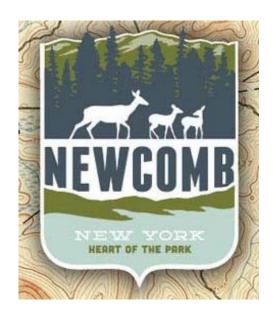
COMMUNITY PAVILION

Project Construction Manual



PROJECT OWNER:

THE TOWN OF NEWCOMB, NEW YORK

PROJECT NUMBER:

P-0115-2018

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Town of Newcomb, will accept sealed bids at the Newcomb Town Hall until 2:00 P.M. on July 6th, 2018 for a Community Pavilion.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's), Minority and Women Business Enterprises (M/WBE's) and Service Disabled Veteran-Owned Businesses (SDVOB's) are encouraged to respond.

The bids are due on July 6th at 2:00 pm and shall be opened publicly and read aloud on July 6th, 2018 at 2:00 P.M. at the Newcomb Town Hall, located at 5639 State Route 28N, Newcomb NY 12852. Please contact the Town Clerk at (518) 582-3211 for additional information concerning the bidding. Specifications and standard proposals for the proposed work may be obtained at the above address, on the County's website at: https://www.co.essex.ny.us/bidders/publicbids.aspx.

TIME OF RESPONSE:

- RFP Posted: Friday, June 22nd, 2018.
- Responses Due & Read Aloud: Friday, July 6th by 2:00 pm.
- Town Board Meeting to Award Bid: July 10th 2018 at 1pm.
- Contract Execution estimated: July 17th (Normal Board Meeting).
- Project Completion: August 28th 2018.

All bids submitted in response to this notice shall be marked "SEALED BID – NEWCOMB COMMUNITY PAVILION" clearly on the outside of the envelope with the bidder's name and address. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders and must be accompanied by Bid Security in the form of a certified check, bank check, or bid bond in the amount of **five percent (5%)** of the total amount of the bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by Section 137 of the State Finance Law, each for one hundred percent (100%) of the amount of the Contract. The Municipality reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and advertise for new bids, if in its opinion the best interest of the Municipality will hereby be promoted.

The Town of Newcomb affirmatively states that in regard to any contract entered into pursuant to these instructions, without regard to race, color, sex, religion, age, national origin, disability, sexual preference or Vietnam Era veteran status, disadvantaged and minority or women-owned business enterprises will be afforded equal opportunity to submit bids in response hereto.

Dated: June 22nd, 2018

Rob Wick, PMP Project Manager, Office of Community Resources 7533 Court Street – PO Box 217 Elizabethtown, New York 12932 (518) 873-3426



EXAMINATION OF DOCUMENTS

Carefully examine and be familiar with the Contract Documents (as defined in Article 1.1 of the General Conditions).

Examine the information concerning subsurface or other latent physical conditions. It is presented in good faith but is not intended as a substitute for personal investigation, interpretations or judgment of the Contractor.

VISIT TO THE SITE

Bidders will have an opportunity to visit the site of the work on at the 'Newcomb Outlook' site located at 12 OVERLOOK LANE; contact the Town Hall during business hours to coordinate a site visit. Attendance at the site visit is not mandatory in order to bid for the work. Contact one of the Designated Contacts listed on the Notice to Bidders at least 24 hours in advance of the site visit time to notify of your intent to attend.

Become familiar with restrictions and regulations relating to the work. Existing restrictions and regulations will not be considered as grounds for any additional cost over the Contract sum.

Contractor will be expected to assume the risk of encountering any subsurface or other latent physical condition which can be reasonably anticipated on the basis of documentary information provided by the Municipality and from inspection and examination of the site.

RESOLUTION OF DISCREPANCIES AND AMBIGUITIES

Direct all questions regarding the intent or meaning of the drawings or specifications to the Contacts as noted in the Notice to Bidders. Any reply to such an inquiry, including the initial questions, will be communicated by Addendum to all bidders who have obtained drawings and specifications. Inquiries that do not follow the above process will not be answered.

Interpretations of Contract Documents by Municipality personnel or the Design Professional are not binding.

PREPARATION OF BIDS

Bidders shall submit bids on the bid form attached hereto, including the Non-Collusive/Procurement Lobbying Bidding Certification. Make no changes of any kind in the bid form phraseology, or anywhere on the bid form. Fill in all blank spaces legibly and in ink. All amounts shall be given in full in both writing and also in figures. In case of a discrepancy between the amount written in words and that given in figures, the amount written in words is binding.

When the Contract Documents require alternate price quotations, indicate the amounts to be added to or deducted from the base bid. If the work is to be performed at no change in cost, indicate the word "NONE". Any bid which fails to indicate a sum or the word "NONE", shall be considered informal and may be rejected.

Sign the bid form in the space provided. An officer or a principal of a corporation or a partnership signing for the bidder shall print or type the legal name of the person, partnership or corporation on the line provided and place his or her signature after "SIGN BID HERE". The same procedure shall apply to the bid of a joint venture by two or more firms, except that the signature and title of

an officer or a principal of each member firm of the joint venture shall be required.

Note in the spaces provided on the bid form, the Addenda, by numbers and dates, which have been received. If no Addenda have been received, insert the word "NONE".

Use street address in addition to a Post Office Box address (if any).

BID SECURITY INFORMATION

Bid Security, in the amount of **five percent** (5%) of the total amount of the Bid, is required to be submitted with the bid as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the contract if awarded, and that the bidder will furnish all required information to enter into contract within **ten** (10) **days** after receipt of notice of award. Bid Security shall consist of a bid bond or a certified check or a bank check drawn upon a legally incorporated bank or trust company and payable to the Municipality. The bid bond must be from a Surety company approved by the State. The form of any bid bond and the surety issuing it shall be subject to the approval of the Municipality. The Bid Security of the two lowest bidders will be returned upon the acceptance of Performance and Payment Bonds and the execution of the Contract by the lowest bidder. The Bid Security of all other bidders will be returned as soon as possible after the low bidder is determined.

SUBMISSION OF BID

Submit Bid Form and Bid Security in a sealed envelope.

All bids must be received at or before the time specified in the Notice to Bidders, at the place designated for bid opening.

A late bid will be considered if (1) its arrival at the place designated after the time specified can be shown by documentary or other proofs to be due to the mishandling by employees of the Municipality and (2) that absent such mishandling, the bid would have arrived timely. Delays in the U.S. Mail or any other means of transmittal, including couriers or agents of the State, other than employees of the Municipality will not suffice to excuse late arrival.

A late bid not eligible for consideration will be returned unopened with notification of the reason for its refusal.

MODIFICATION OF BID

Bid modifications by amendment may be considered on condition that:

- 1. The amendment arrives before the time set for the bid opening.
- 2. The amendment is in writing and signed by the bidder.
- 3. The bid, as amended, conforms in all respects with the Contract Documents.

WITHDRAWAL OF BID

A bid may be withdrawn at any time prior to the time specified for opening.

After the bid opening, a bid <u>may not be withdrawn</u> prior to the date that is **fifteen (15) days** after such bid opening. Withdrawal of bid prior to such date would be cause for forfeiture of the Security Bond.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, after the bid opening, a bidder may request the withdrawal of the bid on the ground of demonstrable mistake in accordance with New York General Municipal Law § 103-11. Upon prompt written application, the Municipality may conduct a hearing. Each element of § 103-11 must be proven by clear and convincing evidence in order to justify withdrawal. The judgment of the Municipality shall be final and conclusive. Should the judgment be against allowing withdrawal, then the failure of the Contractor to proceed would be cause for forfeiture of their Bid Security.

DISQUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS

The Municipality reserves the right to disqualify bids, before or after opening, upon evidence of collusion with intent to defraud or other illegal practices upon the part of the bidder.

OPENING OF BIDS

Bids shall be opened as announced in the Notice to Bidders. Bidders or their authorized agents are invited to attend.

AWARD OF CONTRACT

The Contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible and reliable bidder as will best promote public interest unless all bids are rejected by the Municipality.

If alternates are included in the Bidder's bidding documents, the Municipality reserves the right to accept or reject any or all alternates. The lowest bid will be determined by the sum of the base bid and the accepted alternates in the manner prescribed on the Bid Form.

If alternate base bids are indicated in the bidding documents, the low bid will be determined by the lowest amount bid for any of the alternate base bids.

The Municipality reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and advertise for new bids, if in its opinion the best interest of the Municipality will hereby be promoted. In the event that all bids are rejected, each bidder will be so notified.

No later than **fifteen (15) days** after the bid opening, the Municipality shall accept a bid or reject all bids. Written notification of acceptance with the final Contract Documents shall be mailed or delivered to the selected bidder.

If the selected bidder fails to execute and return the Contract Documents without modification with the bidder's Performance and Payment Bonds and Certificate of Insurance, within ten (10) days of receipt of notification, the Municipality shall have the right to reject the bid and select next lowest bidder. In this case, the Bid Security of the first bidder shall be forfeited.

INFORMALITIES

Any bid which fails to conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents may be rejected.

The Municipality may waive any informality or afford the bidder an opportunity to remedy any deficiency resulting from a minor informality or irregularity.

DETERMINATION OF CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

- 1. The New York State Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire For-Profit Construction (CCA-2) shall be submitted by the apparent low bidder to the Owner as a condition of contract award.
- Contractor shall at all times during the contract term remain a responsible vendor.
 Contractor agrees, if requested by the Municipality, to present evidence of its continuing
 legal authority to do business in New York State, its integrity, experience, ability, prior
 performance, and organizational and financial capacity to carry out the terms of this
 contract.
- 3. The Municipality reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this contract, at any time, when the Municipality discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of Contractor. In the event of such suspension, Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contractual activities may resume at such time as the Municipality issues a written notice authorizing resumption of contractual activities.
- 4. Notwithstanding the provision of Article 15 of the General Conditions of the contract pertaining to Termination and Revocation, upon written notice to Contractor and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with appropriate Municipality staff, this contract may be terminated by the Municipality at Contractor's expense where Contractor is determined by the Municipality to be non-responsible. In such event, the Municipality may pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

The Contract Documents contain a provision that the Contractor will pay liquidated damages for each day of delay in the physical completion of the Work.

REFUND OF DEPOSIT FOR CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

Full refund of the deposit for one set of Contract Documents will be made to Bidders who return the Contract Documents in good condition within **thirty (30) days** following the award of the contract or rejection of the bids covered by such Contract Documents. Non-bidders who have placed deposits for any sets of Contract Documents will be refunded **fifty percent (50%)** of their deposit within **thirty (30) days** following the award of the contract or rejection of the bids covered by the Contract Documents.

<u>Prevailing Wages</u> – This project includes State prevailing wages and Federal wage rates. If Federal Davis Bacon wage rates differ from the New York State prevailing wage rates, then the higher of the two rates shall apply and be paid to eligible workers.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE AND DISABILITY BENEFITS REQUIREMENTS

A policy covering the obligations of the Contractor in accordance with the Workers' Compensation Law and the Disability Benefits Law covering all operations under the contract, whether performed by the contractor or the subcontractor is required for all contracts. See **Article 21.4 and 21.5 of the General Conditions** attached hereto. Special attention is called to the insurance requirements contained in the Supplementary Conditions for Contracts attached as **Appendix A**.

BID FORM

DETACH AND USE THIS FORM - SUBMIT ALL [4] PAGES

BID FORM: COMMUNITY PAVILION LUMP SUM

ESSEX COUNTY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS. EACH BID FORM SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED BY BID SECURITY IN THE FORM OF A CERTIFIED CHECK OR A BANK CHECK DRAWN UPON A LEGALLY INCORPORATED BANK OR TRUST COMPANY AND MADE PAYABLE TO ESSEX COUNTY IN THE AMOUNT STATED IN THE NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

EACH BID MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- COMPLETED ORIGINAL BID FORM (FULLY EXECUTED In a sealed Envelope)
- BID SECURITY (5%) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$[]
- [WICKS EXEMPTION IF CONTRACT AMOUNT IS ABOVE APPLICABLE THRESHOLD]

ProjectLocationProject OwnerCOMMUNITY PAVILION12 OVERLOOK LANETOWN OF NEWCOMBTOWN OF NEWCOMB5639 STATE RTE. 28NESSEX COUNTY, New YorkPOB 405NEWCOMB, NY 12852

To whom it may concern:

1. The undersigned proposes to perform the Work required for this project in accordance with the Contract Documents for the lump sum price of:

TOTAL BID AMOUNT (Total entered shall be the sum of the above noted Base Bid and Allowance amounts):

10 be filled in by Contractor
In Words
In Numbers

In case of Discrepancy between the price in words and that in figures, the price in words will be considered the price bid.

- 2. The undersigned agrees to complete the Work per phase of the Contract by the dates noted in the Technical Specifications and Drawings and all Work no later than **thirty (30) days after Contractor receives a notice to proceed with construction from the Municipality.** The Contractor agrees, in the event the Contractor fails to complete all the Work on time, to pay the Municipality liquidated damages, *as stated in the General Conditions*, for each day of delay (per phase) in the physical completion of Work.
- 3. The undersigned agrees that the bid security shall become the property of the Municipality if this bid is accepted and the bidder does not submit executed copies of the Agreement contained in the Contract Documents within ten (10) days of receipt of a written request. A performance bond and a payment bond, each in an amount equal to the total bid sum, shall be submitted as required with the executed agreements and shall be the statutory form of Public Bonds required by section 137 of the State Finance Law.
- 4. The undersigned hereby certifies his or her compliance with the following:

NON-COLLUSIVE / PROCUREMENT LOBBYING BIDDING CERTIFICATION

By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any other 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 or her knowledge and belief:

A. The prices of 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;

	В.		d will not kn	owingly be disclo	been quoted in this bid have not been know sed by the bidder prior to opening, directly	
	C.				to induce any other person, partnership or ose of restricting competition.	
	D.	Within the previous four yone)	ears, has the	bidder been foun	d non-responsible by a government entity?	(check
				_YES	_NO	
	E.				e to (1) engaging in impermissible contacts se or incomplete information to a government	
				_YES	_NO	
			(If yes, plea	se explain on a se	parate sheet.)	
The undersig	gned	acknowledges receipt of th	e following	numbered addenda	a to the Contract Documents:	
and / or servinformation to be intention	ices, subn	labor, material and equipm nitted regarding the Procure y false or intentionally inco	nent necessar ement Lobby omplete, the I	y for this contract ing Law is compl Municipality reser	tes to perform this contract and to provide a . In addition, the bidder certifies that all ete, true and accurate. If such information i ves the right to terminate the resulting contact notification terms of the contract.	s found
Date:			Sig	gnature:		_
			Pri	nt Name:		

Title:		
Company Name:		_
Street Address:		_
City / State / Zip:		_
Mailing Address: (If different from Street Address)		_
Federal I.D. #:	Telephone #:	

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If a bidder is a corporation, indicate officers below; if a bidder is a firm, indicate members below; if a bidder is a partnership, indicate partners below:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Legal Residence</u>
(D. 11 + 12 t D. 1)		
(President / Member / Partner)		
(Vice President / Member / Partner)		
(Secretary / Member / Partner)	_	
(Treasurer / Member / Partner)	_	

AGREEMENT FORM

ESSEX COUNTY

TO BE EXECUTED BY SELECTED BIDDER ONLY

This Agreement (the "Agreement") made by and between the TOWN OF NEWCOMB , a municipal corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Municipality" or the "Subrecipient" and, hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor".
, neremarker reterror to us the Contractor .
WITNESSETH
1) The Contractor agrees that all Contract Documents (as such term is defined in Article 1.1 of the General Conditions) are deemed attached hereto and incorporated in this Agreement. The Contractor agrees to perform the Work in accordance with all Contract Documents incorporated herein for COMMUNITY PAVILION .
2) The Contractor agrees that the Supplementary Conditions ("Supplementary Conditions") attached as Appendix A to the General Conditions shall apply to the Contractor. Contractor further agrees that it shall include such Supplementary Conditions in any subcontract entered into in connection with the Project. The Contractor shall also require all subcontractors to flowdown the Supplementary Conditions to all lower-tiered subcontractors as well as the requirement to flowdown such terms to all subcontractors below the lower-tiered subcontractors.
3) The Contractor agrees to complete the Work no later than _thirty (30) _ days after the Contractor receives a notice to proceed with construction from the Municipality.
4) The Contractor agrees, in the event the Contractor fails to complete all the Work on time, to pay the Municipality liquidated damages as per the General Conditions , Article 14.10 , for each day of delay in the physical completion of the Work.
5) The Municipality agrees to pay the Contractor in accordance with the Contract Documents and in consideration of the completion of the Work, as follows:
IN WORDS:
IN NUMBERS: \$

CONTRACT SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the MUNICIPALITY and the CONTRACTOR have executed this Agreement on the date and year indicated.

