(F) OASAS Mid-Year Claim for the current year is required to be received by the County by August 15th.

(G) OASAS Consolidated Budget Report (CBR) for the next year is (with scope) required to be received by the County by September 15th.

(H) OMH CBRs for the current year are required to be received by the County by October 15th.

10. The Provider Agency shall submit a copy of the following reports during the first quarter of each Fiscal Year:

(A) Disaster Response Plan. In addition the Provider Agency will participate in the development of an Oneida County plan to respond to man-made or natural disasters.

(B) Accounting System & Financial Capability Questionnaire (where applicable).

(C) Corporate Compliance Plan. The plan will reflect efforts to ensure that personnel are aware of and in compliance with relevant laws and regulations.

(D) Annual Audit and Financial Reports.

(E) Federal Single Audit Report. If the Provider Agency is scheduled to receive funds in excess of \$300,000.00 or more in a year in federal funds, exclusive of Medicaid and Medicare. The Single Audit shall be conducted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, OMB Circular A-110, the A-102 Common Rule and such other circulars, interpretations, opinions, rules or regulations that may be issued in connection with the single Audit Act Amendments of 1996.

11. The Provider Agency shall operate all programs in compliance with the laws, rules and regulations as passed and/or promulgated by the County, State or Federal governments. It is further understood by the Provider Agency that agencies and departments of New York State other than OMH, Office of Alcoholism & Substance Abuse Services (OASAS), and Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) may promulgate these rules and regulations.

12. The Provider Agency further covenants and agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the County, its officers, agents and employees, from and against any and all loss or expenses that may arise by reason of liability for damage, injury or death, or for invasion of personal or property rights, of every name and nature, and whether casual or continuing trespass or nuisance, and any other claims for damages arising at law and equity alleged to have been caused or sustained in whole or in part



by or because of any omission of duty, negligence or wrongful act on the part of the Provider Agency, in connection with this Agreement.

13. The Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain comprehensive general liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$2,000,000 aggregate coverage. In addition, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain professional liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$2,000,000 aggregate coverage. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain umbrella liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$5,000,000 per occurrence coverage and \$5,000,000 aggregate coverage. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain commercial automobile liability insurance satisfactory to the County with a minimum of \$1,000,000 combined single limit, such coverage must include coverage for liability arising out of all owned, leased, hired and non-owned automobiles. Further, the Provider Agency shall obtain and maintain Workers Compensation and Employers Liability insurance at the statutory limits in the State of New York. The County of Oneida must be named as an "Additionally Insured" on a "primary and non-contributing basis" as part of the Provider Agency's insurance policies. Proof of all three types of insurance coverage must be provided to the County at the time of the execution of this contract. It is expressly understood that if during the course of this Agreement, said insurance policy is canceled or otherwise allowed to lapse, the Provider Agency must provide the County proof of insurance consistent with the requirements listed above. Failure to provide proof of insurance is a basis for the County to seek the immediate termination of this Agreement.

14. Contractor waives all rights against Oneida County and their agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by Commercial General Liability, Professional Liability, or Workers Compensation and Employers Liability insurance maintained per requirements stated above.

15. Either party may terminate this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days prior written notice of such termination to the other party. Notwithstanding the above, if, through any cause, the Provider Agency fails to comply with legal, professional, County or State requirements for the provision of the services covered under this Agreement, or if the Provider Agency becomes bankrupt or insolvent or falsify their records or reports, the County may terminate this Agreement effective immediately, or, at its option, effective at a later date after sending notice of such termination to the Provider Agency.

(A) The County shall be released from any and all responsibilities and obligations arising from the services covered by this Agreement, effective as of the date of termination. The County shall be responsible for payment of all claims for services provided and costs incurred by the Provider Agency prior to the termination of this Agreement that are pursuant to and after Provider Agency compliance with the terms and conditions herein.

(B) Notice of termination must be in writing, signed by an authorized official, and sent to the other party by certified mail or messenger, and receipt shall be requested. Notice of termination shall be deemed delivered as of the date of its posting by certified mail or at the time it is delivered to the other party by messenger.

(C) If any term or provision of this Agreement shall be found to be illegal or unenforceable, then, notwithstanding the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect and such term or provision shall be deemed stricken. The laws of the State of New York shall govern this contract and jurisdiction and venue shall lie within the State of New York.

16. The Provider Agency agrees to maintain files in a confidential manner pursuant to the applicable statutes contained in New York State Mental Hygiene Law and any Federal Law regulating such files. Information contained in these files shall be released only upon the written consent of the client being served or to the Oneida County Department of Mental Health as outlined below.

(A) It is expressly understood that as a Provider Agency for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health, it may and will receive confidential information from the Department of Mental Health and this information may have been received from other independent contractors and/or licensed agencies. The Provider Agency agrees that all such information will be considered as being confidential and shall not be re-disclosed without the written consent of the individual.

(B) Accordingly, as a condition of and in consideration of access to confidential information, the Provider Agency promises that:

(i) They will use confidential information only as needed to perform the duties outlined in the "Scope of Services" above for the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and the Tier I program. This means, among other things, that:

(a) The Provider Agency will only access confidential information for which there is a need to know; and

(b) The Provider Agency will not in any way divulge, copy, release, sell, loan review, alter or destroy any confidential information except as properly authorized.

(c) The Provider Agency will not misuse confidential information or carelessly handle confidential information.

(ii) The Provider Agency will safeguard and will not disclose any access code or any other authorization that allows access to confidential information. The Provider Agency accepts responsibility for all activities undertaken using any access code and other authorization.

(iii) The Provider Agency will report activities by any individual or entity that is suspected of or may compromise the confidentiality of confidential information. Reports made in good faith about suspect activities will be held in confidence to the extent permitted by law, including the name of the individual reporting the activities.

(iv) The Provider Agency understands that the obligations under this Agreement will continue after termination of employment and that it is further understood that any privileges hereunder are subject to periodic review, revision and if appropriate, renewal.

(v) The Provider Agency understands that there is no right or ownership interest in any confidential information referred to in this Agreement. The Oneida County Department of Mental Health may at any time revoke any access code, other authorization, or access to confidential information. At all times during the course of providing services under this Agreement, the Provider Agency will safeguard the confidentiality of all confidential information.

(vi) The Provider Agency will be responsible for any misuse or wrongful disclosure of confidential information and for any failure to safeguard an access code or other authorization access to confidential information. It is expressly understood that any failure to comply with this Agreement may result in immediate termination of access to the information system and legal action against the Provider.

17. The Provider Agency agrees not to discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals diagnosed with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV related illness. If the Provider Agency is provided with any confidential HIV related information during the course of providing services and in accordance with "Program Requirements For Social Services" found at 18 NYCRR Part 403, and the confidentiality and disclosure requirements of New York State Public Health Law Section 2782, they shall be informed of the penalties and fines for any re-disclosure found to be in violation of New York State Law and/or Regulations.

The Provider Agency shall include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV-related information:

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records, which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

18. The Provider Agency agrees that as mandated reporters, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect, and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the New York Statewide Central Register as required by law. Each verbal report to the Statewide Central Register shall be followed by the submission of completed Form 2221A ("Report of Suspected Child Abuse or Maltreatment") to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the decision to file a report with the Statewide Central Register. The Provider Agency shall also notify the Commissioner of Oneida County Department of Mental Health of any and all reports made to the Statewide Central Register.

19. The Provider Agency is solely responsible for paying all of his/her business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

20. The Provider Agency shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the County. The Provider Agency shall be fully responsible for his or her own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

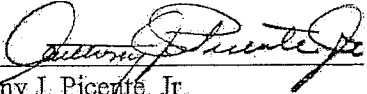
21. Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Agreement, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

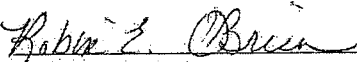
22. It is understood that this instrument represents the entire Agreement of the parties hereto; both parties shall execute that all previous understandings are merged herein; and that no modifications hereof shall be valid unless written evidence shall be executed thereof.

23. Annexed hereto and made a part hereof as Appendix A (Contract Budget) and Appendix B (Standard Oneida County Contract Addendum), which are additional terms, covenants and conditions that the respective parties agree to be bound by and follow as part of this Agreement.

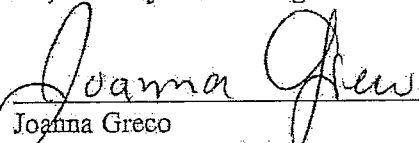
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties herein have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.


**COUNTY OF ONEIDA**

By:  5-16-17  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr. Date  
Oneida County Executive

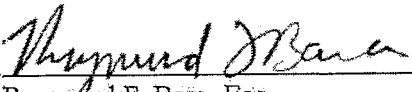
By:  5/19/07/2017  
Robin E. O'Brien Date  
Commissioner, Department of Mental Health

**NYSARC, INC. by and through THE ARC ONEIDA-LEWIS CHAPTER**

By:  4-6-17  
Joanna Greco Date  
President, Board of Directors

By:  4/6/17  
Karen Korotzer Date  
Executive Director

Approved

By:   
Raymond F. Bara, Esq.  
Assistant County Attorney

NYSARC

APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2017

OMH	\$297,367.00
Total State Aid	\$297,367.00
County Funds	<u>\$25,000.00</u>
TOTAL FUNDING	<u>\$322,367.00</u>

	No. of Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January through November	11	\$295,503.01
Final Voucher Amount for December	1	<u>\$26,863.99</u>
		<u>\$322,367.00</u>

**STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONTRACT ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1 day of January, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as **COUNTY**, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as **CONTRACTOR**.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, and thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executory or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110; the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.

b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,

1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
  - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
  - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contracts under a public transaction, violation of federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - c. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph 1(b) of this certification; and
  - d. Have not within a three-year period, preceding this Contract, had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
    1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
    4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
  - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
    1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
  - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
  - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
    1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
    2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
  - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).



2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access protected health information electronically; and
3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.

b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.

d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:

1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or

3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.

e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Workers' Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any

employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department.

Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an

office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### **11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### **12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### **17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### **18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the

responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.





David L. Mathis  
 Director, Workforce Development

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
 Oneida County Executive

June 15, 2018

Hon. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
 Oneida County Executive  
 Oneida County Office Building  
 800 Park Avenue  
 Utica, NY 13501

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HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear County Executive Picente:

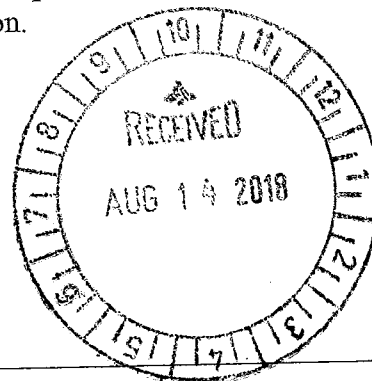
The attached Agreement for Grant Writing Specialist Services has been reviewed and is recommended for your signature.

This Agreement is with Mohawk Valley Community College (MVCC) and provides the college with grant writer services in cooperation with my office. Workforce Development will provide MVCC with assistance in identifying and preparing available state and federal employment and training-related grants. It will cover the period from September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2019, and we will receive a total of \$56,000 to provide these services.

We are hoping that this contract can be approved as part of our effort to work in partnership with MVCC for the betterment of our region. Feel free to contact my office with questions. If this contract meets with your approval, please forward it to the Board for consideration.

Sincerely,

*David Mathis*  
 David Mathis, Director  
 Oneida County Workforce Development



ONEIDA COUNTY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
 209 Elizabeth Street, Utica, NY 13501  
 315-798-5908  
 e-mail: dmathis@ocgov.net



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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
 Oneida County Board of Legislators by

*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
 Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
 County Executive

Date 8-15-18

Oneida Co. Department: Workforce Development

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other  X

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name and Address of Vendor:** Mohawk Valley Community College  
1101 Sherman Drive  
Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Services:** Grant Writing Specialist Services

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Employment-related grant preparation for WIOA-eligible enrollees.

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Through this contract the Grant Writing Specialist will research and identify relevant funding sources, disseminate funding source information to college representatives, prepare and submit proposals to meet institution priorities and goals, and serve as an active member of a grants strategic team. The Grant Writing Specialist provides timely advice and information on funding opportunities, requirements and procedures. The Grant Writing Specialist also serves as a liaison between Oneida County Workforce Development grant efforts and MVCC. The Grant Writing Specialist reports to the Associate Vice President in coordinating efforts. MVCC covers a portion of the Grant Writing Specialist's salary and fringe benefits for the 12 month period.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** The agreement will assist the college and County in providing revenue to operate programs.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** N/A

**Total Funding Requested:** \$56,000                      **Account # J2388**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$56,000

**Proposed Funding Source:** 100 % fully funded by Mohawk Valley Community College

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance:** This program has proven to be a successful partnership between Oneida County Workforce Development and MVCC in helping to coordinate employment-related grants for eligible area job seekers.

**COUNTY OF ONEIDA  
OFFICE OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

**MOHAWK VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**AGREEMENT FOR GRANT WRITING SPECIALIST SERVICES**

PY-2018

MVCC-GW-18-1

REV. ACCT. # J2388

This Agreement for Grant Writing Specialist Services (hereinafter referred to as this "Agreement") is entered into by and between the Parties:

MOHAWK VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE, a local education institution established in the County of Oneida of the State of New York, with its offices and principal place of business located at 1101 Sherman Drive, Utica, New York 13501 (hereinafter referred to as "MVCC"), and

The COUNTY of ONEIDA, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, through its OFFICE OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT, a governmental employment and training agency with its offices and principal place of business located at 209 Elizabeth Street, Utica, New York 13501 (hereinafter referred to as "OCWD").

**WITNESSETH**

WHEREAS, MVCC desires Grant Writing Specialist services to support the functions of the college; and

WHEREAS, MVCC desires to enter into an agreement for OCWD to provide it with these services;

NOW THEREFORE, it is agreed by and between the Parties hereto as follows:

1. **TERM.** The term of this Agreement shall commence on September 1, 2018 and expire on August 31, 2019.
2. **THE WORK.** OCWD agrees to perform the activities described in the Program Narrative attached hereto and made a part of this Agreement as Exhibit A. Due to the nature of the work, i.e. grant proposals submitted on a competitive basis, OCWD makes no guarantee as to the funding approval and/or success of such proposals prepared by the Grant Writing Specialist under the terms of this Agreement.
3. **COSTS.** MVCC agrees to expend FIFTY-SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$56,000.00) to OCWD for the services described in the Program Narrative. Payment from MVCC to OCWD shall be made upon receipt of a standard voucher submitted to MVCC.
4. **MODIFICATIONS.** All modifications to the scope, purpose, budget, or costs must be made by written amendment to this Agreement and signed by both MVCC and OCWD.
5. **ANTI-DISCRIMINATION.** No person, on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, political affiliation or belief shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity funded in whole or part with funds made available under this Agreement.
6. **PERSONNEL.** OCWD warrants and represents that OCWD's personnel, including the Grant Writing Specialist, will not hold themselves out as employees or agents of MVCC, nor seek to be treated as employees of MVCC for any purpose, including claims of entitlement to fringe benefits provided by MVCC, or for Workers' Compensation income, disability income, social security taxes or benefits, federal unemployment compensation taxes, state unemployment insurance benefits or federal income tax withholding at source.
7. **RESERVATION.** All powers not explicitly vested in OCWD by this Agreement remain with MVCC.

8. ADDENDUM. The Addendum - Standard Oneida County Conditions is attached hereto and made a part of this Agreement as Exhibit B.

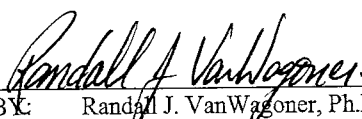
9. TERMINATION. Either MVCC or OCWD may terminate this Agreement without penalty upon two (2) weeks written notice of its intention to terminate, including a statement of specific grounds for the request for termination. Any termination is subject to the payment to OCWD for services provided up to the date of termination or refund by OCWD of unearned funds.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the foregoing provisions and the exhibits to this Agreement have been examined by the undersigned, and the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized agents.

FOR: ONEIDA COUNTY

FOR: MOHAWK VALLEY  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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BY: Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

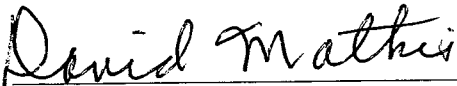
  
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BY: Randall J. VanWagoner, Ph.D.  
President

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FOR: OCWD

  
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BY: David Mathis  
Director

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Approved:

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BY: Linda B. Lark, Esq.  
Assistant County Attorney

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DATE

**EXHIBIT A**  
**PROGRAM NARRATIVE**

**GRANT WRITING SPECIALIST SERVICES**  
**MVCC GW-18-1 PY 2018**

The County of Oneida, through its Office of Workforce Development (hereinafter "OCWD"), has been asked by Mohawk Valley Community College (hereinafter "MVCC") to continue to provide it with grant writing services for the period from 09/01/2018 to 08/31/2019.

Through this Agreement the Grant Writing Specialist will: research and identify relevant funding sources; disseminate funding source information to MVCC representatives; prepare and submit proposals to meet institution priorities and goals; serve as an active member of a grants strategic team; provide timely advice and information on funding opportunities, requirements and procedures; serve as a liaison between OCWD's grant efforts and MVCC; and perform related duties as the need arises. The Grant Writing Specialist will report to the Associate Vice President in coordinating efforts. MVCC will pay a lump sum towards the Grant Writing Specialist's salary for the 12-month period.

Due to the nature of the work, i.e. grant proposals submitted on a competitive basis, OCWD makes no guarantee as to the funding approval and/or success of such proposals prepared by the Grant Writing Specialist under the terms of this Agreement.

**EXHIBIT B**

**ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2017, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislators Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
  - i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
  - i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;

- B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and
  - D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;
- ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
    - i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
      - A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
      - B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:



- 1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
  - 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
  - 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
  - 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
- C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;
- D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
  - 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
- E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or

2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and

- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the

County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;

- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so

are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set

forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from

public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.



In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from

another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application; request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

17. AUDIT.

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY.

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the "use of tobacco" shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including:

chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.

- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.
- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida; and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.



Oneida County

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Office for the Aging & Continuing Care

Michael J. Romano  
Director

120 Airline Street-Suite 201 Oriskany, NY 13424 Phone 315-798-5456 Fax 315-768-3658 E-mail.ofa@ocgov.net

July 31, 2018

FN 20 18-336

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am submitting the following Agreement between Oneida County, through its Office for the Aging and Continuing Care, and Bonnie Pawlick, R.D., C.D.N., for your review and approval. If this Agreement meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators for further consideration.

This Agreement is for the provision of Consulting Services for our Nutrition Program for the Elderly. The terms of this Agreement commence on upon execution and terminate December 31, 2019. The total amount of this Agreement is \$60,840.00, of which 45% is Federal funding (\$27,378.00), 50% is State funding (\$30,420.00), and 5% is County funding (\$3,042.00).

I am available at your convenience to answer any questions you may have regarding this agreement.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Romano  
Director



MJR/jc

Enclosure

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislator by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-29-18

Oneida Co. Department: OFA/OCC

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** **Bonnie Pawlick, R.D., C.D.N.**  
10321 Adirondack View Heights  
Utica, New York 13502

**Title of Activity or Service:** Registered Dietitian to Oneida County's  
Nutrition Program for the Elderly

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** Upon Execution through December 31, 2019

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** N/A

**Summary Statements:**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:**

To provide the Oneida County's Nutrition Program for the Elderly with nutrition consulting services, to include but not limited to, nutrition education, nutrition counseling, menu analysis, monitoring and technical assistance.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**

To provide administrative and technical assistance to the Office for the Aging staff with regard to New York State Office for the Aging's standards and procedures for the Nutrition Program for the Elderly and the 1990 Nutrition Standards.

**3) Program Design and Staffing**

N/A

**Total Funding Requested:** \$ 60,840.00 Account #: A6773.195

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$60,840.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):**

Federal: 45% (\$27,378.00) State: 50% (\$30,420.00) County: 5% (\$3,042.00)

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** This is the first agreement with Bonnie Pawlick, R.D., C.D.N., providing these services for Oneida County.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** The estimated total hours for consultation services are approximately 780 hours (per calendar year) at a cost of \$52.00 per hour.

## AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT ("Agreement"), entered into by and between **BONNIE PAWLICK, R.D., C.D.N.**, a sole proprietor with an address of 10321 Adirondack View Heights, Utica, New York 13502, hereinafter known as the "**CONSULTANT**," and **ONEIDA COUNTY**, a municipal corporation existing and organized under the laws of the State of New York with its principal place of business and offices located at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, by and through its **OFFICE FOR THE AGING AND CONTINUING CARE ("OFA")**, located at 120 Airline Street, Suite 201, Oriskany, New York, 13424, hereinafter collectively known as the "**COUNTY**." All parties to the Agreement shall collectively be known as the "Parties."

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the **COUNTY** to enter into an agreement with the **CONSULTANT** to provide the **COUNTY'S** Nutrition Program for the Elderly with consulting for nutrition services, to include but not be limited to, nutrition education, nutrition counseling, menu analysis, monitoring and technical assistance (hereinafter collectively known as the "Services"); and

**WHEREAS**, the **CONSULTANT**, is presently qualified to provide such Services in Oneida County, New York State; and

**WHEREAS**, the **CONSULTANT** is willing and able to perform the Services required by this Agreement;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Parties hereto, in consideration of the covenants herein contained, do hereby agree as follows:

#### **I.       TERM OF AGREEMENT**

- A.       The term of this Agreement shall commence **upon execution** and shall terminate on **December 31, 2019**.
- B.       The **COUNTY** and the **CONSULTANT** may negotiate renewals to this Agreement. Nothing herein shall be construed to indicate that the **COUNTY** is bound to renew this Agreement with **CONSULTANT**, and the **COUNTY** reserves the right to seek the same or similar Services from third parties.

#### **II.       SCOPE OF SERVICES**

The **CONSULTANT'S** duties shall include, but not be limited to:

- A. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide administrative and technical assistance to **COUNTY** staff with regards to New York State Office for the Aging's ("NYSOFA") standards and procedures for the Nutrition Program for the Elderly ("NPE") and the 1990 Nutrition Standards.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide monitoring of nutrition services provided by the **COUNTY'S** food service contractor, Trinity Services Group, Inc. ("Trinity"), according to NPE standards and procedures.
- C. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide nutrition education and counseling to participants of the NPE who are referred by the **COUNTY'S** Nutrition Services Coordinator.
- D. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide nutritional analysis and approval of menus submitted by Trinity.
- E. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide case management and client team reviews according to the NPE procedures as required by law.
- F. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide the Nutrition Services Coordinator with a monthly schedule of planned working days and shall coordinate with the schedule of activities.
- G. The **CONSULTANT** shall meet with the Nutrition Services Coordinator and Trinity at least once monthly to review home delivered and congregate programs and to observe operation of the central kitchen and warehouse in order to adequately perform the Services required by this Agreement.
- H. The **CONSULTANT** shall submit a summary of activities to be attached to a biweekly voucher for payment.

### **III. PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES**

- A. The **CONSULTANT** represents that she is duly licensed (as applicable) and has the qualifications, the specialized skill(s), the experience and the ability to properly perform the Services. The **CONSULTANT** shall use her best efforts to perform the Services such that the results are satisfactory to the **COUNTY**. The **CONSULTANT** shall be solely responsible for determining the method, details, and means of performing the Services, except where federal, state or local laws and regulations impose specific requirements on performance of the same.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** may, at her own expense, employ or engage the services of such employees as she deems necessary to assist in performing the Services. The **CONSULTANT'S** employees are not and shall not be deemed employees of the **COUNTY**, and the **COUNTY** shall have no obligation to provide the employees with any salary or benefits. The **CONSULTANT** shall be solely responsible and shall remain liable for the performance her employees in a manner satisfactory to the **COUNTY**, in compliance with any and all applicable federal, state or local laws and regulations. The **CONSULTANT** shall expressly advise her employees of the terms of this Agreement.



- C. The **CONSULTANT** acknowledges and agrees that her and her employees have no authority to enter into agreements that bind the **COUNTY** or create obligations on the part of the **COUNTY** without the prior written authorization of the **COUNTY**.

IV. **REIMBURSEMENT FOR SERVICES**

- A. The Services of the **CONSULTANT** shall be provided to OFA's NPE on a regular basis, normally **two (2) days per week, for a total of fifteen (15) hours per week**. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide the **COUNTY** with a schedule of availability and intended dates that Services shall be performed.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** shall be reimbursed for Services at an hourly rate of **fifty-two dollars (\$52.00) per hour** and for no more than **one thousand one hundred seventy (1170) hours** during the term of this Agreement.
- C. The total amount of this Agreement shall not exceed **sixty thousand eight hundred forty dollars (\$60,840.00)**.
- D. The **COUNTY** shall not be liable for any late fees or any interest on late payments.
- E. The obligations of the Parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of federal and **COUNTY** funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement. Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate federal and **COUNTY** officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the Services set forth in this Agreement, the **COUNTY** shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the **CONSULTANT** by certified mail. In such an event, the **COUNTY** shall be under no further obligation to the **CONSULTANT** other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the **COUNTY** be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.
- F. The **COUNTY** reserves the right to withhold payment under this Agreement due to **CONSULTANT'S** failure to properly perform her obligations under this Agreement. The **COUNTY** may withhold payment for, but shall not be limited to, the following reasons:
1. defective Services;
  2. third party claims;
  3. damage to the **COUNTY**, or
  4. failure to carry out the Services in accordance with this Agreement.
- G. It is understood and agreed that the **COUNTY** shall not be responsible for any costs incurred by the **CONSULTANT** prior to the effective date or following the termination date of this Agreement.

V. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS

- A. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the **CONSULTANT** and her employees to the **COUNTY** shall be that of Independent Contractors. The **CONSULTANT** and her employees shall not be considered employees of the **COUNTY** for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health insurance benefits. The **CONSULTANT**, in accordance with her status as an Independent Contractor, covenants and agrees that her employees will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, officers or employees of the **COUNTY** by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the **COUNTY**.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** warrants and represents that she is in the business of offering the same or similar Services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar Services to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. The **CONSULTANT** and the **COUNTY** agree that the **CONSULTANT** is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement and may continue to make her Services available to the public.
- C. The **CONSULTANT** and her employees shall not be eligible for compensation from the **COUNTY** due to:
1. illness;
  2. absence due to normal vacation;
  3. absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
- D. The **CONSULTANT** acknowledges and agrees that the **CONSULTANT** and her employees shall not be eligible for any **COUNTY** employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
- E. The **CONSULTANT** shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to **CONSULTANT** or her employees under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to **CONSULTANT'S** form of business organization, and with respect to the employees, including payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The **COUNTY** shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for Services rendered for State of Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA).
- F. The **CONSULTANT** shall indemnify and hold the **COUNTY** harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the **COUNTY** as a result of the **COUNTY** not making such payments or withholdings.

- G. If the Internal Revenue Service, the Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the **CONSULTANT'S** or her employees' Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the **COUNTY** and the **CONSULTANT** shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.
- H. The **CONSULTANT** agrees to comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

**VI. NON ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE**

The **CONSULTANT** shall not assign, transfer, convey, sublet or otherwise dispose of this Agreement or of her right, title, or interest therein, or her power to execute this Agreement, to any other corporation or person without the prior written consent of the **COUNTY**.

