



REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL

Approved by:

Jamie Hickman

Jamie Hickman, Interim Public Works Director

Arnoldo Rodriguez

Arnoldo Rodriguez, City Manager

Council Meeting of: March 15, 2023

Agenda Number: D-2

SUBJECT:

One-year contract extension with Brandley Engineering, Inc. for consulting services related to the Airport and Approval of Adjusted and New Fees

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a resolution approving an amendment to the Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services Agreement between the City and Brandley Engineering, Inc. for one year, including rate adjustments and the addition of positions that were not provided in the original agreement

SUMMARY:

On March 4, 2020, the City of Madera ("the City") entered into a three-year professional services agreement with Reinard W. Brandley, Consulting Airport Engineers, for planning, designing, and construction management for projects at the airport. On March 17, 2021, the City assigned the Agreement to Brandley Engineering, Inc as Reinard W. Brandley Consulting Airport Engineers changed its name to Brandley Engineering, Inc. ("BEI") and transitioned from a sole proprietorship to an S corporation. If approved, this amendment would:

- Extend the City's relationship with BEI for one year,
- Adjust some fees for some of their services, and
- Include new positions created within the last three years.

DISCUSSION:

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) limits certain agreements, such as this one, to three years. According to section 4 of the original Agreement, it can be extended annually, not two exceed two years, with mutual written consent.

The City has contracted with BEI since 1999; hence they are uniquely situated to understand the airport and the issues that must be addressed. The following is a sample list of the work they recently performed for the airport:

- Played a pivotal role in the ongoing airport drainage improvement project, including:
 - Preparing the Request for Proposal (RFP).
 - Conducted necessary environmental studies and helped acquire the required permits and approvals for the construction of the drainage project.
 - Created specifications for the Drainage project and coordinated with the construction company on the requirements for the project.
 - Provided construction management services for the project.
- Prepared technical reports pursuant to FAA and the California Department of Transportation, Department of Aeronautics guidelines.
- Assisted in developing additional airplane hangars and worked on the runway extension.
- Are currently working on a pavement management study to assess the state of the asphalt and plan the rehabilitation of the runway.
- Assist the City in attaining grants for the airport.

Should the contract be extended, it is expected that BEI will continue to assist the City in rehabilitating the runway, which is scheduled to bid in on either 2024 or 2025.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The City pays for services rendered through federal and state grants and the airport's enterprise fund. Section 4 of the original agreement limits how much fees can be adjusted. Per the agreement, price increases are limited "to the Consumer Price Index, Pacific Cities and U.S Average for all urban consumers, Western Cities Category "C" or 2.5 percent, whichever is lower." In this situation, price increases are limited to 2.5 percent. However, BEI is proposing several rate adjustments above and beyond the 2.5 percent for hourly rates, including:

- Adjustments to the Per Diem rates. BEI has requested more significant increases for Per Diem rates as most industries follow the guidelines set by the General Services Administration, which would increase by 18.86 percent.
- Adjustments to the mileage rate set by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Today, the City reimburses BEI \$40 per day plus \$0.58 per mile while they propose to adjust the rate to \$40 per day plus \$0.65 per mile, which is an increase of 12 percent.
- BEI has also created new positions in its business for which there is no similar previous position. This will not result in increases in rates, given that these positions did not previously exist.
- All other fee increases fall under the allowed 2.5 percent increase from the original agreement

The amendment for the extension would result in slightly higher rates. It is noted that while BEI is proposing to increase some of its fees for 2023, the City will pay a lower rate on some of the fees when compared to the standard 2023 rates BEI currently charges other customers due to Section 4 of the original agreement that limits fee increases for extensions. There is no fee that the City is paying, which is higher than BEI's 2023 standard rates. A comparison of the new and old fee schedules and the new positions is included below, as well as their standard rates for 2023.

Table 1: Existing and Proposed Rates			
Personnel	Existing Rate	Proposed Rate to be Paid by the City	Rate BEI charges other clients
Principal Engineer	\$300/Hour	No change	Same
Senior Engineer	\$180/Hour	No change	Same
Resident Engineer	\$180/Hour	\$184/hour	\$190/Hour
Junior Engineer	\$120/Hour	No change	Same
Senior Inspector	\$120/Hour	\$123/Hour	\$180/Hour
Senior Drafter	\$120/Hour	No change	Same
Junior Drafter	\$90/Hour	\$92/Hour	\$100/Hour
Apprentice	\$95/Hour	No change	Same
Project Administrator	\$100/Hour	No change	Same
Clerical	\$75/Hour	\$76/Hour	\$85/Hour

Table 2: New Positions	
New Positions	Rate
Laboratory Technician	\$90/Hour
Laboratory Apprentice	\$50/Hour

Table 3: Per Diem and Travel Reimbursement		
Travel and Equipment Rental	Existing Rate	Proposed Rate
Per Diem	\$175/Day	\$208/Day
Vehicle Rental	\$40/Day+\$0.58/Mile	\$40/Day+\$0.65/Mile

Table 4: Other Services		
Outside Consultants	Existing Rates	Proposed Rate
Topographic Surveys, Geotechnical Drilling, Testing Laboratories, etc.	Cost + 10%	No change

ALTERNATIVES:

Alternatively, the City may prepare a Request for Proposal (RFP) and solicit bids from potential vendors. The City last prepared an RFP for professional services for the airport in December 2019 and distributed it to 7 engineering firms. Only one bid was received, and the Council selected BEI.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Resolution Approving Agreement
2. Extension Agreement
3. Original Services Agreement

Attachment 1

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MADERA,
CALIFORNIA APPROVING AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO AIRPORT ENGINEERING
AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE CITY OF MADERA AND BRANDLEY ENGINEERING, INC.**

WHEREAS, the City of Madera (“City”) has a need to secure airport engineering and construction management services from a qualified professional; and

WHEREAS, the City entered into an Agreement for Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services (the “Agreement”) with Reinard W. Brandley Consulting Airport Engineers on March 4, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City assigned the agreement to Brandley Engineering, Inc. (“Brandley Engineering”) due to a name change and change in business structure; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement allows for annual extensions not to exceed two years; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement limits price increases for extensions; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement expired on March 4, 2023, and the Parties wish to extend the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the proposed extension of the Agreement also calls for rate increases for Per Diem from \$175 per day to \$208 per day and the mileage from \$40 per day plus \$58 per mile to \$40 per day plus \$65 per mile and fees for newly created positions within Brandley Engineering.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MADERA HEREBY finds, orders, and resolves as follows:

1. The above recitals are true and correct.
2. The City Council approves Amendment No. 1 to Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services Agreement with Brandley Engineering Inc. which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated by reference.
3. The Mayor of the City of Madera is authorized to execute the Agreement and any and all documents necessary to effectuate the Agreement on behalf of the City.
4. This resolution is effective immediately upon adoption.