ESSEX COUNTY

Name: Robin Deloria Title: Town Supervisor	
Title: Town Supervisor	
CONTRACTOR	
By:	
Name (print):	
Title (print):	
	By: Name (print):

CONTRACTOR'S SIGNATURE MUST BE NOTARIZED. USE EITHER THE INDIVIDUAL, PARTNERSHIP, OR CORPORATION FORM, AS APPROPRIATE

INDIVIDUAL

STATE OF NEW YORK)	
COUNTY OF) SS.:	
	fore me personally came ne to be the person described in and who she acknowledged to me that he or she executed
	Notary Public
STATE OF NEW YORK)	ΓNERSHIP
) SS.: COUNTY OF)	
On this day of , 2018, be , to me known and known instrument, who, being duly sworn by me, did she is a member of the firm of herself and foregoing instrument in the firm name of , had autho	efore me personally came to me to be the person who executed the above for himself or herself depose and say that he or , consisting of himself or , and that he or she executed the rity to sign same, and did duly acknowledge to t and deed of said firm for the uses and purposes
	Notary Public

CORPORATION

STATE OF NEW	,	
) SS	S.:
COUNTY OF)	
been duly authorize instrument on beh	scribed in and veed by the Boardalf of said corporate	, 2018, before me personally came, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he or of , which executed the foregoing instrument; that he or she has d of Directors of said corporation to execute the foregoing oration and that he or she signed his or her name thereto by purposes and uses therein described.
		Notary Public

GENERAL CONDITIONS

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General Conditions 1

ARTICLE 1 – THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- 1.2 The "Contract Documents" are comprised of the following documents, in the following order of precedence all of which are hereby incorporated by reference and shall hereinafter be referenced as the "Contract."
 - 1. General Conditions;
 - 2. Appendix A Supplementary Terms & Conditions;
 - 3. Appendix B Iran Divestment Certification;
 - 4. Appendix C Construction Specifications
 - 5. Appendix D Contractors Payment Application Form;
 - 6. Appendix E Prevailing Wage Rates;
 - 7. Appendix F NYS Constructon For-Profit VRQ;
 - 8. Agreement;
 - 9. Notice to Bidders & Instructions to Bidders;
 - 10. Performance Bond;
 - 11. Payment Bond;
 - 12. All Required Forms and Certificates of Insurance;
 - 13. All Addenda issued prior to the receipt of bids;
 - 14. An Approved MWBE Utilization Plan, if required;
- 1.3 The Contract Documents form the Contract. The Contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations and agreements, either written or oral.
- 1.4 The Contract may <u>not</u> be modified except in accordance with the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 2 - DEFINED TERMS

- 2.1 The following terms shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this Article, wherever they appear in the Contract Documents.
- 2.2 The term "Bid" means the approved prepared bid form on which the Bidder is to submit or has submitted a bid for the Project contemplated.
- 2.3 The term "Bidder" means any individual, firm or corporation submitting a Bid for the Project contemplated, acting directly or through a duly authorized representative.
- 2.4 The term "Bid Security" means the collateral in the form of a certified check, bank check or bid bond to be furnished by the Bidder as a guarantee of his or her ability to procure the minimum equipment and liquid assets specified and that Bidder shall enter into a Contract with the Municipality for the performance of the Work.
- 2.5 The term "Change Order" means a written order to the Contractor signed by the Contractor and the Municipality authorizing a Change in the Work or an adjustment in the Contract Sum or the Contract Time. The Contract Sum and the Contract Time may be changed only by Change Order.
- 2.6 The term "Comptroller" means the Comptroller of the State of New York.
- 2.7 The term "Contractor" means the person, firm, partnership or corporation executing the

- Contract or the successor or assignee of the Contractor approved in writing by the Municipal Representative.
- 2.8 The term "Days" shall mean calendar days.
- 2.9 The term "Liquidated Damages" means the total amount of money to be assessed against the Contractor for delay in completion of the Contract. The total amount of such damages shall not exceed the amount per day stipulated in Article 14.10 times the numbers of Days completion is delayed, unless otherwise specified in the Notice to Bidders.
- 2.10 The term "Material" means any approved material acceptable to the Municipality and conforming to the requirements of the Technical Specifications and Drawings. All processes and materials shall at all times be open to inspection and testing by the Municipality and its authorized representatives.
- 2.11 The term "Municipal Representative" means the representative of the Municipality who will have general direction and supervision of the work. The Municipality may designate any person, persons, firm, partnership or corporation to act as Municipal Representative.
- 2.12 The term "Municipality" shall mean the municipal corporation of **the TOWN OF NEWCOMB**.
- 2.13 The term "Offerer" shall mean the individual or entity, or any employee, agent of consultant or person acting on behalf of such individual or entity that contacts a governmental entity about a governmental procurement during the restricted period of such governmental procurement.
- 2.14 The term "Payment Bond" is a bond guaranteeing prompt payment of monies due to all persons furnishing labor or materials to the Contractor or any Subcontractor in the prosecution of the Work provided for as set forth in State Finance Law Section 137.
- 2.15 The term "Performance Bond" means a written guaranty from a third-party guarantor provided to the Municipality by Contractor upon the award of the Contract to ensure the full performance of the Work and completion of the Project as set forth in the Contract Documents. The form of the Performance Bond is subject to the approval of the Municipality.
- 2.16 The term "Physical Completion Date" means the date upon which the Contractor and the Municipal Representative agree that all deficiencies noted on the final inspection report have been corrected as evidenced by the issuance of the Physical Completion Report.
- 2.17 The term "Physical Completion Report" means the report issued by the Municipal Representative in which all the deficiencies in the Work are noted.
- 2.18 The term "Plan" or "Drawings" means an illustrated graphic that typically includes technical layout information, specification data, and details as required to facilitate the construction of an entire project or smaller unit of work.
- 2.19 The term "Premises" means all land, buildings, structures, or other items of any kind located around or adjacent to the Site and owned, occupied or otherwise used by the Municipality.
- 2.20 The term "Project" means Work at the site carried out pursuant to one or more sets of Contract Documents.

- 2.21 The term "Project Manual" means the combined Notice to Bidders, Instructions to Bidders, Addenda, Bid Forms, Agreement Form, General Conditions, All Appendices, the Summary of and Implementation Guidelines for § 139-J of the State Finance Law, Other Sample Forms, Prevailing Wage Rates, the Technical Specifications and Drawings, and the Bid, issued prior to the receipt of bids.
- 2.22 The term "Provide" means to furnish and install, complete, in place and ready for operation and use.
- 2.23 The term "Samples" are physical examples submitted by the Contractor of materials, equipment or workmanship to establish a standard, which the Contractor is required to meet.
- 2.24 The term "Schedule of Values" means a breakdown of the Contract Sum in tabular form that lists the dollar value of individual work items. Schedule to be provided in enough detail to facilitate evaluation of the Payment Application by the Municipality.
- 2.25 The term "Shop Drawings" are drawings, diagrams, illustrations, schedules, test data, performance charts, cuts, brochures and other data which are prepared by the Contractor or any Subcontractor, manufacturer, supplier or distributor, and submitted by the Contractor and which illustrate a portion of the Work.
- 2.26 The term "Site" means the area within the contract limit lines as identified in the drawings, or adjacent areas designated in writing by the Municipality. Some contracts might involve separate and distinct sites.
- 2.27 The term "State" means the State of New York.
- 2.28 The term "Subcontractor" means a person, firm, partnership or corporation executing a portion of the Work for the "Contractor," who has the sole responsibility for his or her performance.
- 2.29 The term "Substantial Completion" means that the Work or major milestones thereof as contemplated by the terms of this Contract are sufficiently complete so that the Site can occupy or utilize the Work or designated portion thereof for the use for which it is intended.
- 2.30 The term "Surety" means the entity which is bound with and for the Contractor, and which is engaged to be responsible for the Contractor's acceptable performance of the Project for which he or she has contracted and for all Labor, Performance, and Material Bonds.
- 2.31 The term "Technical Specifications" means the body of directions and/or requirements contained in this document, together with all documents of any description, and agreements made (or to be made), pertaining to the methods (or manner), of performing the work and quality (as shown by test records) of accepted materials to be furnished under this Contract.
- 2.32 The term "Work" means the total sum of labor, supervision, materials and equipment necessary for the proper completion of the Contract as set forth in the Contract Documents.

- 3.1 The Technical Specifications and Drawings are complementary, and what is called for by one shall be as binding as if called for by all. It is not intended to include work not properly inferable from the Technical Specifications and Drawings. In all cases, labelled dimensions shall take precedence over scaled dimensions, and the larger scale details take precedence over smaller scale drawings. In the case of difference between Drawings and Technical Specifications, the Technical Specifications shall govern.
- 3.2 Upon his or her own initiative or the Contractor's written request, the Municipality may issue written interpretation or drawings necessary for the proper execution or progress of the work which interpretation shall be consistent with and reasonably inferable from the Contract Documents.
- 3.3 The language of the Contract Documents is directed at the Contractor unless specifically stated otherwise.
- 3.4 The organization of the Technical Specifications into divisions, sections and articles, and the arrangement of Drawings shall not control the Contractor in dividing the Work among subcontractors or in establishing the extent of Work to be performed by any trade.
- In the event of conflicting provisions in the Contract Documents, the Technical Specifications shall take precedence over the Drawings.
- 3.6 If during the performance of the Work, the Contractor identifies a conflict in the Contract Documents, or a variation from any applicable statute, rule or regulation, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Municipality in writing of the conflict. The Municipality shall promptly acknowledge the notification in writing and advise the Contractor, pursuant to **Paragraph 3.2** of these General Conditions, as to the interpretation to be followed in the performance of the Work.

ARTICLE 4 – SHOP DRAWINGS AND OTHER SUBMITTALS

- 4.1 Shop Drawings (see Article 2.26)
- 4.2 Product data are manufacturer's catalog sheets, brochures, standard diagrams, illustrations, schedules, performance charts, test data, standard schematic drawings, specifications and installation instructions.
- 4.3 Samples are physical examples submitted by the Contractor of materials, equipment or workmanship to establish a standard that the Contractor is required to meet.
- 4.4 The Contractor and the Municipality shall adhere to the submittal and scheduling requirements for Shop Drawings, product data and Samples set out in the Technical Specifications and Drawings.
- 4.5 By approving and submitting Shop Drawings and samples, the Contractor represents that the Contractor has determined and verified all field measurements, field construction criteria, materials, catalog numbers and similar data and that he or she has checked and coordinated each Shop Drawing and Sample with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

- 4.6 The Municipality's approval of Shop Drawings, product data and Samples shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for any deviation from the requirements of the Contract Documents unless the Contractor has previously informed the Municipality of the deviation in a separate writing at the time of submission and received written approval for the specific deviations. The Municipality's approval shall not relieve the Contractor from responsibility for errors or omissions in the shop drawings, product data or samples.
- 4.7 No portion of the Work requiring Shop Drawings, product data or Sample submission shall be commenced until the appropriate submission has been approved by the Municipality.
- 4.8 Any portions of the Work requiring Shop Drawings, product data and Samples shall be installed in accordance with the approved Shop Drawings, product data and Samples.

ARTICLE 5 - SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Each Contractor shall deliver to the Municipality and receive approval prior to commencing work, a detailed schedule concerning his or her operations upon the Project on a form acceptable to the Municipality, which shall indicate completion within the specified time frame, to the satisfaction of the Municipality.
- 5.2 During the term of this Agreement, the Municipality may require any Contractor to modify any schedules which he or she has submitted either before or after they are approved so that:
 - (a) The Work or the Project may be properly progressed.
 - (b) Changes in the Work or the Work of other Contractors are properly reflected in these schedules.

ARTICLE 6 – MATERIALS

- 6.1 All materials, equipment and articles used permanently in the Work that become the property of the Municipality shall be new unless specifically stated otherwise in the Contract.
- 6.2 Except where specifically provided otherwise, whenever any product is specified by the name, trade name, make, model or catalog number of any manufacturer or supplier, the intent is not to limit competition, but to establish a standard of quality that the Municipality has determined is necessary. The words "or equal" shall be deemed inserted in each instance. The Contractor may use any product equal to that named in the Contract Documents that is approved by the Municipality and which meets the requirements of the Contract Documents provided the Contractor gives timely notice of his or her intent in accordance with the submittal and scheduling requirements.
- 6.3 The Contractor shall have the burden of proving at the Contractor's own cost and expense to the satisfaction of the Municipality that the proposed product is equal to the named product. The Municipality may establish criteria for product approval. The Municipal Representative shall determine in his or her absolute discretion whether a proposed product is to be approved.
- 6.4 If the Contractor fails to comply with the provisions of this Article, or if the Municipal

- Representative determines that the proposed product is not equal to that named, the Contractor shall supply the product named.
- 6.5 The Contractor shall have and make no claim for the extension of time or for damages because the Municipal Representative requires a reasonable period of time to consider a product proposed by the Contractor or because the Municipal Representative disapproves such a product.
- Where optional materials or methods are specified, or where "or equal" submissions are approved, the Contractor shall make all adjustments to contingent work, whether the contingent work be the Work of its contract or the Work of another Contract, necessary to accommodate the option or "or equal" product it selects without extra or additional cost.
- 6.7 The Contractor shall within **48 hours** remove from the Premises all materials rejected by the Municipality as failing to conform to the Contract, whether incorporated in the Work or not, and the Contractor shall promptly substitute satisfactory materials in accordance with the Contract and without expense to the Municipality. In addition, the Contractor shall bear the expense of making good all work of other contractors destroyed or damaged by such removal or replacement.
- Royalties and patents: The Contractor shall pay all royalties and license fees. The Contractor shall defend all suits or claims for infringement of any patent rights and shall defend, indemnify and save the Municipality harmless from loss on account thereof, except that the Municipality shall be responsible for all such loss when a particular design, process or the product of a particular manufacturer or manufacturers is specified.
- 6.9 Asbestos Free Materials: All materials used for construction shall be free of asbestos containing materials. If asbestos is found in installed products not previously approved by the Municipality, then it will be the responsibility of the Contractor to abate the asbestos containing material and replace the work with new asbestos free materials at no cost to the Municipality.
- 6.10 The Contractor agrees that if the value of this Contract exceeds \$100,000 all structural steel, reinforcing steel and other major steel items to be incorporate in the Work of this Contract shall be produced and made in whole or substantial part in the United States, its territories or possessions.

ARTICLE 7 - CONTRACTOR'S SUPERVISION

- 7.1 The Contractor shall designate a competent supervisor for the Work to represent the Contractor at the site at all times with authority to act for the Contractor ("Contractor's Representative"). The Contractor shall notify the Municipality in writing of the identity of the Contractor's Representative prior to the commencement of the Work. All directions given the Contractor's Representative shall be as binding as if given to the Contractor.
- 7.2 Should the Municipality deem any employee of the Contractor incompetent or negligent or for any cause unfit for his or her duty, the Contractor shall dismiss such employee and he or she shall not again be employed on the Work.
- 7.3 The Contractor's use of any Subcontractor shall not diminish the Contractor's obligations to complete the Work in accordance with the Contract. The Contractor shall control and

- coordinate the Work of its Subcontractors.
- 7.4 The Contractor shall be responsible for informing its Subcontractors and suppliers of all the terms, conditions and requirements of the Contract Documents including, but not limited to the General Conditions, Appendices, the Summary of and Implementation Guidelines for § 139-J of the State Finance Law, the Agreement Form, Other Sample Forms, Federal Labor Standards Provisions, Prevailing Wage Rates, the Technical Specifications and Drawings, the Bid Notice and Instructions to Bidders, and changes made by any other Addenda.

ARTICLE 8 – USE OF PREMISES

- 8.1 If the Premises are occupied, the Contractor, the Contractor's Subcontractors and their employees shall comply with the regulations governing access to, operation of, and conduct while in or on the Premises and shall perform the Work in such a manner as not to unreasonably interrupt or interfere with the conduct of business.
- 8.2 The Contractor, the Contractor's Subcontractors and their employees shall not have access to or be admitted into any area of the Premises outside the Site except with the written permission of the Municipality.