**VII. SUBCONTRACTS**

- A. A subcontractor is a person who has an agreement with the **CONSULTANT** to perform any of the Services.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** shall not engage, contract, or use the services of any independent subcontractor/sub-consultant for performance of this Agreement.

**VIII. STANDARD ASSURANCES**

- A. The **CONSULTANT** shall comply with statutes, regulations, and policies set by the following: Federal Department of Health and Human Services, Federal Administration for Community Living, the NYSOFA, and the **COUNTY**, more fully described in **APPENDIX A**.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** shall comply with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Nondiscrimination) which states "No otherwise qualified individual with a disability in the United States, as defined in section 705(20) of this title, shall, solely by reason of her or his disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance or under any program or activity conducted by any Executive agency or by the United States Postal Service." (29 U.S.C.A. §794)
- C. The **CONSULTANT** shall comply with the Human Rights Law Article 15 of the Executive Law of New York State (N.Y. Exec. Law §290, et seq.), Article 15A of the Executive Law of New York State regarding participation by minority group members and women with respect to state contracts (N.Y. Exec. Law §310, et seq.), and the Governor's Executive Order 28 which prohibits discrimination based on sexual orientation (9 NYCRR 4.28).

- D. The **CONSULTANT** shall comply with Title VI, the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C.A. §2000-d, et seq.), and any amendment thereto: "No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance."
- E. The **CONSULTANT** agrees that any program, public information materials, or other printed or published materials on the work of or funded by III-C1, III-C2 and WIN, will give due recognition to the NYSOFA and the OFA. The statement shall be in font which is one of the following: in italics, at least two font sizes larger than the rest of the text, or in bold font or underlined. (i.e., "*This program is supported by Oneida County Office for the Aging and Continuing Care, New York State Office for the Aging, and the Federal Administration for Community Living.*"). The **CONSULTANT** shall forward copies of all materials to the **COUNTY** at the end of each month.
- E. The **COUNTY** shall conduct a program review to ensure that the **CONSULTANT** is in compliance with all standards and regulations as set forth in this Agreement.

**IX. NEW YORK STATE OFFICE FOR THE AGING (NYSOFA) TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

- A. The **CONSULTANT** agrees that all her activities under this Agreement shall conform with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, and with federal and state regulations, and Program Standards and Program Instructions of the NYSOFA that apply to such activities, including, but not limited to:
  - 1. Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Sec. 504 Nondiscrimination (29 U.S.C. 794)
  - 2. Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101, et seq.; see 92-PI-32, [8/4/92])
  - 3. Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title VI, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2000-d et. seq.)
  - 4. Older Americans Act (42 U.S.C. 3001, et seq.)
  - 5. Executive Order 13166 Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency (65 FR 50121)
  - 6. Federal Executive Order 11246 (30 FR 12319), as Amended by Executive Order 11375 (32 FR 14303, Affirmative Action); as Amended by Executive Order 12086 (43 FR 46501, Consolidation of Compliance Functions); and as Amended by Executive Order 13279 (67 FR 77141, Equal Protection for Faith-Based and Community Organizations.)

7. Article 15 of the Executive Law of the State of New York, Human Rights Law: prohibiting discrimination based on age, race, creed, color, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, sex, marital status, or disability (N.Y. Exec. Law §290, et seq.)
8. Article 15A of the Executive Law of New York State regarding participation by minority group members and women with respect to state contracts (N.Y. Exec. Law §310, et seq.),
9. The NYSOFA'S Equal Access to Services and Targeting Policy Program Instruction (12-PI-08)
10. Elder Law

- B. The **CONSULTANT**, to the extent she has discretion regarding to whom she will provide Services, agrees to provide Services to those unserved and underserved older adults in greatest social or economic need, particularly those who are low-income, low-income minorities, older adults with Limited English Proficiency (LEP), Native Americans, and frail/persons with disabilities and older adults residing in rural areas, in accordance with their need for such Services, and to meet specific objectives established by the **COUNTY** for providing Services to the above groups within Oneida County. The **CONSULTANT** shall concentrate the Services on older adults in the targeted populations identified by the **COUNTY** following the methods the **COUNTY** has established for complying with the targeting requirements under the Older Americans Act and the Equal Access and Targeting Policy issued by the NYSOFA.
- C. The **CONSULTANT** shall inform persons with LEP of the availability of language assistance, free of charge, by providing written notice of such assistance in a manner designed to be understandable by LEP persons at Service locations and, at a minimum, have a telephonic interpretation service contract or similar community arrangement with a language interpretation services provider of her choice. The **CONSULTANT** shall train employees that have contact with the public in the timely and appropriate use of these and other available language services.
- D. To the extent that this Agreement with the **COUNTY** is for a program or service funded under Oneida County's Area Plan, the **CONSULTANT** agrees that she shall perform such Services in accordance with the terms of the Area Plan. The **COUNTY** agrees to make the Area Plan available to the **CONSULTANT**.
- E. The **CONSULTANT** agrees that for programs established and funded in whole or in part pursuant to Title III of the Older Americans Act, the **CONSULTANT** shall specify how she intends to satisfy the Service needs of low-income minority individuals, older adults with LEP, and older adults residing in rural areas in the area served by it; shall to the maximum extent feasible, provide Services to low-income minority individuals, older individuals with LEP, and older adults residing in rural areas in accordance with their need for such Services;

and meet specific objectives established by the COUNTY, for providing Services to low-income minority individuals, older adults with LEP, and older adults residing in rural areas within the planning and service area.

**X. GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES**

The CONSULTANT shall implement Oneida County's Office for the Aging Grievance Procedures as required by the NYSOFA. The written procedures are attached in APPENDIX B.

**XI. FISCAL REQUIREMENTS/RESPONSIBILITIES**

- A. The CONSULTANT shall keep III-C1, III-C2 and WIN funds separate; further, state and federal funds shall not be used as local share (match).
- B. The CONSULTANT shall comply with all voucher and contribution procedures, and submissions of required reports as described in the Oneida County Office for the Aging Voucher Instructions for Units of Services Contracts, attached as APPENDIX C.
- C. The COUNTY shall be responsible for sending donation letters and collecting contributions for all clients who receive COUNTY funded nutrition programs. Any contributions received by the CONSULTANT from or on behalf of a COUNTY funded client directly, shall be reported and deducted on monthly vouchers by the CONSULTANT.
- D. The CONSULTANT shall report to the COUNTY any and all additional moneys or program income (contributions, donations, etc.) given to the III-C1, III-C2 and WIN supported programs. "Program income means gross income received by the subcontractor directly generated by a COUNTY grant supported activity, or earned as a result of the COUNTY grant agreement during the grant period." REF: Department of Health & Human Services, Program Instruction AOA-PI-96-01, October 16, 1995.
- E. The CONSULTANT shall maintain copies of proper documentation for all program income, including, but not limited to, in-kind support, donations, contributions, reimbursements and other grants within its program budget.
- F. The COUNTY shall conduct a periodic audit of revenues and expenditures, as well as the required annual on-site review of the program's fiscal status to ensure expenditures are in proportion to the total program budget.
- G. The CONSULTANT shall agree to have an independent audit conducted for the contracted program if it has provided the Services to the COUNTY for two (2) years or more. A copy of the audit shall be submitted to the COUNTY upon completion of the program/fiscal audit conducted by the outside auditor.

- H. The **CONSULTANT** shall maintain fiscal records for six (6) years and shall make them available for **COUNTY** review upon request.
- I. The **CONSULTANT** shall cooperate with the close-out audit that is required when this Agreement is terminated.
- J. The **CONSULTANT** shall follow close-out procedures administered by the **COUNTY** in accordance with the 45 C.F.R. 75.381.

## **XII. INDEMNIFICATION**

- A. The obligations of the **CONSULTANT** under this section shall survive any expiration or termination of this Agreement, and shall not be limited by any enumeration herein of required insurance coverage.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the **COUNTY** from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of action, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of work of the **CONSULTANT**, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the **CONSULTANT** or failure on the part of the **CONSULTANT** to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this Agreement.

## **XIII. INSURANCE COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS**

- A. As part of her obligation to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the **COUNTY**, its officers, agents and employees, as set forth above, the **CONSULTANT** shall obtain and maintain in full force and effect, for the term of this Agreement, insurance coverage as described below.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** shall purchase and maintain insurance of the following types of coverage and limits of liability with an insurance carrier qualified and admitted to do business in the State of New York. The insurance carrier shall have at least an A- (excellent) rating by A.M. Best.
- C. Prior to the commencement of Services, the **CONSULTANT** shall provide certificates of insurance to the **COUNTY**. The **CONSULTANT** shall not commence Services until such insurance has been approved by the **COUNTY**. The certificates shall be on forms approved by the **COUNTY**. Acceptance of the certificates shall not relieve the **CONSULTANT** of any of the insurance requirements, nor decrease the liability of the **CONSULTANT**. The **COUNTY** reserves the right to require the **CONSULTANT** to provide insurance policies for review by the **COUNTY**. The **CONSULTANT** grants the **COUNTY** a limited power of attorney to communicate with the **CONSULTANT'S** insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverages required hereunder.

- D. Automobile Liability: The **CONSULTANT** shall at her own expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement, purchase and maintain in force Automobile Liability Insurance in an amount equal to or greater than Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) for the term of this Agreement. Business Auto Coverage must include coverage for liability arising out of all owned, leased, hired and non-owned automobiles. The **CONSULTANT** shall have Oneida County added to said insurance policy as a named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis.
- E. Umbrella Liability Insurance: The **CONSULTANT** shall, at her own expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement, purchase and maintain in force Umbrella Liability Insurance in an amount not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00). The **CONSULTANT** shall have Oneida County added to said insurance policies as a named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis. Umbrella coverage for such additional insured shall apply as primary and non-contributing before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible or self-insured retention, maintained by or provided to the additional insured.
- F. Professional Liability Insurance: The **CONSULTANT** shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the **COUNTY** with proof of coverage in the amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and Three Million Dollars (\$3,000,000.00) annual aggregate. The **CONSULTANT** agrees that coverage shall not be terminated without prior written notice to the **COUNTY** of at least thirty (30) days.
1. Such coverage shall include coverage for assault, damage to property of others, and personal liability.
- G. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance: The **CONSULTANT** shall, at her own expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement, purchase and maintain in force a policy of insurance, written by one or more insurance carriers licensed to do business in the State of New York, and having offices within the State of New York, which will insure against all claims under New York State Workers' Compensation Law at statutory New York limits.
- H. Reimbursement to the **CONSULTANT** may be suspended in the event the **CONSULTANT** fails to provide the required insurance documentation in a timely manner.
- I. Waiver of Subrogation: The **CONSULTANT** waives all rights against the **COUNTY** and its agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by the Professional Liability maintained per requirements stated above.

#### XIV. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS



- A. The **COUNTY** shall, pursuant to the requirements of III-C1, III-C2 and WIN funded programs, comply with the Definition of Services, April 2011, as established by the NYSOFA (96-PI-43).
- B. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide the **COUNTY** with required information needed to meet planning, coordination, evaluation and reporting requirements as required by the NYSOFA's Consolidated Area Agency Reporting System (CAARS), by the 10<sup>th</sup> of every month. The current and revised CAARS Monthly Report Forms and Monthly Summary Form must be submitted as an attachment to the voucher on a monthly basis.
- C. The **CONSULTANT** shall maintain appropriate client records on each III-C1, III-C2 and WIN client who receives Services through this program; the **COUNTY** shall have access to the client records upon request; the **COUNTY** shall have ownership of all clients' records and files.
- D. The **CONSULTANT** agrees to comply with policies ensuring client confidentiality, as established by the **COUNTY**, when information sharing between agencies is crucial to the client's well-being and is needed to ensure effective service provision; pertinent information shall be shared in accordance with federal and state regulations and statutes.
- E. The **CONSULTANT** shall provide the **COUNTY** with required monthly, periodic, and/or special reports and shall submit all reports to the **COUNTY** by the dates specified.

**XV. COORDINATION REQUIREMENTS**

- A. The **CONSULTANT** and the **COUNTY** shall coordinate referrals.
- B. The **CONSULTANT** and the **COUNTY** shall work with older persons, who are not eligible for Services under this Agreement, to obtain needed Services.
- C. The **CONSULTANT** shall coordinate with other appropriate service providers in obtaining and providing referrals for older residents of Oneida County.

**XVI. AGREEMENT CANCELLATION**

- A. This Agreement may be cancelled by the **COUNTY** for failure by the **CONSULTANT** to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The **CONSULTANT** shall agree to incur no new obligations nor submit a claim for any expenses made after the receipt of written notification of termination.
- B. The **COUNTY** reserves the right to cancel the Agreement upon thirty (30) day written notice to the other party.
- C. The **CONSULTANT** agrees that in the event of termination, said party shall make a full and final accounting of all funds received and monies expended under this Agreement within

thirty (30) days after the date of termination. Any unexpended funds shall be the property of the COUNTY.

- D. The **CONSULTANT** shall coordinate with the **COUNTY** and other providers to ensure that any break in Service to clients shall not be detrimental to a clients' health or well-being. If available and appropriate, other Services shall be substituted and/or coordinated on the clients' behalf.

**XVII. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

- A. This Agreement contains the binding Agreement between the Parties and supersedes all other agreements and representations, written or oral, on the subject matter of this Agreement.
- B. Oral statements and understandings are not valid or binding, and this Agreement shall not be changed or modified except by a writing signed by all Parties.
- C. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and all of which together shall be deemed one and the same instrument.

**XVIII. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE**

All exhibits, addenda, and attachments, to which reference is made, are deemed incorporated in this Agreement, whether or not actually attached.

**XIX. STANDARD ADDENDUM**

The **CONSULTANT** shall comply with the Standard Oneida County Contract Conditions, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as **APPENDIX D**.

**XX. CHOICE OF LAW/FORUM**

- A. If either party elects to commence litigation against the other in connection with any matter relating to or arising out of this Agreement, it shall do so in a New York State Court of Competent Jurisdiction siting in Oneida County, New York or in the United States District Court for the Northern District of New York.
- B. This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York.

**XXI. NON WAIVER**

No provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived by either party, unless such waiver shall be set forth in a written instrument executed by such party. Any waiver by any of the Parties to any of the provisions of this Agreement shall not imply preceding or subsequent waiver of that or any other provision, unless explicitly stated otherwise.

**XXII. SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Agreement or any part thereof is or becomes void or unenforceable by force or operation of law, the Parties agree that this Agreement shall be reformed to replace the stricken provision or part thereof with a valid and enforceable provision that comes as close as possible to expressing the intention of the stricken provision. Further, the Parties agree that all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.

**XXIII. AUTHORITY TO ACT/SIGN**

The **CONSULTANT** hereby represents the certified that she has the power and authority to execute and deliver this Agreement and to carry out her obligations hereunder. The execution and delivery by **CONSULTANT** of this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated herein have been duly authorized by the **CONSULTANT**; no other action on the part of the **CONSULTANT** or any other person or entity, are necessary to authorize the **CONSULTANT** to enter into this Agreement, or to consummate the transactions contemplated herein.

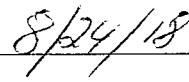
**XXIV. ADVICE OF COUNSEL**

Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Agreement, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have hereunto set their hands on the date respectively stated.

CONSULTANT

  
Bonnie Pawlick, R.D., C.D.N

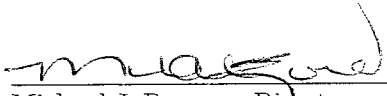
  
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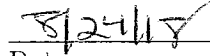
COUNTY OF ONEIDA

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive

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ONEIDA COUNTY OFFICE FOR THE AGING AND CONTINUING CARE

  
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Michael J. Romano, Director

  
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Date

**Approved:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maryangela Scalzo, Assistant County Attorney

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Date

APPENDIX A

- 1) The Older Americans Act (OAA) of 1965, as amended (42 U.S.C.A. § 3001 et. seq.)
- 2) 2 CFR part 200 (Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards)
- 3) 2 CFR Part 230 (Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations)
- 4) 2 CFR Part 376 (Nonprocurement Debarment and Suspension)
- 5) 20 CFR Part 614 (Provisions Governing the Senior Community Service Employment Program)
- 6) 29 CFR Part 37 (Implementation of the Nondiscrimination and Equal opportunity Provisions of the Workforce investment Act of 1998)
- 7) 45 CFR Part 75 (Uniform Administration Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit requirements for HHS Awards)
- 8) 45 CFR Part 80 (Nondiscrimination under programs Receiving Federal Assistance Through the Department of Health and Human Services Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964)
- 9) 45 CFR Part 84 (Nondiscrimination on the basis of Handicap)
- 10) 45 CFR Part 92 (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grant and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments)
- 11) 45 CFR Part 93 (New Restrictions on Lobbying)

- 12) 45 CFR Part 1321, Subparts A-D (Grants to State and Community Programs on Aging)
- 13) 45 CFR Part 1321.61 (b)(4) (Support of State Title VII Activities)
- 14) Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1975, as amended (29 USC §621, et seq.)
- 15) Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C.A. §12101, et seq.)
- 16) Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (42 U.S.C.A. §2000e, et. seq.)
- 17) Equal Pay Act of 1963, as amended (29 U.S.C.A. §206)
- 18) Hatch Act (5 U.S.C.A. §1501, et seq.)
- 19) Low Income Energy Assistance (42 U.S.C.A. § 8621, et seq.)
- 20) Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Sec. 504 (29 U.S.C.A. §794) (Nondiscrimination)
- 21) Single Audit Act of 1984 (31 U.S.C.A. §7501, et. seq.)
- 22) USDA Nutrition Programs for the Elderly (7 C.F.R. § 226, et seq.) and (7 C.F.R. §235, et seq.)
- 23) Office of Management and Budget (OMB):
  - a. OMB Circular A-87 (Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments)
  - b. OMB Circular A-95 (Clearinghouse Review)
  - c. OMB Circular A-102 (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements with State and Local Governments)
  - d. OMB Circular A-110 (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals, and other Non-profit Organizations)
  - e. OMB Circular A-122 (Cost Principles for Non-profit Organizations)
  - f. OMB Circular A-128 (Audits of State and Local Governments)
  - g. OMB Circular A-133 (Audits of States, Local Governments and Non-Profit Organizations)
- 24) 30 FR 12319- Federal Executive Order 11246, as Amended by 32 FR 14303- Federal Executive Order 11375 (Affirmative Action); as Amended by 43 FR 46501- Federal Executive Order 12086 (Consolidation of Compliance Functions); and as Amended by 67 FR 77141- Federal Executive Order 13279 (Equal Protection for Faith-Based and Community Organizations)
- 25) New York State Office for the Aging Rules and Regulations (9 NYCRR Parts 6651, 6652, 6653, 654, 6655, and 6656)

- 26) Executive Law of New York State, Article 15- State Human Rights Law (N.Y. Exec. Law §290, et seq.)
- 27) Executive Law of New York State, Article 15-a Minority/Women's Business contract Requirements (N.Y. Exec. Law §310, et seq.)
- 28) Executive Law of New York State, Article 7-a Solicitation and Collection of Funds for Charitable Purposes (N.Y. Exec. Law § 171-a, et seq.)
- 29) Expanded In-home Services for the Elderly (EISEP) Program Standards (87-PI-66 [10/21/87])
- 30) NYS Office for the Aging's 1990 Nutrition Program Standards (90-PI-26 [5/17/90])
- 31) Legal Assistance Standards (94-PI-52 [12/29/94])
- 32) Weatherization Referral and Packaging Program (WRAP) Handbook
- 33) Governor's 1960 Code of Fair Practices (9 CRR-NY 1.4)
- 34) Governor's Executive Order 6 (Affirmative Action Efforts) (9 NYCRR 4.6)
- 35) Governor's Executive Order 19 (Prevention of Sexual Harassment) (9 NYCRR 4.19)
- 36) Governor's Executive Order 28 (Prohibiting discrimination based on Sexual Orientation) (9 NYCRR 4.28)

## **APPENDIX B**

### **Oneida County Office for the Aging Grievance Procedures**

In accordance with the Older Americans Act (OAA), as amended, the Oneida County Office for the Aging has established the following process for resolving complaints from participants who are dissatisfied with or persons denied services funded under the Act.

#### **Right to File a Grievance**

The Office for the Aging and all contracting provider agencies who receive OAA funds shall notify program participants of their right to file a grievance with the provider agency and/or with Oneida County Office for the Aging. Upon request, the Office for the Aging will provide assistance with filing a grievance.

#### **Denial of Service or Client's Dissatisfaction of Service**

A participant or applicant who is denied OAA services must be given the reasons for the denial. Services may be denied because of funding restrictions, ineligibility, hours or locations have changed, reassessment-determined services no longer needed, or client is disruptive to the program. For OAA services for which a written application is made, the denial shall be confirmed in writing and the applicant informed of the right to file a grievance and to whom the grievance shall be made. For OAA services for which verbal application is made by telephone or in person, the person may be denied verbally and verbally informed of the right to file a grievance and to whom.

#### **Grievance Process**

##### **Filing a Grievance**

- Individual must submit their grievance in writing to the Director of the Office for the Aging who will forward the Letter to the designated person of the provider agency to conduct the initial review.

- The grievance must be filed within thirty (30) calendar days of denial, reduction or termination of services, or of the event or circumstances with which the person is dissatisfied. The Office for the Aging or the provider agency may grant an extension for good cause shown.
- The Letter of Grievance should include a written statement setting forth in detail the date, time and circumstances that are the basis for the complaint.

#### Investigation and Response to a Grievance

- The designated reviewer will investigate the complaint. The reviewer will determine whether the action was in accordance to applicable Older Americans Act and State laws and regulation and are supported by facts.
- The reviewer will prepare and send written response to the grievant and to the Office for the Aging Director within fifteen (15) working days after the grievance is filed. The response will set forth the circumstances relating to the grievance, the action requested by the grievant, the findings of the reviewer, a proposed remedial action and, if any, the reason(s) for and facts relied on in the determination.

#### Appeal of Initial Response/Decision

If the grievant is not satisfied with the determination, s(he) has the right to further review as follows:

- S(he) may initiate a request for subsequent review by the Office for the Aging Director within ten (10) calendar days following receipt of notification from the provider agency of its decision.
- The Office for the Aging Director will request, and the provider agency shall provide, copies of the initial file on the complaint in question. The Office for the Aging Director will review the materials to ensure that pertinent policies and procedures have been applied and followed.
- If the policies and procedures have been adhered to, the Office for the Aging Director will not overturn the decision of its contracting provider agency. If the proper policies and procedures have not been applied, the director reserves the right to overturn the decision.
- A written notification of the results will be made to the grievant within twenty (20) working days of receipt of the appeal request.

#### Record Keeping

The provider agency will keep a file, for six years, of all relevant documents and records of a grievance. The file shall include at a minimum: the initial grievance; any investigative reports; any and all written responses; any documents or other records submitted by any party; and, if applicable, the notice to the grievant of the right to appeal.

#### Confidentiality

No information, documents or other records relating to a grievance shall be disclosed by program staff or volunteers in a form that identifies the grievant without the written informed consent of the grievant, unless the disclosure is required by court order or for program monitoring by authorized agencies.

## APPENDIX C

### Oneida County Office for the Aging **Voucher Instructions** For Units of Services Contracts

Complete the Oneida County voucher (3-part white, yellow, and pink form) as follows:

1. **Department:** Office for the Aging and Continuing Care
2. **Claimants Name and Address:** Contractor name and address (checks will be payable to the name given and sent to the address listed).
3. **Date:** List month this claim covers.
4. **Vendor's Invoice Number:** leave blank
5. **Quantity/Description of Material or Service/Unit Price/Amount:**
  - ✓ State the number of units of service and the description of services performed during the month.
  - ✓ List the Unit Price as stated in the Contract Budget.
  - ✓ Place the amount (Units X Unit Price) in the Amount column.
  - ✓ Place the amount to be reimbursed in the Total block.
  - ✓ Specify program funds (III-E, EISEP, CSE, III-B, III-C1, III-C2, etc.) in the space after the Contract Number.
6. **Claimant's Certification:**

Fill out completely, Note that Oneida County will not pay a voucher without an original signature, Federal ID Number or Social Security Number.
7. **Voucher Backup**
  - ✓ Attach CAARS monthly report.
  - ✓ Master list of clients billed for on voucher (with individual total monthly amount billed).
  - ✓ Attach appropriate backup:
    - Payroll certification sheets and time sheets signed by Agency employee.
    - Legal Assistance Program – case numbers, DOB, Legal Assistance Referral, Type of Service, Fax Date and Unit of Services.
    - Housekeeper/Chore (PCA Level I) or Homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), Housekeeper/chore (Level I) – Contract EISEP voucher backup. Copies of PCA daily logs including date and times of service and all must be signed by client.
    - Adult Day Care – OFFICE approved sign-in log sheet with dates and times of service and all must be signed by client.
    - Emergency Response Systems – (Original Invoice)

Have all accounting records, receipts and supporting documentation readily available for review by the County, State and/or Federal personnel authorized to examine and/or audit program accounts. Ref: US Code of Federal Regulations 45-74 amended in 1980. Check numbers, dates paid and amounts paid must be written on each receipt.
8. **Timely Submissions:**
  - ✓ Submit monthly vouchers by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the reporting month.
  - ✓ Checks are issued by Oneida County Audit and Control only on Fridays - approximately 30 days after submission.



- ✓ If all documentation is not included, the voucher will be returned unpaid with a request for proper backup and documentation.

9. **Changes To The Budget** (including personnel):

- ✓ Submit a Budget Revision and a justification for the change.

10. **Technical Assistance:**

- ✓ If you have fiscal questions regarding your program or require technical assistance, please contact the OFA-OCC Fiscal Unit directly at 315-798-5456.

Susie Perritano, Accounting Supervisor

APPENDIX D

STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:



C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and

D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;

ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;

3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and

4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction.

Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

- 1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
- 2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

- i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus,  
Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of  
each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

- i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;

- ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
    - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
  - b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
    - i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
    - ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
  - c. The Contractor shall:
    - i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
    - ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
    - iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
    - iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
    - v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;

- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
  - vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  - viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise



disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law.

Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public

benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application; request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.
- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted

accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility

review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the “use of tobacco” shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including: chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.
- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.
- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida; and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.

ANTHONY R. CARVELLI  
COMMISSIONER

ONEIDA COUNTY



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September 5, 2018

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Mr. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Dear Mr. Picente:

**WAYS & MEANS**

As a result of RFP #2018-234, please find enclosed for your review three (3) signed Consultant Agreements between Oneida County and LiRo GIS and Survey, PC., to provide tax map maintenance and support services as described in the RFP. The purpose of this Agreement is to deliver an efficient tax mapping solution and support to the county's tax maps as required by the state of New York, and necessary for local municipalities, other county departments, local assessors and the general public.

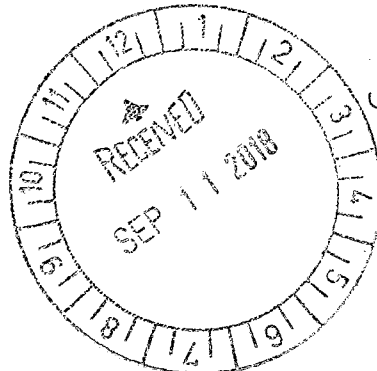
LiRo GIS and Survey, PC serves public and private clients throughout the nation and has been developing geospatial data and applications for over 30 years and is the leading developer to tax maps in the State of New York.