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Attachment 2

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO AIRPORT ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT
SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MADERA
AND BRANDLEY ENGINEERING, INC.**

This Amendment No. 1 to Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services Agreement is made by and between the CITY OF MADERA, a municipal corporation of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as “City”, and Brandley Engineering, Inc. an S corporation that is located on 6125 King Road, Suite 201, Loomis, CA 95650, hereinafter referred to as “Service Provider.”

RECITALS

WHEREAS, City and Service Provider entered an Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services Agreement (“Agreement”) for professional services effective on March 4, 2020; and

WHEREAS, at the time of the Agreement, Brandley Engineering Inc. was formerly known as Reinard W. Brandley Consulting Airport Engineers; and

WHEREAS, the City approved assignment of the Agreement to Brandley Engineering Inc. on March 17th, 2021 as only the name and business structure had changed; and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to extend the Agreement and amend certain rates in the Agreement.

AGREEMENT

SECTION 1. Section 3.1 of the Agreement titled “Fees” is amended by adding subsection B thereto to read as follows:

B. Fee Schedule Effective on March 4, 2023

Personnel	Rate
Principal Engineer	\$300/Hour
Senior Engineer	\$180/Hour
Resident Engineer	\$184/Hour
Junior Engineer	\$120/Hour
Senior Inspector	\$123/Hour
Senior Drafter	\$120/Hour
Junior Drafter	\$92/Hour
Apprentice	\$95/Hour
Project Administrator	\$100/Hour
Clerical	\$76/Hour
Laboratory Technician	\$90/Hour
Laboratory Apprentice	\$50/Hour
Per Diem Travel	\$208/Day

Vehicle Rental	\$40.00/Day+\$0.065 /Mile
Outside Consultants Topographic Surveys, Geotechnical Drilling, Testing Laboratories, etc.	Cost + 10%

Section 2. Section 4 of the Agreement titled "Term of Agreement" is amended by adding the following paragraph to the end of that Section to read as follows:

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Parties agree to extend the term of the Agreement through March 4, 2024. All other provisions of the foregoing paragraph shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Except as amended by this Amendment No. 1, , all other terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. This Amendment No. 1 shall be effective on March 4, 2023.

SIGNATURES ON NEXT PAGE

CITY OF MADERA

A municipal corporation of
the State of California

By: _____
Santos Garcia, Mayor

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Alicia Gonzales, City Clerk

Date: _____

BRANDLEY ENGINEERING INC.

By: _____
Melissa Brandley, CFO & Secretary

Date: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Hilda Cantu Montoy, City Attorney

Date: _____

Attachment 3

CITY OF MADERA
AIRPORT ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES

THIS Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services Agreement ("Agreement") is made and entered into on March 4, 2020, by and between the City of Madera, a municipal corporation ("City") and Reinard W. Brandley, Consulting Airport Engineers ("Service Provider").

RECITALS

- A. The City is in need of Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services and the City has issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) for Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services.
- B. City requires an Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services Agreement from a qualified professional service provider.
- C. Service Provider is a firm having the necessary experience and qualifications to provide services under this Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services Agreement.
- D. After conducting an RFP process for Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services and after review and consideration, City desires to retain Service Provider to provide said services.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, it is agreed by and between the City and the Service Provider as follows:

- 1. Services. The City hereby employs Service Provider to provide Airport Engineering and Construction Management Services, herein set forth at the compensation and upon the terms and conditions herein expressed.
- 2. Obligations, Duties and Responsibilities of Service Provider. It shall be the duty, obligation and responsibility of the Service Provider, in a skilled and professional manner, to perform, furnish and supply to the City the services and supplies in accordance with the minimum service requirements as listed below:

Preliminary Phase

- Coordinating with the City on project scope requirements, finances, schedules, operational safety and phasing considerations, site access and other pertinent matters.
- Planning, procuring, and/or preparing necessary surveys, geotechnical engineering investigations, field investigations, and architectural and engineering studies required for design considerations.
- Developing design schematics, sketches, environmental and aesthetic considerations, project recommendations, and preliminary layouts and cost estimates.

Design Phase

- Conducting and attending meetings and design conferences to obtain information and to coordinate or resolve design matters.
- Collecting engineering data and undertaking field investigations; performing geotechnical engineering studies; and architectural and engineering studies.
- Preparing necessary engineering reports and recommendations.
- Preparing detailed plans, specifications, and cost estimates.
- Preparing Construction Safety and Phasing Plan (CSPP).
- Printing and providing necessary copies of engineering drawings and contract specifications.

Construction Phase

- Assisting the City in advertising and securing bids, negotiating for services, analyzing bid results, furnishing recommendations on the award of contracts, and preparing contract documents.
- Representing the City at preconstruction conferences.
- Onsite construction inspection and/or management involving the services of a part-time or full-time resident engineer(s), inspector(s), or manager(s) during the construction or installation phase of a project.
- Providing consultation and advice to the City during all phases of construction.
- Inspecting work in progress periodically and providing appropriate reports to the City.
- Reviewing and approving shop and construction drawings submitted by contractors for compliance with design concept.
- Reviewing, analyzing, and approving laboratory and mill test reports of materials and equipment.
- Preparing and negotiating change orders and supplemental agreements.
- Observing or reviewing performance tests required by specifications.
- Preparation of as-constructed plans.
- Determining amounts owed to contractors and assisting the City in the preparation of payments required for amounts reimbursable from grant projects.
- Making final inspections and submitting a report of the completed project to the City.

3. Service Provider's fees and compensation: amount, how and when payable.

3.1 Fees. For all the work and services, including supplies and equipment, pertaining to this Agreement and supplies required to be furnished by the Service Provider to the City, City agrees to pay to Service Provider and Service Provider agrees to accept and receive as payment in full the following fees and compensation which shall be known as the "Fee" to be paid as hereinafter set forth.