ARTICLE 9 - PERMITS AND COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS

- 9.1 The Contractor shall obtain, maintain and pay for all permits and licenses legally required and shall give all notices, pay all fees, and comply with all laws, rules and regulations applicable to the Work at no additional cost.
- 9.2 Contractor shall comply with all federal and state laws, codes and regulations applicable to the conduct of the activities authorized by this Contract.
- 9.3 If, in carrying out this Work, a harmful dust hazard is created for which appliances or methods for the elimination of harmful dust have been approved by the Industrial Board of Appeals, then the Contractor shall install, maintain and effectively operate such appliances and methods during the life of this Contract; and in case of Contractor's failure to comply, as provided by Section 222-a of the Labor Law, the Contract shall be void.
- In accordance with Worker's Compensation Law (WCL) §141-b (Suspension and Debarment), any person subject to a final assessment of civil fines or penalties or a stopwork order, or that has been convicted of a misdemeanor for a violation of WCL §§ 26 (Enforcement of Payment in Default), 52 (Effect of Failure to Secure Compensation) or 131 (Payroll Records), and any substantially-owned affiliated entity of such person, shall be ineligible to submit a bid on or be awarded any such public work contract or subcontract with the State, any municipal corporation or public body for a period of one (1) year from the final determination or conviction. Any person convicted of a felony under Article 8 (Administration) of the WCL, or a misdemeanor under WCL §§125 (Job Description Prohibited Based on Prior Receipt of Benefits) and 125-a (Civil Enforcement) shall be ineligible to submit a bid or be awarded any public work contract or subcontract with the State, any municipal corporation or public body for a period of **five (5) years** from such conviction.

- 9.5 The Contractor certifies and warrants that all heavy-duty vehicles, as defined in New York State Environmental Conservation Law (ECL) section 19-0323, to be used under this Contract, will comply with the specifications and provisions of ECL section 19-0323 and any regulations promulgated pursuant thereto, which requires the use of BART and ULSD, unless specifically waived by New York State Department of Environmental Conservation. Qualification for a waiver under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor.
- 9.6 During the term of this Contract, the Contractor agrees to report any observed or suspected illegal activity of its employees, agents or other third parties, to the Municipality, the State Inspector General or other law enforcement agency. Failure to report criminal conduct associated with a contract awarded by the Municipality, shall be considered a material breach of this Contract and may provide grounds for disqualification of the subject Contractor or Subcontractor for award of future contracts. The Contractor shall include the provisions of this section in every subcontract, in such a manner that the provisions will be binding upon each Subcontractor as to work performed in connection with this Contract.

ARTICLE 10 - INSPECTION AND MATERIAL ACCEPTANCE

- 10.1 The Municipality will inspect and test the Work at reasonable times at the Site, unless the Municipality determines to make an inspection or test at the place of production, manufacture or shipment. Such inspection or test shall be conclusive as to whether the material and workmanship inspected or tested conforms to the requirements of the Contract. Such inspection or test shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for damage to or loss of the material prior to acceptance. Conducting inspections or tests shall not diminish the Municipality the right to reject the completed Work. The Contractor shall, without charge, promptly correct any Work the Municipality determines does not conform to the Contract Documents unless in the public interest the Municipality consents to accept such Work with an appropriate adjustment in the Contract price. The Contractor shall promptly remove rejected material from the Premises.
- 10.2 If the Contractor does not promptly correct rejected Work including the Work of another contractor or Subcontractor destroyed or damaged by removal, replacement, or correction, the Municipal Representative may (1) correct such Work and charge the cost thereof to the Contractor; or (2) terminate the Contract in accordance with **Article 15 of General Conditions**.
- 10.3 The Contractor shall furnish promptly, without additional charge, all facilities, labor, material and equipment reasonably needed to perform in a safe and convenient manner such inspections and tests, as the Municipal Representative requires.
- 10.4 The Contractor shall keep the Municipal Representative informed of the progress of the Work and particularly when the Contractor intends to cover Work not yet inspected or tested. All inspection and tests by the Municipal Representative shall be performed in such manner as not to unreasonably delay the Work. The Contractor shall be charged with any additional cost of inspection when the Work is not ready at the time specified by the Municipal Representative for inspection.
- 10.5 Should the Municipal Representative determine at any time before acceptance of the entire Work to examine Work already completed by removing, uncovering or testing the same,

the Contractor shall, on request, promptly furnish all necessary facilities, labor, materials and equipment to conduct such inspection, examination or test. If such Work is found to be defective or nonconforming in any material respect, the Contractor shall defray all the expenses of such examination and satisfactory reconstruction. If the Work is found to meet the requirements of the Contract Documents, the Municipal Representative shall compensate the Contractor for additional services involved in such examination and reconstruction. If completion of the Work has been delayed, the contractor may request a suitable extension of time.

- 10.6 No previous inspection or certificates of payment shall relieve the Contractor from the obligation to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- 10.7 The Contractor shall remedy all defects and pay for the cost of any damage to other Work resulting therefrom, notice of which shall have been provided within a period of **one** (1) **year** from the Physical Completion Date in accordance with the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 11 – CHANGE ORDERS

- 11.1 The Municipality may make changes by altering, adding to or deducting from the Work, and adjusting the Contract price accordingly. All changes to the Work shall be executed in conformity with the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents unless otherwise provided in the Order on Contract. Any change in the Contract sum or time for completion shall be adjusted prior to issuing the Order on Contract.
- 11.2 No written or oral instructions shall be construed as directing a change in the Work unless in the form of an Order of Contract signed by the Municipality and the Contractor. The Order of Contract shall describe or enumerate the Work to be performed and state the price to be added to or deducted from the Contract sum. If the extent or cost of the Work is not determinable until after the changed Work is performed, the Order on Contact shall specify the method for determining the cost and extent of the changed Work when completed. If the Contractor disagrees as to any element of the Order on Contract, the Contractor shall indicate the disagreement in writing on the face of the Order on Contract and promptly proceed in accordance with the Order on Contract.
- 11.3 If the Contractor is directed to perform Work for which the Contractor believes he or she is entitled to an Order of Contract, the Contractor shall give the Municipal Representative prompt written notice and await instructions before proceeding to execute such Work. The Municipal Representative may order the Contractor to execute the Work and proceed under the Disputes Clause.
- 11.4 The value of any Order of Contract shall be determined by one or more of the following methods:
 - (a) By acceptance of prices negotiated or established based on estimated cost plus overhead and profit as applicable.
 - (b) By Prices specifically named in the Technical Specifications or Bid Form.
 - (c) By acceptance of agreed unit prices based on estimated cost plus overhead and profit as applicable.

- (d) By estimate of the actual cost of labor and materials plus overhead and profit, cost to be determined as the work progresses.
- (e) By actual cost of labor and materials plus overhead and profit, cost to be determined as the work progresses.
- (f) By estimate of the value as deducible from the approved detailed estimate.
- 11.5 Overhead shall be defined as an allowance to compensate for all costs, charges and expenses, direct or indirect, except for the actual cost of labor and materials as defined by **paragraph 11.6**. Overhead shall be considered to include, but not limited to insurance (other than as mentioned in **paragraph 11.6**) bond or bonds, field and office supervisors and assistants above the level of foreman, use of small tools and minor equipment, incidental job burdens, general office expenses, etc.
- 11.6 Actual cost of labor and material shall be defined as the amount paid for the following costs, to the extent determined reasonable and necessary:
 - (a) Cost of materials delivered to the job site for incorporation into the Contract Work. The value of any material removed and disposed of by the Contractor shall be a credit to the Municipality.
 - (b) Wages paid to workers and foreman and wage supplements paid to labor organizations in accordance with current labor agreements.
 - (c) Premiums or taxes paid by the Contractor for Worker's compensation insurance, unemployment insurance, FICA tax and other payroll taxes as required by law, net of actual and anticipated refunds and rebates.
 - (d) Sales taxes paid as required by law.
 - (e) Allowance for use of construction equipment (exclusive of hand tools and minor equipment), as approved for use by the Municipal Representative.
 - i. Rented equipment will be paid for at the actual rental cost.
 - ii. Gasoline, oil and grease required for operation and maintenance will be paid for at the actual cost.
 - iii. When, in the opinion of the Contractor, and as approved by the Municipal Representative, suitable equipment is not available on the site, the moving of said equipment to and from the site will be paid for at actual cost.
 - iv. Self-owned equipment, including equipment rented from controlled or affiliated companies. The rate on self-owned equipment used for periods of under **five** (5) **days** will be an hourly rate established by taking any published rate which is mutually acceptable to the Contractor and the Municipal Representative and determining an hourly rate on the basis of **twenty-two** (22) **days** per month and **eight** (8) **hours** per day. Equipment used for periods of **five** (5) **days** or more will be billed at a rate equal to forty-five percent (45%) of the monthly rate. In the alternative, the Municipal Representative may approve for reimbursement a rate representing the allocable costs of ownership.
- 11.7 Regardless of the method used to determine the value of any Order of Contract, the

- Contractor will be required to submit evidence satisfactory to the Municipal Representative to substantiate each and every item that constitutes his or her proposal of the value of the change. The amounts allowed for overhead and profit shall not exceed the applicable percentages as established in the two following paragraphs.
- 11.8 If the work is done directly by the Contractor, overhead in an amount of ten percent (10%) may be added if method (a), (c), (d) or (e) is used, and to the cost of the labor and materials plus overhead there may be added ten percent (10%) for profit. The percentages for overhead and profit may vary accordingly to the nature, extent and complexity of the Work involved, but in no case shall exceed the percentages set forth in this paragraph and in **paragraph 11.9**. No percentages for overhead and profit will be allowed on payroll taxes or on the premium portion of overhead pay.
- 11.9 If the Work is done by a subcontractor, subcontractor's overhead in the amount of five percent (5%) may be added to the cost of labor and materials if method (a), (c), (d), and (e) is used and to the cost of labor and materials plus overhead there may be added ten percent (10%) for the subcontractor's profit. No percentage for overhead and profit will be allowed on payroll taxes or on the premium portion of overtime pay. However, to the extent that the aggregate dollar value of Orders on Contract exceeds \$75,000, the ten percent (10%) overhead applied to total costs of labor and materials incurred by the prime Contractor shall be reduced to five percent (5%). In addition, on all individual Orders of Contract in excess of \$75,000, the overhead shall be no more than five percent (5%) of the total actual cost of labor and materials incurred by the Contractor, and the combined Contractor's overhead and profit allowance applied to subcontract billings shall be no more than five percent (5%).
- 11.10 The Municipal Representative shall determine by which of the foregoing methods of value of any changes shall be computed.
- 11.11 In computing the value of an Order on Contract which involved additions and deductions of Work and the added Work exceeds the omitted Work, overhead and profit shall be computed on the amount by which the cost of additional labor material exceeds the cost of the omitted labor and material, except no additional overhead and profit shall be allowed on value of work determined by method (b).
- 11.12 In computing the value of an Order of Contract which involves deductions and additions of Work and the omitted work exceeds the added Work, the Contractor will be allowed to retain the overhead and profit on the amount by which the omitted Work exceeds the added Work, except that no overhead and profit shall be retained on value of Work determined by method (b).
- 11.13 The Contractor may retain overhead and profit on an Order of Contract which involved deductions only, except that no overhead and profit shall be considered on value of Work determined by method (b).

ARTICLE 12 - SITE CONDITIONS

12.1 If the Contractor encounters subsurface or other latent physical conditions at the Site which differ substantially from those shown, described or indicated in such information provided in the Contract Documents or from any information which is a public record

and which subsurface or other latent physical condition could not have been reasonably anticipated from that information or from the Contractor's own inspection and examination of the Site, the Contractor shall give immediate written notice to the Municipal Representative before any such condition is disturbed. The Municipal Representative shall promptly investigate and, if it is determined that the conditions substantially differ from those that should have been reasonably anticipated, shall make such changes in the Contract Documents as may be required. If necessary, the Contract sum and completion date shall be adjusted by Change Order, to reflect any increase or decrease in the cost of, or time required for, performance of the Contract.

- 12.2 The Contractor shall protect trees, shrubbery and other natural features or structures within the Premises from being cut, trimmed, or injured, unless directed by the Municipal Representative for preparing the Site for the Work. The Contractor shall prevent employees from tramping in the shrubbery and vehicles from being driven through wooded lands. When necessary, the Contractor shall protect trees adjacent to the premises in a matter satisfactory to the Municipal Representative.
- 12.3 The Contractor shall provide and replant at its own expense trees, shrubbery, and other natural features destroyed or damaged. The Contractor shall conduct its operations within the Premises as directed by the Municipal Representative.

ARTICLE 13 – SUSPENSION OF WORK

- 13.1 Suspension of Work: The Municipal Representative may order the Contractor in writing to suspend, delay, or interrupt performance of all or any part of the Work for a reasonable period of time as the Municipal Representative, in his or her sole discretion, may determine ("Suspension Order"). The order shall contain the reason or reasons for issuance that may include but shall not be limited to the following: latent field conditions, substantial program revisions, civil unrest, and acts of God.
 - 13.1.1 Upon receipt of a Suspension Order, the Contractor shall, as soon as practicable, cease performance of the Work as ordered and take immediate affirmative measures to protect such Work from loss or damage.
 - 13.1.2 The Contractor specifically agrees that a suspension, interruption or delay of the performance of the Work pursuant to this Article shall not increase the cost of performance of the Work of this Contract.
 - 13.1.3 A Suspension Order issued by the Municipal Representative pursuant to this Article shall have duration not to exceed **thirty (30) days**. If the Contractor is not directed to resume performance of the Work affected by said Suspension Order prior to the expiration of **thirty (30) days**, the Contract may be terminated for the convenience of the Municipality and the Contractor shall be reimbursed as provided by **Article 15**.
- 13.2 Stop Work Orders: If the Work is defective, or Contractor fails to supply sufficient skilled workers or suitable materials or equipment, or fails to furnish or perform the Work in such a way that the completed Work will conform to the Contract Documents, the Municipal Representative may order Contractor to stop the Work, or any portion thereof, until the cause for such order has been eliminated; however, this right of the

Municipal Representative to stop the Work shall not give rise to any duty on the part of the Municipal Representative to exercise this right for the benefit of Contractor or any other party.

- 13.2.1 Contractor shall bear all direct, indirect and consequential costs of such order to Contractor to stop Work including but not limited to fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys and other professionals, any additional expenses incurred by the Municipality due to delays to others performing work under a separate contract with the Municipal Representative, and other contractual obligations, and Contractor shall further bear the responsibility for maintaining schedule and shall not be entitled to any extension of contract time or recovery of any delay damages due to the order to stop Work.
- 13.2.2 In the event that Contractor fails to pay such costs within **thirty (30) days** after receipt of an invoice from the Municipality, a Change Order or proposed Change Order may be issued incorporating the unpaid amount as an appropriate reduction in the Contract Price. If the parties are unable to agree as to the amount thereof, the Contractor may make a claim therefore as provided in **Article 11** of the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 14 - TIME OF COMPLETION AND TERMINATION FOR CAUSE

- 14.1 All time limits set forth in this Contract are of the essence. Failure by the Contractor to meet with the Contract deadlines shall be cause for the Municipality to assess Liquidated Damages.
- 14.2 Termination for Cause. In addition to all other rights of termination provided by law and in this Contract, if any one or more of the following events shall occur, that is to say:
 - 14.2.1 If Contractor commences a voluntary case under any chapter of the Bankruptcy Code, as now or hereafter in effect, or if Contractor takes any equivalent or similar action by filing a petition or otherwise under any other federal or state law in effect at such time relating to the bankruptcy or insolvency;
 - 14.2.2 If a petition is filed against Contractor under any chapter of the Bankruptcy Code as now or hereafter in effect at the time of filing, or if a petition is filed seeking any such equivalent or similar relief against Contractor under any other federal or state law in effect at the time relating to bankruptcy or insolvency;
 - 14.2.3 If Contractor makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors;
 - 14.2.4 If a trustee, receiver, custodian or agent of Contractor is appointed under applicable law or under contract, whose appointment or authority to take charge of property of Contractor is for the purpose of enforcing a lien against such property or for the purpose of general administration of such property for the benefit of Contractor's creditors;
 - 14.2.5 If Contractor admits in writing an inability to pay its debts generally as they become due;
 - 14.2.6 If Contractor fails to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents, including, but not limited to, failure to supply sufficient skilled