LiRo staff has recently completed the migration of the County's tax maps to Esri Geodatabase format. Continuous maintenance of the tax maps is essential to all users. If this meets with your approval, please forward this request to the Board of Legislators. If you should have any questions or concerns, or should require additional information, please contact us at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Anthony Carvelli  
Commissioner of Finance

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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 9-10-18





## CONSULTANT AGREEMENT

This Agreement, made this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018, by and between the **COUNTY OF ONEIDA, NY**, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with its principal offices located at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, hereinafter referred to as "**County**," and LiRo GIS and Survey, P.C., a professional corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, whose principal place of business is 235 E. Jericho Turnpike, Mineola, New York 11501, hereinafter referred to as "**Consultant**," consists of the following:

**WHEREAS**, the **County**, through its Department of Finance, Real Property Division, requires the specialized services of a consultant to assist the department with interim tax mapping support; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Consultant** possesses the necessary skills, knowledge, background and experience to provide the services required by the **County**; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Consultant** has recently completed the migration of the County's tax maps to Esri Geodatabase format; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Consultant** serves public and private clients throughout the nation and has been developing geospatial data and applications for over 30 years and is the leading developer of tax maps in the State of New York;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants herein, contained, the parties do hereby agree as follows:

1. The **Consultant** shall perform the following services (hereinafter "Services"):
  - a. On a weekly basis the **County** will transmit tax map changes to the **Consultant** via email or by using a **Consultant** File Transfer Protocol ("FTP") project site used currently to support the **County**. The documents expected from the **County** include the NYS Department of Taxation and Finance Real Property Transfer Report ("RP-5217-PDF"), along with deeds, surveys, and other documents that define the changes to the tax map.
  - b. The **Consultant** shall review the RP-5217-PDF to determine what change is required.
  - c. In some cases, an actual parcel merge or apportionment shall be required. In other cases, an entry into the **County's** RPS 5217 database table shall be required. The **Consultant** shall enhance the data model and table to include an Esri domain to provide more details on the change made, using the numbering system and nomenclature used in the RP-5217 (e.g. 15 A. Sale Between Relatives or Former Relatives.) This will assist the **County** in developing a profile of the type of real estate transfers occurring in the County.
  - d. If a merge or apportionment is required, the **Consultant** shall make the change using ArcGIS for Desktop tools. Once the edit is complete, an entry shall be made in the revision on the tax map to reflect the last five (5) changes to the tax map. To

accommodate history tracking and change tracking, the **Consultant** shall add the following four fields to the parcel database:

- CREATION\_DATE
- CREATED\_BY
- MODIFICATION\_DATE
- MODIFIED\_BY

e. Quality control (“QC”) shall be utilized during the editing process. Domains shall be used to ensure that only valid values are inserted into the database. An example domain is the LegendLines\_Rep\_Rules, which contain codes for valid line types (e.g. 9 = Railroad and 10 = Right of Way).

f. Esri’s Attribute Assistant shall be used to automatically populate data fields to avoid typographical errors. Examples include the population of the RP5217 link field in the RPS 5217 table and the population of the centroid\_x field in the Parcel feature class.

g. Once the tax map change is made, quality assurance (“QA”) shall be conducted. QA steps shall include a topology check to ensure that there are no overlapping polygons or gaps between tax parcels. If any errors or issues are identified, they shall be resolved. ArcGIS Data Validation tools shall be used.

h. Once QA is complete, the Data Driven pages functionality of ArcGIS for Desktop shall be used to create a revised tax map in PDF format.

i. Every two weeks, the **Consultant** shall transmit the modified Parcel database and PDF documents of modified tax maps to the **County**. These will be transmitted to the project FTP site.

2. Performance and Delivery of Services:

a. **Consultant** represents that **Consultant** has the qualifications, the specialized skill(s), the experience and ability to properly perform the Services. **Consultant** may perform these Services from any location, at any time, and in any manner deemed appropriate by the **Consultant**, so long as the Services are performed timely and adequately.

b. The **Consultant** may, at **Consultant’s** own expense, employ or engage the services of such employees, subcontractors and/or partners as **Consultant** deems necessary to perform the Services (collectively, the “Assistants”). The Assistants are not and shall not be deemed employees of the **County**, and the **County** shall have no obligation to provide Assistants with any salary or benefits. **Consultant** shall be solely responsible and shall remain liable for the performance of the Services by the Assistants in a manner satisfactory to the **County**, in in compliance with any and all applicable Federal, State or

Local Laws and Regulations. **Consultant** shall expressly advise the Assistants of the terms of this Agreement.

c. **Consultant** acknowledges and agrees that **Consultant** and its Assistants, if any, have no authority to enter into contracts that bind the **County** or create obligations on the part of the **County** without prior written authorization of the **County**.

d. **Consultant** shall inform the **County** within twenty-four (24) hours it is unable or unwilling to accept an assignment and/or perform Services pursuant to this Agreement. **Consultant** maintains the right to do so at any time, and **County** maintains the right to contract with other individuals or entities to perform the same services.

e. **Consultant** shall NOT provide delivered products that require the **County** to purchase additional hardware or software. Any customized macros or code shall be wholly owned by and capable of being maintained by the **County** at the completion of the updates.

3. Indemnification and Insurance Requirements:

a. Indemnification: The **Consultant** agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the **County** from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgements arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the **Consultant** and its subconsultants, agents, servants, or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by **Consultant** and its subconsultants' or failure on the part of the **Consultant** or its subconsultants to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this Agreement.

b. Insurance Requirements: **Consultant** shall procure and maintain during the life of the Agreement all the insurance required herein, without direct expense to the **County**, and shall submit certificates for review and approval by the **County**. The certificates shall be on forms approved by **County**. Acceptance of the certificates shall not relieve **Consultant** of any of the insurance requirements, nor decrease the liability of **Consultant**. **County** reserves the right to require **Consultant** to provide insurance policies for review by **County**. **Consultant** grants **County** a limited power of attorney to communicate with **Consultant's** insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverages required hereunder.

c. Commercial General Liability Insurance: The **Consultant** agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property or persons. The liability and property damage coverage of

such insurance shall not be less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) annual aggregate. The **Consultant** agrees to have the **County** added to said insurance policy as a named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as its interests may appear, and to provide the **County** with a certificate from said insurance company or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certificate to show the **County** as an additional insured and to provide that the coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the **County** of at least thirty (30) days.

d. Professional Liability Insurance: The **Consultant** shall maintain a professional liability policy, including errors and omissions, and will provide the **County** with proof of coverage in the amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) annual aggregate. The **Consultant** agrees that coverage shall not be terminated without prior written notice to the **County** if at least thirty (30) days.

e. Auto Liability Insurance: **Consultant** shall maintain Auto Liability insurance in an amount equal to or greater than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit for the duration of this Agreement. The **Consultant** agrees to have the **County** added to said insurance policy as a named additional insured, on a primary, noncontributory basis, as its interests may appear, and to provide the **County** with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certificate to show the **County** as an additional insured and to provide that coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the **County** of at least thirty (30) days.

f. Workers' Compensation Insurance: Workers' Compensation insurance shall be procured and maintained by **Consultant** in accordance with New York State Law.

g. **Consultant** shall require any subconsultant to procure and maintain insurance coverage of the same type and in the same amounts with the same endorsements required of the **Consultant**.

4. Independent Contractor Status:

a. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the **Consultant** to the **County** shall be that of an Independent Contractor. The **Consultant's** Assistants shall not be considered a employees of the **County** for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The **Consultant**, in accordance with its status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that its Assistants will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that

they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the **County** by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof make any claim demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the **County**.

b. **Consultant** warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering these Services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. **Consultant** and **County** agree that **Consultant** is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement, and may continue to make its services available to the public.

c. The **Consultant's** Assistants shall not be eligible for compensation from the **County** due to a) illness; b) absence due to normal vacation; c) absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.

d. **Consultant** acknowledges and agrees that its Assistants, if any, shall not be eligible for any **County** employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.

e. **Consultant** shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to **Consultant** or its Assistants under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to **Consultant's** form of business organization, and with respect to the Assistants, including payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The **County** shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for Services rendered for State or Federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). **Consultant** shall provide proof of workers' compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.

f. The **Consultant** shall indemnify and hold the **County** harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the **County** as a result of the **County** not making such payments or withholdings.

g. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the **Consultant's** Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the **County** and the **Consultant** shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.

h. The **Consultant** agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulation and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

5. Term and Termination:

a. The initial term of this Agreement will cover the fiscal periods of January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019; January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020; and January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021 (hereinafter, the "Initial Term")

b. This Agreement may be renewable annually for two (2) additional one (1) year terms (covering the fiscal periods January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022, and January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023, respectively) at the sole discretion of the **County** (hereinafter, consecutively numbered "Renewal Term").

c. This Agreement may be terminated upon ten (10) days' advance written notice by either party.

6. Compensation:

a. The **County** shall pay the **Consultant** the fixed price of Fifty-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$58,500.00) per year in each of the three years of the Initial Term, payable in thirty-six (36) equal monthly installments of Four Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars (\$4,875.00).

b. If the **County** elects to consider the Renewal Terms, the **Consultant** shall provide the **County** with a revised cost proposal no later than March 31, 2021 which shall include a cost proposal for each of the two Renewal Terms. In the event the **Consultant** fails to provide a revised cost proposal on or before March 31, 2012, the parties agree that the **County** may elect to renew this Agreement for each of the Renewal Terms at the same fixed price as the Initial Term. Compensation in the Renewal Terms, if any, shall be payable in twelve (12) equal monthly installments over the course of each Renewal Term.

c. Any and all requests for payment shall be accompanied by properly completed **County** vouchers indicating the Service performed, the time and place such work was performed, and the fee for said Service. Vouchers shall be submitted to the Oneida County Commissioner of Finance, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501 for approval. The **County** reserves the right in its sole discretion to request such supporting documentation as may be deemed necessary and appropriate.

7. Expenses: **Consultant** is solely responsible for paying all of its business expenses related to furnishing the Services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

8. Consultant's Training: **Consultant** shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the **County**. **Consultant** shall be fully responsible for its own training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the Services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.
9. Miscellaneous Provisions:
- a. The **Consultant** shall work with such firms or individuals as the **County** shall designate from time to time in connection with the Services, and agrees to meet with such firms or individuals at such times as may be necessary to adequately perform the Services.
- b. **Consultant** shall have no right to assign, transfer, convey, pledge or otherwise dispose of **Consultant's** interest in this Agreement without the prior expressed written consent of the **County**.
- c. All material specifically prepared by **Consultant** for **County** in connection with this Agreement, excluding any intellectual property already owned by **Consultant**, shall become the sole property of the **County**. **Consultant** agrees to provide tangible copies, documents, and any material prepared in accordance with this Agreement to **County**, as required, to support work if/when necessary, with the understanding that said material shall include the final work product belonging to and residing with the **County**.
- d. **Consultant** hereby agrees that any and all data, recommendations, reports and other materials developed in the performance of this Agreement are strictly confidential and that **Consultant** is prohibited from revealing or disclosing such data, recommendations or reports, in whole or in part, to any third party without first obtaining the express written consent of **County**. This covenant of non-disclosure shall survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement.
- e. This Agreement shall be interpreted, construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. In the event that any term, condition or provision contained herein shall be deemed invalid by any Court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not result in the invalidation of any other term, condition or provision contained herein, all of which shall continue in full force and effect.
- f. This Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties. No waiver or modification of this Agreement shall be legally binding and/or enforceable unless such waiver and/or modification is set forth in writing and subscribed by the parties hereto with the same formality as this Agreement.

- g. Each party represents that the person executing this Agreement on its behalf has full authority to execute and be legally bound by such agreements.
10. Advice of Counsel: Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Agreement, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement.
11. Standard Addendum: The parties agree to be bound by terms contained in the Oneida County Standard Addendum, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as "Exhibit A."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we set our hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018

County of Oneida

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.

By:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Richard Annitto

Approved:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Amanda Lynn Cortese  
Special Assistant County Attorney



## ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative

agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

- i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
- i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;
    - B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a

criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and

D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;

ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
  - 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
  - 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
- C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;
- D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
  - 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
- E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:
- Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
- F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

- 1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
- 2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

- ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

- i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the

Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County

available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and

- ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.



6. WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as

determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records

shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application;

request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

## 17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

## 18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services

(hereinafter “OGS”) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the “use of tobacco” shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including: chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.
- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that

delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.

- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida;  
and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.



ONEIDA COUNTY  
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
County Executive  
ce@ocgov.net

September 3, 2018

FN 20 19-338

Gerald J. Fiorini, Chairman.  
Oneida County  
Board of Legislators  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS  
WAYS & MEANS

Dear Chairman Fiorini:

The Director of Central Services, Annemarie Ambrose, has been completing an analysis of the County wide phone system since taking over the department. While doing the analysis it was brought to her attention that the 911 call center was in need of an upgrade. An RFP went out and it was determined they would go with West Systems. There will be a cost for equipment along with an annual maintenance fee which will be run through the normal budget.

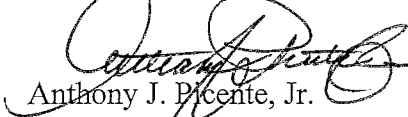
I therefore respectfully request to amend the Countywide Phone System Capital Project to include the needed upgrade to the 911 call center equipment.

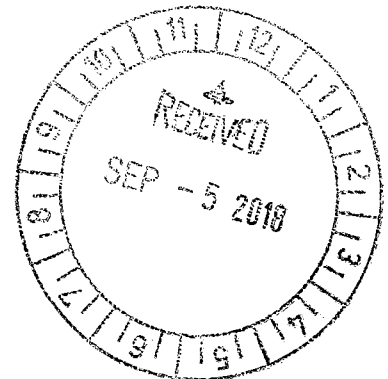
I therefore request your Board's approval for an amendment to **Capital Project H-582 Central Services – Countywide Phone System:**

	<u>Current</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Bonding	\$200,000	\$494,000	\$694,000
Totals	<u>\$200,000</u>	<u>\$494,000</u>	<u>\$694,000</u>

Thank you for kind attention to this request.

Very truly yours,

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive



CC: Comptroller  
County Attorney  
Budget  
Central Services  
Emergency Services



Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive



AnneMarie Ambrose  
Director

## ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF CENTRAL SERVICES

Oneida County Office Building ♦800 Park Avenue ♦Utica, New York 13501

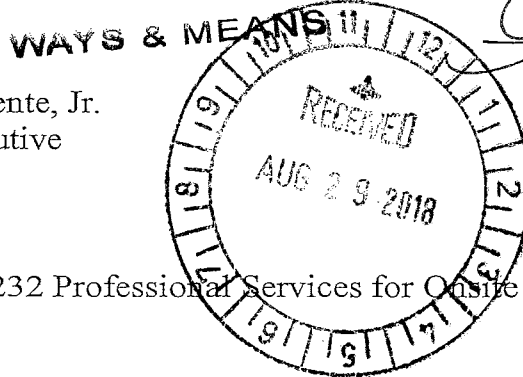
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August 14, 2018

Hon. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by



*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-21-18

Subject: RFP 2018-232 Professional Services for Onsite Scanning recommendation

Dear Mr. Picente,

Oneida County Central Services has published a Request for Proposal (RFP) for the purpose of finding a vendor to provide onsite scanning services to assist the County's continued efforts to become paperless. There were three vendors who responded to the RFP. The recommended vendor that has been selected is Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc. (ISSYS)

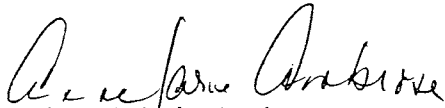
The objective of this project is to reduce, and eventually eliminate, the number of boxes of paper records stored in the Oneida County Records Center. Currently, the box count in this facility is approximately 60,000 boxes. This contract will be for a 12-month period initially. Prior to its expiration Central Services, in partnership with the County Clerk, will evaluate the effectiveness of the contract and determine the best plan for recommending additional assistance.

Please see the attached matrix with comparison weights for all proposals received in response to the RFP. We believe that ISSYS has offered the most complete, cost effective solution to meet our needs. ISSYS is familiar with Oneida County and has provided excellent service in other technology activities. For this project, ISSYS expects to use a team of 2-4 individuals for a 52-week calendar year at the compensation rate of \$23.50 per hour, with no overtime anticipated. The total annualized cost for this project is \$85,540 and is to be paid through the H-472 Enterprise Content Management capital project.

The work area will be set up at "stations" located in designated space at 120 Airline Street which has a loading dock and high-bandwidth networking capability. Scanners will be purchased out of the same Capital Project, therefore the only expenses in this contract are for the temporary employees.

We respectfully request your approval of a 12-month contract with Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc. If you agree, please forward to the Board of Legislators for action at their next meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "AnneMarie Ambrose". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "AnneMarie" and the last name "Ambrose" clearly distinguishable.

AnneMarie Ambrose  
Director

Attachments:

1. Comparison matrix
2. Contract Agreement
3. ISSYS Proposal

Oneida Co. Department: Central Services

Competing Proposal – YES

Only Respondent – NO

Sole Source RFP - N/A

### Oneida County Board of Legislators

**Name & Address of Vendor:**

Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.  
PO Box 3186  
Syracuse NY 13220-3186

**Title of Activity or Service:**

Professional Services for Onsite Scanning  
RFP 2018-232

**Proposed Dates of Operation:**

August 1, 2018 – July 31, 2019

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** County Records Management (Enterprise Content Management)

**Summary Statements:**

- 1. Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** This agreement will provide records scanning services to enter documents into Laserfiche for permanent storage.
- 2. Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Reduction in the number of paper documents stored in the Westmoreland Records Center.
- 3. Program Design and Staffing:** ISSYS will draw on the skillsets of all company resources to provide effective support.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$85,540      **Account #:** H- 472

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$85,540

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$):** County

**Cost per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** ISSYS has provided excellent support for a variety of projects in Oneida County since 2012.

**O.C. Departmental Staff Comments:** This contract will assist the County Clerk in the reduction of paper records storage and will increase the digitalization of records for the County.

**Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.**  
**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT**

This Agreement (the "Agreement") made this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2018, between Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc., a New York corporation having its principal place of business at 6925 Todd Way, Liverpool, New York 13088, (hereinafter "Integrated") and Oneida County, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York (hereinafter the "Customer"), having its principal place of business at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501.

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, Integrated agrees to put forth its best efforts to supply Customer with the professional services ("Services") of its professional staff to perform paper records scanning and digitizing services, and;

WHEREAS, Customer agrees to utilize Integrated designated staffing services upon terms and conditions hereinafter set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

1. **SCOPE OF SERVICES:** Integrated will perform the Services in accordance with a contract services proposal (the "Proposal") annexed hereto as "Exhibit A." Specifically, the work to be performed, the manner in which it will be performed, and the rates charged therefore are as follows:
  - 1.1. Integrated shall provide to the Customer onsite scanning services for backfile conversion of documents currently being stored with either long-term or permanent retention.
  - 1.2. Integrated will charge the Customer twenty-three dollars and fifty cents (\$23.50) per hour for any and all individuals assigned by Integrated pursuant to this Agreement, up to seventy (70) hours per week total for all individuals so assigned.
  - 1.3. Integrated shall not exceed seventy (70) hours per week without the express, written consent of the Customer. In the unlikely event that this consent is granted, the parties agree that Integrated will charge thirty-four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$34.75) per hour for each hour over seventy (70) hours provided during any given week.
2. **TERM OF AGREEMENT:** The term of this Agreement shall commence on August 1, 2018 and shall continue until July 31, 2019. Upon mutual agreement of the parties, this Agreement may be renewed for two (2) additional one-year terms.
3. **ASSIGNED EMPLOYEES**
  - 3.1. Integrated personnel shall not for any reason, be considered employees of the Customer. Integrated shall be responsible for compensation or payments due to or on account of Integrated personnel ("employees") in connection with the Agreement.
  - 3.2. Integrated shall coordinate the assignment of all employees paid for by the Customer with Customer's representative.
  - 3.3. Integrated employees who have been working for the Customer and are now in the Customer's sole opinion unsatisfactory for services to be performed hereunder shall be removed by Integrated as soon as reasonably possible after the Customer notifies Integrated that they are unsatisfactory. Such employees shall be replaced with another employee satisfactory to the Customer as soon as possible. The Customer will be invoiced at the same rate for this replacement employee unless otherwise mutually agreed upon.

#### 4. PERFORMANCE/LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY

The Customer expressly agrees that Integrated and its employees shall not be liable to Customer for indirect, special, consequential, or exemplary damages (including lost profits or other financial losses to the Customer) even if such damages were reasonably foreseeable to the Customer, except in the event of gross negligence or willful misconduct on the part of Integrated's employees, agents and officers.

The provisions of this section shall not apply in the event of a breach by Integrated of the confidentiality requirements contained in section 9.

#### 5. WAIVER OF WARRANTY:

THE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED HEREUNDER BY INTEGRATED ARE WITH NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR ANY PARTICULAR PURPOSE, COPYRIGHT OR TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT. IN NO CASE SHALL INTEGRATED BE LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGES, EXCEPT FOR GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT OF INTEGRATED OR ITS EMPLOYEES. ANY DAMAGES FOR GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT SHALL BE LIMITED TO DIRECT DAMAGES, AND THERE SHALL BE NO LIABILITY, ON THE PART OF INTEGRATED, FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, INDIRECT, CONSEQUENTIAL OR SPECIAL DAMAGES.

THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL NOT APPLY IN THE EVENT OF A BREACH BY INTEGRATED OF THE CONFIDENTIALITY REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED IN SECTION 11.

#### 6. TRAINING:

The Customer recognizes that there may be a need for training of Integrated employees for unique procedures in use at Customer's location. When the Customer and Integrated mutually determine and agree that such training is necessary, the Customer shall provide such training at no cost to Integrated.

#### 7. PATENTS AND INVENTIONS:

In the event any copyrightable material results from the performance of the services hereunder, Integrated agrees that copyrightable material resulting therefrom will be the Customer's sole property; the Customer hereby grants to Integrated at no charge a non-exclusive right to use, market, develop or license or sublicense such copyrightable material.

#### 8. PAYMENT:

8.1 As full consideration for the performance of the services called for in this Agreement, the Customer shall pay Integrated on a time and material basis.

8.2 Such payment shall be made by the Customer after receipt of vouchers presented by Integrated on forms prescribed by the Customer and after audit and approval by the Customer's Department of Audit and Control and the Customer's Comptroller.

#### 9. CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION:

During the confidential relationship established hereby, the Customer may communicate to Integrated certain information to enable Integrated personnel to render the services hereunder. Integrated will (i) treat and obligate its employees to treat as secret and confidential all such information; (ii) not disclose any such information or make available any reports, recommendations and/or work product which Integrated produces for the Customer to any person, firm, or corporation or use it in any manner whatsoever.

## 10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS

10.1. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of Integrated to the Customer shall be that of an independent contractor. None of Integrated's officers, agents, directors or employees shall be considered employees of the Customer for any purpose, including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. Integrated, in accordance with Integrated's status as an independent contractor, covenants and agrees that Integrated's officers, agents, directors and employees will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, officers or employees of the Customer by reason thereof, and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the Customer.

10.2. Integrated warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. Integrated and the Customer agree that Integrated is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement, and may continue to make its services available to the public.

10.3. Integrated's officers, agents, directors and employees shall not be eligible for compensation due to illness; absence due to normal vacation; absence due to attendance at school or special training, or at a professional convention or meeting.

10.4. Integrated acknowledges and agrees that none of Integrated's officers, agents, directors or employees shall be eligible for any Customer employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.

10.5. Integrated shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to the Integrated under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Integrated's form of business organization. With respect to Integrated's officers, agents, directors and employees, this responsibility shall include payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance, where required. The Customer shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for state or federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). The Integrated shall provide proof of workers' compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.

10.6. Integrated shall indemnify and hold the Customer harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the Customer as a result of the Customer not making such payments or withholdings.

10.7. If the Internal Revenue Service, the United States Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges Integrated's independent contractor status, it is agreed that both the Customer and the Integrated shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.

10.8. Integrated agrees to comply with federal and state laws, as supplemented, with the United States Department of Labor regulations and any other regulations of any federal and state entities relating to such employment and civil rights requirements.

## 11. INSURANCE:

Integrated shall purchase and maintain insurance of the following types of coverage and limits of liability with an insurance carrier qualified and admitted to do business in the State of New York. The insurance carrier must have at least an A- (excellent) rating by A. M. Best.

11.1 Commercial General Liability (CGL) coverage with limits of insurance of not less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$3,000,000 Annual Aggregate.

11.1.1 CGL coverage shall be written on ISO Occurrence form CG 00 01 1001 or a substitute form providing equivalent coverage and shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent contracts, products-completed operations, and personal and advertising injury.

11.1.2 The Customer (for purposes of this form, specifically named as "Oneida County"), and any other parties required by the Customer, shall be included as additional insureds. Coverage for the additional insureds shall apply as primary and non-contributing insurance before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible or self-insured retention, maintained by or provided to the additional insureds.

11.2. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability

11.2.1 Statutory limits apply.

11.3 Commercial Umbrella

11.3.1 Umbrella limits must be at least \$1,000,000.

11.3.2 Umbrella coverage must include as additional insureds all entities that are additional insureds on the CGL.

11.3.3 Umbrella coverage for such additional insureds shall apply as primary and non-contributing insurance before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible or self-insured retention, maintained by or provided to the additional insureds.

11.4 Professional Liability ("PL") coverage, including errors and omissions, with limits of insurance of not less than \$2,000,000 each occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. (An umbrella or excess liability policy may be utilized to attain these PL limits).

11.4.1 The Customer and any other parties required by the Customer shall be included as additional insureds. PL coverage for the additional insureds shall apply as primary and non-contributing insurance before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible or self-insured retention, maintained by or provided to the additional insured(s).

11.5 Waiver of Subrogation: Integrated waives all rights against the Customer and their agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by CGL or Workers Compensation and Employers Liability insurance maintained per requirements stated above.

11.6 Certificates of Insurance: Prior to the start of any work, Integrated shall provide a certificate of insurance to the Customer. Attached to each certificate of insurance shall be a copy of the additional insured endorsement that is part of Integrated's CGL policy. These certificates and the insurance policies required above shall contain a provision that coverage afforded under the policies will not be canceled or allowed to expire until at least thirty (30) days prior written notice has been given to the Customer.

## 12. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. By signing below, the parties agree and acknowledge that they have

read, understood and agreed to all the terms contained in any addenda attached hereto, including, but not limited to, Addendum I (Standard Oneida County Conditions). No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

13. GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York, exclusive of its choice of laws, rules and principles. The parties agree that any legal action shall be filed in a court of competent jurisdiction in Oneida County, New York.

14. EXECUTORY CLAUSE

This Agreement shall be deemed executory only to the extent of monies available to the Customer for the performance of its terms, and no liability shall be incurred by the Customer beyond the monies so available.

15. TERMINATION

This Agreement may be terminated by the Customer, for any reason, upon thirty (30) days written notice given to Integrated. This Agreement may be terminated by Integrated, for any reason, upon sixty (60) days written notice given to the Customer.