A. Fee Schedule

Personnel

Reinard W. Brandley	\$300.00/Hour
Senior Engineer/Resident Engineer.....	\$180.00/Hour
Junior Engineer/Senior Inspector	\$120.00/Hour
Senior Drafter.....	\$120.00/Hour
Junior Drafter	\$90.00/Hour
Apprentice.....	\$95.00/Hour

Project Administrator\$100.00/Hour
Clerical\$75.00/Hour

Travel and Equipment Rental

Per Diem.....\$175/Day
Vehicle Rental\$40.00/Day + \$0.58/Mile

Outside Consultants

Topographic Surveys, Geotechnical
Drilling, Testing Laboratories, etc.Cost + 10%

4. Term of Agreement. This Agreement shall be effective on March 4, 2020, after approval by the City Council at a duly scheduled meeting thereof and shall continue in full force and effect through March 4, 2023, unless otherwise terminated earlier by one of the parties pursuant to Section 8 of this Agreement. This Agreement may be extended by mutual written consent annually thereafter, not to exceed two (2) additional years. Notice of such intent shall be provided by either Party ninety (90) days before the end of the initial term to allow for the appropriate vetting and appropriate approvals by the Parties. Fees and Costs for the optional extensions may be adjusted based upon the Consumer Price Index, Pacific Cities and U. S. Average for all urban consumers, Western Cities Category "C" or 2.5%, whichever is less.

5. Hold Harmless and Insurance Requirements.

5.1 Independent contractor. In the furnishing of the services provided herein, the Service Provider is acting as an independent contractor and not as an employee of the City. Service Provider acknowledges and agrees that at all times, Service Provider or any agent or employee of Service Provider shall be deemed at all times to be an independent contractor and is wholly responsible for the manner in which it performs the services and work requested by City under this Agreement. Service Provider, its agents, and employees will not represent or hold themselves out to be employees of the City at any time. Service Provider or any agent or employee of Service Provider shall not have employee status with City, not be entitled to participate in any plans, arrangements, or distributions by City pertaining to or in connection with any retirement, health or other benefits that City may offer its employees. Service Provider or any agent or employee of Service Provider is liable for the acts and omissions of itself, its employees, and its agents. Service Provider shall be responsible for all obligations and payments, whether imposed by federal, state, or local laws, including, but not limited to, FICA, income tax withholdings, unemployment compensation, insurance, and other similar responsibilities related to Service Provider's performing services and work, or any agent or employee of Service Provider providing same. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating an employment or agency relationship between City and Service Provider or any agent or employee of Service Provider. Any terms in this Agreement referring to direction from City shall be construed as providing for direction as to policy and the result of Service Provider's work only, and not as to the means by which such a result is obtained. City does not retain the right to control the means or the method by which Service Provider performs work under this Agreement

5.2 Indemnification and Waivers.

Indemnity for Professional Liability:

When the law establishes a professional standard of care for Service Provider's Services, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Service Provider shall indemnify, protect, defend, and hold harmless City and

any and all of its officials, employees and agents from and against any and all losses, liabilities, damages, costs, and expenses, including legal counsel's fees and costs but only to the extent the Service Provider (and its Subconsultants), are responsible for such damages, liabilities and costs on a comparative basis of fault between the Service Provider (and its Subconsultants) and the City in the performance of professional services under this agreement.

Indemnity for Other Than Professional Liability:

Other than in the performance of professional services and to the full extent permitted by law, Service Provider shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless City, and any and all of its employees, officials and agents from and against any liability (including liability for claims, suits, actions, arbitration proceedings, administrative proceedings, regulatory proceedings, losses, expenses or costs of any kind, whether actual, alleged or threatened, including legal counsel's fees and costs, court costs, defense costs, and expert witness fees), where the same arise out of, are a consequence of, or are in any way attributable to, in whole or in part, the performance of this Agreement by Service Provider or by any individual or City for which Service Provider is legally liable, including, but not limited to officers, agents, employees, or subcontractors of Service Provider, except when caused by the active negligence or willful misconduct of the City.

5.3 Insurance. During the term of this Agreement, Service Provider shall maintain, keep in force and pay all premiums required to maintain and keep in force liability and property damage insurance. The limits of such policy shall be as required by the City of Madera. A copy of the City's requirements for such insurance coverage is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

6. Attorney's Fees/Venue. In the event that any action is brought to enforce the terms of this Agreement, the party found by the court to be in default agrees to pay reasonable attorney's fees to the successful party in an amount to be fixed by the Court. The venue for any claim being brought for breach of this Agreement shall be in Madera County.

7. Governing Law. The laws of the State of California shall govern the rights and obligations of the parties under this Agreement, including the interpretation of the Agreement. If any part of the Agreement is adjudged to be invalid or unenforceable, such invalidity shall not affect the full force and effect of the remainder of the Agreement.

8. Termination.

8.1 This Agreement may be terminated at any time by either party upon fifteen (15) calendar days written notice. In the event the Agreement is terminated by either party, Service Provider shall be compensated for services performed to the date of termination based upon the compensation rates and subject to the maximum amounts payable agreed to together with such additional services performed after termination which are authorized in writing by the City representative to wind up the work performed to date of termination.

8.2 City may immediately suspend or terminate this Agreement in whole or in part by written notice where, if in the determination of City, there is:

1. A failure by Service Provider to comply with any material term of this Agreement;
2. A substantially incorrect or incomplete report submitted by Service Provider to City.

8.3 In no event shall any payment by City or acceptance by Service Provider constitute a waiver by such party of any breach of this Agreement or any default which may then exist on the part of either party. Neither shall such payment impair or prejudice any remedy available to either party with respect to such breach or default. City shall have the right to demand of Service Provider the repayment to City of any funds disbursed to Service Provider under this Agreement which, as determined by the appropriate court or arbitrator, were not expended in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.

All notices shall be mailed to the City:

City of Madera
Public Works Department
1030 South Gateway Drive
Madera, CA 93637

To Service Provider:

Reinard W. Brandley, Consulting Airport Engineers
6125 King Road, Suite 201
Loomis, CA 95650

9. Compliance with Laws. In the performance of this Agreement, Service Provider shall comply with the provisions in Exhibit B "Contract Provisions for Obligated Sponsor and Airport Improvement Projects" which are incorporated by reference and all applicable local, state, and federal laws and regulations and laws referenced in this section.