- workers, or suitable materials or equipment, or failure to adhere to the progress schedule established under **Article 5.1** as revised from time to time or failure to submit an updated schedule as required by **Article 5.2**;
- 14.2.7 If Contractor disregards the authority of the Municipal Representative; or
- 14.2.8 If Contractor filed certification in accordance with New York State Finance Law § 139-k which was intentionally false or intentionally incomplete.
- 14.3 If in the judgment of the Municipal Representative, the Contractor fails or refuses to prosecute the Work in accordance with the Contract or fails to complete the Work within the time provided by the Contract, the Municipal Representative may terminate the Contract by written notice to the Contractor in the manner set forth in Article 28.2 herein and to the Surety in the manner set forth in the Performance Bond. In such event, the Municipal Representative shall direct the Surety to complete the Work. If the Surety fails or refuses to complete the Work, the Municipal Representative may take over the Work and prosecute it to completion by contract publicly let or otherwise, and may take possession of and utilize in completing the Work, such of the Contractor's materials, equipment and plant as may be on the Site of the Work. Whether or not the right to terminate is exercised, the Contractor and the Surety shall be liable for any damage to the Municipality resulting from the Contractor's failure or refusal to complete the Work in accordance with the Contract or his or her failure to complete the Work within the time provided by the Contract.
- 14.4 If the Municipal Representative terminates the Contract for failure to prosecute the Work, in addition to any damages provided for by law, the delay shall occasion the payment of damages by Contractor which shall consist of Liquidated Damages until the Work is physically completed, plus any increased costs the Municipality incurs in completing the Work.
- 14.5 The Contract shall not be so terminated nor the Contractor charged with resulting damage if:
 - (a) The delay in the completion of the Work arises from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor including, but not restricted to, acts of God, acts of the public enemy, acts of another Contractor in the performance of a contract with the Municipality, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, unusually severe weather, or delays of subcontractors or suppliers arising from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of both the Contractor and such subcontractors or suppliers; and
 - (b) The Contractor shall notify the Municipal Representative in writing of the causes of delay within **ten (10) days** from when the Contractor knew or ought to have known of any such delay.
- 14.6 The Municipal Representative will ascertain the facts and the extent of the delay and extend the time for completing the Work when, in the Municipal Representative's judgment, the findings of fact justify such an extension, and his or her findings of fact shall be final and conclusive on the parties, subject only to appeal as provided in these General Conditions.
- 14.7 If after notice of termination of the Contract, it is determined for any reason that the Contractor was not in default or that the delay was excusable, the rights and obligations of

- the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to the termination for convenience clause.
- 14.8 The rights and remedies of the Municipality provided in this clause are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract, provided that damages for delay incurred by the Contractor shall be as specified in **Articles 14.3 and 14.4**.
- 14.9 The Municipality reserves the right to terminate this Contract in the event it is found that the certification filed by the Contractor in accordance with New York State Finance Law §139-k was intentionally false or intentionally incomplete. Upon such finding, the Municipality may exercise its termination right by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the written notification terms of the Contract.
- 14.10 Liquidated Damages: The work represented in this Contract is part of a comprehensive program, undertaken by the Municipality in the belief that the expenditures are justified by the benefits which accrue to the public. If the public does not get the full and complete use of facilities for which the expenditures are made, a resulting financial loss cannot be exactly computed. Accordingly, a deduction, indicated below or in the Notice to Bidders, will be made from the Contract price for every calendar day after the completion date specified in the Contract Documents for which the Contract is not completed in every detail. Said sum, because of the difficulty in determining accurately the loss to the Municipality, is hereby fixed and agreed as the Liquidated Damages that the Municipality will suffer by reason of such delay, and not as a penalty; such Liquidated Damages, as defined for this Project, are understood and agreed to be the actual cost of all extra inspection, salaries of contingent force, and other engineering expenses entailed upon the Municipality as a result of such delay. The Liquidated Damages set forth herein apply only to a delay in completion of the Project and in no way are such damages to be interpreted as being the Municipality's exclusive remedy under the Contract or in Law.

14.11 Contractor Responsibility:

- (a) Contractor shall at all times during the contract term remain a responsible vendor. Contractor agrees, if requested by the Municipality, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, its integrity, experience, ability, prior performance and organizational and financial capacity to carry out the terms of this contract.
- (b) The Municipality reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this contract, at any time, when the Municipality discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of Contractor. In the event of such suspension, Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contractual activities may resume at such time as the Municipality issues a written notice authorizing resumption of contractual activities.
- (c) Notwithstanding the provision of **Article 14** of the contract pertaining to Termination and Revocation, upon written notice to Contractor and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with appropriate Municipality staff, this contract may be terminated by the Municipality at Contractor's expense where

Contractor is determined by the Municipality to be non-responsible. In such event, the Municipality may pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

ARTICLE 15 – TERMINATION OF CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYMENT FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY

- 15.1 The Municipal Representative may terminate this Contract whenever in the Municipal Representative's judgment the public interest so requires by delivering to the Contractor a notice of termination specifying the extent to which performance of Work under the Contract is terminated and the date upon which such termination becomes effective. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, the Contractor shall act promptly to minimize the expenses resulting from such termination. The Municipality shall pay the Contractor the sum of:
 - (a) The costs actually incurred up to the effective date of such termination,
 - (b) The cost of settling and paying claims arising out of the termination of Work under subcontracts or orders exclusive of the amounts paid or payable on account of supplies or materials delivered or services furnished by the subcontractor prior to the effective date of the Notice of Termination of Work under this Contract, which amounts shall be included in the cost on account of which payment is made under (a) above, and
 - (c) The rate of profit and overhead on (a) and (b). If the Contractor would have sustained a documentable loss on the entire Contract had it been completed, no profit shall be included or allowed under this subparagraph and an appropriate adjustment shall be made reducing the amount of the settlement to reflect the indicated rate of loss.
- 15.2 In no event shall the Contractor's compensation exceed the total Contract amount.
- 15.3 The amount of progress payments made to the Contractor prior to the date of termination was effective shall not be conclusive evidence of costs incurred, but progress payments shall be offset against any payment which the Municipality makes to the Contractor as a result of such termination.

ARTICLE 16 – DISPUTES

16.1 The Contractor shall submit any dispute relating to the performance of this Contract to the Municipal Representative, who shall reduce his or her decision to writing and furnish a copy thereof to the Contractor in accordance with Appendix A – Supplementary Terms & Conditions. The Contractor shall submit the matter in dispute to the Municipal Representative in writing no more than fifteen (15) days after he or she knew or should have known of the facts which are the basis of the dispute.

Upon appeal, the decision of the Municipal Representative shall be final and conclusive unless the decision is fraudulent, capricious, arbitrary or so grossly erroneous as necessarily to imply bad faith or is not supported by substantial evidence. In connection

with any appeal proceeding held pursuant to this Article, the Contractor shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard and to offer evidence in support of his or her appeal. Pending final determination of a dispute hereunder, the Contractor shall proceed diligently with the performance of the Contract in accordance with the Municipal Representative's decision. Nothing in this Contract shall be construed as making final the decision of any administrative official upon a question of law.

ARTICLE 17 - STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE UTILIZATIONS OF MINORITY AND WOMEN OWNED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES

17.1 The Contractor shall make a good faith effort to solicit active participation in the Work by enterprises identified in the directory of certified businesses obtainable from the Division of Minority and Women's Business Development, New York State Department of Economic Development in accordance with Part II of the Contract Documents, Section 6 of the Supplementary Conditions.

ARTICLE 18 – SUBCONTRACTS

- 18.1 Before any part of the Contract shall be sublet, the Contractor shall submit to the Municipal Representative in writing the name of each proposed Subcontractor and supplier and obtain the Municipal Representative's written consent to such Subcontractor and supplier. The names shall be submitted in ample time to permit acceptance or rejection of each proposed Subcontractor by the Municipal Representative without causing delay in the work of the Project.
- 18.2 If the value of the Subcontract is \$10,000 or more, the Contractor shall promptly furnish a "NEW YORK STATE VENDOR RESPONSIBILITY QUESTIONNAIRE FOR PROFIT CONSTRUCTION (CCA-2)" for each Subcontractor and receive approval of the same prior to delivery of materials or performance of work from this Subcontractor.
- 18.3 The Contractor's use of subcontractors shall not diminish the Contractor's obligations to complete the work in accordance with the Contract. Each Contractor shall control and coordinate the work of his or her Subcontractors.
- 18.4 The Contractor shall be responsible for informing the Subcontractors of all the terms, conditions and requirements of the Contract Documents including, but not limited to the General Conditions and the Technical Specifications.

ARTICLE 19 - COORDINATION OF SEPARATE CONTRACTS (WICKS LAW AFFECTED PROJECTS)

19.1 The Municipality may award other contracts related to the Work. In that event, the Contractor shall coordinate his or her work with the Work of other contractors in such manner as the Municipality may direct. All contractors shall exchange working drawings, examine them and report any interferences or objections to the Municipal Representative, in order to avoid delays. Each contractor shall control and coordinate the work of his or her Subcontractors, if any. The Municipality shall approve or require the modification of

- the work schedules of all contractors to the end that the Project may be progressed as expeditiously as the case permits.
- 19.2 If any part of the Work depends for proper execution or results upon the work of any other contractor, the Contractor shall inspect and promptly report in writing to the Municipal Representative any defects in such work. The failure to inspect and report shall constitute an acceptance of the other contractor's work as fit and proper for the reception of the Contractor's Work.
- 19.3 The Municipal Representative shall issue appropriate directions and take such other measure to coordinate and progress the Work as may be reserved to the Municipality in the Contract, and which an ordinarily reasonable project owner in similar circumstances would be expected to take. However, the Municipality shall not be liable for mere errors in judgment as to the best course of action to adopt among the alternatives available in any given instance.
- 19.4 The award of more than one contract for the Project requires sequential or otherwise interrelated contractor operations and will involve inherent coordination in the progress of any individual contractor's work. Accordingly, the Municipality cannot guarantee the unimpeded operations of any contractor. The Contractor acknowledges these conditions and understands that he or she shall bear the risk of all ordinary delays caused by the presence or operations of other contractors engaged upon the project, and ordinary delays attendant upon any Municipality approved construction schedule. Should a contractor sustain damage through any act or omission of any other contractor, the contractor shall have no claim against the Municipality.
- 19.5 The Municipality shall not be liable for ordinary delays in any case nor for extraordinary delays that occur due to any contractor's failure to comply with directions of the Municipality or because of the neglect, failure or inability of any contractor to perform his or her work efficiently.
- 19.6 Any claim for extraordinary delay caused by an allegedly unreasonable or arbitrary act, or failure to act, by the Municipal Representative in the exercise of his or her responsibility for supervision and coordination of the Work, shall be waived, released and discharged unless the Contractor whose work is impeded or delayed thereby, shall give notice in writing to the Municipal Representative as promptly as possible and in sufficient time to permit the Municipal Representative to investigate appropriate instructions.
- 19.7 The neglect or refusal of a Contractor to comply with supervisory directions issued by the Municipal Representative pursuant to his or her responsibility for supervision of the Work shall constitute a failure to progress the work diligently in accordance with the Contract requirements and shall justify withholding payments otherwise due, or termination of the Contract as detailed in **Article 15**.
- 19.8 The Contractor shall indemnify the Municipality for damages recovered against the Municipality by another contractor to the extent that any such claim or judgment is the proximate cause of the Contractor's failure to progress the work in accordance with Contract requirements.

ARTICLE 20 - RESPONSIBILITY FOR DAMAGE AND INDEMNIFICATION

- 20.1 The Contractor shall faithfully perform and complete all of the work required by the Contract, and has full responsibility for the following risks:
 - (a) Loss or damage, direct or indirect; to the Work including the building or structure in which the Work is being performed, or any other construction in progress, whether being performed by any other contractor or by the Municipality, or to any plant, equipment, tools, materials or property furnished, used, installed, or received by the Municipal Representative under this Contract or any other contract. The Contractor shall bear all such risk of loss or damage, until all of the Work covered by the Contract has been finally accepted. In the event of such loss or damage, the Contractor shall forthwith repair, replace, and make good any such loss or damage without additional costs.
 - (b) Injury to persons (including death resulting therefrom), or damage to property caused by an occurrence arising out of the performance of this Contract for which the Contractor may be liable under any theory of law.
- 20.2 Contractor assumes all risks in the performance of all activities authorized by this Contract and agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Municipality, their officers, employees, agents and assigns (hereinafter, collectively the "Indemnitees") from and against any and all claims, suits, losses, damage or injury to persons or property of whatsoever kind and nature, whether direct or indirect, caused or contributed to by Contractor and Contractor's sub-contractors, vendors, material suppliers, employees, agents, invitees and guests, and/or arising out of Contractor's conduct and/or Contractor's performance pursuant to this Contract, provided however that Contractor's indemnity shall not extend to any claims, liabilities, losses, damages, expenses, accidents or occurrences arising out of, relating to, or in connection with: (i) the negligence of any Indemnitee; or (ii) the Indemnitees' ordinary upkeep and maintenance of grounds and facilities outside of the Premises. Contractor shall defend at its sole cost and expense any action commenced for the purpose of asserting any claim of whatsoever character arising out of this Contract. Contractor's responsibility under this section shall not be limited to the required or available insurance coverage.
- 20.3 For all purposes hereunder, the Municipality shall not be liable for any injury, loss or damage to Contractor, its agents, servants, sub-contractors, vendors, invitees and guests, or to any person happening on, in or about the Premises or its appurtenances, nor for any injury or damage to the Premises or to any property belonging to Contractor or to any other person, that may be caused by fire, theft, breakage, vandalism or any other use or misuse or abuse of any portion of the Premises, including but not limited to any common areas, sidewalks, roads, or water in or adjacent to the Premises, or that may arise from any other cause whatsoever, unless, and only to the extent of the proportion of which any such injury, loss or damage is determined to be caused by the negligence of the Municipality.
- 20.4 The Municipality shall not be liable to Contractor, its agents, contractors, vendors, invitees and guests, or any other person, for any failure of water supply, gas supply or electric current, nor for any injury or damage to any property of Contractor or any other person or

to the Premises, caused by or resulting from spill or release of gasoline, oil, steam, gas, or electricity, or caused by leakage of any substance from pipes, appliances, sewers or plumbing works, or caused by hurricane, flood, tornado, wind or similar storm or disturbance, or caused by water, rain or snow that may leak or flow from the street, sewers or subsurface areas, or from any part of the Premises or any body of water within or adjacent to the Premises, or caused by any public or quasi-public work, unless, and only to the extent of the proportion by which any such injury, loss or damage is determined to be caused by the negligence of the Municipality.

- 20.5 The Municipality may retain such monies from the amount due the Contractor as may be necessary to satisfy any claim for damages recovered against the Municipality. The Contractor's obligations under this paragraph shall not be deemed waived by the failure of the Municipality to retain the whole or any part of such monies due the Contractor, nor shall such obligation be deemed limited or discharged by the enumeration or procurement of any insurance for liability for damages imposed by law upon the Contractor, Subcontractor or the Municipality.
- 20.6 The Contractor agrees to make no claim for damages in the performance of the Contract occasioned by any act or omission to act of the Municipality or its representatives and agrees that any such claim shall be fully compensated for by an extension of time to complete performance of the Work as provided herein.
- 20.7 The Contractor shall not create or cause to be created any lien, encumbrance or charge upon the Premises, the Municipality or any part thereof. If any mechanics, laborers or similar statutory or common law lien (including tax liens, provided that the underlying tax is an obligation of Contractor by law or by a provision of this Contract) caused or created by Contractor is filed against the Premises, or if any public improvement lien created or caused to be created by Contractor is filed against any assets of, or funds appropriated by the Municipality, then Contractor shall, within forty-five (45) days after receipt of notice of the lien, cause it to be vacated or discharged of record by payment, deposit, bond, court order, or otherwise. However, Contractor shall not be required to discharge any such lien if Contractor shall have: (i) furnished the Municipality with, at Contractor's option, a cash deposit, bond, letter of credit (from an institutional lender in a form satisfactory to the Municipality), or other security reasonably satisfactory to the Municipality in an amount sufficient to discharge the lien and all applicable interest, penalties and/or costs; and (ii) brought an appropriate legal proceeding to discharge the lien and is prosecuting such proceeding with diligence and continuity; except that if despite Contractor's efforts to discharge the lien the Municipality reasonably believes the lien is about to be foreclosed and so notifies Contractor, Contractor shall immediately cause such lien to be discharged of record or the Municipality may use the security furnished by Contractor in order to discharge the lien.

ARTICLE 21 - INSURANCE

21.1 General Requirements

(a) Insurance coverage shall be provided only by an insurance carrier rated A-, Class VII or better throughout the term of this Contract. Such carrier shall be duly licensed in the State of New York.

- (b) All insurance policies and certificates shall include the following provision: "Consistent with the requirements of Contract Documents and the State of New York, the **TOWN OF NEWCOMB** is an additional insured". Simply designating the Municipality as a "certificate holder" shall not constitute compliance with this section.
- (c) All insurance coverage shall be written such that the Municipal Representative is afforded at least **thirty (30) days** prior notice of cancellation of any insurance. No policy shall be changed by endorsement without the knowledge and consent of the Municipal Representative, and, in particular, any notice of cancellation by the insurer shall not be effective until **thirty (30) days** after the said notice is actually received by the Municipal Representative. Any notice shall be addressed to the Municipal Representative and shall be mailed via certified or registered mail and copied to the Municipality as set forth in **Article 28.2.**
- (d) Before commencing the Work, the Contractor shall furnish to the Municipal Representative a certificate or certificates of insurance showing that the Contractor has complied with this clause. In addition, for policies expiring on a fixed date before final acceptance, certificates of insurance showing their renewal must be filed not less than **thirty (30) days** before such expiration date.
- (e) Contractor shall notify the Municipality of any accidents and/or claims, including without limitation accidents or claims involving bodily injury, death or property damage, arising on or within the Premises. Such notice shall be provided in writing as soon as practicable, however in any event within **five (5) day**s of Contractor's receipt of notice of the accident or claim.