16. GENERAL PROVISIONS

This Agreement does not constitute Integrated an agent, partner, or legal representative of Customer for any purpose whatsoever, it being understood between the parties hereto that Integrated is to act as an independent contractor and is not authorized to make any contract, agreement, warranty or representation on behalf of Customer. Failure of either party to act or exercise its rights under this Agreement upon the breach of any other terms hereof by the other party, shall not be construed as a waiver of such a breach or prevent said party from thereafter enforcing strict compliance with any or all of their terms thereof.

Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.

Oneida County

By: 

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

Name: Robert Nasto

Name: Anthony J. Picente, Jr.

Title: President

Title: County Executive

Date: 8-1-2018

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

Approved:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Robert E. Pronteau  
Assistant County Attorney



*Exhibit A*

# **INTEGRATED STRATEGIC SYSTEMS, INC.**

Response to Oneida County  
RPF 2018-232

Professional Services for Onsite Scanning

**May 2018**

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**Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.**

P.O. Box 314 Whitesboro, NY 13492 Phone 315-436-4044

A. Introduction

Integrated Strategic Systems (*Integrated*) is pleased to respond to Oneida County's RFP 2018-232 for Professional Services for Onsite Scanning. Our results oriented, experienced staff allows us the diversity to bring the orders of magnitude required to service your extensive organization.

*Integrated* has been awarded the Professional Services Contract providing IT and Network Engineering Services for Oneida County since 2012. In that timeframe, our team is not only extremely familiar with the County I/T Infrastructure but has played a major role in its current architecture installation, deployment and its ongoing support.

*Integrated* is pleased to expand our scope of services in this RFP for Onsite Scanning at Oneida County. Our existing long-term relationship with Oneida County will provide for a transition free initiation, as together we embark on successfully completing this project.

This document hopes to illustrate our methodology to effectively deploy the appropriate resources to meet the stated objectives of this project. As always, we enjoy being a continued, valued partner in our mutually beneficial relationship with Oneida County.

**Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.**

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**B. Integrated Recommended Team Approach**

To effectively meet the needs of this proposal, Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc. (*Integrated*) proposes staffing a project with a flexible team of resources to focus on reducing the backlog of records to be transferred to the Laserfiche Rio System.

Integrated would certainly meet the requirement of 1 or 2 individuals for 35 hours per week but would rather propose a team of 3 (or maybe even 4) individuals who would share the responsibilities, flexibly covering the 70-hour requirement of services each week. This will provide the County with a much more stable workforce. By sharing the responsibility among a host of resources, we will insure continuity, and have a stable, knowledgeable group of individuals, focused on the task, thus insuring results. It will allow for continuity of services without interruption due to illness, lost time, attrition, etc. Moreover, in the event of attrition, the "team" that is in place can effectively share the hours of the departed individual, thus providing project continuity. This methodology inherently allows us to retain "day to day task and operational knowledge" for effective training of replaced employees.

*Integrated* currently utilizes this same methodology throughout its customer base in a most effective manner. The cost to Oneida County would be for the same 70 hours of effort each week. The multiple resources would insure redundancy of job knowledge and maximize job performance.

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C. Project Plan  
Resource Requirements

Upon award of the contract, Integrated Management would work with Oneida County to determine the optimum team composition (1 or 2 full time resources or a team of 3-4 part-time resources). These individuals will need to be professional and diligent in their efforts oft-times processing sensitive materials. They must be organized, focused, and contentious, as they learn the tasks required for the transfer of physical records into the Laserfiche Rio System.

It is understood that each individual will require a pre-screen background and finger print check (a cost of approximately \$75.00 to be assumed by *Integrated*).

Project Duration

It is understood that Oneida County would like to fund the project for a 1-year term and then evaluate the effectiveness. Integrated will be pleased to provide such services with understanding that the project scope (number of individuals providing services) may be expanded, and the possibility of renewal of same contract services in future years.

Planning and Scheduling

*Integrated* will work with a designated internal County resource in the weekly scheduling of the resources scheduled to be on-site (Possibly Oneida County Airport Location) to perform the required tasks. The "Integrated Laserfiche Team" will work closely to insure continuity and quality productivity.

**Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.**

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Project Cost – Hourly Rate

Both Integrated and Oneida County understand the profile of the individual required to accomplish the daily tasks. With this understanding, the resource performing the task will be compensated better than the standard minimum wage. This would hopefully reduce any attrition, and overall minimize costs associated with retraining, etc.

Integrated proposes a fixed hourly rate for all individuals at **\$23.50** per hour. This is a fully burdened rate which includes the following:

1. Advertising Recruitment
2. Employment Verification
3. General Liability Insurance
4. Worker's Compensation Insurance
5. FUTA/SUTA Unemployment Insurance
6. Skills Testing
7. Weekly Payroll Processing
8. Background and Finger Print Check
9. Monthly Invoicing to Client

Weekly Reporting / Overtime Rate

Timesheets will be submitted on a weekly basis. The expectation will be to bill 70 hours per week for the combined efforts of the scheduled team members. Should the County approve additional hours, they would be billed accordingly. It is not anticipated, but if a team member would be pre-approved (by the County) to work overtime, the overtime rate would be **\$34.75** per hour.

Annualized Cost

Considering a **70**-hour work week effort, (distributed into a team of 2-4 individuals with no overtime) for a 52-week calendar year at a rate of 23.50 per hour the total annualized cost for this project would be **\$85,540.00**.

If it is the intention of the County to only utilize **35** hours per week, with the same considerations as above the cost would be cut in half to **\$42,270**.

**Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.**

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**D. Benefits to Accrue**

This concentrated effort, distributed among a small team of directed, well organized individuals will insure a reduction in the number of physical documents being warehoused in multiple facilities. As data is being systematically transferred, it becomes readily accessible via the Laserfiche Rio System to the appropriate County Departments.

By utilizing the "Integrated Team Approach", interruptions in the performance of these tasks should be minimal, providing optimal project results.

**E. Executive Summary**

Integrated Strategic Systems is pleased to be considered for this project. We believe that our time-tested team approach is the most cost-effective way to ensure that all project goals are met. Our management team currently appreciates a productive, professional working relationship with Oneida County. We hope to be awarded this this Laserfiche Project and continue in the same successful manner that our mutually beneficial business relationship has enjoyed to date.

**F. Sample I/T Support Contract**

A copy of a Sample IT Support Contract can be found in **Appendix I.**

**G. Sample Monthly Reports**

A copy of the Sample Monthly Report, currently being utilized by Oneida County and Integrated Strategic Systems can be found in **Appendix II.**

**Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.**

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H. *Integrated* Corporate Outline

A. Full Legal Name	<b>Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc.</b>
B. Management Overview	See Below
C. Year Company Organized	<b>1997</b>
D. Number of Employees	<b>Approximately 18</b>

Integrated Strategic Systems, Inc was founded in 1997 by Robert Nasto, and provides systems solutions for all facets of Information Technology. We are based in Central New York and serve clients who are primarily located in the greater Syracuse/Utica/Rome area. Currently *Integrated* employs about 18 Information Technology Professionals the majority of whom reside in Central New York, more specifically Oneida County. *Integrated* has a strong record for delivering high quality, results oriented, Information Technology resources & solutions. Specifically focused on Information Technology for more than 15 years, our contacts are vast and specific to Central New York.

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We are solutions providers for all facets of Information Technology. We have demonstrated expertise in providing:

1. Systems Integration/Help Desk & Desktop Support Solutions
2. Software Implementation Solutions
3. **Staffing Solutions**

***Our focus is Information Technology Professionals  
Our client base is Central New York***

We have worked with all technologies – from the most recent web based, database, leading edge products to the older standard legacy systems.

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Utilizing industry standard “best practices”, we take pride in understanding our clients’ needs and requirements and work aggressively to utilize our extensive resources providing timely, cost effective, Information Technology solutions.



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**I. *Integrated* Corporate References**

Presently our business is strong, capable and ready to meet the emerging Information Technology needs of the Central New York Community. We serve many medium to large businesses and our confident that we can meet any challenge that your organizations may present. The following represents a sample set of valued, most currently served clients:

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J. *Integrated* Geographic Reach

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K. RFP Negotiation Authorization

Person[s] authorized to negotiate on behalf of this firm for purposes of this RFP are:

Name:	<u>Robert Nasto</u>	Title:	<u>President</u>
Signature:	_____	Date:	<u>5/7/2018</u>
Name:	_____	Title:	_____
Signature:	_____	Date:	_____
<b>Signature of Authorized Officer:</b>			
Name:	<u>Robert Nasto</u>	Title:	<u>President</u>
Signature:	_____	Date:	<u>5/7/2018</u>

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Appendix I. *Integrated* Sample Contract

The following 3 pages represent a sample *Integrated* Contract. *Integrated* recognizes the unique legal requirements for our distinct customer base. It is understood that a document such as this sample (or one provided by the customer) will be used as a basis for what would become the actual contract for services provided.



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loss, damage or expense, continue to pay all Integrated hourly charges and other sums as may come due to Integrated during the term of this Agreement.

### **6. WAIVER OF WARRANTY**

THE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED HEREUNDER BY INTEGRATED ARE WITHNO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR ANY PARTICULAR PURPOSE, COPYRIGHT OR TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT. IN NO CASE SHALL INTEGRATED BE LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGES, EXCEPT FOR A WILLFUL MISCONDUCT OF INTEGRATED OR ITS EMPLOYEES. ANY DAMAGES FOR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT SHALL BE LIMITED TO DIRECT DAMAGES, AND THERE SHALL BE NO LIABILITY, ON THE PART OF INTEGRATED, FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, INDIRECT, CONSEQUENTIAL OR SPECIAL DAMAGES. FURTHERMORE, ANY DAMAGES FOR WHICH INTEGRATED IS LIABLE SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE FEES PAID FOR THAT FOUR WEEK PERIOD IN WHICH THE DAMAGES OCURRED, UNDER THIS AGREEMENT.

### **7. TRAINING**

Customer recognizes that there may be a need for training of Integrated employees for unique procedures in use at Customer's location. When Customer and Integrated mutually determine and agree that such training is necessary, Customer shall provide such training at no cost to Integrated.

### **8. PATENTS AND INVENTIONS**

In the event any copyrightable material results form the performance of the Services hereunder, Integrated agrees that copyrightable material resulting therefrom will be Customer's sole property; Customer hereby grants to Integrated at no charge a non-exclusive perpetual right to use, market, develop or license or sublicense such copyrightable material.

### **9. PAYMENT**

9.1 As full consideration for the performance of the Services called for in any Proposal issued hereunder, Customer shall pay Integrated on a time and material basis, including expenses for telephone, postage, and reproduction services, the sum of the charges determined by applying the applicable billing rates as shown in the Proposal.

9.2 Customer shall also reimburse Integrated for the actual travel and subsistence expenses of its personnel engaged in the performance of the Services hereunder in accordance with Customer's current travel policy, or as otherwise agreed to (Please refer to the Proposal).

9.3 The billing rates are exclusive of any sales or use taxes and any such taxes, if any levied as a result to use of the Services, are the responsibility of the Customer.

9.4 Customer will pay Integrated at the rate per working hour, or per day if a daily rate is agreed upon, for each Integrated employee furnished under this Agreement..

9.5 Integrated will invoice Customer biweekly for the Services provided and expenses incurred under this Agreement and Proposal through the date of such invoice. Customer shall pay the invoice upon receipt. Any invoice unpaid by Customer within 60 days of the date the payment is due to Integrated shall be subject to a late fee of 1.5% per month which shall be added to the amounts due and owing to Integrated.

### **10.SOLICITATION OF EMPLOYMENT**

Neither Integrated nor Customer shall employ or make an offer of employment to any employee of the other who renders services pursuant to this Agreement or any Proposal during the period beginning on the later of the date of this Agreement or Proposal and ending six (6) months after its termination of the employees participation in any engagement. Should Customer hire or contract an Integrated employee or contractor during this period, Integrated will be due twelve (6) months payments for that hire. The monthly payment will be computed as an average of the monthly payments invoiced over the duration of this contract, for that hire.



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Appendix II. Sample Monthly Report & Weekly Timesheet

The following 3 pages represent the monthly reporting documents that we currently utilize within Oneida County. The first two pages show a Sample Monthly Report/Invoice the third page shows a Sample detail weekly report.

**ADDENDUM --STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative



agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

- i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
- i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;
    - B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a

criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and

D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;

ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

- 1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
- 2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

- ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
  - i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  - ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the

Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
- ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

- i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
- ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
- iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
- iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
- v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
- vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
- vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
- viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County

available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and

- ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as



determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records

shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application;

request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### 17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### 18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services

(hereinafter “OGS”) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the “use of tobacco” shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including: chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.
- b. For the purposes of this provision, “e-cigarette” shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that

delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.

- c. For the purposes of this provision, “on Oneida County property” shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida;  
and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
  
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.



# ONEIDA COUNTY SPORTS AUTHORITY

800 Park Avenue ♦ Utica, New York 13501  
(315) 798-5700



September 10, 2018

Hon. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.

County Executive

Oneida County Office Building

800 Park Avenue

Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 18-340

## PUBLIC WORKS

### WAYS & MEANS

Re: Lease Agreement – Murnane Field Parking Lots

Dear County Executive Picente:

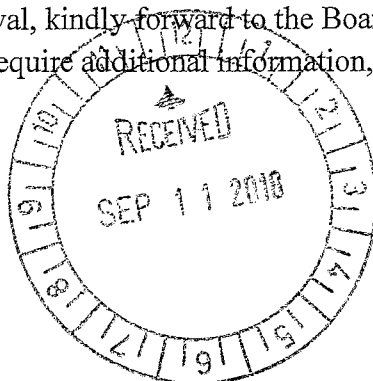
Please find enclosed a lease agreement between the Oneida County Sports Facility Authority and Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare, for the lease of the Murnane Field parking lots in Utica, New York. This lease allows employees of Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare to utilize the Murnane Field parking lots and has been in effect since June 1, 1996.

The term of this lease will commence on January 1, 2017 and end on December 31, 2021. The amount of the lease is \$12,000.00 per year.

If the enclosed meets with your approval, kindly forward to the Board of Legislators. Should you have any questions or concerns, or should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Joseph Johnson



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislator by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 9-10-18

Oneida Co. Department: County Attorney

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Faxton-St.Luke's Healthcare  
1656 Champlin Avenue  
Utica, New York 13503

**Title of Activity or Service:** Lease of Murnane Field Parking Lots

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2021

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** N/A

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:**

Agreement between Oneida County Sports AuLease of Murnane Field Parking Lots for use of hospital employees.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes: N/A**

**3) Program Design and Staffing: N/A**

**Total Funding Requested:** \$60,000.00 (Revenue) **Account #**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$60,000.00

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** County

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**



## AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made and effective as of the 16 day of Aug, 2018 by and between the **Oneida County Sports Facility Authority**, duly organized under the laws of the State of New York, hereinafter referred to as the "Authority", and **Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with its office at 1656 Champlin Avenue, Utica, NY 13503-0479, hereinafter referred to as the "Hospital".

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the Authority is the lessee of certain property owned by the County of Oneida commonly known as Murnane Field, located on Burrstone Road and Sunset Avenue in the City of Utica, including Parking Lot A thereon which borders on Sunset Avenue, and Parking Lot B, thereon which is bordered by Sunset Avenue and Burrstone Road as shown on **Exhibit "A"** attached hereto and referred to as the "Premises"; and

**WHEREAS**, the Hospital is located in the immediate vicinity of Murnane Field and wishes to ensure that its employees have adequate space for motor vehicle parking while they are working at the Hospital;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained it is agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows:

1. The Hospital may allow its employees, on their compliance with the terms stated herein, to park their motor vehicles in the parking lots which exist on the Sunset Avenue and Burrstone Road sides of the Murnane Field property. Such parking shall be allowed between the hours of 6:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

2. The Hospital shall be entitled to make certain improvements to the premises upon prior written approval of the Authority. Such improvements shall be regarded as part of the real property and the Hospital shall have no further interest therein, except for its rights pursuant to this lease. Upon the Hospital's making such improvements with the permission of and to the satisfaction of the Authority, the Authority agrees to waive and forgo the monthly rental figure for the parking lot, until the amount of the rent equals the amount of expenditures by the Hospital.

If any improvements are made by the Hospital, and a monthly credit is given as referenced herein, said monthly credit balance will cease upon termination of the lease by Hospital. If the Authority terminates the Lease early, and a credit balance to the Hospital remains for improvements made to the Parking Lot, then Authority shall reimburse Hospital for said remaining balance due.

The Hospital agrees that no improvements shall be made without prior written notice to the Authority and without prior written consent of the Authority.

3. The Hospital and its employees shall be entitled to the use of the Premises two hundred fifty (250) spaces as shown on **Exhibit "A"**, and the Hospital shall pay the Authority for such use the total sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per month, payable on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of each month during the term of the Lease.

4. The Hospital shall supply numbered parking tags to each employee who is entitled to park in said lots.

5. During the dates and times specified in the first paragraph of this Agreement, the Authority shall have the right to remove from the Premises any vehicles on which a property parking tag is not affixed. Additionally, the Hospital shall notify the Authority of any employee's vehicle for which parking privileges are no longer valid due to termination of employment or otherwise and the sticker for such vehicle will then become null and void, and such vehicle may then be removed from said lots, as if it had no sticker. Whenever the Authority is given notification pursuant to this paragraph, the Hospital shall also notify the affected employee that his right to utilize the lot as ceased.

6. The Hospital shall be responsible for routine maintenance of said parking lot areas to include snow, ice and debris removal in a manner sufficient to allow vehicle parking during the above stated dates and times.

7. The Authority shall assume no liability for theft, collision, fire or damage of any kind whatsoever except when directly attributable to its own negligence, and in that event only to the extent of the retail used car value of the parked vehicle on the date of such occurrence. In no event shall liability extend to payment for loss of use of a vehicle, or for loss of any articles left in the vehicle. No employee or agent of the Authority or the Hospital may alter the Authority's liability regarding any such loss or damage. The Hospital shall advise each employee of the Authority's policy, as set forth in this paragraph, prior to the employee's commencement of parking at Murnane Field, and shall at that time obtain from such employee a signed statement indicating his acceptance of such limited liability as a condition of using the parking lot.

8. This Agreement shall take effect on JAN 1, 2017 and shall remain in effect for a period of five (5) years from its commencement, and may be assigned by either party to its successor in interest during that time. However, since the Authority's lease of the property from the County expires on Dec. 31, 2021, the term of this Lease after that date is subject to renewal of the Authority's lease. This Agreement shall be of no force and effect in the event that the Authority's lease, and any extensions thereof, expire prior hereto.

9. The Hospital shall be responsible for all charges for water, electricity or other utilities it may use or consume in connection with its use of the Premises.

10. The Hospital agrees to provide and maintain, in full force and effect during the term of this lease, for the benefit of the Authority and as an additional insured, the County of Oneida, general liability insurance in standard form protecting the Authority and the County of Oneida, against any liability whatsoever in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence and \$2,000,000.00 aggregate. The Authority and the County will be named on such policy on a primary, non-contributory basis with a waiver of subrogation. The policy shall also include a

statement that such insurance may not be cancelled except on at least 30 days prior written notice to the Authority.

11. It is understood and agreed that the Hospital shall assume and be responsible for any and all damages to the Premises caused by it or any of its agents and/or employees and shall hold the Authority harmless therefrom.

12. The Authority hereby represents that the County of Oneida has consented to the execution of this lease.

**FAXTON-ST. LUKE'S HEALTHCARE**

By: *Edmund Schuler*

**ONEIDA COUNTY SPORTS FACILITY AUTHORITY**

By: *J. Johnson*

STATE OF NEW YORK )  
COUNTY OF ONEIDA ) ss.:

On the 23rd day of July, 2018, before me, the undersigned a Notary Public in and for the State of New York, personally appeared Robert Schokefield personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his/her capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

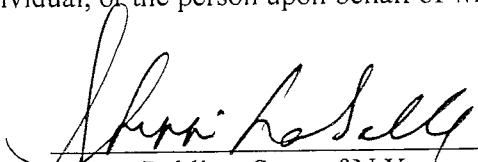
MARGARET A. KEBLISH  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01KE6020291  
Qualified in Oneida County  
Commission Expires 08/09/21

*Margaret A. Keblish*  
Notary Public – State of N.Y.  
Appointed in Oneida County  
My commission expires: 8/9/2021

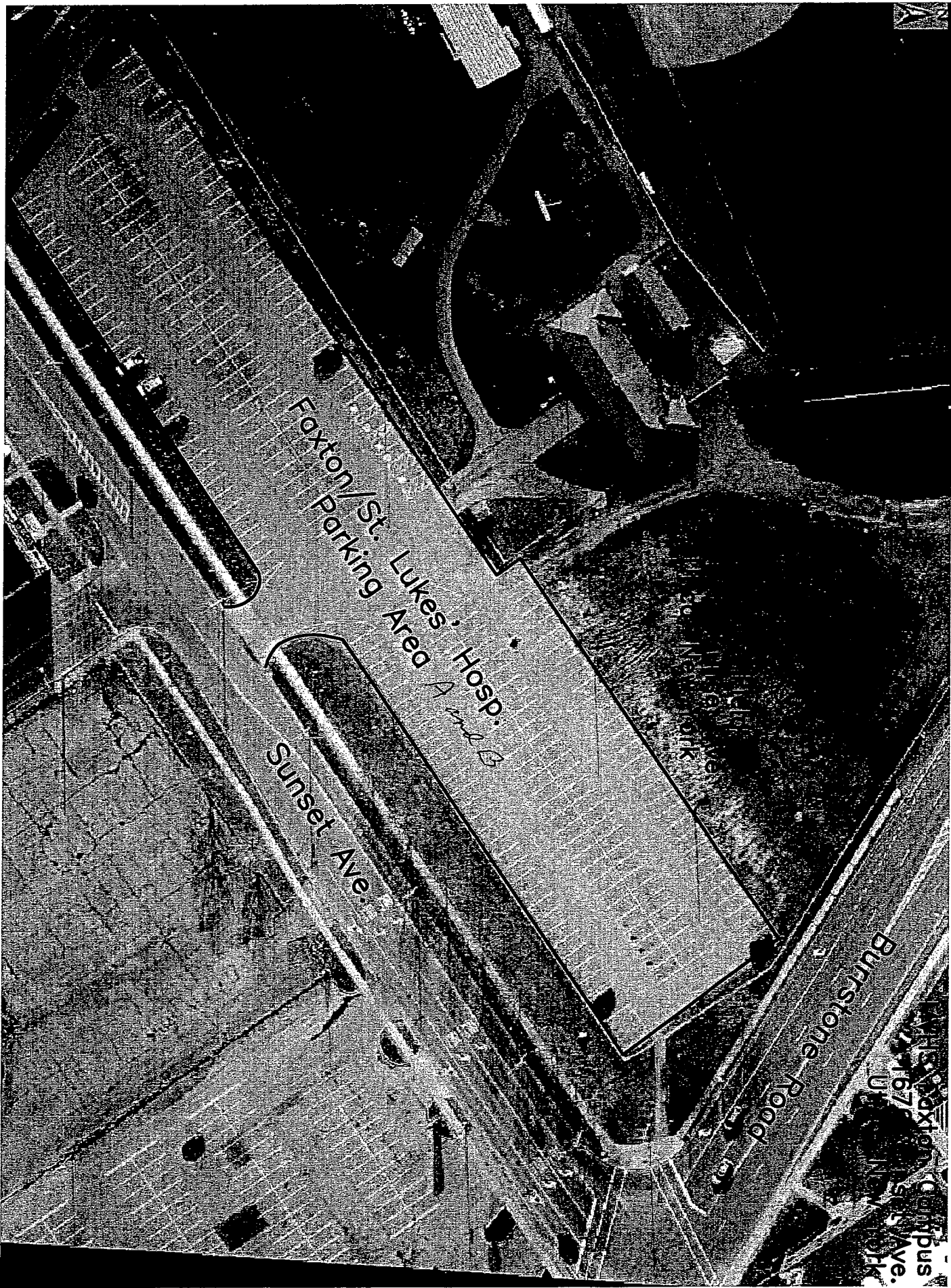
STATE OF NEW YORK )  
COUNTY OF ONEIDA ) ss.:

On the 16 day of August, 2018, before me, the undersigned a Notary Public in and for the State of New York, personally appeared Joe Johnson, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that (s)he executed the same in her capacity, and that by

her/his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

  
Notary Public – State of N.Y.  
Appointed in Oneida County  
My commission expires: 12/31/18

**SHERRI LaSALLE**  
COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS  
IN AND FOR THE CITY OF UTICA, NY  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 12/31/18 *LR*



Foxton/St. Lukes Hosp.

Parking Area A and B

Sunset Ave.

Burrstone Road

St. Luke's Hospital, Foxton, New Zealand, P.O. Box 167, New Zealand

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
County Executive

DENNIS S. DAVIS  
Commissioner



DIVISIONS:  
Buildings & Grounds  
Engineering  
Highways, Bridges & Structures  
Reforestation

## Oneida County Department of Public Works

5999 Judd Road Oriskany, New York 13424  
Phone: (315) 793-6213 w Fax: (315) 768-6299

September 10, 2018

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

FN 20 18-341 Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislator by  
**PUBLIC WORKS**  
**WAYS & MEANS**  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
Date 9/11/18

Dear County Executive Picente,

The enclosed contract with MARCH Associates, Architects and Planners, P.C. for \$433,000.00 is for preliminary engineering services needed for the new public parking facility.

The Oneida County Board of Legislators funded Capital Project H-566, DPW Public Parking Facility, for the purpose of constructing a public parking facility with 1550 parking spaces located adjacent to the new MVHS hospital.

Oneida County solicited proposals from four consulting firms to provide professional consulting services required for the construction of a public parking facility. Proposals were received from all firms solicited. Following a thorough review of each proposal by the selection committee it was determined that all firms should be given the opportunity for an interview. Four out of four firms accepted the interview invite. Those firms were:

- Alesia & Crewell (New Hartford, NY)
- Bonacci Architects (Utica, NY)
- C&S Companies (Syracuse, NY)
- MARCH Associates (Utica, NY)

The firms were interviewed by representatives from MVHS, the City of Utica and Oneida County. Each firm had 30 minutes to present and 15 minutes for Q & A. The content of each of the presentations was fairly consistent. Each firm spoke about differences between concrete materials, snow mitigation measures, lighting, architectural design, landscape architectural design, structural engineering considerations, and circulation. Each firm stressed the importance of the schematic design process as well as integrating appropriately with the MVHS design team to develop a cohesive aesthetic appearance between the parking facility and the hospital.

Immediately following conclusion of the interviews, representatives from the City of Utica and MVHS stated a strong preference for MARCH Associates. We cannot speak for either group, but it was our impression that this preference was primarily based on: previous experience with MARCH Associates and/or the other consulting firms, prior working relationships within the team assembled by MARCH Associates, and the qualifications of and presentation made by Walter P. Moore and John P. Stopen Engineering (sub consultants on the MARCH Associates team that specialize in parking facility design and structural engineering).

Representatives from Oneida County determined that additional investigation and evaluation was required. Attempts were made to contact references for each of the consulting firms, and site visits were performed for representative projects completed by each of the consulting firms that were within reasonable driving distance.