9.1 Laws Incorporated by Reference. The full text of the laws listed in this Section, including enforcement and penalty provisions, are incorporated by reference into this Agreement.

9.2 Conflict of Interest. By executing this Agreement, Service Provider certifies that it does not know of any fact which constitutes a violation of Title 9, Chapter 7 of the California Government Code (Section 87100 et seq.), or Title 1, Division 4, Chapter 1, Article 4 of the California Government Code (Section 1090 et seq.), and further agrees promptly to notify the City if it becomes aware of any such fact during the term of this Agreement.

9.3 Proprietary Information. In the performance of Services, Service Provider may have access to City's proprietary or confidential information, the disclosure of which to third parties may damage City. If City discloses proprietary or confidential information to Service Provider, such information must be held by Service Provider in confidence and used only in performing the Agreement. Service Provider shall exercise the same standard of care to protect such information as a reasonably prudent Service Provider would use to protect its own proprietary or confidential information.

9.4 Nondiscrimination Requirements. Service Provider shall comply with all state and federal laws in the administration of this Agreement.

9.5 Alcohol and Drug-Free Workplace. City reserves the right to deny access to, or require Service Provider to remove from, City facilities personnel of any Service Provider or subcontractor who City has reasonable grounds to believe has engaged in alcohol abuse or illegal drug activity which in any way impairs City's ability to maintain safe work facilities or to protect the health and well-being of City employees and the general public. City shall have the right of final approval for the entry or re-entry of any such person previously denied access to, or removed from, City facilities. Illegal drug activity means

possessing, furnishing, selling, offering, purchasing, using or being under the influence of illegal drugs or other controlled substances for which the individual lacks a valid prescription. Alcohol abuse means possessing, furnishing, selling, offering, or using alcoholic beverages, or being under the influence of alcohol.

9.6 Public Records Act. Contractor acknowledges that this Agreement and all records related to its formation, Contractor's performance of services, and City's payment are subject to the California Public Records Act, (California Government Code §6250 et seq.). Such records are subject to public inspection and copying unless exempt from disclosure under federal, state, or local law.

10. Notices. All notices and communications from the Service Provider shall be to City's Fleet Operations Manager. Verbal communications shall be confirmed in writing. All written notices shall be provided and addressed as indicated above.

11. Assignment. Neither the City nor the Service Provider will assign its interest in this Agreement without the written consent of the other.

12. Entire Agreement. This contract sets forth the entire Agreement between the parties and supersedes all other oral or written provisions. Any changes to this Agreement requested by either City or Service Provider may only be effected if mutually agreed upon in writing by duly authorized representatives of the parties hereto. This Agreement shall not be modified or amended or any rights of a party to it waived except by such a writing.

13. Venue. The formation, interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Venue for all litigation relative to the formation, interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be in the County of Madera.

This Agreement and the attachments and exhibits incorporated herein, represents the entire agreement and understanding between the parties. Any modifications to this Agreement shall be in writing and signed by authorized representatives of the parties. One or more waivers of any term, condition or covenant by either party shall not be construed as a waiver of any other term, condition or covenant.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement at Madera, California, the day and year first above written.

CITY OF MADERA

BY: Andrew Medellin
Andrew Medellin, Mayor

REINARD W. BRANDLEY,
CONSULTING AIRPORT ENGINEERS

BY: Reinard W. Brandley
Reinard W. Brandley, Owner

ATTEST:

Alicia Gonzales
Alicia Gonzales, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Hilda Cantú Montoy
Hilda Cantú Montoy, City Attorney



Exhibit A

Insurance Requirements for Consultants

Without limiting Consultant's indemnification of City, and prior to commencement of Work, Consultant shall obtain, provide, and continuously maintain at its own expense during the term of the Agreement, and shall require any and all Subcontractors and Subconsultants of every Tier to obtain and maintain, policies of insurance of the type and amounts described below and in form satisfactory to the City.

Minimum Scope and Limits of Insurance

Consultant shall maintain limits no less than:

- **\$2,000,000 General Liability** (including operations, products and completed operations) per occurrence, \$4,000,000 general aggregate, for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage, including without limitation, blanket contractual liability. Coverage shall be at least as broad as Insurance Services Office (ISO) Commercial General Liability coverage form CG 00 01. General liability policies shall be endorsed using ISO form CG 20 10 that the City and its officers, officials, employees and agents shall be additional insureds under such policies.
- **\$2,000,000 Automobile Liability** combined single limit per accident for bodily injury or property damage at least as broad as ISO Form CA 00 01 for all activities of Consultant arising out of or in connection with Work to be performed under this Agreement, including coverage for any owned, hired, non-owned or rented vehicles. Automobile Liability policies shall be endorsed to provide that the City and its officers, officials, employees and agents shall be additional insureds under such policies.
- **Worker's Compensation** as required by the State of California and **\$1,000,000 Employer's Liability** per accident for bodily injury or disease. Consultant shall submit to the City, along with the certificate of insurance, a Waiver of Subrogation endorsement in favor of the City, it's officers, agents, employees, and volunteers.
- **\$1,000,000 Professional Liability (Errors & Omissions)** per claim and in the aggregate. Consultant shall maintain professional liability insurance that insures against professional errors and omission that may be made in performing the Services to be rendered in connection with this Agreement. Any policy inception date, continuity date, or retroactive date must be before the effective date of this Agreement, and Consultant agrees to maintain continuous coverage through a period no less than three years after completion of the services required by this Agreement. The cost of such insurance shall be included in Consultant's bid.

Maintenance of Coverage

Consultant shall procure and maintain, for the duration of the contract, insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property, which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the Work hereunder by Consultant, its agents, representatives, employees, subcontractors or subconsultants as specified in this Agreement.

Proof of Insurance

Consultant shall provide to the City certificates of insurance and endorsements, as required, as evidence of the insurance coverage required herein, along with a waiver of subrogation endorsement for workers' compensation. Insurance certificates and endorsements must be approved by the City prior to commencement of performance. Current evidence of insurance shall be kept on file with the City at all

times during the term of this Agreement. Agency reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, at any time.

Acceptable Insurers

All insurance policies shall be issued by an insurance company currently authorized by the Insurance commissioner to transact business of insurance in the State of California, with an assigned policyholders' Rating of A- (or higher) and a Financial Size Category Class VII (or larger), in accordance with the latest edition of Best's Key Rating Guide.