21.2 Liability Insurance

- (a) Contractor shall procure and maintain without interruption, at its sole cost and expense, during the term of this Contract (or any extensions thereof) and for a period of two years thereafter, insurance of the type, and with limits and deductibles, as follows:
 - i. <u>Commercial General Liability Insurance and Excess Liability Insurance</u>. Providing both bodily injury (including death) and property damage insurance with limits in the aggregate and per occurrence in accordance with the following table:

Construction	Commercial General Liability in combination with Excess (Umbrella)								
Contract Value	Liability								
	Each Occurrence	General Aggregate							
< \$10M	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000							
>\$10M - \$50M	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000							
>\$50M	\$10,000,000	\$10,000,000							

Such insurance is to be written on an occurrence basis with defense outside of limits. The Municipality shall be named as an additional insured. The minimum required level of insurance may be provided through a combination of commercial general liability and umbrella and/or excess liability policies.

- ii. <u>Automobile Liability and Property Damage Insurance</u>. In an amount not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) combined single limit for both Bodily Injury and Property Damage.
- iii. Professional Liability. If the Contractor is engaged in providing professional services under this Contract, professional errors and omissions coverage with a limit not less than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in the aggregate and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence. If the Contractor is not engaged in providing professional services under this Contract, this professional errors and omissions coverage is not required.
- (b) In addition to the foregoing, Contractor and any subcontractors shall procure and maintain any and all insurance which is required by any applicable current or future law, rule, regulation, ordinance, permit, license, order or other legal requirement.
- (c) All insurance shall be primary and non-contributory and shall waive subrogation against the Municipality and all of either of their former, current, or future officers, directors, and employees. No deductible of more than \$50,000 shall be permitted without advance written approval by the Municipality, which the Municipality may withhold, condition or deny in its sole and exclusive discretion.
- (d) The Contractor shall provide Certificates of Insurance to the Municipality prior to the commencement of work and shall provide full and complete copies of the actual policies and all endorsements upon request.

 Subcontractors under this Contract shall be required to maintain insurance meeting all of the requirements set forth in Section (a) above for items (i)-(iii); however Contractor shall require subcontractors to maintain greater limits and/or other or additional insurance coverages if greater limits and/or other or additional insurance coverages are (A) generally imposed by the Contractor given its normal course of business for subcontracts for similar work or services to those being provided by the subcontractor at issue; or (B) reasonable and customary in the industry for similar work or services to those anticipated hereunder.

21.3 Builder's Risk Insurance.

- (a) The Contractor shall maintain builder's risk insurance for the completed value of the Contract on the All Risk Form. Builder's Risk insurance applies only to contracts that involve buildings or structures being constructed, erected or fabricated.
- (b) In case the Municipality shall occupy all or any part of any building or buildings included in the Contract prior to the issuance of the final certificate of occupancy, the Contractor shall notify the fire insurance company or companies. Such occupancy by the Municipality shall not require consent of the insurer nor shall the insurer require any rate adjustment as a result of such occupancy.
- Worker's Compensation. Proof of Compliance with Workers' Compensation Coverage Requirements: An ACORD form is NOT acceptable proof of workers' compensation

coverage. Contractor shall provide to the Municipality one of the following forms for itself and any subcontractor prior to award:

Form 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.

Form C-105.2 (9/07) if coverage is provided by the contractor's insurance carrier, contractor must request its carrier to send this form to the Municipality, or

Form U-26.3 if coverage is provided by the State Insurance Fund, contractor must request this be sent to the Municipality

Form SI-12 Certificate of Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance

Form GSI-105.2 Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Self Insurance

In accordance with New York General Municipal Law § 108, this Contract shall be void and of no effect unless the Contractor secures compensation for the benefit of, and keeps insured during the life of the Contract, employees engaged on the Project, in compliance with the provisions of the New York Workers' Compensation law.

21.5 Disability Benefits. Proof of Compliance with Disability Benefits Coverage Requirements: An ACORD is NOT acceptable proof of disability benefits coverage. Contractor shall provide to the Municipality one of the following forms for itself and any subcontractor prior to award:

Form 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.

Form DB-120.1, Certificate of Disability Benefits Insurance

Form DB-155, Certificate of Disability Benefits Self Insurance

ARTICLE 22 - OCCUPANCY PRIOR TO COMPLETION AND ACCEPTANCE

22.1 The Municipality shall have the right to take possession of or use any completed or partially completed portion of the Work. Written notice of such possession shall be given to the Contractor by the Municipal Representative. The notice shall identify the date when such possession shall commence and the area, equipment or system involved. Written notice shall also be given to the Contractor for any cessation of such possession by the Municipality. Such possession or use shall not be deemed an acceptance of any Work. While the Municipality is in such possession, the Contractor, notwithstanding the provisions of **Article 20 of the Contract**, shall be relieved of the responsibility for the risk of loss or damage to the Work except for that resulting from the Contractor's fault or negligence. If such possession or use by the Municipality delays the progress of the Work or causes additional expense to the Contractor, an adjustment in the Contract price and/or the time of completion shall be made and the Contract modified in writing accordingly. The provisions relating to an adjustment in the Contract price or the time of

completion contained in this paragraph shall not apply to occupancy or possession after Substantial Completion.

ARTICLE 23 – PAYMENT

- 23.1 The Contractor may submit monthly payment applications according to **Appendix A Supplementary Terms & Conditions**, or more frequently if permitted by making a request in writing to the Municipal Representative, on the Contractor Payment Application as provided in **Appendix D**, a requisition for a progress payment for Work performed and materials furnished to the date of the requisition, less any amount previously paid to the Contractor. Except as otherwise provided by this Contract, the Municipality shall approve and pay the requisition for the progress payment less an amount necessary to satisfy any claims, liens or judgments against the Contractor which have not been suitably discharged and less any amount authorized by law or Contract to be retained. The requisition shall be in such form and supported by such evidence and backup documentation as the Municipal Representative may require which includes, but may not be limited to:
 - Submittals noted to be due for approval by Owner and/or Engineer;
 - Certified Payrolls on the WH-347 Form; (https://www.dol.gov/whd/forms/wh347.pdf)
 - Materials Usage for the Invoiced term, listed by week;
 - Construction Photos;
 - Monthly Program Reports, such as EEO, M/WBE, Section 3, etc.
- 23.2 The Contractor agrees that, if the Contract Documents for this Contract includes Performance and Payment Bonds, the Municipality shall retain five percent (5%) of the amount of each progress payment in accordance with Section 139-f of the State Finance Law. The Contractor further agrees that, if the Contract Documents for this Contract do not include Performance and Payment Bonds, the Municipality shall retain ten percent (10%) of the amount of each progress payment in accordance with Section 139-f of the State Finance Law.
- All requisitions for payments shall be submitted to the Municipal Representative. The Municipal Representative shall notify the Contractor of any defect in any requisition within **twenty (20) days** of the receipt of such requisition and shall complete the review and audit of each complete requisition within **forty-five (45) days** of receipt thereof.
- 23.4 The Municipality may refuse to approve the requisition or a portion thereof if in the Municipal Representative's or Municipality's judgment the Contractor is failing or refusing to prosecute the Work in accordance with the Contract.
- 23.5 Payment may be made for approved materials not yet incorporated in the Work in accordance with the Schedule of Values and Section 139(f) of the State Finance Law. Requisitions, which require payment for materials, shall be accompanied by a notarized statement certifying that the materials for which payment is requisitioned are the Contractor's property and have been suitably stored and insured. The Contractor shall provide such evidence of the value of the material stored as the Municipal Representative may reasonably require. The Contractor shall have full continuing responsibility to insure and protect such materials and maintain them in proper condition to fulfill Contract

- requirements when installed.
- 23.6 When the Work is substantially completed, the Contractor shall submit to the Municipal Representative a requisition for payment of the remaining amount of the Contract balance and notarized Waiver of Claims for all Work from the Contractor and any Subcontractors. Upon receipt of such requisition and accompanying Waivers the Municipality shall, except as otherwise provided by this Contract, approve and pay the remaining amount of the Contract balance less two times the value of any remaining items to be completed and an amount necessary to satisfy any claims, liens or judgments against the Contractor which have not been suitably discharged. As the remaining items of Work are satisfactorily completed or corrected, the Municipality shall approve, upon receipt of a requisition, for these remaining items less an amount necessary to satisfy any claims, liens or judgments against the Contractor, which have not been suitably discharged.
- 23.7 The final payment will not be issued until all the labor and material required by the Contract has been furnished and completed, all disputes relating to the performance of the Contract considered and disposed of and all accounts for extra work and materials and allowances for omissions have been rendered and considered.
- 23.8 The final payment will constitute the acceptance of the Work by the Municipality except as to Work thereafter found to be defective. The date of such certificate shall be regarded as the date of acceptance of the Work.
- 23.9 No payment will be made to a foreign Contractor until the Contractor furnishes satisfactory proof that he or she has paid all taxes required of foreign Contractors under the provisions of the Tax Law. A foreign Contractor as used in this paragraph shall mean a Contractor denominated "foreign" by the Tax Law.
- 23.10 Acceptance by the Contractor, or by anyone claiming by or through him or her, of the final payment shall constitute and operate as a release to the Municipality from any and all claims of any liability to the Contractor for anything theretofore done or furnished for or relating to or arising out of the work done thereunder, and for any prior act, neglect, or default on the part of the Municipality or any of its officers, agents, or employees unless the Contractor serves a detailed and verified statement of claim upon the Municipality not later than **forty (40) days** after the mailing of such final payment. Such statement shall specify the items and details upon which the claim will be based and any such claim shall be limited to such items. Should the Contractor refuse to accept the final payment as tendered by the Municipality, it shall constitute a waiver of any right to interest thereon.
- 23.11 The Contractor is advised that consistent with Subdivision 3-a, of Section 220 of the Labor Law, the filing of certified payroll records is a condition precedent to payment of any sums due and owing to any person performing work on this project. The failure to file pursuant to this section will result in a payment delay until the filing occurs.
- 23.12 The Contractor acknowledges that it shall not receive payment on any requests for payment unless the Contractor complies with the Municipality's electronic payment deposit procedures. Payments requested by the Contractor shall only be facilitated via electronic deposit, except where the Municipality has expressly authorized payment by paper check.

ARTICLE 24 - AUDITS AND RECORDS

- 24.1 The Contractor shall maintain on the Site the original certified payrolls or certified transcripts thereof, subscribed and affirmed by the Contractor and all Subcontractors as true under the penalties of perjury, showing the hours and days worked by each worker, laborer or mechanic, the occupation at which he or she worked, the hourly wage rate paid and the supplements paid or provided. The Contractor shall maintain with the payrolls or transcripts thereof, the statements signed by each worker pursuant to **Article 25 of the General Conditions.**
- 24.2 The Municipality shall have the right to examine all books, records, documents, and other data of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, materialmen or suppliers relating to the bidding, pricing or performance of this Contract or any change or modification thereto for the purpose of evaluating the accuracy, completeness, and currency of the cost or pricing data submitted. This right of examination shall extend to all documents necessary to permit adequate evaluation of the cost or pricing data submitted along with the computations and projections used therein.
- 24.3 The above materials shall be made available at the office of the Contractor, Subcontractors, materialmen or suppliers at all reasonable times for inspection, audit or reproduction until the expiration of **six (6) years** from the date of the final certificate for the Contract.
- 24.4 If this Contract is completely or partially terminated, the records relating to the Work terminated shall be made available for a period of **six (6) years** from the date of any resulting final settlement.
- 24.5 Records that relate to the Disputes Clause of this Contract or litigation or the settlement of claims arising out of the performance of this Contract shall be made available until the disposal of such appeals, litigation or claims.
- 24.6 The Contractor shall insert a clause containing all of the provisions of **Article 24** in all subcontracts or purchase orders issued hereunder.
- 24.7 The Contractor shall make available to the Municipality, upon written request, all records required to be kept by Article 3-A of the Lien Law. The failure to provide said records upon the receipt of the written request shall bar any recovery for claimed extra or additional costs under this Contract.

ARTICLE 25 – LABOR LAW AND PREVAILING WAGES NOTIFICATIONS PROVISIONS

- 25.1 In addition to any other provisions of this Contract in relation to prevailing wage rates, the Contractor shall be responsible for notifications mandated by law, rule or regulation.
- 25.2 The Contractor shall post, in a location designated by the Municipality, a copy of the New York State Department of Labor schedules of prevailing wages and supplements for this Project, a copy of all re-determinations of such schedules for the Project, all other notices required by law to be posted at the Site, the Department of Labor notice that this Project is a public work project on which each worker is entitled to receive the prevailing wages and supplements for the occupation at which he or she is working, and all other notices which

the Municipality directs the Contractor to post. The Contractor shall provide a surface for such notices, which is satisfactory to the Municipality. The Contractor shall maintain such notices in a legible manner and shall replace any notice or schedule that is damaged, defaced, illegible or removed for any reason. The Contractor shall post such notices before commencing any Work on the Site and shall maintain such notices until all Work on the Site is complete.

- 25.3 The Contractor shall distribute to each worker for this Contract a notice, in a form provided by the Municipality, that this project is a public work project on which each worker is entitled to receive the prevailing wage and supplements for the occupation at which he or she is working. Worker includes employees of Contractor and all Subcontractors and all employees of suppliers entering the Site. Such notice shall be distributed to each worker in accordance with Labor Law 220 3-a.
- 25.4 In addition to the requirements of **Appendix A**, the Contractor is responsible for any additional costs related to new determinations of the wage rates. The annual determination of the prevailing rates of wages and supplements are usually published on May 31st of each year and are in effect July 1st through June 30th. New determinations shall supersede the original schedule or any prior issued annual determination. Any rate change from a previously issued determination becomes effective July 1st, regardless of whether the new determination has been received by the Contractor.
- 25.5 If this Agreement and all other agreements for this project exceed \$250,000.00, all workers must complete a ten-hour or more OSHA-approved construction safety and health course.
- No worker, in the employ of the Contractor, all Subcontractors 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 (8) hours** in any **one (1) calendar day** and more than **five (5) days** in any **one week**, except in the extraordinary emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
- 25.7 Pursuant to Labor Law, Section 220-e, the Contractor specifically agrees:
 - a. That in the hiring of employees for the performance of Work under the Contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, but limited to operation performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York, no Contractor, Subcontractor, nor any person acting on behalf of such Contractor or Subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, disability, 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. That no Contractor, Subcontractor, nor any person on behalf of such Contractor or Subcontractor shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Contract on account of race, creed, color, disability, sex or national origin.

ARTICLE 26 - STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS FOR RESTRICTIONS ON CONTACTS DURING THE PROCUREMENT PROCESS AND DISCLOSURE OF CONTACTS AND RESPONSIBILITY OF OFFERERS MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

- New York State Finance Law §139-k requires that every procurement contract award subject to the provisions of State Finance Law §139-k or §139-j shall contain a certification by the Offerer that all information provided to the procuring governmental agency with respect to State Finance Law §139-k is complete, true and accurate. The Contractor shall provide that certification in his or her contract or agreement.
- 26.2 New York State Finance Law
 - 26.2.1 New York State Finance Law § 139-k(2) requires the Municipality to obtain specific information regarding prior non-responsibility determinations. This information must be collected in addition to the information that is separately obtained pursuant to State Finance Law § 163 (9). In accordance with State Finance Law § 139-k, an Offerer must be asked to disclose whether there has been a finding of non-responsibility made within the previous **four (4) years** by any Governmental Entity due to: (a) a violation of State Finance Law § 139-j or (b) the intentional provision of false or incomplete information to a Governmental Entity.
 - 26.2.2 As part of its responsibility determination, State Finance Law § 139-k(3) mandates consideration of whether an Offerer fails to timely disclose or complete information regarding the above non-responsibility determination. In accordance with law, no procurement contract shall be awarded to any Offerer that fails to timely disclose accurate or complete information under this section, unless a finding is made that the award of a procurement contract to the Offerer is necessary to protect public property or public health safety, and that the Offerer is the only source capable of performing the required Work within the necessary timeframe. The required forms to be completed by the Offerer must be submitted to the Municipality.