The following primary factors (in descending order of importance) were used by representatives from Oneida County to determine the most qualified consultant for this project.

- Subconsultants specializing in similar parking facilities
- Prior working relationships within proposed design team
- References
- Ability to perform work within anticipated schedule
- Ability to work within anticipated budget
- Anticipated upper level management (Principal/Partner) direct participation in design/construction phases
- Architectural design capability (blend/match parking facility appearance with new hospital)
- Proposed fee
- Site visits

For a significant majority of the above mentioned factors, it was determined that MARCH Associates assembled a team, submitted a proposal, and made a presentation that was superior to all others. Therefore, Oneida County concurred with the City of Utica and MVHS that MARCH Associates is the most qualified consultant for this project.

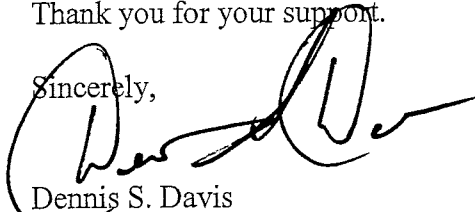
This decision was not easily made or without due diligence. All consulting firms involved are capable of designing a parking facility. All consulting firms involved have previously worked with Oneida County and provided exceptional service, and the selection of MARCH Associates does not indicate or imply dissatisfaction with any of the competing consulting firms.

Consulting fees proposed by MARCH Associates total \$1,595,000.00. At this time it is our intent to secure a contract for schematic design, site survey, subsurface investigation, and initial reimbursable expense components. The total cost for these work items is \$433,000.00. If funds for construction are secured, an additional fee of \$1,162,000.00 for design development, construction drawings, bid phase, and construction phase services would be added via a contract amendment. In addition, Construction Management services would be secured at this time.

On August 22, 2018, the Oneida County Board of Acquisition & Contract approved the enclosed contract with MARCH Associates for schematic design, site survey, subsurface investigation, and initial reimbursable expenses in the amount of \$433,000.00. If acceptable, please forward to the Oneida County Board of Legislators for consideration.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,



Dennis S. Davis  
Commissioner

Competing Proposal	<u>  X  </u>
Only Respondent	<u>          </u>
Sole Source RFP	<u>          </u>
Other	<u>          </u>

## ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

**Name & Address of Vendor:** MARCH Associates, Architects and Planners, P.C.  
258 Genesee Street, Suite 300  
Utica, NY 13502

**Title of Activity or Service:** Professional Service Contract

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** Start on Execution until Project Completion

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** N/A

### Summary Statements

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**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** N/A

**3) Program Design and Staffing:** N/A

<b>4) Funding</b>	<b>Account #:</b>	H-566
	<b>Total Funding Requested:</b>	\$433,000.00
	<b>Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:</b>	\$433,000.00
<b>Proposed Funding Sources</b>	<b>Federal:</b>	
	<b>New York State:</b>	
	<b>County:</b>	\$433,000.00
	<b>Other:</b>	

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** None



# AIA<sup>®</sup> Document B132<sup>™</sup> – 2009

## Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Architect, Construction Manager as Adviser Edition

AGREEMENT made as of the Tenth day of October in the year Two Thousand Eighteen  
(In words, indicate day, month and year.)

BETWEEN the Architect's client identified as the Owner:  
(Name, legal status, address and other information)

Oneida County  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501  
Telephone Number: 315.793.6236  
Fax Number: 315.768.6299

and the Architect:  
(Name, legal status, address and other information)

MARCH Associates, Architects and Planners, P.C.  
258 Genesee Street, Suite 300  
Utica, NY 13502  
Telephone Number: 315.733.3344  
Fax Number: 315.733.3331

for the following Project:  
(Name, location and detailed description)

Public Parking Facility  
Utica, NY 13501

The Construction Manager:  
(Name, legal status, address and other information)

To Be Determined

The Owner and Architect agree as follows.

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification.

This document is intended to be used in conjunction with AIA Documents A132<sup>™</sup>–2009, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Contractor, Construction Manager as Adviser Edition; A232<sup>™</sup>–2009, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, Construction Manager as Adviser Edition; and C132<sup>™</sup>–2009, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Construction Manager as Adviser. AIA Document A232<sup>™</sup>–2009 is adopted in this document by reference. Do not use with other general conditions unless this document is modified.

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### ARTICLE 1 INITIAL INFORMATION

§ 1.1 This Agreement is based on the Initial Information set forth in this Section 1.1.

*(Note the disposition for the following items by inserting the requested information or a statement such as "not applicable," "unknown at time of execution" or "to be determined later by mutual agreement.")*

§ 1.1.1 The Owner's program for the Project:

*(Identify documentation or state the manner in which the program will be developed.)*

Construct a public parking facility with approximately 1,550 parking spaces. Facility will be located adjacent to the proposed Mohawk Valley Health System hospital in Utica, NY. The following initial conditions apply.

- Construction site will be "build-ready".
- Parking facility will consist of 3.5 levels and will be limited to approximately 600' length, approximately 250' width, and approximately 36' feet above grade.
- Design criteria and construction details will take into consideration geographic location, climate, and typical means and methods of operation for the purpose of maximizing lifespan and minimizing lifecycle cost.
- Construction details will minimize the possibility of self-harm. Details may include barricades, fencing, screens, and parapet walls. All details must be aesthetically pleasing.
- Exterior façade and landscaping will compliment new hospital building and must be aesthetically pleasing.
- Interior and exterior lighting systems shall be energy efficient and provide lighting levels that exceed minimum requirements and are appropriate for hospital operations.
- Parking facility features will include the following.
- Two entrance/exit points.
- Video surveillance and electronic security system.
- Electronic parking facility management system including access control, visual notifications, and directional assistance.

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User Notes:

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- “Code Blue” emergency telephone/call button system. System shall be integrated with new hospital security systems.
- Segregated areas for public parking, hospital visitors, and ambulatory/emergency patients.
- Minimum of two elevator locations. Elevators will be appropriately sized for stretchers typically used in hospital emergency rooms.
- Two enclosed walkways connecting parking facility and new hospital building.
- Approximately 230 handicapped parking spaces.
- Aviation warning lights per FAA requirements.
- Ambulatory/emergency patient parking spaces will be adequately sized for their intended use.

§ 1.1.2 The Project’s physical characteristics:

*(Identify or describe, if appropriate, size, location, dimensions, or other pertinent information, such as geotechnical reports; site, boundary and topographic surveys; traffic and utility studies; availability of public and private utilities and services; legal description of the site; etc.)*

§ 1.1.3 The Owner’s budget for the Cost of the Work, as defined in Section 6.1:

*(Provide total and, if known, a line item breakdown.)*

To Be Determined

§ 1.1.4 The Owner’s anticipated design and construction schedule:

- .1 Design phase milestone dates, if any:

Plans, Specifications and Construction Documents tentative completion date: March 29, 2019 (to be determined during Schematic Design Phase)

- .2 Commencement of construction:

To Be Determined

- .3 Substantial Completion date or milestone dates:

To Be Determined

- .4 Other:

To Be Determined

§ 1.1.5 The Owner intends to retain a Construction Manager adviser and:

*(Note that, if Multiple Prime Contractors are used, the term “Contractor” as referred to throughout this Agreement will be as if plural in number.)*

- One Contractor
- Multiple Prime Contractors
- Unknown at time of execution

§ 1.1.6 The Owner’s requirements for accelerated or fast-track scheduling, multiple bid packages, or phased construction are set forth below:

*(List number and type of bid/procurement packages.)*

To Be Determined

§ 1.1.7 Other Project information:

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*(Identify special characteristics or needs of the Project not provided elsewhere, such as environmentally responsible design or historic preservation requirements.)*

To Be Determined

§ 1.1.8 The Owner identifies the following representative in accordance with Section 5.5:  
*(List name, address and other information.)*

Mark E. Laramie, P.E.  
5999 Judd Road  
Oriskany, NY 13424  
Telephone Number: 315.793.6236  
Fax Number: 315.768.6299

Email Address: mlaramie@ocgov.net

§ 1.1.9 The persons or entities, in addition to the Owner's representative, who are required to review the Architect's submittals to the Owner are as follows:  
*(List name, address and other information.)*

Mohawk Valley Health System  
1656 Champlin Avenue  
Utica, NY 13502

City of Utica  
One Kennedy Plaza  
Utica, NY 13502

§ 1.1.10 The Owner will retain the following consultants:  
*(List name, legal status, address and other information.)*

- .1 Construction Manager: The Construction Manager is identified on the cover page. If a Construction Manager has not been retained as of the date of this Agreement, state the anticipated date of retention:

Anticipated date of retention: January 2019

- .2 Cost Consultant (if in addition to the Construction Manager):  
*(If a Cost Consultant is retained, appropriate references to the Cost Consultant should be inserted in Sections 3.2.6, 3.2.7, 3.3.2, 3.3.3, 3.4.5, 3.4.6, 5.4, 6.3, 6.3.1, 6.4 and 11.6.)*

To Be Determined

- .3 Land Surveyor:

To Be Determined

- .4 Geotechnical Engineer:

To Be Determined

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.5 Civil Engineer:

To Be Determined

.6 Other consultants:

*(List any other consultants retained by the Owner, such as a Project or Program Manager, or scheduling consultant.)*

To Be Determined

§ 1.1.11 The Architect identifies the following representative in accordance with Section 2.4:  
*(List name, address and other information.)*

Christopher J. Crolius, AIA  
258 Genesee Street, Suite 300  
Utica, NY 13502  
Telephone Number: 315.733.3344  
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§ 1.1.12 The Architect will retain the consultants identified in Sections 1.1.12.1 and 1.1.12.2:  
*(List name, legal status, address and other information.)*

§ 1.1.12.1 Consultants retained under Basic Services:

.1 Structural Engineer:

John P. Stopen Engineering

450 South Salina Street  
Syracuse, NY 13202

.2 Mechanical Engineer:

Towne Engineering

18 South Street  
Utica, NY 13501

.3 Electrical Engineer:

Towne Engineering

18 South Street  
Utica, NY 13501

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§ 1.1.12.2 Consultants retained under Additional Services:

Walter P. Moore: Parking Facility Consultant

Almy & Associates: Structural Engineering Consultant

Appel Osborne Landscape Architecture: Civil/Landscape/Architecture Consultant

Barton & Loguidice: Environmental Consultant

Lupini Construction: Construction /Maintenance Consultant

§ 1.1.13 Other Initial Information on which the Agreement is based:

§ 1.2 The Owner and Architect may rely on the Initial Information. Both parties, however, recognize that such information may materially change and, in that event, the Owner and the Architect shall appropriately adjust the schedule, the Architect's services and the Architect's compensation.

**ARTICLE 2 ARCHITECT'S RESPONSIBILITIES**

§ 2.1 The Architect shall provide the professional services as set forth in this Agreement. This Agreement is for the Schematic Design Phase of the Project. The additional phases identified in Section § 11.5 will be added via Amendment when construction funding is approved.

§ 2.2 The Architect shall perform its services consistent with the professional skill and care ordinarily provided by architects practicing in the same or similar locality under the same or similar circumstances. The Architect shall perform its services as expeditiously as is consistent with such professional skill and care and the orderly progress of the Project.

§ 2.3 The Architect shall provide its services in conjunction with the services of a Construction Manager as described in AIA Document C132™-2009, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Construction Manager. The Architect shall not be responsible for actions taken by the Construction Manager.

§ 2.4 The Architect shall identify a representative authorized to act on behalf of the Architect with respect to the Project.

§ 2.5 Except with the Owner's knowledge and consent, the Architect shall not engage in any activity, or accept any employment, interest or contribution that would reasonably appear to compromise the Architect's professional judgment with respect to this Project.

§ 2.6 The Architect shall ~~maintain the following insurance for the duration of this Agreement. If any of the requirements set forth below exceed the types and limits the Architect normally maintains, the Owner shall reimburse the Architect for any additional cost.~~ maintain, at its own expense, the following insurance until termination of this Agreement. The insurance carrier must have at least an A- (excellent) rating by A. M. Best and be qualified and admitted to do business in the State of New York.

§ 2.6.1 ~~Comprehensive-Commercial General Liability with policy limits of not less than -(\$ -) for each occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$ 2,000,000) for each occurrence and Four Million Dollars (\$ 4,000,000) in the aggregate for bodily injury and property damage. CGL coverage shall be written on ISO Occurrence form CG 00 01 1001 or a substitute form providing equivalent coverage and shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, XCU, independent contracts, products, completed operations, personal and advertising injury.~~

§ 2.6.2 ~~Automobile Liability covering owned and rented vehicles operated-vehicles owned, leased, hired and non-owned vehicles used, by the Architect with policy limits of not less than -(\$ -) combined single limit and aggregate for bodily injury and property damage. Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) per accident for bodily injury, death of any person, and property damage arising out of the ownership, maintenance and use of those motor vehicles, along with any other statutorily required automobile coverage.~~

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~~§ 2.6.3 The Architect may use umbrella or excess liability insurance to achieve the required coverage for Comprehensive General Liability and Automobile Liability, provided that such umbrella or excess insurance results in the same type of coverage as required for the individual policies. Excess/Commercial Umbrella coverage with limits of at least Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) each occurrence, following form over the Commercial General Liability, with subrogation waived.~~

~~§ 2.6.4 Workers' Compensation at statutory limits and Employers Liability with a policy limit of not less than (\$ ) Compensation, pursuant to statute.~~

~~§ 2.6.5 Employer's Liability, pursuant to statute.~~

~~§ 2.6.6 Professional Liability covering the Architect's negligent acts, errors and omissions in its the performance of professional services with policy limits of not less than (\$ ) per claim and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim and Three Million Dollars (\$3,000,000) in the aggregate.~~

~~§ 2.6.6 The Architect shall provide to the Owner~~ **2.6.7 Additional Insured Obligations.** To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Architect shall cause the primary and excess or umbrella policies for Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability to include the Owner as an additional insured. The additional insured coverage shall be primary and non-contributory to any of the Owner's insurance policies and shall apply to both ongoing and completed operations. The Architect shall maintain completed operations coverage for a period of three (3) years after completion.

~~certificates of insurance evidencing~~ **2.6.8** The Architect shall provide certificates of insurance to the Owner that evidence compliance with the requirements in this Section 2.6. The certificates will show 2.5. The certificates shall be on forms approved by the Owner, and shall contain a provision that coverage afforded under the policies will not be cancelled or allowed to expire until at least thirty (30) days prior written notice has been given to the Owner. Acceptance of the certificates shall not relieve the Architect of any of the insurance requirements, nor decrease the liability of the Architect. The Owner reserves the right to require the Architect to provide insurance policies for review by the Owner. The Architect grants the Owner a limited power of attorney to communicate with the Architect's insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverages required hereunder.

~~the Owner as an additional insured on the Comprehensive General Liability, Automobile Liability, umbrella or excess policies.~~ **2.6.9** The Architect waives all rights against the Owner for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by insurance maintained per requirements stated above.

### ARTICLE 3 SCOPE OF ARCHITECT'S BASIC SERVICES

**§ 3.1** The Architect's Basic Services consist of those described in Article 3 and include usual and customary structural, mechanical, and electrical engineering services. ~~Services not set forth in this Article 3 are Additional Services.~~

**§ 3.1.1** The Architect shall manage the Architect's services, consult with the Owner and the Construction Manager, research applicable design criteria, attend Project meetings, communicate with members of the Project team and report progress to the Owner.

**§ 3.1.2** The Architect shall coordinate its services with those services provided by the Owner, the Construction Manager and the Owner's other consultants. The Architect shall be entitled to rely on the accuracy and completeness of services and information furnished by the Owner, the Construction Manager, and the Owner's other consultants. The Architect shall provide prompt written notice to the Owner if the Architect becomes aware of any error, omission or inconsistency in such services or information.

**§ 3.1.3** As soon as practicable after the date of this Agreement, the Architect shall submit to the Owner and the Construction Manager a schedule of the Architect's services for inclusion in the Project schedule prepared by the Construction Manager. The schedule of the Architect's services shall include design milestone dates, anticipated dates when cost estimates or design reviews may occur, and allowances for periods of time required (1) for the

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Owner's review, (2) for the Construction Manager's review, (3) for the performance of the Owner's consultants, and (4) for approval of submissions by authorities having jurisdiction over the Project.

§ 3.1.4 The Architect shall submit information to the Construction Manager and participate in developing and revising the Project schedule as it relates to the Architect's services.

§ 3.1.5 Once the Owner and the Architect agree to the time limits established by the Project schedule, the Owner and the Architect shall not exceed them, except for reasonable cause.

§ 3.1.6 The Architect shall not be responsible for an Owner's directive or substitution, or for the Owner's acceptance of non-conforming Work, made without the Architect's approval.

§ 3.1.7 The Architect shall, at appropriate times, in coordination with the Construction Manager, contact the governmental authorities required to approve the Construction Documents and the entities providing utility services to the Project. In designing the Project, the Architect shall respond to applicable design requirements imposed by such governmental authorities and by such entities providing utility services.

§ 3.1.8 The Architect shall assist the Owner and Construction Manager in connection with the Owner's responsibility for filing documents required for the approval of governmental authorities having jurisdiction over the Project.

### § 3.2 Schematic Design Phase Services

§ 3.2.1 The Architect shall review the program and other information furnished by the Owner and Construction Manager, and shall review laws, codes, and regulations applicable to the Architect's services.

§ 3.2.2 The Architect shall prepare a preliminary evaluation of the Owner's program, schedule, budget for the Cost of the Work, Project site, and the proposed procurement or delivery method and other Initial Information, each in terms of the other, to ascertain the requirements of the Project. The Architect shall notify the Owner of (1) any inconsistencies discovered in the information, and (2) other information or consulting services that may be reasonably needed for the Project.

§ 3.2.3 The Architect shall present its preliminary evaluation to the Owner and Construction Manager and shall discuss with the Owner and Construction Manager alternative approaches to design and construction of the Project, including the feasibility of incorporating environmentally responsible design approaches. The Architect shall reach an understanding with the Owner regarding the requirements of the Project.

§ 3.2.4 Based on the Project requirements agreed upon with the Owner, the Architect shall prepare and present to the Owner and Construction Manager, for the Owner's approval, a preliminary design illustrating the scale and relationship of the Project components.

§ 3.2.5 Based on the Owner's approval of the preliminary design, the Architect shall prepare Schematic Design Documents for the Owner's approval and the Construction Manager's review. The Schematic Design Documents shall consist of drawings and other documents including a site plan, if appropriate, and preliminary building plans, sections and elevations; and may include some combination of study models, perspective sketches, or digital modeling. Preliminary selections of major building systems and construction materials shall be noted on the drawings or described in writing.

§ 3.2.5.1 The Architect shall consider environmentally responsible design alternatives, such as material choices and building orientation, together with other considerations based on program and aesthetics, in developing a design that is consistent with the Owner's program, schedule and budget for the Cost of the Work. The Owner may obtain other environmentally responsible design services under Article 4.

§ 3.2.5.2 The Architect shall consider with the Owner and the Construction Manager the value of alternative materials, building systems and equipment, together with other considerations based on program and aesthetics in developing a design for the Project that is consistent with the Owner's schedule and budget for the Cost of the Work.

§ 3.2.6 The Architect shall submit the Schematic Design Documents to the Owner and the Construction Manager. The Architect shall meet with the Construction Manager to review the Schematic Design Documents.

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§ 3.2.7 Upon receipt of the Construction Manager's review comments and cost estimate at the conclusion of the Schematic Design Phase, the Architect shall take action as required under Section 6.4, identify agreed upon adjustments to the Project's size, quality or budget, and request the Owner's approval of the Schematic Design Documents. If revisions to the Schematic Design Documents are required to comply with the Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work at the conclusion of the Schematic Design Phase, the Architect shall incorporate the required revisions in the Design Development Phase.

§ 3.2.8 In the further development of the Drawings and Specifications during this and subsequent phases of design, the Architect shall be entitled to rely on the accuracy of the estimates of the Cost of the Work, which are to be provided by the Construction Manager under the Construction Manager's agreement with the Owner.

### § 3.3 Design Development Phase Services

§ 3.3.1 Based on the Owner's approval of the Schematic Design Documents, and on the Owner's authorization of any adjustments in the Project requirements and the budget for the Cost of the Work pursuant to Section 5.4, the Architect shall prepare Design Development Documents for the Owner's approval and the Construction Manager's review. The Design Development Documents shall be based upon information provided, and estimates prepared by, the Construction Manager and shall illustrate and describe the development of the approved Schematic Design Documents and shall consist of drawings and other documents including plans, sections, elevations, typical construction details, and diagrammatic layouts of building systems to fix and describe the size and character of the Project as to architectural, structural, mechanical and electrical systems, and such other elements as may be appropriate. The Design Development Documents shall also include outline specifications that identify major materials and systems and establish in general their quality levels.

§ 3.3.2 Prior to the conclusion of the Design Development Phase, the Architect shall submit the Design Development Documents to the Owner and the Construction Manager. The Architect shall meet with the Construction Manager to review the Design Development Documents.

§ 3.3.3 Upon receipt of the Construction Manager's information and estimate at the conclusion of the Design Development Phase, the Architect shall take action as required under Sections 6.5 and 6.6 and request the Owner's approval of the Design Development Documents.

### § 3.4 Construction Documents Phase Services

§ 3.4.1 Based on the Owner's approval of the Design Development Documents, and on the Owner's authorization of any adjustments in the Project requirements and the budget for the Cost of the Work, the Architect shall prepare Construction Documents for the Owner's approval and the Construction Manager's review. The Construction Documents shall illustrate and describe the further development of the approved Design Development Documents and shall consist of Drawings and Specifications setting forth in detail the quality levels of materials and systems and other requirements for the construction of the Work. The Owner and Architect acknowledge that in order to construct the Work the Contractor will provide additional information, including Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and other similar submittals, which the Architect shall review in accordance with Section 3.6.4.

§ 3.4.2 The Architect shall incorporate into the Construction Documents the design requirements of governmental authorities having jurisdiction over the Project.

§ 3.4.3 During the development of the Construction Documents, if requested by the Owner, the Architect shall assist the Owner and the Construction Manager in the development and preparation of (1) bidding and procurement information that describes the time, place and conditions of bidding, including bidding or proposal forms; (2) the form of agreement between the Owner and Contractor; and (3) the Conditions of the Contract for Construction (General, Supplementary and other Conditions); and (4) compile a project manual that includes the Conditions of the Contract for Construction and may include bidding requirements and sample forms.

§ 3.4.4 Prior to the conclusion of the Construction Documents Phase, the Architect shall submit the Construction Documents to the Owner and the Construction Manager. The Architect shall meet with the Construction Manager to review the Construction Documents.

§ 3.4.5 Upon receipt of the Construction Manager's information and estimate at the conclusion of the Construction Documents Phase, the Architect shall take action as required under Section 6.7 and request the Owner's approval of the Construction Documents.

### § 3.5 Bidding or Negotiation Phase Services

#### § 3.5.1 General

The Architect shall assist the Owner and Construction Manager in establishing a list of prospective contractors. Following the Owner's approval of the Construction Documents, the Architect shall assist the Owner and Construction Manager in (1) obtaining either competitive bids or negotiated proposals; (2) confirming responsiveness of bids or proposals; (3) determining the successful bid or proposal, if any; and (4) awarding and preparing contracts for construction.

#### § 3.5.2 Competitive Bidding

§ 3.5.2.1 Bidding Documents shall consist of bidding requirements and proposed Contract Documents.

§ 3.5.2.2 The Architect shall assist the Owner and Construction Manager in bidding the Project by

- .1 facilitating the reproduction of Bidding Documents for distribution to prospective bidders,
- .2 participating in a pre-bid conference for prospective bidders, and
- .3 preparing responses to questions from prospective bidders and providing clarifications and interpretations of the Bidding Documents in the form of ~~addenda-addenda~~, and
- .4 organizing and conducting the opening of the bids, and subsequently documenting and distributing the bidding results, as directed by the Owner.

§ 3.5.2.3 The Architect shall consider requests for substitutions, if the Bidding Documents permit substitutions, and shall consult with the Construction Manager and prepare and distribute addenda identifying approved substitutions to all prospective bidders.

#### § 3.5.3 Negotiated Proposals

§ 3.5.3.1 Proposal Documents shall consist of proposal requirements, and proposed Contract Documents.

§ 3.5.3.2 The Architect shall assist the Owner and Construction Manager in obtaining proposals by

- .1 ~~facilitating the reproduction-distribution of Proposal Documents for distribution to prospective contractors, contractors and requesting their return upon completion of the negotiation process;~~
- .2 organizing and participating in selection interviews with prospective contractors; and
- .3 preparing responses to questions from prospective contractors and providing clarifications and interpretations of the Proposal Documents to the prospective contractors in the form of addenda; and,
- ~~.3 participating in negotiations with prospective contractors.~~ .4 participating in negotiations with prospective contractors, and subsequently preparing a summary report of the negotiation results, as directed by the Owner.

§ 3.5.3.3 The Architect shall consider requests for substitutions, if the Proposal Documents permit substitutions, and shall consult with the Construction Manager and prepare and distribute addenda identifying approved substitutions to all prospective contractors.

### § 3.6 Construction Phase Services

#### § 3.6.1 General

§ 3.6.1.1 The Architect shall provide administration of the Contract between the Owner and the Contractor as set forth below and in AIA Document A232™-2009, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, Construction Manager as Adviser Edition. If the Owner and Contractor modify AIA Document A232-2009, those modifications shall not affect the Architect's services under this Agreement unless the Owner and the Architect amend this Agreement.

§ 3.6.1.2 The Architect shall advise and consult with the Owner and Construction Manager during the Construction Phase Services. The Architect shall have authority to act on behalf of the Owner only to the extent provided in this Agreement. The Architect shall not have control over, charge of, or responsibility for the construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures, or for safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work, nor shall the Architect be responsible for the Contractor's failure to perform the Work in accordance with the

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requirements of the Contract Documents. The Architect shall be responsible for the Architect's negligent acts or omissions, but shall not have control over or charge of, and shall not be responsible for, acts or omissions of the Construction Manager, or the Contractor or of any other persons or entities performing portions of the Work.

**§ 3.6.1.3** Subject to Section 4.3, the Architect's responsibility to provide Construction Phase Services commences with the award of the Contract for Construction and terminates on the date the Architect issues the final Certificate for Payment.

**§ 3.6.2 Evaluations of the Work**

**§ 3.6.2.1** The Architect shall visit the site at intervals appropriate to the stage of construction, or as otherwise required in Section 4.3.3, to become generally familiar with the progress and quality of the portion of the Work completed, and to determine, in general, if the Work observed is being performed in a manner indicating that the Work, when fully completed, will be in accordance with the Contract Documents. However, the Architect shall not be required to make exhaustive or continuous on-site inspections to check the quality or quantity of the Work. On the basis of the site visits, the Architect shall keep the Owner reasonably informed about the progress and quality of the portion of the Work completed, and report to the Owner and the Construction Manager (1) known deviations from the Contract Documents and from the most recent construction schedule, and (2) defects and deficiencies observed in the Work.