Waiver of Subrogation

All insurance coverage maintained or procured pursuant to this agreement shall be endorsed to waive subrogation against the City, its elected or appointed officers, agents, officials, employees, and volunteers, or shall specifically allow Consultant, or others providing insurance evidence in compliance with these specifications, to waive their right of recovery prior to a loss. Consultant hereby waives its own right of recovery against the City and shall require similar written express waivers and insurance clauses from each of its subconsultants or subcontractors.

Enforcement of Contract Provisions (non estoppel)

Consultant acknowledges and agrees that any actual or alleged failure on the part of the Agency to inform Consultant of non-compliance with any requirement imposes no additional obligations on the City, nor does it waive any rights hereunder.

Specifications not Limiting

Requirements of specific coverage features or limits contained in this Section are not intended as a limitation on coverage, limits or other requirements, or a waiver of any coverage normally provided by any insurance. Specific reference to a given coverage feature is for purposes of clarification only as it pertains to a given issue and is not intended by any party or insured to be all inclusive, or to the exclusion of other coverage, or a waiver of any type. If Consultant maintains higher limits than the minimums required above, the entity shall be entitled to coverage at the higher limits maintained by Consultant.

Notice of Cancellation

Consultant agrees to oblige its insurance agent or broker and insurers to provide to the City with thirty (30) calendar days notice of cancellation (except for nonpayment for which ten (10) calendar days notice is required) or nonrenewal of coverage for each required coverage.

Self-insured Retentions

Any self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the City. The City reserves the right to require that self-insured retentions be eliminated, lowered or replaced by a deductible. Self-insurance will not be considered to comply with these specifications unless approved by the City's Risk Manager.

Timely Notice of Claims

Consultant shall give the City prompt and timely notice of claims made or suits instituted that arise out of or result from Consultant's performance under this Agreement, and that involve or may involve coverage under any of the required liability policies.

Additional Insurance

Consultant shall also procure and maintain, at its own cost and expense, any additional kinds of insurance, which in its own judgement may be necessary for its proper protection and prosecution of the Work.

EXHIBIT B – CONTRACT PROVISIONS FOR OBLIGATED SPONSORS AND AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

B1 ACCESS TO RECORDS AND REPORTS

2 CFR § 200.333

2 CFR § 200.336

FAA Order 5100.38

The Consultant must maintain an acceptable cost accounting system. The Consultant agrees to provide the Owner, the Federal Aviation Administration and the Comptroller General of the United States or any of their duly authorized representatives access to any books, documents, papers and records of the Consultant which are directly pertinent to the specific contract for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts and transcriptions. The Consultant agrees to maintain all books, records and reports required under this contract for a period of not less than three years after final payment is made and all pending matters are closed.

B2 BREACH OF CONTRACT TERMS

2 CFR § 200 Appendix II(A)

Any violation or breach of terms of this contract on the part of the Consultant or its subconsultants may result in the suspension or termination of this contract or such other action that may be necessary to enforce the rights of the parties of this agreement.

Owner will provide Consultant written notice that describes the nature of the breach and corrective actions the Consultant must undertake in order to avoid termination of the contract. Owner reserves the right to withhold payments to Consultant until such time the Consultant corrects the breach or the Owner elects to terminate the contract. The Owner's notice will identify a specific date by which the Consultant must correct the breach. Owner may proceed with termination of the contract if the Consultant fails to correct the breach by the deadline indicated in the Owner's notice.

The duties and obligations imposed by the Contract Documents and the rights and remedies available thereunder are in addition to, and not a limitation of, any duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law.

B3 CIVIL RIGHTS - GENERAL

49 USC § 47123

GENERAL CIVIL RIGHTS PROVISIONS

The Consultant agrees to comply with pertinent statutes, Executive Orders and such rules as are promulgated to ensure that no person shall, on the grounds of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability be excluded from participating in any activity conducted with or benefiting from Federal assistance.

This provision binds the Consultant and subconsultants from the bid solicitation period through the completion of the contract. This provision is in addition to that required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

B4 CIVIL RIGHTS – TITLE VI ASSURANCE

49 USC § 47123

FAA Order 1400.11

The City of Madera in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 USC §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders or offerors that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

Title VI Clauses for Compliance with Nondiscrimination Requirements

Compliance with Nondiscrimination Requirements:

During the performance of this contract, the Consultant, for itself, its assignees, and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "Consultant"), agrees as follows:

1. **Compliance with Regulations:** The Consultant (hereinafter includes consultants) will comply with the Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities, as they may be amended from time to time, which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.
2. **Nondiscrimination:** The Consultant, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, will not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in the selection and retention of subconsultants, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The Consultant will not participate directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by the Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities, including employment practices when the contract covers any activity, project, or program set forth in Appendix B of 49 CFR part 21.
3. **Solicitations for Subcontracts, including Procurements of Materials and Equipment:** In all solicitations, either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the Consultant for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials, or leases of equipment, each potential subconsultant or supplier will be notified by the Consultant of the Consultant's obligations under this contract and the Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities on the grounds of race, color, or national origin.
4. **Information and Reports:** The Consultant will provide all information and reports required by the Acts, the Regulations, and directives issued pursuant thereto and will permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities and instructions. Where any information required of a Consultant is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish the information, the Consultant will so certify to the sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration, as appropriate, and will set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
5. **Sanctions for Noncompliance:** In the event of a Consultant's noncompliance with the non-discrimination provisions of this contract, the sponsor will impose such contract sanctions as it

or the Federal Aviation Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:

- a. Withholding payments to the Consultant under the contract until the Consultant complies; and/or
 - b. Cancelling, terminating, or suspending a contract, in whole or in part.
6. **Incorporation of Provisions:** The Consultant will include the provisions of paragraphs one through six in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Acts, the Regulations, and directives issued pursuant thereto. The Consultant will take action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the sponsor or the Federal Aviation Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. Provided, that if the Consultant becomes involved in, or is threatened with litigation by a subconsultant, or supplier because of such direction, the Consultant may request the sponsor to enter into any litigation to protect the interests of the sponsor. In addition, the Consultant may request the United States to enter into the litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities

During the performance of this contract, the Consultant, for itself, its assignees, and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "Consultant") agrees to comply with the following non-discrimination statutes and authorities; including but not limited to:

- Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC § 2000d *et seq.*, 78 stat. 252) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin);
- 49 CFR part 21 (Non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation—Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964);
- The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 USC § 4601) (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects);
- Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC § 794 *et seq.*), as amended (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR part 27;
- The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 USC § 6101 *et seq.*) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age);
- Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982 (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex);
- The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (PL 100-209) (broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms "programs or activities" to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal-aid recipients, sub-recipients and contractors, whether such programs or activities are Federally funded or not);
- Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing entities (42 USC §§ 12131 – 12189) as implemented by U.S. Department of Transportation regulations at 49 CFR parts 37 and 38;
- The Federal Aviation Administration's Nondiscrimination statute (49 USC § 47123) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex);
- Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, which ensures nondiscrimination against minority populations by

discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations;

- Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination because of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, you must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to your programs (70 Fed. Reg. at 74087 to 74100);
- Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 USC 1681 et seq).