ARTICLE 27 - NO ASSIGNMENT

27.1 In accordance with the provisions of Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, the Contractor is hereby prohibited from assigning, transferring, conveying, subletting or otherwise disposing of this Agreement, or of its right, title or interest in this Agreement, or its power to execute this Agreement, to any other person or corporation without the previous consent in writing of the Municipality.

ARTICLE 28 - MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

28.1 Commencement of Actions: The time, as prescribed by law, within which an action on the contract against the Contractor must be commenced shall be computed from the date of completion of physical work. The Contractor shall notify the Municipality in writing

that the physical work of the contract has been completed by specifying a completion date, which date shall be no more than **thirty (30) days** prior to the date of such notice. The completion date set forth in such notice shall be deemed the date of completion of the physical work unless the Municipality, within **thirty (30) days** of receipt of such notice, notifies the Contractor of a dispute in writing. Any notice pursuant to this paragraph shall be sent by the Contractor by Certified Mail and sent to the parties set forth in the Notice provision of this Article.

- 28.1.1 In the event that the Contractor fails to provide notice as set forth herein or the Municipality disputes the completion date in the manner provided for herein, the date of completion of the physical work shall be determined in any other manner provided by law.
- 28.1.2 Choice of Law/Damages: This Contract shall be governed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. Any and all claims against the State, the Municipality, the Municipal Representative, employees, officers or agents arising out of this Contract shall be limited to money damages and commenced exclusively in, and subject to the jurisdiction of the New York State Court of Claims or any other court of competent jurisdiction located in Albany County, New York. Any such claim shall not be removed to federal court.

28.2 Notice

- (a) Unless otherwise indicated in these General Conditions, all notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:
 - i. via certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
 - ii. by facsimile transmission;
 - iii. by personal delivery;
 - iv. by expedited delivery service; or
 - v. by e-mail.

Such notices shall be addressed as follows or to such different addresses as the parties may from time-to-time designate:

If to the Municipality:

THE TOWN OF NEWCOMB

5639 STATE RTE 28N NEWCOMB, NY 12852 **Phone:** (518) 582-3211 **Fax:** (518) 582-2061

E-Mail Address: supervisor@newcombny.com

- (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 Contract 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 receiving notices under this Contract. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

- 28.3 Severability: If any provision, term or condition of this contract is held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, such determination shall not affect the validity, legality or enforceability of any other part of this Contract and the remaining parts of this Contract shall be enforced as if the invalid, illegal or unenforceable provisions, terms or conditions are not contained herein.
- 28.4 Integration Clause: This Contract shall not be materially amended, changed or otherwise modified except in writing signed by both parties. Except to the extent that documents are incorporated herein by reference, this Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings of the parties in connection therewith. No covenant, representation or condition not expressed herein shall be effective to interpret, change or restrict the express provisions of this Contract.
- 28.5 Signage: All construction sites must include a sign including all of the items required by applicable law, rule or regulation. All construction signs must also include the name of the project, the name of the Municipality, and a phone number for the public to call to obtain information about the project. This phone number will be maintained by the Municipality.

APPENDICES

- 29.1 The following appendices are attached hereto and hereby made a part of this agreement as if set forth fully herein:
 - 1. Appendix A, Supplementary Conditions for Contracts;
 - 2. Appendix B, Iran Divestment Certification
 - 3. Appendix C, Construction Plans & Specifications
 - 4. Appendix D, Contractor Payment Application Form;
 - 5. Appendix E, Prevailing Wage Rates;
 - 6. Appendix F, NYS Construction For-Profit VRQ;

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX A.

Additional Terms and Conditions to Agreement Between

The TOWN OF NEWCOMB ("Owner") and TBA ("Contractor")

The parties hereto agree that the terms and conditions of this **APPENDIX A** shall supersede and control over any and all terms and conditions listed in the order of precedence at Article 1.1 at page 2.

- 1. No application for payment shall be deemed complete or approved by Owner, and no progress payment shall be due from Owner, unless Contractor shall have submitted properly executed Public Improvement Lien Releases and Waivers, in a form satisfactory to Owner, signed by all persons who could claim public improvement lien rights on the project in connection with the work, and acknowledging payment of all work, materials and equipment supplied to the project up to and including the last day covered by the application for payment. Lien releases and Waivers from each individual subcontractor and material supplier must be presented prior to the progress payment being made. Owner reserves the right to request further substantiation from Contractor of such payments, including substantiation that all required payments have been made to fringe benefit trust funds for the benefit of employees of employees of Contractor or subcontractors who have provided services to the project in connection with the work, however, Owner's failure to require such shall not be deemed a waiver or diminution of Owner's rights.
- 2. The application for final payment shall not be deemed completed or approved by Owner, and no payment shall be due from Owner until Contractor shall have submitted the following properly executed documents:
 - (1) A General Release from Contractor in favor of Owner;
 - (2) A Final Release and Waiver of any public improvement lien rights of Contractor;
 - (3) A sworn statement by Contractor, and a form satisfactory to Owner, indicating that all subcontractors, materials suppliers, and fringe benefit trust funds for employees of Contractor and subcontractors on the project encompassed by the work, as well as all workers and persons employed in connection herewith, have been paid in full for all labor and work and materials furnished;
 - (4) An Indemnity Agreement whereby Contractor shall defend and indemnify Owner from any and all claims of every and any kind in nature by third parties, including but not limited to materials suppliers, subcontractors, and employees and workers employed in this project; and
 - (5) Final Lien Releases and Waivers from each individual materials supplier and subcontractor.
- 3. Neither final payment or any remaining retained percentage shall become due until Contractor submits to Owner:
 - (1) Affidavit that payrolls, bills for materials and equipment, and other indebtedness connected with the work for which Owner or Owner's property might be responsible or encumbered (less amounts held by Owner) have been paid or otherwise satisfied;
 - (2) A certificate evidencing that insurance required by the contract is to remain in full force after final payment is currently in effect and will not be canceled or allowed to expire until at least **thirty** (30) days prior written notice has been given to Owner;
 - (3) A written statement that Contractor knows of no substantial reason that the insurance will not be renewed to cover the period required by the contract;
 - (4) Consent of surety, if any, to final payment; and
 - (5) If required by Owner, other data establishing payment or satisfaction of obligations such as receipts, releases and waivers of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrance arising out of the contract, to the extent and in such form as may be designated by Owner.

4. CLAIMS AND DISPUTES

- 4.1 Definition. A Claim is a demand or assertion by one of the parties seeking, as a matter of right, adjustment or interpretation of Contract terms, payment of money, extension of time or other relief with respect to the terms of the contract. The term "Claim" also includes other disputes and matters in question between Owner and Contractor arising out of or relating to the Contract. Claims must be made by written notice. The responsibility to substantiate Claims shall rest with the party making the Claim. The written notice of claim must be accompanied by full documentation and proof to substantiate the claim.
- 4.2 Decision of Owner, its Engineer or Construction Manager. Claims shall be referred initially to Owner, or its Engineer or Construction Manager for action as provided below. A decision by Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager, shall be required as a condition precedent to litigation of a Claim between Owner and Contractor as to all such matters arising prior to the date final payment is due, regardless of (1) whether such matters relate to the execution and progress of the Work or (2) the extent to which the Work has been completed. The decision by Owner or Construction Manager in response to a Claim shall not be a condition precedent to arbitration or litigation in the event (1) the position of Owner or Construction Manager is vacant, (2) Owner or Construction Manager has not received evidence or has failed to render a decision within agreed time limits, (3) Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager has failed to take action required under **Section 4.3** within **fifteen (15) days** after the Claim is made, (4) **forty-five (45) days** has passed after the Claim has been referred to Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager or (5) the Claim relates to a mechanic's lien.
- 4.3 Time Limits on Claims. Claims by either party must be made within **fifteen (15) days** after occurrence of the even giving rise to such Claim or within **fifteen (15) days** after the claimant first recognizes the condition giving rise to the Claim, whichever is later. Claims must be made by written notice. An additional Claim made after the initial Claim has been implemented by Change Order will not be considered unless submitted in a timely manner.
- 4.4 Continuing Contract Performance. Pending final resolution of a Claim, unless otherwise agreed in writing Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of the Contract and Owner shall continue to make payments in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- 4.5 Waiver of Claims: Final Payment. The making of final payment shall constitute a waiver of Claims by Owner except those arising from:
 - 1. Liens, Claims, security interests or encumbrances arising out of the Contract and unsettled;
 - 2. Failure of the Work to comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents; or
 - 3. Terms of special warranties required by the Contract Documents.
- 4.6 Claims for Concealed or Unknown Conditions. If conditions are encountered at the site which are (1) subsurface or otherwise concealed physical conditions which differ materially from those indicated in the Contract Documents or (2) unknown physical conditions of an unusual nature, which differ materially from those ordinarily found to exist and generally recognized as inherent in construction activities of the character provided for in the Contract documents, then notice by the observing party shall be given to the other party promptly before conditions are disturbed and in no event later than **fifteen (15) days** after first observance of the conditions. Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager will promptly investigate such conditions and, if they differ materially and cause an increase or decrease in Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of any part of the Work, will recommend an equitable adjustment in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, or both. If Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager determines that the conditions at the site are not materially different from those indicated in the Contract Documents and that no change in the terms of the Contract is justified, Owner shall so notify Engineer and Contractor in writing, stating the reasons. Claims by either party in opposition to such determination must be made within **fifteen (15) days** after Owner has given notice of the decision. If Owner and Contractor cannot agree on an adjustment in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, the adjustment shall be referred to Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager for initial determination.
- 4.7 Claim for Additional Cost. If Contractor wishes to make Claim for an increase in the Contract Sum, written notice as provided herein shall be given before proceeding to execute the Work. If

Contractor believes additional cost is involved for reasons including but not limited to (1) a written interpretation from Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager, (2) an order by Owner to stop the Work where Contractor was not at fault, (3) a written order for a minor change in the Work issued by Owner or its Engineer or Construction Manager, (4) failure of payment by Owner, (5) termination of the contract by Owner, (6) Owner's suspension or (7) other reasonable grounds, Claim shall be filed and evaluated in accordance with the procedure established herein and under this Section (4) and Section (5) of these Supplementary Conditions.

5. RESOLUTION OF CLAIMS AND DISPUTES

- 5.1 Owner or Construction Manager will review Claims and take one or more of the following preliminary actions within **fifteen (15) days** of receipt of a Claim: (1) request additional supporting data from the claimant, (2) submit a schedule to the parties indicating when Owner or Construction Manager expects to take action, (3) reject the Claim in whole or in part, stating reasons for rejection, (4) recommend approval of the Claim by the other party or (5) suggest a compromise. Owner or Construction Manager may also, but is not obligated to, notify the surety, if any, of the nature and amount of the Claim.
- 5.2 If a Claim has been resolved, Owner or Construction Manager will prepare or obtain appropriate documentation.
- 5.3 If a Claim has not been resolved, the party making the Claim shall, within **ten (10) days** after Owner or Construction Manager's preliminary response, take one or more of the following actions: (1) submit additional supporting data requested by Owner or Construction Manager, (2) modify the initial Claim or (3) notify Owner or Construction Manager that the initial Claim stands.
- 5.4 If a Claim has not been resolved after consideration of the foregoing and of further evidence presented by the parties or requested by Owner or Construction Manager, Owner or Construction Manager will notify the parties in writing that Owner or Construction Manager's decision will be made within **ten (10) days**, which decision shall be final and binding on the parties but subject to arbitration. Upon expiration of such time period, Owner or Construction Manager will render to the parties Owner or Construction Manager's written decision relative to the Claim, including any change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time or both. If there is a surety and there appears to be a possibility of a Contractor's default, Owner or Construction Manager may, but is not obligated to, notify the surety and request the surety's assistance in resolving the controversy.

The parties expressly agree that any and all controversies and claims arising out of this contract will not be referred to arbitration but will be referred and brought in a Court of competent jurisdiction within Owner, New York.

6. **DELAYS.** Owner shall not be liable to Contractor or any subcontractors

- for claims or damages of any nature caused by or rising out of delays. The sole remedy against Owner for delays shall be the allowance of additional time for completion of the Work, the amount of which shall be subject to the claims procedure set forth herein. Except to the extent, if any, expressly prohibited by law, Contractor expressly agrees not to make and hereby waives any claim for damages for delay, including, but not limited to those resulting from increased labor or material costs, directions given or not given by Owner, including scheduling of the work, or an account of any delay, or on account of any delay, obstruction or hindrance for any cause whatsoever by Owner, or its agents or any other Contractor on the project, whether or not foreseeable or anticipated. CONTRACTOR AGREES THAT ITS SOLE RIGHT AND REMEDY THEREFORE SHALL BE AN EXTENSION OF TIME, IF APPROPRIATE. IT IS EMPHASIZED THAT NO MONETARY RECOVERY MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTRACTOR FOR ANY DELAY AGAINST OWNER, CONSTRUCTION MANAGER, OR ITS ENGINEER OR CONSTRUCTION MANAGER BASED ON ANY REASON AND THAT CONTRACTOR'S SOLE REMEDY, IF APPROPRIATE, IS ADDITIONAL TIME.
- 7. Subcontractors and their subcontractors are required to defend, indemnify and hold harmless, to the full extent allowed by law, Owner, any Owner or Construction Manager from and against any and all claims, suits, causes of actions, judgments, etc. arising out of or in any way connected with the subcontractor's performance of the work as well as name Owner, Architect and Construction Manager, if any, as an additional insured on its policies of liability insurance. Subcontractors are to furnish to Owner a duly executed Release of Lien for each progress payment as well as the Final Release, Waiver and Discharge of Lien upon payment due under the subcontract from Contractor.

Contractor shall:

- (1) Comply with its obligation as a Trustee under New York Lien Law Article 3-a,
- (2) Upon receipt of each progress payment, and upon final payment, expend the funds received as required by said Article 3-a, and in particular number 71 thereof,
- (3) Upon request by Owner for proof of such compliance,
- (4) Defend, indemnify and hold harmless Owner from any claims, suits, demands or judgments arising out of any failure to so comply.

In addition to the insurance requirements set forth at **ARTICLE 21**, liability insurance shall include all major divisions of coverage and be on comprehensive basis including, but not limited to:

- (1) Premises operations (including X, C & U coverage as applicable),
- (2) Independent Contractors Protective,
- (3) Products and completed operations,
- (4) Personal injury liability with employment exclusion deleted,
- (5) Contractual, including specific provisions for Contractors obligation to indemnify and defend Owner,
- (6) Owned, non-owned and hired motor vehicles,
- (7) Broad formed property damage including completed operations.

8. PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS

Contractor shall furnish to Owner, in duplicate, and keep enforced during the term of the Contract, Performance Bonds and Payment bonds guaranteeing that Contractor will perform its obligations under the contract and will pay for all labor and materials furnished for the work and the performance of the work. Such Bonds shall be issued on Form A1A Document A312 and by a surety acceptable to Owner, shall name Owner as obligee and shall be in an amount equal to 100% of the contract sum. Contractor shall deliver the executed, approved bonds to Owner with its signed contract. The Bond shall be obtained from a surety licensed to business in the State of New York and listed in the latest issue of US Treasury Circular 570. The sufficiency of the bonds is subject to the approval of Owner, and Bonds which are deemed insufficient by Owner may be rejected. Bonds will remain in effect for one year after final completion of the project.

9. INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS (See also ARTICLE 21)

Contractor and each of its subcontractors shall provide Workers Compensation and Disability Insurance, Commercial General Liability Insurance, Commercial Automobile Insurance, Umbrella/Excess Liability Insurance, Special Protective and Highway Liability Insurance, Contractor's Risk and all other required insurance shall be pursuant to those requirements set forth in the New York State Department of Transportation Standard Specifications (USC) dated May 1, 2016, more particularly at pages 140-146.

In addition to the above, the insurance shall list the Owner as an additional insured on a primary and non-contributory basis and certificate holder. All policies will also contain no exclusions with respect to Section 240 and 241 of the NYS Labor Law, Contract and subcontractors waive all rights of subrogation against Owner and will have the General Liability, Umbrella Liability and Workers Compensation Policies endorsed setting forth this waiver of subornation. Contractor agrees to indemnify Owner from all applicable deductibles.

10. COMPLIANCE WITH ADDITIONAL MUNICIPAL, STATE OR FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS AND FUNDING REQUIREMENTS

Contractor agrees to comply with any and all rules, regulations, procedures, laws, statutes and requirements required of any funding agency funding any portion of this project, as well as any municipal, state or federal agency having jurisdiction or control of this project. It shall be the responsibility of both Owner and the Contractor to make themselves aware of these requirements prior to beginning work.

It is recognized that this project is funded by a Governor's Office of Storm Recovery (GOSR) grant and Contractor

agrees to comply with any and all terms, conditions and requirements of the GOSR grant and Contractor acknowledges that is permitting the same.