**§ 3.6.2.2** The Architect has the authority to reject Work that does not conform to the Contract Documents and shall notify the Construction Manager about the rejection. Whenever the Architect considers it necessary or advisable, the Architect, upon written authorization from the Owner and notification to the Construction Manager, shall have the authority to require inspection or testing of the Work in accordance with the provisions of the Contract Documents, whether or not such Work is fabricated, installed or completed. However, neither this authority of the Architect nor a decision made in good faith either to exercise or not to exercise such authority shall give rise to a duty or responsibility of the Architect to the Contractor, Subcontractors, material and equipment suppliers, their agents or employees or other persons or entities performing portions of the Work.

**§ 3.6.2.3** The Architect shall interpret and decide matters concerning performance under, and requirements of, the Contract Documents on written request of the Construction Manager, Owner, or Contractor through the Construction Manager. The Architect's response to such requests shall be made in writing within any time limits agreed upon or otherwise with reasonable promptness.

**§ 3.6.2.4** Interpretations and decisions of the Architect shall be consistent with the intent of and reasonably inferable from the Contract Documents and shall be in writing or in the form of drawings. When making such interpretations and decisions, the Architect shall endeavor to secure faithful performance by both Owner and Contractor, shall not show partiality to either, and shall not be liable for results of interpretations or decisions rendered in good faith. The Architect's decisions on matters relating to aesthetic effect shall be final if consistent with the intent expressed in the Contract Documents.

**§ 3.6.2.5** Unless the Owner and Contractor designate another person to serve as an Initial Decision Maker, as that term is defined in AIA Document A232-2009, the Architect shall render initial decisions on Claims between the Owner and Contractor as provided in the Contract Documents.

**§ 3.6.3 Certificates for Payment to Contractor**

**§ 3.6.3.1** The Architect shall review and certify an application for payment not more frequently than monthly. Within seven days after the Architect receives an application for payment forwarded from the Construction Manager, the Architect shall review and certify the application as follows:

- .1 Where there is only one Contractor responsible for performing the Work, the Architect shall review the Contractor's Application and Certificate for Payment that the Construction Manager has previously reviewed and certified. The Architect shall certify the amount due the Contractor and shall issue a Certificate for Payment in such amount.
- .2 Where there are Multiple Prime Contractors responsible for performing different portions of the Project, the Architect shall review a Project Application and Project Certificate for Payment, with a Summary of Contractors' Applications for Payment, that the Construction Manager has previously prepared, reviewed and certified. The Architect shall certify the amounts due the Contractors and shall issue a Project Certificate for Payment in the total of such amounts.

**§ 3.6.3.2** The Architect's certification for payment shall constitute a representation to the Owner, based on (1) the Architect's evaluation of the Work as provided in Section 3.6.2, (2) the data comprising the Contractor's Application for Payment or the data comprising the Project Application for Payment, and (3) the recommendation of the Construction Manager, that, to the best of the Architect's knowledge, information and belief, the Work has progressed to the point indicated and that the quality of the Work is in accordance with the Contract Documents. The foregoing representations are subject (1) to an evaluation of the Work for conformance with the Contract Documents upon Substantial Completion, (2) to results of subsequent tests and inspections, (3) to correction of minor deviations from the Contract Documents prior to completion, and (4) to specific qualifications expressed by the Architect.

**§ 3.6.3.3** The issuance of a Certificate for Payment or a Project Certificate for Payment shall not be a representation that the Architect has (1) made exhaustive or continuous on-site inspections to check the quality or quantity of the Work, (2) reviewed construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures, (3) reviewed copies of requisitions received from Subcontractors and material suppliers and other data requested by the Owner to substantiate the Contractor's right to payment, or (4) ascertained how or for what purpose the Contractor has used money previously paid on account of the Contract Sum.

**§ 3.6.3.4** The Architect shall maintain a record of the applications and certificates for payment.

**§ 3.6.4 Submittals**

**§ 3.6.4.1** The Architect shall review the Construction Manager's Project submittal schedule and shall not unreasonably delay or withhold approval. The Architect's action in reviewing submittals transmitted by the Construction Manager shall be taken in accordance with the approved submittal schedule or, in the absence of an approved submittal schedule, with reasonable promptness while allowing sufficient time in the Architect's professional judgment to permit adequate review.

**§ 3.6.4.2** In accordance with the Architect-approved Project submittal schedule, and after the Construction Manager reviews, approves and transmits the submittals, the Architect shall review and approve or take other appropriate action upon the Contractor's submittals such as Shop Drawings, Product Data and Samples, but only for the limited purpose of checking for conformance with information given and the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents. Review of such submittals is not for the purpose of determining the accuracy and completeness of other information such as dimensions, quantities, and installation or performance of equipment or systems, which are the Contractor's responsibility. The Architect's review shall not constitute approval of safety precautions or, unless otherwise specifically stated by the Architect, of any construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures. The Architect's approval of a specific item shall not indicate approval of an assembly of which the item is a component.

**§ 3.6.4.3** If the Contract Documents specifically require the Contractor to provide professional design services or certifications by a design professional related to systems, materials or equipment, the Architect shall specify the appropriate performance and design criteria that such services must satisfy. The Architect shall review shop drawings and other submittals related to the Work designed or certified by the design professional retained by the Contractor that bear such professional's seal and signature when submitted to the Architect. The Architect shall be entitled to rely upon the adequacy, accuracy and completeness of the services, certifications and approvals performed or provided by such design professionals.

**§ 3.6.4.4** After receipt of the Construction Manager's recommendations, and subject to the provisions of Section 4.3, the Architect shall review and respond to requests for information about the Contract Documents. The Architect, in consultation with the Construction Manager, shall set forth in the Contract Documents the requirements for requests for information. Requests for information shall include, at a minimum, a detailed written statement that indicates the specific Drawings or Specifications in need of clarification and the nature of the clarification requested. The Architect's response to such requests shall be made in writing within any time limits agreed upon, or otherwise with reasonable promptness. If appropriate, the Architect shall prepare and issue supplemental Drawings and Specifications in response to requests for information.

**§ 3.6.4.5** The Architect shall maintain a record of submittals and copies of submittals transmitted by the Construction Manager in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

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**§ 3.6.5 Changes in the Work**

**§ 3.6.5.1** The Architect shall review and sign, or take other appropriate action, on Change Orders and Construction Change Directives prepared by the Construction Manager for the Owner’s approval and execution in accordance with the Contract Documents.

**§ 3.6.5.2** The Architect may authorize minor changes in the Work that are consistent with the intent of the Contract Documents and do not involve an adjustment in the Contract Sum or an extension of the Contract Time. Such changes shall be effected by written order issued by the Architect through the Construction Manager.

**§ 3.6.5.3** The Architect shall maintain records relative to changes in the Work.

**§ 3.6.6 Project Completion**

**§ 3.6.6.1** The Architect, assisted by the Construction Manager, shall conduct inspections to determine the date or dates of Substantial Completion and the date of final completion; issue Certificates of Substantial Completion prepared by the Construction Manager; receive from the Construction Manager and review written warranties and related documents required by the Contract Documents and assembled by the Contractor; and, after receipt of a final Contractor’s Application and Certificate for Payment or a final Project Application and Project Certificate for Payment from the Construction Manager, issue a final Certificate for Payment based upon a final inspection indicating the Work complies with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

**§ 3.6.6.2** The Architect’s inspections shall be conducted with the Owner and Construction Manager to check conformance of the Work with the requirements of the Contract Documents and to verify the accuracy and completeness of the list submitted by the Construction Manager and Contractor of Work to be completed or corrected.

**§ 3.6.6.3** When the Work is found to be substantially complete by the Construction Manager and Architect, and after certification by the Construction Manager and the Architect, the Architect shall inform the Owner about the balance of the Contract Sum remaining to be paid the Contractor, including the amount to be retained from the Contract Sum, if any, for final completion or correction of the Work.

**§ 3.6.6.4** Upon request of the Owner, and prior to the expiration of one year from the date of Substantial Completion, the Architect shall, without additional compensation, conduct a meeting with the Owner to review the facility operations and performance.

**ARTICLE 4 ADDITIONAL SERVICES**

**§ 4.1** Additional Services listed below are not included in Basic Services but may be required for the Project. The Architect shall provide the listed Additional Services only if specifically designated in the table below as the Architect’s responsibility, and the Owner shall compensate the Architect as provided in Section 11.2.

*(Designate the Additional Services the Architect shall provide in the second column of the table below. In the third column indicate whether the service description is located in Section 4.2 or in an attached exhibit. If in an exhibit, identify the exhibit.)*

Services	Responsibility <i>(Architect, Owner or Not Provided)</i>	Location of Service Description <i>(Section 4.2 below or in an exhibit attached to this document and identified below)</i>
§ 4.1.1 Programming (B202™–2009)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.2 Multiple preliminary designs	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.3 Measured drawings	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.4 Existing facilities surveys	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.5 Site evaluation and planning (B203™–2007)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.6 Building information modeling (E202™–2008)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.7 Civil engineering	Architect*	
§ 4.1.8 Landscape design	Architect*	
§ 4.1.9 Architectural interior design (B252™–2007)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.10 Value analysis (B204™–2007)	Not Provided	

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§ 4.1.11	Detailed cost estimating	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.12	On-site project representation (B207™-2008)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.13	Conformed construction documents	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.14	As-designed record drawings	Architect*	
§ 4.1.15	As-constructed record drawings	Architect*	
§ 4.1.16	Post occupancy evaluation	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.17	Facility support services (B210™-2007)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.18	Tenant-related services	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.19	Coordination of Owner's consultants	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.20	Telecommunications/data design	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.21	Security evaluation and planning (B206™-2007)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.22	Commissioning (B211™-2007)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.23	Extensive environmentally responsible design	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.24	LEED® certification (B214™-2012)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.25	Historic preservation (B205™-2007)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.26	Furniture, furnishings, and equipment design (B253™-2007)	Not Provided	
§ 4.1.27	Permit Applications	Architect*	

\* Compensation included in Lump Sum fees.

§ 4.2 Insert a description of each Additional Service designated in Section 4.1 as the Architect's responsibility, if not further described in an exhibit attached to this document.

4.1.7 Architect shall provide all Civil Engineering required for parking facility construction.

4.1.8: Architect shall provide all Landscape design required for parking facility construction.

4.1.14: Architect shall provide electronic as-designed record drawings in AutoCAD format.

4.1.15: Architect shall provide electronic as-constructed record drawings in AutoCAD format.

4.1.27: Architect shall secure all permits required for initiation and completion of all work. Owner shall pay all permit fees.

§ 4.3 Additional Services may be provided after execution of this Agreement, without invalidating the Agreement. Except for services required due to the fault of the Architect, any Additional Services provided in accordance with this Section 4.3 shall entitle the Architect to compensation pursuant to Section 11.3 and an appropriate adjustment in the Architect's schedule.

§ 4.3.1 Upon recognizing the need to perform the following Additional Services, the Architect shall notify the Owner with reasonable promptness and explain the facts and circumstances giving rise to the need. The Architect shall not proceed to provide the following services until the Architect receives the Owner's written authorization:

- .1 Services necessitated by a change in the Initial Information, previous instructions or recommendations given by the Construction Manager or the Owner, or approvals given by the Owner, or a material change in the Project including, but not limited to, size, quality, complexity, building systems, the Owner's schedule or budget for Cost of the Work, constructability considerations, procurement or delivery method, or bid packages in addition to those listed in Section 1.1.6;
- .2 Making revisions in Drawings, Specifications, or other documents (as required pursuant to Section 6.7), when such revisions are required because the Construction Manager's estimate of the Cost of the Work exceeds the Owner's budget, except where such excess is due to changes initiated by the Architect in scope, capacities of basic systems, or the kinds and quality of materials, finishes or equipment;
- .3 Services necessitated by the Owner's request for extensive environmentally responsible design alternatives, such as unique system designs, in-depth material research, energy modeling, or LEED® certification;
- .4 Changing or editing previously prepared Instruments of Service necessitated by the enactment or revision of codes, laws or regulations or official interpretations;

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- .5 Services necessitated by decisions of the Owner or Construction Manager not rendered in a timely manner or any other failure of performance on the part of the Owner, Construction Manager or the Owner's other consultants or contractors;
- .6 Preparing digital data for transmission to the Owner's consultants and contractors, or to other Owner authorized recipients;
- .7 Preparation of design and documentation for alternate bid or proposal requests proposed by the Owner or Construction Manager;
- .8 Preparation for, and attendance at, a public presentation, meeting or hearing;
- .9 Preparation for, and attendance at a dispute resolution proceeding or legal proceeding, except where the Architect is party thereto;
- .10 Evaluation of the qualifications of bidders or persons providing proposals;
- .11 Consultation concerning replacement of Work resulting from fire or other cause during construction; or
- .12 Assistance to the Initial Decision Maker, if other than the Architect.

§ 4.3.2 To avoid delay in the Construction Phase, the Architect shall provide the following Additional Services, notify the Owner with reasonable promptness, and explain the facts and circumstances giving rise to the need. If the Owner subsequently determines that all or parts of those services are not required, the Owner shall give prompt written notice to the Architect, and the Owner shall have no further obligation to compensate the Architect for those services:

- .1 Reviewing a Contractor's submittal out of sequence from the initial Project submittal schedule agreed to by the Architect;
- .2 Responding to the Contractor's requests for information that are not prepared in accordance with the Contract Documents or where such information is available to the Contractor from a careful study and comparison of the Contract Documents, field conditions, other Owner-provided information, Contractor-prepared coordination drawings, or prior Project correspondence or documentation;
- .3 Preparing Change Orders, and Construction Change Directives that require evaluation of Contractor's proposals and supporting data, or the preparation or revision of Instruments of Service;
- .4 Evaluating an extensive number of Claims as the Initial Decision Maker;
- .5 Evaluating substitutions proposed by the Owner, Construction Manager or Contractor and making subsequent revisions to Instruments of Service resulting therefrom; or
- .6 To the extent the Architect's Basic Services are affected, providing Construction Phase Services 60 days after (1) the date of Substantial Completion of the Work or (2) the anticipated date of Substantial Completion, identified in Initial Information, whichever is earlier.

§ 4.3.3 The Architect shall provide Construction Phase Services exceeding the limits set forth below as Additional Services. When the limits below are reached, the Architect shall notify the Owner:

- .1 Two ( 2 ) reviews of each Shop Drawing, Product Data item, sample and similar submittals of the Contractor
- .2 To Be Determined ( To Be Determined ) visits to the site by the Architect over the duration of the Project during construction
- .3 Two ( 2 ) inspections for any portion of the Work to determine whether such portion of the Work is substantially complete in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents
- .4 Two ( 2 ) inspections for any portion of the Work to determine final completion

§ 4.3.4 If the services covered by this Agreement have not been completed within Thirty-six ( 36 ) months of the date of this Agreement, through no fault of the Architect, extension of the Architect's services beyond that time shall be compensated as Additional Services.

## ARTICLE 5 OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

§ 5.1 Unless otherwise provided for under this Agreement, the Owner shall provide information in a timely manner regarding requirements for and limitations on the Project, including a written program which shall set forth the Owner's objectives, schedule, constraints and criteria, including space requirements and relationships, flexibility, expandability, special equipment, systems and site requirements. Within 15 days after receipt of a written request from the Architect, the Owner shall furnish the requested information as necessary and relevant for the Architect to evaluate, give notice of or enforce lien rights.

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**§ 5.2** The Owner shall retain a Construction Manager to provide services, duties and responsibilities as described in AIA Document C132–2009, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Construction Manager. The Owner shall provide the Architect a copy of the executed agreement between the Owner and the Construction Manager, and any further modifications to the agreement.

**§ 5.3** The Owner shall furnish the services of a Construction Manager that shall be responsible for creating the overall Project schedule. The Owner shall adjust the Project schedule, if necessary, as the Project proceeds.

**§ 5.4** The Owner shall establish and periodically update the Owner's budget for the Project, including (1) the budget for the Cost of the Work as defined in Section 6.1, (2) the Owner's other costs, and (3) reasonable contingencies related to all of these costs. The Owner shall furnish the services of a Construction Manager that shall be responsible for preparing all estimates of the Cost of the Work. If the Owner significantly increases or decreases the Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work, the Owner shall notify the Architect and the Construction Manager. The Owner and the Architect, in consultation with the Construction Manager, shall thereafter agree to a corresponding change in the budget for the Cost of the Work or in the Project's scope and quality.

**§ 5.4.1** The Owner acknowledges that accelerated, phased or fast-track scheduling provides a benefit, but also carries with it associated risks. Such risks include the Owner incurring costs for the Architect to coordinate and redesign portions of the Project affected by procuring or installing elements of the Project prior to the completion of all relevant Construction Documents, and costs for the Contractor to remove and replace previously installed Work. If the Owner selects accelerated, phased or fast-track scheduling, the Owner agrees to include in the budget for the Project sufficient contingencies to cover such costs.

**§ 5.5** The Owner shall identify a representative authorized to act on the Owner's behalf with respect to the Project. The Owner shall render decisions and approve the Architect's submittals in a timely manner in order to avoid unreasonable delay in the orderly and sequential progress of the Architect's services.

**§ 5.6** The Owner shall furnish surveys to describe physical characteristics, legal limitations and utility locations for the site of the Project, and a written legal description of the site. The surveys and legal information shall include, as applicable, grades and lines of streets, alleys, pavements and adjoining property and structures; designated wetlands; adjacent drainage; rights-of-way, restrictions, easements, encroachments, zoning, deed restrictions, boundaries and contours of the site; locations, dimensions and necessary data with respect to existing buildings, other improvements and trees; and information concerning available utility services and lines, both public and private, above and below grade, including inverts and depths. All the information on the survey shall be referenced to a Project benchmark.

**§ 5.7** The Owner shall furnish services of geotechnical engineers, which may include but are not limited to test borings, test pits, determinations of soil bearing values, percolation tests, evaluations of hazardous materials, seismic evaluation, ground corrosion tests and resistivity tests, including necessary operations for anticipating subsoil conditions, with written reports and appropriate recommendations.

**§ 5.8** The Owner shall coordinate the services of its own consultants with those services provided by the Architect. Upon the Architect's request, the Owner shall furnish copies of the scope of services in the contracts between the Owner and the Owner's consultants. The Owner shall furnish the services of consultants other than those designated in this Agreement, or authorize the Architect to furnish them as an Additional Service, when the Architect requests such services and demonstrates that they are reasonably required by the scope of the Project. The Owner shall require that its consultants maintain professional liability insurance and other liability insurance as appropriate to the services provided.

**§ 5.9** The Owner shall furnish tests, inspections and reports required by law or the Contract Documents, such as structural, mechanical, and chemical tests, tests for air and water pollution, and tests for hazardous materials.

**§ 5.10** The Owner shall furnish all legal, insurance and accounting services, including auditing services, that may be reasonably necessary at any time for the Project to meet the Owner's needs and interests.

**§ 5.11** The Owner shall provide prompt written notice to the Architect and Construction Manager if the Owner becomes aware of any fault or defect in the Project, including errors, omissions or inconsistencies in the Architect's Instruments of Service.

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§ 5.12 Except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents or when direct communications have been specially authorized, the Owner shall endeavor to communicate with the Contractor through the Construction Manager, and shall contemporaneously provide the same communications to the Architect about matters arising out of or relating to the Contract Documents. Communications by and with the Architect's consultants shall be through the Architect.

§ 5.13 Before executing the Contract for Construction, the Owner shall coordinate the Architect's duties and responsibilities set forth in the Contract for Construction with the Architect's services set forth in this Agreement. The Owner shall provide the Architect a copy of the executed agreement between the Owner and Contractor, including the General Conditions of the Contract for Construction.

§ 5.14 The Owner shall provide the Architect access to the Project site prior to commencement of the Work and shall obligate the Construction Manager and Contractor to provide the Architect access to the Work wherever it is in preparation or progress.

## ARTICLE 6 COST OF THE WORK

§ 6.1 For purposes of this Agreement, the Cost of the Work shall be the total cost to the Owner to construct all elements of the Project designed or specified by the Architect and shall include the contractors' general conditions costs, overhead and profit. The Cost of the Work includes the compensation of the Construction Manager and Construction Manager's consultants during the Construction Phase only, including compensation for reimbursable expenses at the job site, if any. The Cost of the Work does not include the compensation of the Architect, the costs of the land, rights-of-way, financing, contingencies for changes in the Work or other costs that are the responsibility of the Owner.

§ 6.2 The Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work is provided in Initial Information, and may be adjusted throughout the Project as required under Sections 5.4 and 6.4. Evaluations of the Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work represent the Architect's judgment as a design professional.

§ 6.3 The Owner shall require the Construction Manager to include appropriate contingencies for design, bidding or negotiating, price escalation, and market conditions in estimates of the Cost of the Work. The Architect shall be entitled to rely on the accuracy and completeness of estimates of the Cost of the Work the Construction Manager prepares as the Architect progresses with its Basic Services. The Architect shall prepare, as an Additional Service, revisions to the Drawings, Specifications or other documents required due to the Construction Manager's inaccuracies or incompleteness in preparing cost estimates. The Architect may review the Construction Manager's estimates solely for the Architect's guidance in completion of its services, however, the Architect shall report to the Owner any material inaccuracies and inconsistencies noted during any such review.

§ 6.3.1 If the Architect is providing detailed cost estimating services as an Additional Service, and a discrepancy exists between the Construction Manager's cost estimates and the Architect's cost estimates, the Architect and the Construction Manager shall work cooperatively to conform the cost estimates to one another.

§ 6.4 If, prior to the conclusion of the Design Development Phase, the Construction Manager's estimate of the Cost of the Work exceeds the Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work, the Architect, in consultation with the Construction Manager, shall make appropriate recommendations to the Owner to adjust the Project's size, quality or budget, and the Owner shall cooperate with the Architect in making such adjustments.

§ 6.5 If the estimate of the Cost of the Work at the conclusion of the Design Development Phase exceeds the Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work, the Owner shall

- .1 give written approval of an increase in the budget for the Cost of the Work;
- .2 in consultation with the Architect and Construction Manager, revise the Project program, scope, or quality as required to reduce the Cost of the Work; or
- .3 implement any other mutually acceptable alternative.

§ 6.6 If the Owner chooses to proceed under Section 6.5.2, the Architect, without additional compensation, shall incorporate the required modifications in the Construction Documents Phase as necessary to comply with the Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work at the conclusion of the Design Development Phase Services, or the budget

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as adjusted under Section 6.5.1. The Architect's modification of the Construction Documents shall be the limit of the Architect's responsibility as a Basic Service under this Article 6.

§ 6.7 After incorporation of modifications under Section 6.6, the Architect shall, as an Additional Service, make any required revisions to the Drawings, Specifications or other documents necessitated by subsequent cost estimates that exceed the Owner's budget for the Cost of the Work, except when the excess is due to changes initiated by the Architect in scope, basic systems, or the kinds and quality of materials, finishes or equipment.

## ARTICLE 7 COPYRIGHTS AND LICENSES

§ 7.1 The Architect and the Owner warrant that in transmitting Instruments of Service, or any other information, the transmitting party is the copyright owner of such information or has permission from the copyright owner to transmit such information for its use on the Project. ~~If the Owner and Architect intend to transmit Instruments of Service or any other information or documentation in digital form, they shall endeavor to establish necessary protocols governing such transmissions.~~

§ 7.2 The Architect and the Architect's consultants shall be deemed the authors and owners of their respective Instruments of Service, including the Drawings and Specifications, and shall retain all common law, statutory and other reserved rights, including copyrights. Submission or distribution of Instruments of Service to meet official regulatory requirements or for similar purposes in connection with the Project is not to be construed as publication in derogation of the reserved rights of the Architect and the Architect's consultants.

§ 7.3 ~~Upon execution of this Agreement, the~~ The Architect grants to the Owner a ~~nonexclusive~~ an exclusive license to use the Architect's Instruments of Service ~~solely and exclusively for purposes of constructing, using, maintaining, altering and adding to the Project, provided that the Owner substantially performs its obligations, including prompt payment of all sums when due, under this Agreement. The Architect shall obtain similar nonexclusive Service. The Architect shall obtain similar exclusive~~ licenses from the Architect's consultants consistent with this Agreement. The license granted under this section permits the Owner to authorize the Contractor, ~~Construction Manager, Subcontractors, Sub-subcontractors, and material or equipment suppliers, as well as the Owner's consultants and separate contractors, to reproduce applicable portions of the Instruments of Service solely and exclusively for use in performing services or construction for the Project. If the Architect rightfully terminates this Agreement for cause as provided in Section 9.4, the license granted in this Section 7.3 shall terminate of the Instruments of Service. The Architect shall provide reproductions of the Instruments of Service and the As-Constructed Record Drawings to the Owner upon request, free of charge. All such reproductions shall be the property of the Owner, whether or not the Project is completed.~~

§ 7.3.1 In the event the Owner uses the Instruments of Service without retaining the authors of the Instruments of Service, the Owner releases the Architect and Architect's consultant(s) from all claims and causes of action arising from such uses. ~~The Owner, to the extent permitted by law, further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Architect and its consultants from all costs and expenses, including the cost of defense, related to claims and causes of action asserted by any third person or entity to the extent such costs and expenses arise from the Owner's use of the Instruments of Service under this Section 7.3.1. The terms of this Section 7.3.1 shall not apply if the Owner rightfully terminates this Agreement for cause under Section 9.4.~~

§ 7.4 Except for the licenses granted in this Article 7, no other license or right shall be deemed granted or implied under this Agreement. The Owner shall not assign, delegate, sublicense, pledge or otherwise transfer any license granted herein to another party without the prior written agreement of the Architect. Any unauthorized use of the Instruments of Service shall be at the Owner's sole risk and without liability to the Architect and the Architect's consultants.

§ 7.5 The provisions of this Article 7 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

## ARTICLE 8 CLAIMS AND DISPUTES

### § 8.1 General

§ 8.1.1 The Owner and Architect shall commence all claims and causes of action, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, against the other arising out of or related to this Agreement in accordance with the requirements of the method of binding dispute resolution selected in this Agreement within the period specified by applicable law, but in

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any case not more than 10 years after the date of Substantial Completion of the Work. The Owner and Architect waive all claims and causes of action not commenced in accordance with this Section 8.1.1.

~~§ 8.1.2 To the extent damages are covered by property insurance, the Owner and Architect waive all rights against each other and against the contractors, consultants, agents and employees of the other for damages, except such rights as they may have to the proceeds of such insurance as set forth in AIA Document A232-2009, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction. The Owner or the Architect, as appropriate, shall require of the Construction Manager, contractors, consultants, agents and employees of any of them similar waivers in favor of the other parties enumerated herein.~~

~~§ 8.1.3 The Architect shall indemnify and hold the Owner and the Owner's officers and employees harmless from and against damages, losses and judgments arising from claims by third parties, including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses recoverable under applicable law, but only to the extent they are caused by the negligent acts or omissions of the Architect, its employees and its consultants in the performance of professional services under this Agreement. The Architect's duty to indemnify the Owner under this provision shall be limited to the available proceeds of insurance coverage.~~

~~§ 8.1.4 The Architect and Owner waive consequential damages for claims, disputes or other matters in question arising out of or relating to this Agreement. This mutual waiver is applicable, without limitation, to all consequential damages due to either party's termination of this Agreement, except as specifically provided in Section 9.7.~~

## § 8.2 Mediation

§ 8.2.1 Any claim, dispute or other matter in question arising out of or related to this Agreement shall be subject to mediation as a condition precedent to binding dispute resolution. If such matter relates to or is the subject of a lien arising out of the Architect's services, the Architect may proceed in accordance with applicable law to comply with the lien notice or filing deadlines prior to resolution of the matter by mediation or by binding dispute resolution.