B5 CLEAN AIR AND WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

2 CFR § 200, Appendix II(G)

Consultant agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders, and regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 USC § 740-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 USC § 1251-1387). The Consultant agrees to report any violation to the Owner immediately upon discovery. The Owner assumes responsibility for notifying the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Federal Aviation Administration.

Consultant must include this requirement in all subcontracts that exceeds \$150,000.

B6 DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION

2 CFR part 180 (Subpart C)

2 CFR part 1200

DOT Order 4200.5

CERTIFICATION OF OFFEROR/BIDDER REGARDING DEBARMENT

By submitting a bid/proposal under this solicitation, the bidder or offeror certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred or suspended by any Federal department or agency from participation in this transaction.

CERTIFICATION OF LOWER TIER CONTRACTORS REGARDING DEBARMENT

The successful bidder, by administering each lower tier subcontract that exceeds \$25,000 as a "covered transaction", must verify each lower tier participant of a "covered transaction" under the project is not presently debarred or otherwise disqualified from participation in this federally assisted project. The successful bidder will accomplish this by:

1. Checking the System for Award Management at website: <http://www.sam.gov>.
2. Collecting a certification statement similar to the Certification of Offerer /Bidder Regarding Debarment, above.
3. Inserting a clause or condition in the covered transaction with the lower tier contract.

If the Federal Aviation Administration later determines that a lower tier participant failed to disclose to a higher tier participant that it was excluded or disqualified at the time it entered the covered transaction, the FAA may pursue any available remedies, including suspension and debarment of the non-compliant participant.

B7 DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

49 CFR part 26

The requirements of 49 CFR part 26 apply to this contract. It is the policy of the City of Madera to practice nondiscrimination based on race, color, sex, or national origin in the award or performance of this contract. The Owner encourages participation by all firms qualifying under this solicitation regardless of business size or ownership.

Contract Assurance (§ 26.13) –

The Consultant or subconsultant shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The Consultant shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR part 26 in the award and administration of Department of Transportation-assisted contracts. Failure by the Consultant to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the Owner deems appropriate, which may include, but is not limited to:

- 1) Withholding monthly progress payments;
- 2) Assessing sanctions;
- 3) Liquidated damages; and/or
- 4) Disqualifying the Consultant from future bidding as non-responsible.

Prompt Payment (§26.29) – The prime Consultant agrees to pay each subconsultant under this prime contract for satisfactory performance of its contract no later than 7 days from the receipt of each payment the prime Consultant receives from City of Madera. The prime Consultant agrees further to return retainage payments to each subconsultant within 7 days after the subconsultant's work is satisfactorily completed. Any delay or postponement of payment from the above referenced time frame may occur only for good cause following written approval of the City of Madera. This clause applies to both DBE and non-DBE subconsultants.

B8 DISTRACTED DRIVING

Executive Order 13513

DOT Order 3902.10

TEXTING WHEN DRIVING

In accordance with Executive Order 13513, "Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving", (10/1/2009) and DOT Order 3902.10, "Text Messaging While Driving", (12/30/2009), the Federal Aviation Administration encourages recipients of Federal grant funds to adopt and enforce safety policies that decrease crashes by distracted drivers, including policies to ban text messaging while driving when performing work related to a grant or subgrant.

In support of this initiative, the Owner encourages the Consultant to promote policies and initiatives for its employees and other work personnel that decrease crashes by distracted drivers, including policies that ban text messaging while driving motor vehicles while performing work activities associated with the

project. The Consultant must include the substance of this clause in all sub-tier contracts exceeding \$3,500 that involve driving a motor vehicle in performance of work activities associated with the project.

B9 ENERGY CONSERVATION REQUIREMENTS

2 CFR § 200, Appendix II(H)

Consultant and Subconsultant agree to comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency as contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 USC 6201*et seq.*).

B10 EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (EEO)

2 CFR 200, Appendix II(C)

41 CFR § 60-1.4

41 CFR § 60-4.3

Executive Order 11246

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CLAUSE

During the performance of this contract, the Consultant agrees as follows:

- (1) The Consultant will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The Consultant will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identify, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff, or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Consultant agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
- (2) The Consultant will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Consultant, state that all qualified applicants will receive considerations for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.
- (3) The Consultant will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers' representatives of the Consultant's commitments under this section and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- (4) The Consultant will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.
- (5) The Consultant will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.

(6) In the event of the Consultant's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Consultant may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts or federally assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.

(7) The Consultant will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subconsultant or vendor. The Consultant will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance: *Provided, however*, that in the event a Consultant becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subconsultant or vendor as a result of such direction by the administering agency the Consultant may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

STANDARD FEDERAL EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS

1. As used in these specifications:

- a. "Covered area" means the geographical area described in the solicitation from which this contract resulted;
- b. "Director" means Director, Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP), U.S. Department of Labor, or any person to whom the Director delegates authority;
- c. "Employer identification number" means the Federal social security number used on the Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return, U.S. Treasury Department Form 941;
- d. "Minority" includes:
 - (1) Black (all persons having origins in any of the Black African racial groups not of Hispanic origin);
 - (2) Hispanic (all persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin regardless of race);
 - (3) Asian and Pacific Islander (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands); and
 - (4) American Indian or Alaskan native (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America and maintaining identifiable tribal affiliations through membership and participation or community identification).

2. Whenever the Consultant, or any subconsultant at any tier, subcontracts a portion of the work involving any construction trade, it shall physically include in each subcontract in excess of \$10,000 the provisions of these specifications and the Notice which contains the applicable goals for minority and female participation and which is set forth in the solicitations from which this contract resulted.