11. **DEFENSE & INDEMNIFICATION**

The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Owner to the fullest extent allowed by law, and notwithstanding any insurance requirements, from and against any and all liability, losses, claims, actions, demands, damages, expenses, suits, judgments, orders, causes of action and claims, including but not limited to attorney's fees, legal costs, and all other costs of defense, by reason of any liability whatsoever imposed by law or otherwise upon the Owner for damages to person, property or of any other kind in nature, including but not limited to those for bodily injury, property damage, death arising out of or in connection with its officers, employees, agents, contractors, sub-contractors, guests or invitees negligence or its/their performance or failure to perform this agreement.

12. OWNER'S RIGHT TO SET-OFF

The Owner shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the Owner's option to withhold for the purposes of set-off any moneys due to the Contractor under this agreement up to any amounts due and owing to the Owner with regard to this contract, any other contract with any Owner 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 Owner for any other reason, including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies or monetary penalties relative thereto. The Owner shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal Owner practices, including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the acceptance of such audit by the Owner's Board or its designated representative.

APPENDIX B

Attachment "D" Certification Pursuant to Section 103-g Of the New York State General Municipal Law

- A. By submission of this bid/proposal, each bidder/proposer and each person signing on behalf of any bidder/proposer 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 its knowledge and belief that each bidder is not on the list created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of Section 165-a of the New York State Finance Law.
- B. A Bid/Proposal shall not be considered for award, nor shall any award be made where the condition set forth in Paragraph A above has not been complied with; provided, however, that in any case the bidder/proposer cannot make the foregoing certification set forth in Paragraph A above, the bidder/proposer shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where Paragraph A above cannot be complied with, the Purchasing Unit to the political subdivision, public department, agency or official thereof to which the bid/proposal is made, or his designee, may award a bid/proposal, on a case by case business under the following circumstances:
 - The investment activities in Iran were made before April 12, 2012, the investment activities in Iran have not been expanded or renewed after April 12, 2012, and the Bidder/Proposer has adopted, publicized and is implementing a formal plan to cease the investment activities in Iran and to refrain from engaging in any new investments in Iran; or
 - 2. The political subdivision makes a determination that the goods or services are necessary for the political subdivision to perform its functions and that, absent such an exemption, the political subdivision would be unable to obtain the goods or services for which the contract is offered. Such determination shall be made in writing and shall be a public document.

Signature			
Title			
Company			
Date			

APPENDIX C

DESIGN NOTES:

- ALL CONSTRUCTION SHALL COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF ANY AND ALL APPLICABLE STATE AND LOCAL BUILDING CODES OR REGULATIONS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO:
 - o 2015 INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE
 - 2017 NYS UNIFORM CODE SUPPLEMENT
 - ANY OTHER AMENDED/ADOPTED LOCA MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY CODES
 - o NO MECHANICAL ELECTRICAL RO SITE ENIGNERING PERFORMED.
- RISK CATEGORY II STRUCTURE
- V-B TYPE OF CONTRUCTION
- USE GROUP A-3
- OCCUPANCY LOAD: ~ 95 PERSONS
- DESIGN WIND SPEED: 115 MPH
- DESIGN SNOW LOAD: 80 PSF
- SEISMIC DESIGN CATEGORY: C
- SOIL CATEGORY: D
- MIMIMAL SOIL BEARING CAPACITY: 1500 PSF
- AREA BELOW ROOF: 1440 S.F.

OVERALL DIMENSIONS:

TOTAL HEIGHT: 14' – 7"
 ROOF: 60' X 24'

• FOUNDATION SLAB: 58'- 10" X 22'- 10"

FLOOR TO BEAM BOTTOM: 8'
SUPPORT POST HEIGHT: 9' - 3/8"

SUPPORT POST CENTER FALL:

FULL WIDTH: 21' - 5"
 ALONG WIDTH: 10' - 8 1/2"
 ALONG LENGTH: 14'- 41/4"

MATERIALS:

- ALL DIMENSIONAL LUMBER TO BE PRESSURE TREATD SP#1
- ALL GLULAMS TO BE 20F-V2 GRADE, TREATED FOR EXTERIOR USE
- ALL ROOF BOARDS SHALL BE SECURED WITH (3) 1-1/4" X 7/16" CORWN STAPLES AT EACH FRAMING MEMBER
- ALL RAFTERS TO BE ATTACHED TO PLATES W/ RING SHANK NAILS. INSTALL (2) SIMPSON HGA10 TIES AT HIP RAFTERS.
- CONCRETE FOUNDATION & WALL FOOTING TO BE MINIMUM 3500 PSI.
- CONCRETE SLAB TO BE MINIMUM 4000 PSI.
- ALL HARDWARE TO BE GALVANIZED.
- ROOF:

o ROOF RAFTERS: GLULAM HIP TYPE 3" x 12-3/8"

RIDGE BEAM 5" X 12-3/8"

2' X 10" BEAMS, WITH 2"X6" COLLAR TIES

o DECKING: 1" X 6" TOUNG & GROOVE P.T.

o FELT: 15#

o SHINGLES: 30-YR ASPHALT

• POSTS: 7" X 7" GRADE #1 PRESSURE TREATED

• COATING: WOOD STAIN

APPENDIX D

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APPENDIX E

New York State Department of Labor

Prevailing Wage

Unemployment Career Business	Worker	Forms and	Home
Benefits Services Services	Protection	Publications	

Wage Schedule · Submit Notice Of Award · Submit Notice Of Project Completion

PRC#: 2018007072

Type of Contracting Agency: Town

Acceptance Status: Accepted Article 8

Contracting Agency

Town of Newcomb Robin Deloria Town Supervisor POB 405 Newcomb NY 12932

(518) 582-3211 supervisor@newcombny.com Send Reply To

Robert Wick

Essex County Box 217

Elizabethtown NY 12932

(518) 873 -3428

rwick@co.essex.ny.us

Project Information

Project Title Newcomb Community Pavilion

Description of Work Construction of a Community Pavilion that is approximately 23' wide by 58' long and 15' high.

Contract Id No. P-0115-2018

Project Locations(s) Town of Newcomb, NY Route No / Street Address 12 Overlook Lane

VIIIage / City

Town Newcomb

State / ZID NY 12582

Nature of Project New Building

Approximate Bld Date 06/22/2018

Checked Occupation(a) Construction (Building, Heavy & Highway, Sewer, Water, Tunnel)

Applicable Counties

Essex

APPENDIX F

NOTE:

AS ADDITIONAL CLARIFICATION, THE VENDOR RESPONSIBILITY QUESTIONNAIRE IS ONLY REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS OVER \$100,000.00.

IF A BID IS LESS THAN \$100,000.00 THEN NO VRQ IS REQUIRED TO ACCOMPANY THE BID.

NEW YORK STATE VENDOR RESPONSIBILITY QUESTIONNAIRE FOR-PROFIT CONSTRUCTION (CCA-2)

You have selected the For-Profit Construction questionnaire, commonly known as the "CCA-2," which may be printed and completed in this format or, for your convenience, may be completed online using the New York State VendRep System.

COMPLETION & CERTIFICATION

The person(s) completing the questionnaire must be knowledgeable about the vendor's business and operations. An owner or official must certify the questionnaire and the signature must be notarized.

NEW YORK STATE VENDOR IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (VENDOR ID)

The <u>Vendor ID</u> is a ten-digit identifier issued by New York State when the vendor is registered on the Statewide Vendor File. This number must now be included on the questionnaire. If the business entity has not obtained a <u>Vendor ID</u>, contact the IT Service Desk at <u>ITServiceDesk@osc.state.ny.us</u> or call 866-370-4672.

DEFINITIONS

All underlined terms are defined in the "New York State Vendor Responsibility Definitions List," found at http://www.osc.state.ny.us/vendrep/documents/questionnaire/definitions.pdf. These terms may not have their ordinary, common or traditional meanings. Each vendor is strongly encouraged to read the respective definitions for any and all underlined terms. By submitting this questionnaire, the vendor agrees to be bound by the terms as defined in the "New York State Vendor Responsibility Definitions List" existing at the time of certification.

RESPONSES

Every question must be answered. Each response must provide all relevant information which can be obtained within the limits of the law. However, information regarding a determination or finding made in error which was subsequently corrected or overturned, and/or was withdrawn by the issuing government entity, is not required. Individuals and <u>Sole Proprietors</u> may use a Social Security Number but are encouraged to obtain and use a federal Employer Identification Number (EIN).

BUSINESS ENTITY INFORMATION									
Legal Business	Name				<u>EIN</u>	EIN			
Address of the	Principal P	lace of Business	(street, city, state, zip c	ode)	New York State Venc	lor Identificat	ion Number		
					Telephone	Fa	ıX		
					ext.	<u> </u>			
					Website				
Authorized Co	ntact for thi	s Questionnaire							
Name					Telephone	Fa	ıX		
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Title					Email				
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I. BUSINESS				11'.' 1'. C	·•				
			priate box and provide a	additional inforr	nation:				
		including <u>PC</u>)	Date of Incorporation						
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c) Lin	nited Liabil	ity Partnership	Date of Registration						
d) 🗌 <u>Li</u> ı	nited Partne	ershi <u>p</u>	Date Established						
e) <u>Ge</u>	neral Partne	ershi <u>p</u>	Date Established		County (if formed in NYS)				
f) Sol	e Proprietor	<u>.</u>	How many years in bu	isiness?					
g) Other Date Establis									
If Other, expla	If Other, explain:								
1.1 Was the	Business Er	ntity formed in N	New York State?			□ Y	es No		
If "No," indica	te jurisdicti	on where the Bu	siness Entity was forme	ed:		1			
Unite	d States	State							
Other		Country							

I. BUSINESS CHARACTERISTICS						
1.2 Is the <u>Legal</u>	Business Entity public	ly traded?			Yes No	
If "Yes," provide	the <u>CIK code</u> or Ticker	Symbol:		•		
1.3 Is the Busin	ess Entity currently reg	istered to do business in New York	State?		Yes No	
Note: Selec	t "Not Required" if the	Business Entity is a Sole Proprietor	or General Partnership		☐ Not Required	
If "No," explain	why the Business Entity	is not required to be registered to d	lo business in New York State	<u>:</u> :		
		Joint Venture? Note: If the submitted stionnaire for each Business Entity			Yes No	
		lace of Business is not in New York	State, does the Business Enti	<u>ty</u>	Yes No	
	office in New York Sta	ite'! <u>Business</u> is in New York State.)			□ N/A	
		one number for one office located in	Naw Vark State			
n res, provide	the address and telepho	the number for one office located in	New Tork State.			
		State certified Minority-Owned Bus State Small Business, or federally ce			Yes No	
If "Yes," ch	eck all that apply:					
☐ New Yo	ork State certified Minor	rity-Owned Business Enterprise (ME	BE)			
		en-Owned Business Enterprise (WB	E)			
	rk State Small Business	=				
		ed Business Enterprise (DBE)				
		tity that is, or has been within the pa ficial; or one of the five largest share				
<u>Joint Ventu</u>	res: Provide information	n for all firms involved.				
Name (For each middle initial)	person, include	Title	Percentage of ownership (Enter 0%, if not applicable)	Employ the firm	yment status with n	
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II. AFFILIATE and JOINT VENTURE R	RELATIONSHIPS						
2.0 Are there any other <u>construction</u> -related firms in which, now or in the past five years, the submitting Business Entity or any of the individuals or business entities listed in question 1.7 either owned or owns 5.0% or more of the shares of, or was or is one of the five largest shareholders or a director, officer, partner or proprietor of said other firm? (Attach additional pages if necessary.)							
Firm/Company Name	Firm/Company EIN	Firm/Company's Primary Business					
	(If available)	Activity					
Firm/Company Address							
Explain relationship with the firm and indica	tte percent of ownership, if applicable (enter l	N/A, if not applicable):					
Are there any shareholders, directors, officer has in common with this firm?	rs, owners, partners or proprietors that the sub	mitting Business Entity Yes No					
Individual's Name (Include middle initial) Position/Title with Firm/Company							
2.1 Does the <u>Business Entity</u> have any <u>con</u> 2.0 above? (Attach additional pages if	struction-related affiliates not identified in the recessary.)	e response to question Yes No					
Affiliate Name	Affiliate EIN (If available)	Affiliate's Primary Business Activity					
Affiliate Address							
Explain relationship with the affiliate and indicate percent of ownership, if applicable (enter N/A, if not applicable):							
Are there any shareholders, directors, officer has in common with this affiliate?	rs, owners, partners or proprietors that the sub	mitting Business Entity Yes No					
Individual's Name (Include middle initial)	irm/Company						
2.2 Has the <u>Business Entity</u> participated in years? (Attach additional pages if necessity)	any construction-related Joint Ventures with essary.)	in the past three (3) Yes No					
Joint Venture Name	Identify parties to the Joint Venture						

III. CONTRACT HISTORY						
3.0 Has the <u>Business Entity</u> completed any <u>construction</u> contracts?	Yes No					
If "Yes," list the ten most recent <u>construction</u> contracts the <u>Business Entity</u> has completed using Attachment A – Completed Construction Contracts, found at <u>www.osc.state.ny.us/vendrep/documents/questionnaire/ac3294s.doc</u> . If less than ten, include most recent subcontracts on projects up to that number.						
3.1 Does the <u>Business Entity</u> currently have uncompleted <u>construction</u> contracts?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
If "Yes," list all current uncompleted <u>construction</u> contracts by using Attachment B – Uncompleted Construction Contracts, found at <u>www.osc.state.ny.us/vendrep/documents/questionnaire/ac3295s.doc</u> . Note: Ongoing projects must be included.						
IV. INTEGRITY - CONTRACT BIDDING						
Within the past five (5) years, has the Business Entity, an affiliate, or any predecessor company or entity:						
4.0 Been <u>suspended</u> or <u>debarred</u> from any <u>government contracting process</u> or been <u>disqualified</u> on any government procurement?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
4.1 Been subject to a denial or revocation of a government prequalification?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
4.2 Had any bid rejected by a government entity for lack of qualifications, responsibility or because of the submission of an informal, non-responsive or incomplete bid?	Yes No					
4.3 Had a proposed subcontract rejected by a government entity for lack of qualifications, responsibility or because of the submission of an informal, non-responsive or incomplete bid?	Yes No					
4.4 Had a low bid rejected on a government contract for failure to make good faith efforts on any Minority-Owned Business Enterprise, Women-Owned Business Enterprise or Disadvantaged Business Enterprise goal or statutory affirmative action requirements on a previously held contract?	Yes No					
4.5 Agreed to a voluntary exclusion from bidding/contracting with a government entity?	Yes No					
4.6 Initiated a request to withdraw a bid submitted to a government entity or made any claim of an error on a bid submitted to a government entity?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
For each "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the <u>Business Entity</u> involved, the relationship to the submitting <u>Business Entity</u> , the <u>government entity</u> involved, project(s), relevant dates, any remedial or corrective action(s) taken and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer(s) below or attach additional sheets with numbered responses.						
V. INTEGRITY – CONTRACT AWARD						
Within the past five (5) years, has the Business Entity, an affiliate, or any predecessor company or entity:						
5.0 Defaulted on or been <u>suspended</u> , cancelled or <u>terminated for cause</u> on any contract?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
5.1 Been subject to an <u>administrative proceeding</u> or civil action seeking specific performance or restitution (except any disputed work proceeding) in connection with any <u>government contract</u> ?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
5.2 Entered into a formal monitoring agreement, consent decree or stipulation settlement as specified by, or agreed to with, any government entity?	Yes No					
5.3 Had its surety called upon to complete any contract whether government or private sector?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
5.4 Forfeited all or part of a standby letter of credit in connection with any government contract?	☐ Yes ☐ No					

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FOR-PROFIT CONSTRUCTION (CCA-2)

	NTEGRITY – CONTRACT AWARD hin the past five (5) years, has the Business Entity, an affiliate, or any predecessor company or entity:						
<u>Enti</u>	each "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the <u>Business Entity</u> involved, the relationship to the submit ty, the <u>government entity</u> /owners involved, project(s), contract number(s), relevant dates, any remedial or corn and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer(s) below or attach additional sheets with numbered re	ective action(s)					
VI.	CERTIFICATIONS/LICENSES						
With	hin the past five (5) years, has the Business Entity, an affiliate, or any predecessor company or entity:						
6.0	Had a revocation or <u>suspension</u> of any business or professional permit and/or license?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
6.1	Had a denial, decertification, revocation or forfeiture of New York State certification of Minority-Owned Business Enterprise, Women-Owned Business Enterprise or a federal certification of Disadvantaged Business Enterprise status, for other than a change of ownership?	Yes No					
<u>Enti</u>	For each "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the <u>Business Entity</u> involved, the relationship to the submitting <u>Business Entity</u> , the <u>government entity</u> involved, relevant dates, any remedial or corrective action(s) taken and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer(s) below or attach additional sheets with numbered responses.						
	LEGAL PROCEEDINGS/GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATIONS thin the past five (5) years, has the Business Entity, an affiliate, or any predecessor company or entity:						
7.0	Been the subject of a criminal <u>investigation</u> , whether open or closed, or an indictment for any business-related conduct constituting a crime under local, state or <u>federal</u> law?	Yes No					
7.1	Been the subject of:						
	(i.) An indictment, grant of immunity, <u>judgment</u> or conviction (including entering into a plea bargain) for conduct constituting a crime; or	Yes No					
	(ii.) Any criminal <u>investigation</u> , felony indictment or conviction concerning the formation of, or any business association with, an allegedly false or fraudulent <u>Minority-Owned Business Enterprise</u> , <u>Women-Owned Business Enterprise</u> , or a <u>Disadvantaged Business Enterprise</u> ?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
7.2	Received any OSHA citation, which resulted in a final determination classified as serious or willful?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
7.3	Had a government entity find a willful prevailing wage or supplemental payment violation?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
7.4	Had a New York State Labor Law violation deemed willful?	☐ Yes ☐ No					
7.5	Entered into a consent order with the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, or a <u>federal</u> , state or local government enforcement determination involving a violation of <u>federal</u> , state or local	☐ Yes ☐ No					

environmental laws?