~~§ 8.2.2 The Owner and Architect shall endeavor to resolve claims, disputes and other matters in question between them by mediation which, unless the parties mutually agree otherwise, shall be administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with its Construction Industry Mediation Procedures in effect on the date of the Agreement. A request for mediation shall be made in writing, delivered to the other party to the Contract, and filed with the person or entity administering the mediation. The request may be made concurrently with the filing of a complaint or other appropriate demand for binding dispute resolution but, in such event, mediation shall proceed in advance of binding dispute resolution proceedings, which shall be stayed pending mediation for a period of 60 days from the date of filing, unless stayed for a longer period by agreement of the parties or court order. If an arbitration proceeding is stayed pursuant to this section, the parties may nonetheless proceed to the selection of the arbitrator(s) and agree upon a schedule for later proceedings.~~

§ 8.2.3 The parties shall share the mediator's fee and any filing fees equally. The mediation shall be held in the place where the Project is located, unless another location is mutually agreed upon. Agreements reached in mediation shall be enforceable as settlement agreements in any court having jurisdiction thereof.

§ 8.2.4 If the parties do not resolve a dispute through mediation pursuant to this Section 8.2, the method of binding dispute resolution shall be the following:<sup>1</sup>

*(Check the appropriate box. If the Owner and Architect do not select a method of binding dispute resolution below, or do not subsequently agree in writing to a binding dispute resolution method other than litigation, the dispute will be resolved in a court of competent jurisdiction.)*

Arbitration pursuant to Section 8.3 of this Agreement

Litigation in a court of competent jurisdiction located in Oneida County, New York

Other: *(Specify)*

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### **§ 8.3 Arbitration**

~~§ 8.3.1 If the parties have selected arbitration as the method for binding dispute resolution in this Agreement any claim, dispute or other matter in question arising out of or related to this Agreement subject to, but not resolved by, mediation shall be subject to arbitration which shall be administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with its Construction Industry Arbitration Rules in effect on the date of the Agreement, unless the parties mutually agree otherwise. A demand for arbitration shall be made in writing, delivered to the other party to this Agreement, and filed with the person or entity administering the arbitration.~~

~~§ 8.3.1.1 A demand for arbitration shall be made no earlier than concurrently with the filing of a request for mediation, but in no event shall it be made after the date when the institution of legal or equitable proceedings based on the claim, dispute or other matter in question would be barred by the applicable statute of limitations. For statute of limitations purposes, receipt of a written demand for arbitration by the person or entity administering the arbitration shall constitute the institution of legal or equitable proceedings based on the claim, dispute or other matter in question.~~

~~§ 8.3.2 The foregoing agreement to arbitrate and other agreements to arbitrate with an additional person or entity duly consented to by parties to this Agreement shall be specifically enforceable in accordance with applicable law in any court having jurisdiction thereof.~~

~~§ 8.3.3 The award rendered by the arbitrator(s) shall be final, and judgment may be entered upon it in accordance with applicable law in any court having jurisdiction thereof.~~

### **§ 8.3.4 Consolidation or Joinder**

~~§ 8.3.4.1 Either party, at its sole discretion, may consolidate an arbitration conducted under this Agreement with any other arbitration to which it is a party provided that (1) the arbitration agreement governing the other arbitration permits consolidation, (2) the arbitrations to be consolidated substantially involve common issues of law or fact, and (3) the arbitrations employ materially similar procedural rules and methods for selecting arbitrator(s).~~

~~§ 8.3.4.2 Either party, at its sole discretion, may include by joinder persons or entities substantially involved in a common question of fact or law whose presence is required if complete relief is to be accorded in arbitration, provided that the party sought to be joined consents in writing to such joinder. Consent to arbitration involving an additional person or entity shall not constitute consent to arbitration of any claim, dispute or other matter in question not described in the written consent.~~

~~§ 8.3.4.3 The Owner and Architect grant to any person or entity made a party to an arbitration conducted under this Section 8.3, whether by joinder or consolidation, the same rights of joinder and consolidation as the Owner and Architect under this Agreement.~~

## **ARTICLE 9 TERMINATION OR SUSPENSION**

~~§ 9.1 If the Owner fails to make payments to the Architect in accordance with this Agreement, such failure shall be considered substantial nonperformance and cause for termination or, at the Architect's option, cause for suspension of performance of services under this Agreement. If the Architect elects to suspend services, the Architect shall give seven days' written notice to the Owner before suspending services. In the event of a suspension of services, the Architect shall have no liability to the Owner for delay or damage caused the Owner because of such suspension of services. Before resuming services, the Architect shall be paid all sums due prior to suspension and any expenses incurred in the interruption and resumption of the Architect's services. The Architect's fees for the remaining services and the time schedules shall be equitably adjusted.suspension.~~

~~§ 9.2 If the Owner suspends the Project, the Architect shall be compensated for services performed prior to notice of such suspension. When the Project is resumed, the Architect shall be compensated for expenses incurred in the interruption and resumption of the Architect's services. The Architect's fees for the remaining services and the time schedules shall be equitably adjusted.~~

§ 9.3 If the Owner suspends the Project for more than 90 cumulative days for reasons other than the fault of the Architect, the Architect may terminate this Agreement by giving not less than seven days' written notice.

§ 9.4 Either party may terminate this Agreement upon not less than seven days' written notice should the other party fail substantially to perform in accordance with the terms of this Agreement through no fault of the party initiating the termination.

§ 9.5 The Owner may terminate this Agreement upon not less than seven days' written notice to the Architect for the Owner's convenience and without cause.

§ 9.6 In the event of termination not the fault of the Architect, the Architect shall be compensated for services performed prior to termination, together with Reimbursable Expenses then due and all Termination Expenses as defined in Section 9.7 due.

~~§ 9.7 Termination Expenses are in addition to compensation for the Architect's services and include expenses directly attributable to termination for which the Architect is not otherwise compensated, plus an amount for the Architect's anticipated profit on the value of the services not performed by the Architect.~~

~~§ 9.8 The Owner's rights to use the Architect's Instruments of Service in the event of a termination of this Agreement are set forth in Article 7 and Section 11.9.~~

#### ARTICLE 10 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

~~§ 10.1 This Agreement shall be governed by the law of the place where the Project is located, except that if the parties have selected arbitration as the method of binding dispute resolution, the Federal Arbitration Act shall govern Section 8.3 excluding that jurisdiction's choice of law rules.~~

§ 10.2 Terms in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as those in AIA Document A232-2009, A201-2017, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction.

~~§ 10.3 The Owner and Architect, respectively, bind themselves, their agents, successors, assigns and legal representatives to this Agreement. Neither the Owner nor the Architect shall assign this Agreement without the written consent of the other, except that the Owner may assign this Agreement to a lender providing financing for the Project if the lender agrees to assume the Owner's rights and obligations under this Agreement. In compliance with New York General Municipal Law Section 109, the Architect agrees not to assign, transfer, convey, sublet or otherwise dispose of this Agreement or of its right, title, or interest therein, or its power to execute this Agreement, to any other person or corporation without the previous consent, in writing, by the Owner.~~

~~§ 10.4 If the Owner requests the Architect to execute certificates, the proposed language of such certificates shall be submitted to the Architect for review at least 14 days prior to the requested dates of execution. If the Owner requests the Architect to execute consents reasonably required to facilitate assignment to a lender, the Architect shall execute all such consents that are consistent with this Agreement, provided the proposed consent is submitted to the Architect for review at least 14 days prior to execution. The Architect shall not be required to execute certificates or consents that would require knowledge, services or responsibilities beyond the scope of this Agreement. Deleted~~

§ 10.5 Nothing contained in this Agreement shall create a contractual relationship ~~with~~ with, or a cause of action in favor ~~of~~ of, a third party against either the Owner or Architect.

§ 10.6 Unless otherwise required in this Agreement, the Architect shall have no responsibility for the discovery, presence, handling, removal or disposal of, or exposure of persons to, previously unknown hazardous materials or toxic substances in any form at the Project site.

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**§ 10.7** The Architect shall have the right to include photographic or artistic representations of the design of the Project among the Architect's promotional and professional materials. The Architect shall be given reasonable access to the completed Project to make such representations. However, the Architect's materials shall not include the Owner's confidential or proprietary information if the Owner has previously advised the Architect in writing of the specific information considered by the Owner to be confidential or proprietary. The Owner shall provide professional credit for the Architect in the Owner's promotional materials for the Project. This Section 10.7 shall survive the termination of this Agreement unless the Owner terminates this Agreement for cause pursuant to Section 9.4.

**§ 10.8** If the Architect or Owner receives information specifically designated by the other party as "confidential" or "business proprietary," the receiving party shall keep such information strictly confidential and shall not disclose it to any other person except as set forth in Section 10.8.1. This Section 10.8 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

to (1) its employees, (2) those who need to know the content of such information **§ 10.8.1** The receiving party may disclose "confidential" or "business proprietary" information after 7 days' notice to the other party, when required by law or court order, including a subpoena or other form of compulsory legal process issued by a court or governmental entity, or to the extent such information is reasonably necessary for the receiving party to defend itself in any dispute. The receiving party may also disclose such information to its employees, consultants, or contractors in order to perform services or construction work solely and exclusively for the Project, or (3) its consultants and contractors whose contracts include similar restrictions on the use of confidential information, provided those employees, consultants and contractors are subject to the restrictions on the disclosure and use of such information as set forth in this Section 10.8.

**§ 10.9** The invalidity of any provision of the Agreement shall not invalidate the Agreement or its remaining provisions. If it is determined that any provision of the Agreement violates any law, or is otherwise invalid or unenforceable, then that provision shall be revised to the extent necessary to make that provision legal and enforceable. In such case the Agreement shall be construed, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to give effect to the parties' intentions and purposes in executing the Agreement.

#### **§10.10 Independent Contractor Status**

**§10.10.1** For the purposes of this paragraph, the term "Independent Contractor" shall include the Architect, the Construction Manager, and any and all of their consultants, agents, servants, officers, and employees. It is expressly agreed that there shall be an independent contractor relationship between the Owner and the Independent Contractor. The Independent Contractor shall not be deemed an employee of the Owner for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health benefits. The Independent Contractor, covenants and agrees that it will conduct itself in accordance with such status, that it will neither hold itself out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the Owner by reason thereof and that it shall not make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the Owner. Both the Owner and the Independent Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion or negotiation with any governmental agency regarding the Independent Contractor's status as an independent contractor.

**§10.10.2** The Architect's payments shall be reported pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and the Owner shall not make any withholding for taxes or any other obligations. The Architect shall be solely responsible for all applicable taxes, payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The Architect shall indemnify and hold the Owner harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the Owner as a result of the Owner not making such payments or withholdings.

**§10.11** The Architect's signatory hereby represents, warrants, personally guarantees and certifies that he has the power and authority to execute and deliver this Agreement and to carry out the obligations hereunder. The execution and delivery by Architect's signatory of this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated herein have been duly authorized by the Architect; no other action on the part of the Architect or any other person or entity is necessary to authorize the Architect's signatory to enter into this Agreement, or to consummate the transactions contemplated herein.

**§10.12** This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original.

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and all of which together shall be deemed one and the same instrument.

**§10.13 Conflicts shall be resolved in the following order of precedence:**

**§10.13.1 Exhibit A, Addendum – Standard Oneida County Conditions**

**§10.13.2 Any Contract Amendments, in reverse chronological order**

**§10.13.3 This Agreement**

**§10.13.4 Exhibit B, Hourly Billing Rates**

**§10.14** To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Architect shall indemnify, defend, and hold the Owner harmless against any and all claims (including but not limited to claims asserted by any employee of the Architect and/or its subconsultants) and costs and expenses of whatever kind (including but not limited to payment or reimbursement of attorneys' fees and disbursements) allegedly arising out of or in any way related to its performance and/or its subconsultants' performance of this Agreement or from the Architect's and/or its subconsultants' failure to comply with any of the provisions of this Agreement or of the law. Such costs and expenses shall include all those incurred in defending the underlying claim and those incurred in connection with the enforcement of this paragraph by way of cross-claim, third-party claim, declaratory action or otherwise. The parties expressly agree that the indemnification obligation hereunder contemplates (1) full indemnity in the event of liability imposed against the Owner without negligence and solely by reason of statute, operation of Law or otherwise; and (2) partial indemnity in the event of any actual negligence on the part of the Owner either causing or contributing to the underlying claim (in which case, indemnification will be limited to any liability imposed over and above that percentage attributable to actual fault whether by statute, by operation of Law, or otherwise). The obligations of the Architect under this paragraph shall not be limited by any enumeration herein of required insurance coverage and shall survive any expiration or termination of this Agreement and the Owner's tendering of the final payment.

**ARTICLE 11 COMPENSATION**

**§ 11.1** For the Architect's Basic Services described under Article 3, the Owner shall compensate the Architect as follows:

*(Insert amount of, or basis for, compensation.)*

Lump Sum Fee for Schematic Design Phase services: Three Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand dollars (\$358,000.00). Compensation for additional phases in § 11.5 will be added via amendment when construction funding is approved.

Not-To-Exceed Fee for Geo-Technical Services: Forty-Five Thousand dollars (\$45,000.00)

Not-To-Exceed Fee for Site Survey Services: Twenty Thousand dollars (\$20,000.00)

Not-To-Exceed fee for Reimbursable Expenses: Ten Thousand dollars ( \$10,000.00)

**§ 11.2** For Additional Services designated in Section 4.1, the Owner shall compensate the Architect as follows:

*(Insert amount of, or basis for, compensation. If necessary, list specific services to which particular methods of compensation apply.)*

**§ 11.3** For Additional Services that may arise during the course of the Project, including those under Section 4.3, the Owner shall compensate the Architect as follows:

*(Insert amount of, or basis for, compensation.)*

**§ 11.4** Compensation for Additional Services of the Architect's consultants when not included in Sections 11.2 or 11.3, shall be the amount invoiced to the Architect plus Five percent ( 5.00 %), or as otherwise stated below:

**§ 11.5** Where compensation for Basic Services is based on a stipulated sum or percentage of the Cost of the Work, the compensation for each phase of services shall be as follows:

Schematic Design Phase	percent (	TBD	%)
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<u>Design Development Phase</u>		percent (	<u>TBD</u>	<u>%)</u>
<u>Construction Documents Phase</u>		percent (	<u>TBD</u>	<u>%)</u>
<u>Bidding or Negotiation Phase</u>		percent (	<u>TBD</u>	<u>%)</u>
<u>Construction Phase</u>		percent (	<u>TBD</u>	<u>%)</u>
<u>Total Basic Compensation</u>	<u>one hundred</u>	percent (	<u>100</u>	<u>%)</u>
Schematic Design Phase	-	percent (	-	%)
Design Development Phase	-	percent (	-	%)
Construction Documents Phase	-	percent (	-	%)
Bidding or Negotiation Phase	-	percent (	-	%)
Construction Phase	-	percent (	-	%)
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<u>Total Basic Compensation</u>	<u>one hundred</u>	percent (	<u>100</u>	<u>%)</u>

The Owner acknowledges that with an accelerated Project delivery or multiple bid package process, the Architect may be providing its services in multiple Phases simultaneously. Therefore, the Architect shall be permitted to invoice monthly in proportion to services performed in each Phase of Services, as appropriate.

§ 11.6 When compensation is based on a percentage of the Cost of the Work and any portions of the Project are deleted or otherwise not constructed, compensation for those portions of the Project shall be payable to the extent services are performed on those portions, in accordance with the schedule set forth in Section 11.5 based on (1) the lowest bona fide bid or negotiated proposal, or (2) if no such bid or proposal is received, the most recent estimate of the Cost of the Work prepared by the Construction Manager for such portions of the Project. The Architect shall be entitled to compensation in accordance with this Agreement for all services performed whether or not the Construction Phase is commenced.

§ 11.7 The hourly billing rates for services of the Architect and the Architect's consultants, if any, are set forth below. The rates shall be adjusted in accordance with the Architect's and Architect's consultants' normal review practices.

*(If applicable, attach an exhibit of hourly billing rates or insert them below.)*

Hourly Billing Rates shown in Exhibit B, attached hereto, may be used to calculate payment for services not included in Lump Sum Fee.

Employee or Category	Rate (\$0.00)
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§ 11.8 Compensation for Reimbursable Expenses

§ 11.8.1 Reimbursable Expenses are in addition to compensation for Basic and Additional Services and include expenses incurred by the Architect and the Architect's consultants directly related to the Project, as follows:

- .1 Transportation and authorized out-of-town travel and subsistence;
- .2 Long distance services, dedicated data and communication services, teleconferences, Project Web sites, and extranets;
- .3 ~~Fees paid for securing approval of authorities having jurisdiction over the Project; Renderings, models, mock-ups, professional photography, and presentation materials requested by the Owner;~~
- .4 Printing, reproductions, plots, standard form documents; and
- .5 Postage, handling and ~~delivery; delivery.~~
- .6 ~~Expense of overtime work requiring higher than regular rates, if authorized in advance by the Owner;~~
- .7 ~~Renderings, models, mock-ups, professional photography, and presentation materials requested by the Owner;~~
- .8 ~~Architect's Consultant's expense of professional liability insurance dedicated exclusively to this Project, or the expense of additional insurance coverage or limits if the Owner requests such insurance in excess of that normally carried by the Architect's consultants; Deleted;~~
- .9 ~~All taxes levied on professional services and on reimbursable expenses;~~
- .10 ~~Site office expenses; and~~
- .11 ~~Other similar Project related expenditures.~~

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§ 11.8.2 For Reimbursable Expenses the compensation shall be the expenses incurred by the Architect and the Architect's consultants plus Zero percent ( 0.00 %) of the expenses incurred.

**§ 11.9 Compensation for Use of Architect's Instruments of Service**

~~If the Owner terminates the Architect for its convenience under Section 9.5, or the Architect terminates this Agreement under Section 9.3, the Owner shall pay a licensing fee as compensation for the Owner's continued use of the Architect's Instruments of Service solely for purposes of completing, using and maintaining the Project as follows: Deleted~~

**§ 11.10 Payments to the Architect**

§ 11.10.1 An initial payment of Zero Dollars and Zero Cents (\$ 0.00 ) shall be made upon execution of this Agreement and is the minimum payment under this Agreement. It shall be credited to the Owner's account in the final invoice.

§ 11.10.2 Unless otherwise agreed, payments for services shall be made monthly in proportion to services performed. Payments are due and payable upon presentation of the Architect's invoice. Amounts unpaid Forty-five ( 45 ) days after the invoice date shall bear interest at the rate entered below, or in the absence thereof at the legal rate prevailing from time to time at the principal place of business of the Architect.  
*(Insert rate of monthly or annual interest agreed upon.)*

Statutory Rate % per annum

§ 11.10.3 The Owner shall not withhold amounts from the Architect's compensation to impose a penalty or liquidated damages on the Architect, or to offset sums requested by or paid to contractors for the cost of changes in the Work unless the Architect agrees or has been found liable for the amounts in a binding dispute resolution proceeding.

§ 11.10.4 Records of Reimbursable Expenses, expenses pertaining to Additional Services, and services performed on the basis of hourly rates shall be available to the Owner at mutually convenient times.

**ARTICLE 12 SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

Special terms and conditions that modify this Agreement are as follows:

§ 12.1 This Agreement, Architect/Owner obligations, and fee structure are strictly limited to Schematic Design Phase services, including Additional Services identified in Article 4 that are customarily provided in conjunction with Schematic Design. If funding for construction is secured, obligation and compensation for Design Development Phase, Construction Documents Phase, Bidding or Negotiation Phase, Construction Phase, and As-Built Document services will be added via a contract amendment.

**ARTICLE 13 SCOPE OF THE AGREEMENT**

§ 13.1 This Agreement represents the entire and integrated agreement between the Owner and the Architect and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. This Agreement may be amended only by written instrument signed by both Owner and Architect.

§ 13.2 This Agreement is comprised of the following documents listed below:

- .1 AIA Document B132™-2009, Standard Form Agreement Between Owner and Architect, Construction Manager as Adviser Edition
- .2 AIA Document E201™-2007, Digital Data Protocol Exhibit, if completed, or the following:
  
- .3 AIA Document E202™-2008, Building Information Modeling Protocol Exhibit, if completed, or the following:

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.4 Other documents:

*(List other documents, if any, including additional scopes of service forming part of the Agreement.)*

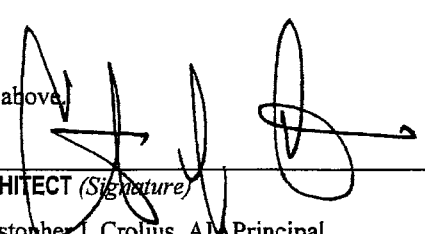
Exhibit A, Addendum – Standard Oneida County Conditions

Exhibit B, Hourly Billing Rates

This Agreement is entered into as of the day and year first written above.

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**OWNER** *(Signature)*

Anthony J. Picente, Jr. Oneida County Executive  
*(Printed name and title)*

  
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**ARCHITECT** *(Signature)*

Christopher J. Crolius, AIA Principal  
*(Printed name and title)*

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## **Certification of Document's Authenticity**

**AIA® Document D401™ – 2003**

I, Mark E. Laramie, P.E., hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, that I created the attached final document simultaneously with this certification 15:37:39 on 09/10/2018 under Order No. 6276099998 from AIA Contract Documents software and that in preparing the attached final document I made no changes to the original text of AIA® Document B132™ - 2009, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Architect, Construction Manager as Adviser Edition, as published by the AIA in its software, other than changes shown in the attached final document by underscoring added text and striking over deleted text.

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*(Signed)*

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*(Title)*

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*(Dated)*

# Griffiss International Airport



660 Hangar Road, Suite 223  
Rome, NY 13441  
Telephone: 315-736-4171 / Fax: 315-736-0568

**ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.**  
County Executive

**CHAD LAWRENCE**  
Commissioner of Aviation

September 6, 2018

FN 20 18-342

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

**AIRPORT**

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear County Executive Picente:

Griffiss International Airport has received a grant offer for Airport Improvement Project (AIP) No. 3-36-0119-047-2018 for the purchase of a Heavy duty 4x4 w/ 22' Runway Plow.

To purchase this plow it will be necessary to amend the current capital project. It is estimated the heavy duty 4x4 w/22' Runway Plow will be a total cost of \$448,998.00.

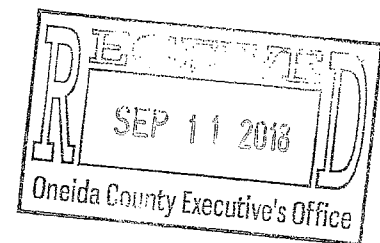
It is therefore request to amend **Capital Project H-397 – Griffiss Maintenance & Snow Removal Equipment**– as follows:


	<u>Current</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Federal - FAA	\$ 597,420.00	\$ 440,098.00	\$ 1,037,518.00
State	\$ 33,190.00	\$ 24,450.00	\$ 57,640.00
Bonds	<u>\$ 3,870,190.00</u>	<u>\$ 24,450.00</u>	<u>\$ 3,894,640.00</u>
Total	\$ 4,500,800.00	\$ 488,998.00	\$ 4,989,798.00

Thank you for the Board's consideration to this request.

Sincerely,

  
Chad Lawrence  
Commissioner



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by  
  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
Date 9/11/18



# ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

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FN 20 19 - 343

August 20, 2018

## WAYS & MEANS

Mikale Billard, Clerk  
Oneida County Board of Legislators  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501


RE: **Scheduling of Public Hearing for Agricultural District #3 - Towns of Boonville, Forestport, Remsen and Steuben**

Dear Mike,

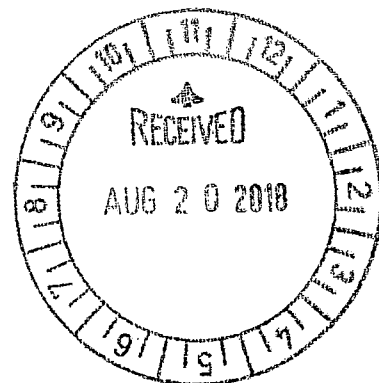
I have received correspondence from the Farmland Protection Board requesting a Public Hearing on Agricultural District #3. Pursuant to that request, please prepare a docket scheduling a public hearing for **7:00 PM on Tuesday, October 30, 2018** at the **Remsen Town Hall, 10540 Academy Rd., Remsen, NY 13438**.

I ask that the Ways and Means Committee and the full Board of Legislators vote on the docket at the meeting of **October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018**.

Respectfully submitted,

  
GERALD J. FIORINI, CHAIRMAN  
ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

cc: All FPB Members  
Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets  
Commissioner of DEC



**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NO. 3**

**TOWNS OF BOONVILLE, FORESTPORT, REMSEN AND STEUBEN**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, that Agricultural District #3 was established on February 28, 1979 pursuant to Article 25-AA of the Agriculture and Markets Law,

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, that Agriculture District #3 consists of the Towns of Boonville, Forestport, Remsen and Steuben and consists of a total area of 12,970.9 acres,

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**, that a public hearing shall be held by the Oneida County Board of Legislators/Oneida County Farmland Protection Board on Tuesday, October 30, 2018 at 7:00PM at the Remsen Town Hall, 10540 Academy Rd, Remsen, NY 13438.

Said public hearing is being held to consider the recommendations of the Oneida County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board to add 3,980.0 acres to Agricultural District #3.

A description of maps of the District, proposed modifications and recommendations may be examined in the Oneida County Planning Department, at the Boehlert Center @ Union Station, 321 Main Street, Utica, NY 13501.

All parties of interest and citizens will be heard by the Oneida County Farmland Protection Board at the public hearing.

ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

Mikale Billard, Clerk  
MIKALE BILLARD, CLERK

DATED: October 10, 2018



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF LAW**

Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue • Utica, New York 13501-2975  
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ANTHONY J. PICENTE JR.  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

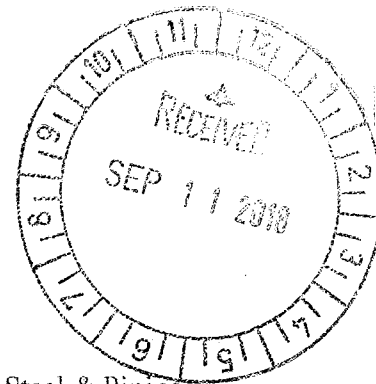
PETER M. RAYHILL  
COUNTY ATTORNEY

August 28, 2018

FN 20 18 - 344

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

**WAYS & MEANS**



Dear Mr. Picente:

Please find enclosed an agreement between the County of Oneida and Pacemaker Steel & Piping Co., Inc. for the exchange of real property at 413 – 415 Main Street, Utica, New York.

Pursuant to the terms of this agreement, the County will convey to Pacemaker a parcel the County owns located to the north of 501 Main Street, directly behind Pacemaker's offices, and Pacemaker will convey to the County two parcels it owns located at 413 – 415 Main Street. Additionally, Pacemaker will pay to the County \$20,000.00.

If the enclosed meets with your approval, kindly forward to the Board of Legislators. Should you have any questions or concerns, or should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

*Peter M. Rayhill*  
Peter M. Rayhill, Esq.