3. If the Consultant is participating (pursuant to 41 CFR part 60-4.5) in a Hometown Plan approved by the U.S. Department of Labor in the covered area either individually or through an association, its affirmative action obligations on all work in the Plan area (including goals and timetables) shall be in accordance with that Plan for those trades which have unions participating in the Plan. Consultants shall be able to demonstrate their participation in and compliance with the provisions of any such Hometown Plan. Each Consultant or subconsultant participating in an approved plan is individually required to comply with its obligations under the EEO clause and to make a good faith effort to achieve each goal under the Plan in each trade in which it has employees. The overall good faith performance by other Consultants or subconsultants toward a goal in an approved Plan does not excuse any covered Consultant's or subconsultant's failure to take good faith efforts to achieve the Plan goals and timetables.

4. The Consultant shall implement the specific affirmative action standards provided in paragraphs 7a through 7p of these specifications. The goals set forth in the solicitation from which this contract resulted are expressed as percentages of the total hours of employment and training of minority and female utilization the Consultant should reasonably be able to achieve in each construction trade in which it has employees in the covered area. Covered construction Consultants performing construction work in a geographical area where they do not have a Federal or federally assisted construction contract shall apply the minority and female goals established for the geographical area where the work is being performed. Goals are published periodically in the Federal Register in notice form, and such notices may be obtained from any Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs office or from Federal procurement contracting officers. The Consultant is expected to make substantially uniform progress in meeting its goals in each craft during the period specified.

5. Neither the provisions of any collective bargaining agreement nor the failure by a union with whom the Consultant has a collective bargaining agreement to refer either minorities or women shall excuse the Consultant's obligations under these specifications, Executive Order 11246, or the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.

6. In order for the non-working training hours of apprentices and trainees to be counted in meeting the goals, such apprentices and trainees shall be employed by the Consultant during the training period and the Consultant shall have made a commitment to employ the apprentices and trainees at the completion of their training, subject to the availability of employment opportunities. Trainees shall be trained pursuant to training programs approved by the U.S. Department of Labor.

7. The Consultant shall take specific affirmative actions to ensure equal employment opportunity. The evaluation of the Consultant's compliance with these specifications shall be based upon its effort to achieve maximum results from its actions. The Consultant shall document these efforts fully and shall implement affirmative action steps at least as extensive as the following:

- a. Ensure and maintain a working environment free of harassment, intimidation, and coercion at all sites, and in all facilities at which the Consultant's employees are assigned to work. The Consultant, where possible, will assign two or more women to each construction project. The Consultant shall specifically ensure that all foremen, superintendents, and other onsite supervisory personnel are aware of and carry out the Consultant's obligation to maintain such a working environment, with specific attention to minority or female individuals working at such sites or in such facilities.

- b. Establish and maintain a current list of minority and female recruitment sources, provide written notification to minority and female recruitment sources and to community organizations when the

Consultant or its unions have employment opportunities available, and maintain a record of the organizations' responses.

c. Maintain a current file of the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of each minority and female off-the-street applicant and minority or female referral from a union, a recruitment source, or community organization and of what action was taken with respect to each such individual. If such individual was sent to the union hiring hall for referral and was not referred back to the Consultant by the union or, if referred, not employed by the Consultant, this shall be documented in the file with the reason therefore along with whatever additional actions the Consultant may have taken.

d. Provide immediate written notification to the Director when the union or unions with which the Consultant has a collective bargaining agreement has not referred to the Consultant a minority person or female sent by the Consultant, or when the Consultant has other information that the union referral process has impeded the Consultant's efforts to meet its obligations.

e. Develop on-the-job training opportunities and/or participate in training programs for the area which expressly include minorities and women, including upgrading programs and apprenticeship and trainee programs relevant to the Consultant's employment needs, especially those programs funded or approved by the Department of Labor. The Consultant shall provide notice of these programs to the sources compiled under 7b above.

f. Disseminate the Consultant's EEO policy by providing notice of the policy to unions and training programs and requesting their cooperation in assisting the Consultant in meeting its EEO obligations; by including it in any policy manual and collective bargaining agreement; by publicizing it in the company newspaper, annual report, etc.; by specific review of the policy with all management personnel and with all minority and female employees at least once a year; and by posting the company EEO policy on bulletin boards accessible to all employees at each location where construction work is performed.

g. Review, at least annually, the company's EEO policy and affirmative action obligations under these specifications with all employees having any responsibility for hiring, assignment, layoff, termination, or other employment decisions, including specific review of these items, with onsite supervisory personnel such as superintendents, general foremen, etc., prior to the initiation of construction work at any job site. A written record shall be made and maintained identifying the time and place of these meetings, persons attending, subject matter discussed, and disposition of the subject matter.

h. Disseminate the Consultant's EEO policy externally by including it in any advertising in the news media, specifically including minority and female news media, and providing written notification to and discussing the Consultant's EEO policy with other consultants and subconsultants with whom the Consultant does or anticipates doing business.

i. Direct its recruitment efforts, both oral and written, to minority, female, and community organizations, to schools with minority and female students; and to minority and female recruitment and training organizations serving the Consultant's recruitment area and employment needs. Not later than one month prior to the date for the acceptance of applications for apprenticeship or other training by any recruitment source, the Consultant shall send written notification to organizations, such as the above, describing the openings, screening procedures, and tests to be used in the selection process.