VII, LEGAL PROCEEDINGS/GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATIONS						
Within the past five (5) years, has the Business Entity, an affiliate, or any predecessor company or entity:						
7.6 Other than previously disclosed, been the subject of any <u>citations</u> , notices or violation orders; a pending administrative hearing, proceeding or determination of a violation of:	☐ Yes ☐ No					
• <u>Federal</u> , state or local health laws, rules or regulations;						
• <u>Federal</u> , state or local environmental laws, rules or regulations;						
• Unemployment insurance or workers compensation coverage or <u>claim</u> requirements;						
 Any labor law or regulation, which was deemed willful; 						
• Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA);						
• Federal, state or local human rights laws;						
• <u>Federal</u> , state or local security laws?						
For each "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the <u>Business Entity</u> involved, the relationship to the submitting <u>Business</u> <u>Entity</u> , the <u>government entity</u> involved, relevant dates, any remedial or corrective action(s) taken and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer(s) below or attach additional sheets with numbered responses. Note: Information regarding a determination or finding made in error, which was subsequently corrected or overturned, and/or was withdrawn by the issuing government entity, is not required.						
VIII. LEADERSHIP INTEGRITY If the Business Entity is a Joint Venture Entity, answer "N/A - Not Applicable" to questions in this section. Within the past five (5) years has any individual previously identified or any individual currently or formerly ha to sign, execute or approve bids, proposals, contracts or supporting documentation on behalf of the Business Engovernment entity been:						
8.0 <u>Sanctioned</u> relative to any business or professional permit and/or license?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A					
8.1 <u>Suspended</u> , <u>debarred</u> or <u>disqualified</u> from any <u>government contracting process</u> ?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A					
8.2 The subject of a criminal <u>investigation</u> , whether open or closed, or an indictment for any business-related conduct constituting a crime under local, state or <u>federal</u> law?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A					
8.3 Charged with a misdemeanor or felony, indicted, granted immunity, convicted of a crime or subject to a judgment for: (i.) Any business-related activity, including but not limited to fraud, coercion, extortion, bribe	Yes No					
receiving, giving or accepting unlawful gratuities, immigration or tax fraud, racketeering, mail fraud, wire fraud, price-fixing or collusive bidding; or						
(ii.) Any crime, whether or not business-related, the underlying conduct of which related to truthfulness, including but not limited to the filing of false documents or false sworn statements, perjury or larceny						
For each "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the individual involved, the relationship to the submitting <u>Business Entity</u> , the <u>government entity</u> involved, relevant dates, any remedial or corrective action(s) taken and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer(s) below or attach additional sheets with numbered responses.						

IX. FINANCIAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL CAPACITY						
9.0 Within the past five (5) years, has the performance assessment(s) from any g			ormal unsatisfactory	Yes No		
If "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the <u>Business Entity</u> involved, the relationship to the submitting <u>Business Entity</u> , the <u>government entity</u> involved, relevant dates, any remedial or corrective action(s) taken and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer below or attach additional sheets with numbered responses.						
9.1 Within the past five (5) years, has the over \$25,000?	Business Entity or any	affiliate had any liquid	ated damages assessed	Yes No		
If "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the <u>Business Entity</u> involved, the relationship to the submitting <u>Business Entity</u> , relevant dates, the contracting party involved, the amount assessed and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer below or attach additional sheets with numbered responses.						
9.2 Within the past five (5) years, has the over \$25,000 filed against the Busines than 90 days? (<i>Note: Including but not</i>)	s Entity which remain to	undischarged or were u	nsatisfied for more	Yes No		
relevant dates, the Lien holder or Claimants	If "Yes," provide an explanation of the issue(s), the <u>Business Entity</u> involved, the relationship to the submitting <u>Business Entity</u> , relevant dates, the Lien holder or Claimants' name(s), the amount of the <u>lien(s)</u> and the current status of the issue(s). Provide answer below or attach additional sheets with numbered responses.					
9.3 In the last seven (7) years, has the <u>Bus</u> bankruptcy proceedings, whether or no				Yes No		
If "Yes," provide the <u>Business Entity</u> involve court name and the docket number. Indicate answer below or attach additional sheets wi	e the current status of th	he proceedings as "Init				
9.4 What is the <u>Business Entity's</u> Bonding	g Capacity?					
a. Single Project		b. Aggregate (All Projects)				
9.5 List <u>Business Entity's</u> Gross Sales for Fiscal Years:	the previous three (3)					
1st Year (Indicate year)	2nd Year (Indicate y	ear)	3rd Year (Indicate year)		
Gross Sales	Gross Sales		Gross Sales			
9.6 List <u>Business Entity's</u> Average Backlo	•	•				
(Estimated total value of uncompleted	work on outstanding co	ontracts)	T			
1st Year (Indicate year) 2nd Year (Indicate year) 3rd Year (Indicate year))		
Amount	Amount		Amount			
9.7 Attach <u>Business Entity's</u> most recent annual <u>financial statement</u> and accompanying notes or complete Attachment C – Financial Information, found at <u>www.osc.state.ny.us/vendrep/documents/questionnaire/ac3296s.xls</u> . (This information must be attached.)						

X. F.	X. FREEDOM OF INFORMATION LAW (FOIL)						
10.0	Indicate whether any information provided herein is believed to be exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Law (FOIL).	Yes No					
	Note: A determination of whether such information is exempt from FOIL will be made at the time of any request for disclosure under FOIL. Attach additional pages if necessary.						
If "Yes," indicate the question number(s) and explain the basis for the claim.							

NEW YORK STATE VENDOR RESPONSIBILITY QUESTIONNAIRE FOR-PROFIT CONSTRUCTION (CCA-2)

Certification

The undersigned: (1) recognizes that this questionnaire is submitted for the express purpose of assisting New York State government entities (including the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC)) in making responsibility determinations regarding award or approval of a contract or subcontract and that such government entities will rely on information disclosed in the questionnaire in making responsibility determinations; (2) acknowledges that the New York State government entities and OSC may, in their discretion, by means which they may choose, verify the truth and accuracy of all statements made herein; and (3) acknowledges that intentional submission of false or misleading information may result in criminal penalties under State and/or Federal Law, as well as a finding of non-responsibility, contract suspension or contract termination.

The undersigned certifies that he/she:

- is knowledgeable about the submitting Business Entity's business and operations;
- has read and understands all of the questions contained in the questionnaire;
- has not altered the content of the questionnaire in any manner;
- has reviewed and/or supplied full and complete responses to each question;
- to the best of his/her knowledge, information and belief, confirms that the Business Entity's responses are true, accurate and complete, including all attachments, if applicable;
- understands that New York State government entities will rely on the information disclosed in the questionnaire when entering into a contract with the Business Entity; and
- is under an obligation to update the information provided herein to include any material changes to the Business Entity's responses at the time of bid/proposal submission through the contract award notification, and may be required to update the information at the request of the New York State government entities or OSC prior to the award and/or approval of a contract, or during the term of the contract.

Signature of Owner/Official				
Printed Name of Signatory				
Title				
Name of Business				
Address				
City, State, Zip				
City, State, Zip				
Sworn to before me this	day of		;	
		Notary Public		

ATTACHMENT A – COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

Ques	Question 3.0: List the ten most recent construction contracts the Business Entity has completed. If less than ten, include most recent subcontracts on projects up to that number:							
1.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount		Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	d /or Design Engine	er		
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EI	N of JV, if applicable
2.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount	· I	Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect ar	nd /or Design Engine	er		
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EI	N of JV, if applicable
3.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount	<u>I</u>	Date Completed
	Contact Person Telephone			Designer Architect and /or Design Engineer				,
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EIN	N of JV, if applicable
4.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount	I	Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	ct and /or Design Engineer			
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EI	N of JV, if applicable
5.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount	I	Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	nitect and /or Design Engineer			
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EIN	N of JV, if applicable

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6.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount		Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	nd /or Design Engine	er		
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable
7.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount	•	Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	nd /or Design Engine	er		•
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable
8.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount	•	Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	gner Architect and /or Design Engineer			
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable
9.	Agency/Owner	-	,		Award Date	Amount		Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	ect and /or Design Engineer			
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable
10.	Agency/Owner				Award Date	Amount		Date Completed
	Contact Person		Telephone No.	Designer Architect an	nd /or Design Engine	er		
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV)	Name, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable

ATTACHMENT B – UNCOMPLETED CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

Question 3.1: List all current uncompleted construction contracts:									
1.	Agency/Owner						Award Date		Completion Date
	Contact Person		Telephone No.		Designer Architect and /or	Design Engineer			
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV) Name	e, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable
				Total C	Contract Amount	Amount Sublet to other	ers	Uncompl	eted Amount
2.	Agency/Owner						Award Date		Completion Date
	Contact Person		Telephone No.		Designer Architect and /or	Design Engineer			
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV) Name, if applicable EIN of JV, i				N of JV, if applicable		
			Total Contract Amount			Uncompleted Amount			
3.	Agency/Owner						Award Date		Completion Date
	Contact Person		Telephone No.		Designer Architect and /or	Design Engineer			
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (J	JV) Name	e, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable
				Total C	Contract Amount	Amount Sublet to other	ers	Uncompl	eted Amount
4.	Agency/Owner					Award Date		Completion Date	
	Contact Person Telephone I			No. Designer Architect and /or Design Engineer					
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV) Name	e, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable
				Total C	Contract Amount	Amount Sublet to other	ers	Uncompl	eted Amount

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5.	Agency/Owner								Completion Date	
	Contact Person Telephone N			Designer Architect and /or Design Engineer						
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (e (JV) Name, if applicable				EII	EIN of JV, if applicable	
			Total Contract Amount Amount Sublet to others					Uncompl	Uncompleted Amount	
6.	Agency/Owner		Award Date					Completion Date		
	Contact Person		Telephone No.		Designer Architect and /or	Design Engineer				
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV) Name, if applicable				EII	EIN of JV, if applicable		
			Total Contract Amount				Uncompl	ncompleted Amount		
7.	Agency/Owner						Award Date		Completion Date	
	Contact Person		Telephone No.		Designer Architect and /or	Design Engineer				
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV) Name	e, if applicable			EII	EIN of JV, if applicable	
				Total C	Contract Amount	Amount Sublet to other	ers	Uncompl	eted Amount	
8.	Agency/Owner			,			Award Date		Completion Date	
	Contact Person		Telephone No. Designer Architect and /or Design Engineer						•	
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (JV) Name, if applicable EIN of JV, if applicable					N of JV, if applicable		
			Total Contract Amount					eted Amount		

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Question 3.1: List all current uncompleted construction contracts:										
9.	Agency/Owner						Award Date		Completion Date	
	Contact Person Telephone No.			. Designer Architect and /or Design Engineer					. I	
	Contract No. Prime or Sub Joint Venture (J			JV) Nam	IV) Name, if applicable			EII	N of JV, if applicable	
	Total Contract Amount						leted Amount			
10.	Agency/Owner						Award Date		Completion Date	
	Contact Person		Telephone No.							
	Contract No.	Prime or Sub	Joint Venture (EIN of JV, if applicable		
				Total Contract Amount				Uncompleted Amount		
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					Grand	l Total All Uncomplete	ed Contracts	\$0.00		

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		NYS Vendor I	D:			
	As of Date:					
	ASSETS					
<u>Current Assets</u>						
1. Cash			\$	-		
2. Accounts receivable - less allowance for doubtful accounts	\$	-			-	
Retainers included in accounts receivable	\$	-				
Claims included in accounts receivable not yet approved or in litigation	\$	-				
Total Accounts Receivable			\$	-	<u>-</u>	
3. Notes receivable - due within one year			\$	-	_	
4. Inventory - materials			\$	-	_	
5. Contract costs in excess of billings on uncompleted contracts			\$	-		
6. Accrued income receivable					_	
Interest	\$	-				
Other (list)	\$	-				
	\$	-				
Total Accrued Income Receivable	-		\$	-		
7. Deposits					_	
Bid and Plan	\$	-				
Other (list)	\$	-				
	\$	-				
Total Deposits			\$	-		
8. Prepaid Expenses					-	
Income Taxes	\$	-				
Insurance	\$	-				
Other (list)	\$	-				
	\$	-				
Total Prepaid Expenses	·		\$	-		
9. Other Current Assets					-	
Other (list)	\$	-				
	\$	-				
Total Other Current Assets			\$	_		
10. Total Current Assets			-		\$	-
11. Investments						
Listed securities-present market value	\$	-				
Unlisted securities-present value	\$	-				
Total Investments					\$	_

	NYS Vendor ID:		
12. Fixed Assets			
Land	\$ -		
Building and improvements	\$ -		
Leasehold improvements	\$ -		
Machinery and equipment	\$ 		
Automotive equipment	\$ 		
Office furniture and fixtures	\$ 		
Other (list)	\$ -		
	\$ -		
Total	 \$	-	
Less: Accumulated depreciation	\$	-	
Total Fixed Assets - Net		\$	-
13. Other Assets			
Loans receivable			
Officers	\$ 		
Employees	\$ -		
Shareholders	\$ -		
Cash surrender value of officers' life insurance	\$ -		
Organization expense – net of amortization	\$ -		
Notes receivable - due after one year	\$ -		
Other (list)	\$ -		
	\$ -		
Total Other Assets	 	\$	-
14. TOTAL ASSETS		\$	

NYS Vendor ID:

	LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities			
15. Accounts payable		\$	-
16 a. Loans from shareholders - due within one year		\$	-
16 b. Other Loans - due within one year		\$	-
17. Notes payable - due within one year		\$	-
18. Mortgage payable - due within one year		\$	-
19. Other payables - due within one year			
Other (list)	\$	-	
	\$	-	
Total Other Payables - due within one year		\$	-
20. Billings in excess of costs and estimated earnings		\$	-
21. Accrued expenses payable			
Salaries and wages	\$	-	
Payroll taxes	\$	-	
Employees' benefits	\$	-	
Insurance	\$	-	
Other	\$	-	
Total Accrued Expenses Payable		\$	-
22. Dividends payable		\$	-
23. Income taxes payable			
State	\$	-	
Federal	\$	-	
Other	\$	-	
Total Income Taxes Payable		\$	-
24. Total current liabilities		\$	-
25. Deferred income taxes payable			
State	\$	-	
Federal	\$	-	
Other	\$	-	
Total Deferred Income Taxes		\$	-
26. Long Term Liabilities			
Loans from shareholders - due after one year	\$	-	
Other Loans - due within one year			
Principle	\$	-	
Interest	\$		
Notes payable - due after one year	\$		
Mortgage - due after one year	\$	-	
Other payables - due after one year	\$	-	
Other (list)	\$	-	
·	\$	-	
Total Long Term Liabilities		\$	-

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27.	Other Liabilities				
	Other (list)	\$	-		
		\$	-		
	Total Other Liabilities			\$	
28.	TOTAL LIABILITIES				\$ -
	1	NET WORTH			
29.	Net Worth (if proprietorship or partnership)				\$ -
30.	Stockholders' Equity				
	Common stock issued and outstanding	\$	-		
	Preferred stock issued and outstanding	\$	-		
	Retained earnings	\$	-		
	Total	\$	-		
	Less: Treasury stock	\$	-		
31.	TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				\$ -
32.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY				\$ -