Enclosures

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*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
Date 9-7-18



Oneida Co. Department: County Attorney

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other   X  

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name & Address of Vendor:** Pacemaker Steel and Piping Co., Inc.  
501 Main Street  
Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Real Property Conveyance

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** Upon Execution – in Perpetuity

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Mutual agreement to convey and transfer land between interested parties as more fully described in agreement.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** N/A
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** N/A

**Total Funding Requested:** \$20,000 **Account #**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$20,000

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):**

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** N/A

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** None

## REAL PROPERTY EXCHANGE AGREEMENT

This Real Property Exchange Agreement (the "Agreement") is by and among **PACEMAKER STEEL AND PIPING COMPANY, INC.**, with offices at 501 Main Street, Utica, New York ("Pacemaker"); **NEWCORP, LLC**, or an entity to be formed on its behalf, with offices at 501 Main Street, Utica, New York, ("Newcorp") and **COUNTY OF ONEIDA**, with offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York ("County").

WHEREAS, Pacemaker owns a .137 acre parcel of land located at 413 – 415 Main Street, City of Utica, Oneida County, New York (tax map number 318.44-1-8) (the "Pacemaker Land"); and

WHEREAS, County owns a 1.88 acre parcel of land located to the north of 501 Main Street, City of Utica, Oneida County, New York (tax map number 319.9-1-1.2) (the "County Land"); and

WHEREAS, Pacemaker wishes to convey to County, and County wishes to receive from Pacemaker, title to the Pacemaker Land and the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00); and

WHEREAS, as consideration for the title to the Pacemaker Land and the \$20,000.00, County wishes to convey to Newcorp title to a 1.345 acre portion of the County Land, subject to all existing easements, mortgages, and encumbrances of record (the "Subject Parcel") along with an easement for ingress and egress from the County to Newcorp across that portion of the County land retained by the County.

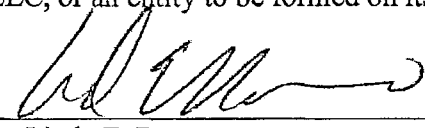
NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants expressed herein and for other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

Upon receipt of \$20,000.00 from Pacemaker to County, County shall convey to Newcorp a 1.345 acre portion of the County Land and Pacemaker shall convey to the County the Pacemaker Land. The transactions shall be conditioned upon the County, Pacemaker and Newcorp negotiating mutually agreeable conveyance documents that transfers good, marketable and insurable title. The

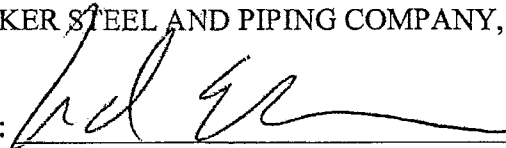
deed from the County to Newcorp shall contain a provision that Newcorp may, at its sole option, convey the County Land back to the County in the event an environmental condition is discovered requiring remedial action, and such condition has not been caused by the actions of Newcorp.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Assignment, Assumption and Real Property Exchange Agreement this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

Newcorp: NEWCORP, LLC, or an entity to be formed on its behalf

By:   
Name: Linda E. Romano  
Title: Member

Pacemaker: PACEMAKER STEEL AND PIPING COMPANY, INC.,

By:   
Name: Linda E. Romano  
Title: Vice President

County: COUNTY OF ONEIDA

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

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Colleen Fahy-Box  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

County Office Building 800 Park Avenue Utica, NY 13501  
Phone (315) 798-5733 Fax (315) 798-5218

August 3, 2018

FN 20 14-378

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear Mr. Picente:

Attached for your review is a Purchase of Service Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and Family Focus Adoption Services.

The Contractor will provide the Relationships Are Decisions (RAD) Program which helps hard-to-place children that have difficulty adjusting to foster/adoption families move to a permanent placement through adoption.

The term of this agreement runs from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2021. This is a fee for service and the Department spent \$35,000.00 in 2017 with a local cost of approximately 27.18% or \$9,513.00.

If this Agreement meets with your approval, kindly forward to the Board of Legislators for further action.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Colleen Fahy-Box  
Commissioner

CFB/vlc  
attachment

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 8-8-18

# 97703

Oneida Co. Department Social Services

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other     X    

**Oneida County Board of  
Legislators Summary**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Family Focus Adoption Services  
54-40 Little Neck Parkway, Suite 6  
Little Neck, New York 11362

**Title of Activity or Services:** Relationships Are Decisions (RAD) Program

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2021

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Hard-to-place children who have been freed for adoption.

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

The Contractor provides the Relationships Are Decisions (RAD) Program that is utilized for hard to place children that have difficulty developing relationships with foster/adoptive families. The Contractor also recruits, develops, and certifies families interested in adoption and supervises adoptive placements.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes**

RELATIONSHIPS ARE DECISIONS (RAD) PROGRAM:

1. Each referred child will be assigned an Family Focus Adoptive Services (FFAS) "transition worker;"
2. The transition worker will connect with the residential program, the school, clinicians, and the Department worker assigned to the child;
3. The FFAS transition worker will meet with the referred child twice a month, in one of such visits the FFAS transition worker could also meet with the referred child's clinician or child-care supervisor and/or the Department caseworker;
4. The FFAS transition worker will ascertain, with the child, the child's long-term goals for permanence, and then work with the child regarding the obstacles that have existed both historically and currently in the child's behavior;
5. The Department will be kept informed via email logs at all times.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level**

**Total Funding Requested:**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account #: A6070.49551

**Mandated or Non-mandated Service:** Mandated

**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

Federal	38.39 %
State	34.43 %
Local	27.18 %

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past performance Served:** The Department has contracted with this particular provider since 2014. The Department spent \$35,000 on this service in 2017. This is a fee for service agreement.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

# 97703

AGREEMENT FOR THE PURCHASE OF  
RELATIONSHIPS ARE DECISIONS (RAD) PROGRAM

This Agreement is made by and between Oneida County, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with its principal offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, 13501, through its Department of Social Services (hereinafter collectively called the "Department"), and Family Focus Adoption Services, a domestic not-for-profit corporation as defined by Section 102 (a)(5) of the Not-For-Profit Corporation Law, with its administrative offices located at 54-40 Little Neck Parkway, Suite 6, Little Neck, New York 11362 (hereinafter called the "Contractor").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Social Services of the County of Oneida (hereinafter called the "Commissioner") is charged with the responsibility for the administration of all child welfare services provided in the County of Oneida at public expense pursuant to Article 6 of the Social Services Law, including adoption placement services for hard-to-place children pursuant to Section 372-b of the Social Services Law; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner, pursuant to Section 372-d of the Social Services Law, may provide such adoption placement services for hard-to-place children directly or through an authorized agency as defined in Section 460-a of the Social Services Law and Section 804 of the Not-For-Profit Corporation Law; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor is licensed by the New York State Office of Children and Family Services to provide the adoption placement services required to be performed herein; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor, through its Relationships Are Decisions ("RAD") program, provides adoption placement services for hard-to-place children and is willing to provide the RAD program for children referred to it by the Department; and

WHEREAS, the department has determined that the amount of funds to be paid to the Contractor is reasonable and necessary to provide quality adoption placement services for hard-to-place children in conformance with Section 372-b et seq. of the Social Services Law; and

WHEREAS, it is economically and organizationally feasible for the Department to enter into this Agreement with the Contractor for the performance of these adoption placement services;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants, promises and considerations herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

## SECTION I – TERM OF AGREEMENT

1. The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall commence on July 1, 2018 and continue until June 30, 2021.
2. The option to renew this Agreement is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of this Agreement.

## SECTION II – RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PARTIES

1. The Contractor shall:
  - a. Provide the Relationships Are Decisions (RAD) program to each child referred to it by the Department (hereinafter called the “Child”).
  - b. Assign each Child a “transition worker.”
    - a. The transition worker shall connect with the Child’s residential program, school, clinicians, and the Department worker assigned to the Child.
    - b. The transition worker shall meet with the Child twice a month, in one of such visits the transition worker could also meet with the Child’s clinician or child-care supervisor and/or the Department caseworker.
    - c. The transition worker shall ascertain, with the Child, the Child’s long-term goals for permanence, and then work with the Child regarding the obstacles that have existed both historically and currently in the Child’s behavior.
  - c. Keep the Department informed of the transition worker’s progress via email logs at all times.
  - d. Certify adoptive families who meet all criteria of the Model Approach to Partnership and Programming / Child Protective Services (MAPP/CPS), have completed the preparation and selection process, and have demonstrated an ability to parent children and/or special needs children.
  - e. Consult with adoptive families regarding the needs of the Child placed with them as indicated by information contained in adoption summaries, assessments, and caseworker-to-caseworker discussions to form an informed appraisal of each family’s ability to parent the Child as part of a placement decision. This information shall be shared with the Department.



- f. Provide pre-placement guidance, monitoring, and collaboration with the adoptive families regarding each Child's needs and the family's ability to meet them.
- g. Provide individualized services as needed through Contractor's staff Psychiatrist and Behavioral Specialist.
- h. Provide family and Child- focused training and development during and after adoptive placement.
- i. Perform case planning services, including intervention, assessment and referral to meet each Child's medical, psychological, educational and other needs.
- j. Refer the Child and his or her family to any necessary post-finalization services.

### SECTION III – PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES

1. The Contractor represents that it is duly licensed (as applicable) and has the qualifications, the specialized skill(s), the experience and the ability to properly perform the adoption placement services. The Contractor shall use its best efforts to perform the adoption placement services such that the results are satisfactory to the Department. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for determining the location, method, details and means of performing the adoption placement services, except where federal, state or local laws and regulations impose specific requirements on performance of the same.
2. The Contractor may, at its own expense, employ or engage the services of such employees, subcontractors and/or partners as the Contractor deems necessary to perform the adoption placement services (collectively, the "Assistants"). The Assistants are not and shall not be deemed employees of the Department, and the Department shall have no obligation to provide the Assistants with any salary or benefits. The Contractor shall be solely responsible and shall remain liable for the performance of the adoption placement services by the Assistants in a manner satisfactory to the Department, in compliance with any and all applicable federal, state or local laws and regulations. The Contractor shall expressly advise the Assistants of the terms of this Agreement.
3. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that it and its Assistants have no authority to enter into contracts that bind the Department or create obligations on the part of the Department without the prior written authorization of the Department.
4. The Contractor shall inform the Department within twenty-four (24) hours if it is unable or unwilling to accept an assignment and/or perform services pursuant to

this Agreement. The Contractor maintains the right to do so at any time, and the Department maintains the right to contract with other individuals or entities to perform the same services.

#### SECTION IV- RECORD KEEPING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

1. The Contractor shall immediately report to the Department any unforeseen difficulties in the adoption placement process for each Child in the RAD program.
2. The Contractor shall submit to the Department a quarterly written report detailing the status of each Child in the RAD program.
3. The Contractor shall record progress notes in Connections, prepare the Family Assessment and Service Plans (FASPS), and any other documentation that the Department may reasonably require.
4. The Contractor shall complete, in a timely manner, all documentation required by courts and the Department i.e. FASP's, progress notes, court reports, and adoption finalization summaries.

#### SECTION V - INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS

1. It is expressly agreed that the relationship of the Contractor and its Assistants to the Department shall be that of Independent Contractors. The Contractor's Assistants shall not be considered employees of the Department for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement, or health insurance benefits. The Contractor, in accordance with its status as an Independent Contractor, covenants and agrees that its Assistants will conduct themselves in accordance with such status, that they will neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, officers or employees of the Department by reason thereof and that they will not by reason thereof, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or privilege applicable to an officer or employee of the Department.
2. The Contractor warrants and represents that it is in the business of offering the same or similar services detailed herein and does offer the same or similar service(s) to other entities and/or the general public as a regular course of business. The Contractor and the Department agree that the Contractor is free to undertake other work arrangements during the term of this Agreement, and may continue to make its services available to the public.
3. The Contractor and its Assistants shall not be eligible for compensation from the County due to
  - a. illness;

- b. absence due to normal vacation; or
  - c. absence due to attendance at school or special training or a professional convention or meeting.
4. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that neither it, nor its Assistants, shall be eligible for any Department employee benefits, including retirement membership credits.
  5. The Contractor shall be paid pursuant to IRS Form 1099, and shall be solely responsible for applicable taxes for all compensation paid to it or its Assistants under this Agreement, and for compliance with all applicable labor and employment requirements with respect to Contractor's form of business organization, and with respect to the Assistants, including payroll deductions, workers' compensation insurance, and provision of health insurance where required. The Department shall not be responsible for withholding from the payments provided for services rendered for state of federal income tax, unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, disability insurance or social security insurance (FICA). The Contractor shall provide proof of workers' compensation insurance, where applicable, prior to execution of this Agreement.
  6. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold the Department harmless from all loss or liability incurred by the Department as a result of the Department not making such payments or withholdings.
  7. If the Internal Revenue Service, Department of Labor, or any other governmental agency questions or challenges the Contractor's or its Assistants' Independent Contractor status, it is agreed that both the Department and the Contractor shall have the right to participate in any conference, discussion, or negotiations with the governmental agency, irrespective of with whom or by whom such discussions or negotiations are initiated.
  8. The Contractor shall comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the Department of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

#### SECTION VI – PAYMENT

1. The Department shall purchase services through the RAD program from the Contractor at a monthly cost of \$2,685 per Child. It is understood that any Child referred to the RAD program will have a set rate of \$2,685 per month/per referral and should an adoptive family be found for a RAD program Child there is no additional cost that would otherwise be associated with services provided by the Contractor through its adoption, adoption transition, and/or adoptive supervision services.

2. Payment to the Contractor from the Department, as specified in this Section, is based on the term the Child is in the RAD program. The term of a Child begins on the date the Child is placed into the RAD program and shall end upon the first occurring event of any of the following:
  - a. Adoption finalization;
  - b. Date specified on Child's case referral; or
  - c. Any other termination of the Child in the RAD Program.
3. The Contractor agrees that payment by the Department shall be contingent upon the Contractor submitting an Oneida County voucher with attached documentation certifying the satisfactory completion of the Contractor's performance and setting forth the payment to be made.
4. These rates will be effective on the date of placement and continue until the date of adoption, termination of this Agreement or until the Child's 21<sup>st</sup> birthday, whichever ever may come first and are subject to all adjustments to the New York State Office of Children and Family Services' Division of Services and Community Development's Standards of Payment System for Foster Care of Children, Maximum State Aid Rates for Voluntary Foster Care Agencies.
5. Should the Child require placement at the Contractor's institutional foster care facility, the Department shall pay the Contractor, on a monthly basis, an amount equal to the applicable per diem rate(s) set forth by the New York State Office of Children and Family Services' Division of Services and Community Development's Standards of Payment System for Foster Care of Children Maximum State Aid Rates for Voluntary Foster Care Agencies, multiplied by each day of care (number of days during which any service provided by the Contractor for a Child placed with the Contractor, including the date of admission but not including the day of discharge) actually provided by the Contractor for each Child in placement with the Contractor.

#### SECTION VII- INSURANCE AND INDEMNIFICATION

1. The Contractor shall purchase and maintain insurance of the following types of coverage and limits of liability with an insurance carrier qualified and admitted to do business in the State of New York. The insurance carrier must have at least an A- (excellent) rating by A.M. Best.
  - a. Commercial General Liability (CGL) coverage with limits of insurance of not less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$3,000,000 annual aggregate.

- i. CGL coverage shall be written on ISO Occurrence form CG 00 01 1001 or a substitute form providing equivalent coverage and shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent contracts, products – completed operations, and personal and advertising injury.
  - ii. Abuse and molestation coverage must be included.
  - iii. Oneida County, and any other parties required by Oneida County, shall be included as additional insureds. Coverage for the additional insureds shall apply as primary and non-contributing insurance before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible or self-insured retention, maintained by or provided to the additional insureds.
- b. Professional Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$3,000,000 aggregate.
  - i. Coverage for review of cases and professional assessment.
  - ii. Coverage for abuse and molestation.
- c. Automobile Liability
  - i. Business Automobile Liability with limits of at least \$1,000,000 each accident.
  - ii. Business Automobile Liability coverage must include coverage for liability arising out of all owned, lease, hired, and non-owned automobiles.
- d. Commercial Umbrella
  - i. Umbrella limits must be at least \$1,000,000.
  - ii. Umbrella coverage must include as additional insureds all entities that are additional insureds on the CGL.
  - iii. Umbrella coverage for such additional insureds shall apply as primary and non-contributing before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible or self-insured retention, maintained by or provided to the additional insureds.
- e. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability
  - i. Statutory limits apply.

2. Waiver of Subrogation: The Contractor waives all rights against the Department and their agents, officers, directors, and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by CGL or Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance maintained per requirements state above.
  
2. Certificates of Insurance: Prior to the start of any work, the Contractor shall provide certificates of insurance to the Department. Attached to each certificate of insurance shall be a copy of the Additional Insured Endorsement that is part of the Contractor's CGL policy. These certificates and the insurance policies required above shall contain a provision that coverage afforded under the policies will not be canceled or allowed to expire until at least 30 days' prior written notice has been given to the Department.
  
3. Indemnification: The Contractor shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Department from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of action, suits, claims or judgements arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the negligent performance of services by the Contractor and its sub-consultants, agents, servants, or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the negligent acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the Contractor and its sub-consultants or failure on the part of the Contractor and its sub-consultants to comply with any of the covenants, terms of conditions of this Agreement.

#### SECTION VIII - EXPENSES

The Contractor is solely responsible for paying all of its business expenses related to furnishing the services described herein, and shall not be reimbursed the cost of travel, equipment, tools, office space, support services or other general operating expenses.

#### SECTION IX – TRAINING

The Contractor shall not be required to attend or undergo any training by the Department, other than those trainings mandated by federal, state or local law or regulations necessary to perform the services described herein. Except for those trainings mandated by federal, state or local law or regulations necessary to perform the services described herein, the Contractor shall be fully responsible for the training necessary to maintain any licenses or certifications to perform the services described herein, and shall be solely responsible for the cost of the same.

#### SECTION X – CHOICE OF LAW / VENUE

1. If either party elects to commence litigation against the other in connection with any matter relating to or arising out of this Agreement, it shall do so in a New

York State Court of competent jurisdiction sitting in Oneida County, New York, or in the United States District Court for the Northern District of New York.

2. This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York.

#### SECTION XI – ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The terms of this Agreement, and any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes annexed hereto, including, but not limited to, Appendix A (New York State Conditions), Appendix B (Standard Clauses for all Oneida County Department of Social Services Contracts), the Oneida County Department of Social Services Contractor and Contract Staff Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement, and the Standard Oneida County Conditions Addendum, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No waiver, alterations or modifications of any provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representatives of the parties sought to be bound.

#### SECTION XII - ADVICE OF COUNSEL

Each party acknowledges that, in executing this Agreement, such party has had the opportunity to seek the advice of independent legal counsel, and has read and understood all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

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IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties have hereunto signed this Agreement on the day and year appearing opposite their respective signatures.

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

Oneida County Executive \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr., County Executive

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Approved as to Form Maryangela Scalzo  
Maryangela Scalzo, Assistant County Attorney

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Date: 8/3/18

Oneida County Department of Social Services: Colleen Fahy-Box  
Colleen Fahy-Box, Commissioner

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Date: 7/13/18

Family Focus Adoption Services: Jack Brennan  
Jack Brennan, Executive Director

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APPENDIX A  
NEWYORK STATE CONDITIONS

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) The wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.
  - (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired

for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.

- (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of fifty dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
  - (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
  - (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.
- V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:
- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
  - (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
  - (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.
  - \* (d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and rules, regulations and orders issued

pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.

\*(e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.

\*(f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.

VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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\*\*Note: Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

## APPENDIX B

### STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

#### PERSONNEL

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries, and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor

#### NOTICES

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  1. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  2. By facsimile transmission;
  3. By personal delivery;
  4. By expedited delivery service; or
  5. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the address, facsimile number or e-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development or to such different Program Manager as the Department may from time-to time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.
- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the

purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### OFFICE SERVICES

- a. The Contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT.
- b. For federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this AGREEMENT, all property purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The Contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three (3) days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.
- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this AGREEMENT, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.

- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this AGREEMENT will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
  - 1. No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this AGREEMENT. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - 2. Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the Appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - 3. The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a Contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.
- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the

rights of the Department as set forth in this AGREEMENT, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.

- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The Contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this AGREEMENT, and/or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under this AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This AGREEMENT cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The determination of vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions herein.
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this AGREEMENT in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.
- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six (6) years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this AGREEMENT. Such records shall include, but not be limited to,



original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:

1. Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
2. Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
3. Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
4. Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
5. The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this AGREEMENT,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this AGREEMENT for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten (10) years.

- n. By signing this AGREEMENT, the Contractor certifies that within the past three (3) years the Contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the Contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this AGREEMENT. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:
  1. The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
  2. The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
  3. The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
  4. The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
  5. The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
  6. The Contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
  7. The Contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, the Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into this AGREEMENT that the

Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this AGREEMENT, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this AGREEMENT.

By signing this AGREEMENT, the Contractor also agrees that during the term of the AGREEMENT, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this AGREEMENT, the Contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. The Contractor must maintain Workers' Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers' Compensation Law. If the Contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers' Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers' Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such federal financial assistance

## REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Department's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, from, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet state, federal and Oneida County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as

well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION OF HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable state, federal, and local laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any Contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, the Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contact with children in the care or custody of the Department. Any Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.
- c. The Contractor and any subsequent subcontractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent subcontractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for re-disclosure in violations of state law and regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent subcontractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by state law. State law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of state law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the

release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractor's, or its subcontractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable federal laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.
- e. The Contractor and any of the Contractor's staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this AGREEMENT and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

#### PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.
- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or

analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

## PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the Department. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

## TERMINATION

- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the Department upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the Contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, said notice of breach shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.

- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that federal, state or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the AGREEMENT period or deem this AGREEMENT terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.
- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during the term of this AGREEMENT, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain this AGREEMENT. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment

purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

## CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this AGREEMENT as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT. If the Department should determine that the Contractor has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor, or if the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any other agreement with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other agreement with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to:

1. Recovery of any funds expended in violation of this AGREEMENT;
2. Suspension of Payments;
3. Termination of this AGREEMENT; and/or
4. Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of this AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all agreements between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under this AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

## FISCAL SANCTION

In the sole discretion of the Department, contractors may be placed on Fiscal Sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

1. The Contractor has received an advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
2. A Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
3. The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
4. The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
5. A Department, County, state or federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
6. The Contractor is not in compliance with state, federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
7. Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The Contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal Sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The Contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

## ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that the Contractor is an Independent Contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers' compensation, retirement or health insurance benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of the Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its



officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of this AGREEMENT, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of this AGREEMENT, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under this AGREEMENT or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to this AGREEMENT.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this AGREEMENT, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.

#### RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew this AGREEMENT are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within thirty (30) days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

#### COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with federal and state laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the federal and state entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the Department. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attests they have not been debarred by the federal Government from

contracting to provide services funded by any federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this AGREEMENT.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this AGREEMENT, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this AGREEMENT upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This AGREEMENT contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this AGREEMENT shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

This AGREEMENT shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

As the duly authorized representative of the Contractor, I hereby certify that the Contractor will comply with the above Standard Clauses.

FAMILY FOCUS ADOPTION SERVICES  
NAME OF CONTRACTED AGENCY

JACK BRENNAN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

  
SIGNATURE

7/13/18  
DATE

**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

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

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

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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## ADDENDUM -- STANDARD ONEIDA COUNTY CONDITIONS

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1st day of July, 2018, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as County, and a Contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as Contractor.

WHEREAS, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. EXECUTORY OR NON-APPROPRIATION CLAUSE.

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS: RESOLUTION #249 SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS.

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. CERTIFICATIONS REGARDING LOBBYING, DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS, AND DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative

agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

- i. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  - ii. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  - iii. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
- i. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;
    - B. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a

criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

C. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in subparagraph (B), above, of this certification; and

D. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) for cause or default;

ii. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

i. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

B. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

- 2) The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
- 4) The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;

C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (A), above;

D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (A), above, that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:

- 1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;

E. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (D)(2), above, from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position and title, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.

F. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (D)(2), above, with respect to any employee who is so convicted;

- 1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
- 2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a federal, state or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

G. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (A),(B),(C),(D),(E) and (F), above.

- ii. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors that are individuals, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

- i. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
- ii. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the



Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to:

Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building  
Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the  
identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA).

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  - i. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  - ii. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  - iii. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to, locking filing cabinets, locks on drawers, other cabinets and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

- i. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  - ii. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
  - i. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  - ii. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  - iii. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  - iv. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of the County, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  - v. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.524;
  - vi. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR §164.528;
  - vii. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  - viii. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County

available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and

- ix. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by, the Contractor on behalf of the County that the Contractor still maintains, in any form, and retain no copies of such information; or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract permanently to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
- i. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - ii. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  - iii. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

## 5. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and any attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other state and federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 of the Labor Law, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all monies due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 of the Labor Law, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said Articles, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as

determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County-approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor certifies and affirms, under penalty of perjury, as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief:

(1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, 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; and (2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and (3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. RECORDS.

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertaining to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails (and all attachments thereto), rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an audit or examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above, for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute"), provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records

shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) in the sole discretion of the County, designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. This number includes any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or claim for payment, must state with specificity the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (i) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (ii) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

12. CONFLICTING TERMS.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

13. GOVERNING LAW.

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

14. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be acquired in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether for supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

15. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request; influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard; rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application;

request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime Contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

17. AUDIT

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies made hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to, or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of, any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is requested to be made or has been made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a federal financial assistance program from a federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

18. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.

Pursuant to Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each bidder or Contractor, or any person signing on behalf of any bidder or Contractor, and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services



(hereinafter "OGS") website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder or Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the bidder or Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any bidder or Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a bidder or Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he, she or it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within ninety (90) days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the bidder or Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a bidder or Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any bidder or Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

#### 19. PROHIBITION ON TOBACCO AND E-CIGARETTE USE ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2016, the use of tobacco and e-cigarettes are prohibited on Oneida County property, as follows:

- a. For the purposes of this provision, the "use of tobacco" shall include:
  - i. The burning of a lighted cigarette, pipe, cigar or other lighted instrument for the purpose of smoking tobacco or a tobacco substitute;
  - ii. The use of tobacco and/or a substance containing tobacco or a tobacco substitute by means other than smoking, including: chewing; holding in the mouth; or expectoration of chewing tobacco.
- b. For the purposes of this provision, "e-cigarette" shall mean an electronic device composed of a mouthpiece, heating element, battery and electronic circuit that

delivers vapor which is inhaled by an individual user as he or she simulates smoking.

- c. For the purposes of this provision, "on Oneida County property" shall be defined as:
  - i. Upon all real property owned or leased by the County of Oneida; and
  - ii. Within all County of Oneida-owned vehicles or within private vehicles when being used for a County of Oneida purpose, except that a driver may smoke in a privately-owned vehicle being used for a County of Oneida Purpose if the driver is the sole occupant of the vehicle.
- d. Each violation of this Local Law No. 3 of 2016 shall constitute a separate and distinct offense and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$200.00 for a first offense and up to \$1,000.00 for subsequent offenses.