- j. Encourage present minority and female employees to recruit other minority persons and women and, where reasonable, provide after school, summer, and vacation employment to minority and female youth both on the site and in other areas of a Consultant's workforce.
 - k. Validate all tests and other selection requirements where there is an obligation to do so under 41 CFR part 60-3.
 - l. Conduct, at least annually, an inventory and evaluation at least of all minority and female personnel, for promotional opportunities and encourage these employees to seek or to prepare for, through appropriate training, etc., such opportunities.
 - m. Ensure that seniority practices, job classifications, work assignments, and other personnel practices do not have a discriminatory effect by continually monitoring all personnel and employment related activities to ensure that the EEO policy and the Consultant's obligations under these specifications are being carried out.
 - n. Ensure that all facilities and company activities are non-segregated except that separate or single user toilet and necessary changing facilities shall be provided to assure privacy between the sexes.
 - o. Document and maintain a record of all solicitations of offers for subcontracts from minority and female construction consultants and suppliers, including circulation of solicitations to minority and female consultant associations and other business associations.
 - p. Conduct a review, at least annually, of all supervisor's adherence to and performance under the Consultant's EEO policies and affirmative action obligations.
8. Consultants are encouraged to participate in voluntary associations, which assist in fulfilling one or more of their affirmative action obligations (7a through 7p). The efforts of a contractor association, joint contractor union, contractor community, or other similar groups of which the Consultant is a member and participant may be asserted as fulfilling any one or more of its obligations under 7a through 7p of these specifications provided that the Consultant actively participates in the group, makes every effort to assure that the group has a positive impact on the employment of minorities and women in the industry, ensures that the concrete benefits of the program are reflected in the Consultant's minority and female workforce participation, makes a good faith effort to meet its individual goals and timetables, and can provide access to documentation which demonstrates the effectiveness of actions taken on behalf of the Consultant. The obligation to comply, however, is the Consultant's and failure of such a group to fulfill an obligation shall not be a defense for the Consultant's noncompliance.
9. A single goal for minorities and a separate single goal for women have been established. The Consultant, however, is required to provide equal employment opportunity and to take affirmative action for all minority groups, both male and female, and all women, both minority and non-minority. Consequently, if the particular group is employed in a substantially disparate manner (for example, even though the Consultant has achieved its goals for women generally), the Consultant may be in violation of the Executive Order if a specific minority group of women is underutilized.
10. The Consultant shall not use the goals and timetables or affirmative action standards to discriminate against any person because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.
11. The Consultant shall not enter into any subcontract with any person or firm debarred from Government contracts pursuant to Executive Order 11246.

12. The Consultant shall carry out such sanctions and penalties for violation of these specifications and of the Equal Opportunity Clause, including suspension, termination, and cancellation of existing subcontracts as may be imposed or ordered pursuant to Executive Order 11246, as amended, and its implementing regulations, by the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs. Any consultant who fails to carry out such sanctions and penalties shall be in violation of these specifications and Executive Order 11246, as amended.

13. The Consultant, in fulfilling its obligations under these specifications, shall implement specific affirmative action steps, at least as extensive as those standards prescribed in paragraph 7 of these specifications, so as to achieve maximum results from its efforts to ensure equal employment opportunity. If the Consultant fails to comply with the requirements of the Executive Order, the implementing regulations, or these specifications, the Director shall proceed in accordance with 41 CFR part 60-4.8.

14. The Consultant shall designate a responsible official to monitor all employment related activity to ensure that the company EEO policy is being carried out, to submit reports relating to the provisions hereof as may be required by the Government, and to keep records. Records shall at least include for each employee, the name, address, telephone number, construction trade, union affiliation if any, employee identification number when assigned, social security number, race, sex, status (e.g., mechanic, apprentice, trainee, helper, or laborer), dates of changes in status, hours worked per week in the indicated trade, rate of pay, and locations at which the work was performed. Records shall be maintained in an easily understandable and retrievable form; however, to the degree that existing records satisfy this requirement, Consultants shall not be required to maintain separate records.

15. Nothing herein provided shall be construed as a limitation upon the application of other laws which establish different standards of compliance or upon the application of requirements for the hiring of local or other area residents (e.g. those under the Public Works Employment Act of 1977 and the Community Development Block Grant Program).

B11 FEDERAL FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT (FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE)

29 USC § 201, et seq

All contracts and subcontracts that result from this solicitation incorporate by reference the provisions of 29 CFR part 201, the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA), with the same force and effect as if given in full text. The FLSA sets minimum wage, overtime pay, recordkeeping, and child labor standards for full and part-time workers.

The Consultant has full responsibility to monitor compliance to the referenced statute or regulation. The Consultant must address any claims or disputes that arise from this requirement directly with the U.S. Department of Labor – Wage and Hour Division.

B12 LOBBYING AND INFLUENCING FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

31 USC § 1352 – Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment

2 CFR part 200, Appendix II(J)

49 CFR part 20, Appendix A

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

The Bidder or Offeror certifies by signing and submitting this bid or proposal, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Bidder or Offeror, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

B13 OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT OF 1970

29 CFR part 1910

All contracts and subcontracts that result from this solicitation incorporate by reference the requirements of 29 CFR Part 1910 with the same force and effect as if given in full text. The employer must provide a work environment that is free from recognized hazards that may cause death or serious physical harm to the employee. The employer retains full responsibility to monitor its compliance and their subconsultant's compliance with the applicable requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (29 CFR Part 1910). The employer must address any claims or disputes that pertain to a referenced requirement directly with the U.S. Department of Labor – Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

B14 TAX DELINQUENCY AND FELONY CONVICTIONS

CERTIFICATION OF OFFEROR/BIDDER REGARDING TAX DELINQUENCY AND FELONY CONVICTIONS

The applicant must complete the following two certification statements. The applicant must indicate its current status as it relates to tax delinquency and felony conviction by inserting a checkmark (✓) in the space following the applicable response. The applicant agrees that, if awarded a contract resulting from this solicitation, it will incorporate this provision for certification in all lower tier subcontracts.

Certifications

- 1) The applicant represents that it is () is not (✓) a corporation that has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability.
- 2) The applicant represents that it is () is not (✓) is not a corporation that was convicted of a criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months.

Note

If an applicant responds in the affirmative to either of the above representations, the applicant is ineligible to receive an award unless the sponsor has received notification from the agency suspension and debarment official (SDO) that the SDO has considered suspension or debarment and determined that further action is not required to protect the Government's interests. The applicant therefore must provide information to the owner about its tax liability or conviction to the Owner, who will then notify the FAA Airports District Office, which will then notify the agency's SDO to facilitate completion of the required considerations before award decisions are made.

Term Definitions

Felony conviction: Felony conviction means a conviction within the preceding twentyfour (24) months of a felony criminal violation under any Federal law and includes conviction of an offense defined in a section of the U.S. code that specifically classifies the offense as a felony and conviction of an offense that is classified as a felony under 18 U.S.C. § 3559.

Tax Delinquency: A tax delinquency is any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted, or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability.

B15 TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

2 CFR § 200 Appendix II(B)

FAA Advisory Circular 150/5370-10, Section 80-09

TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE (PROFESSIONAL SERVICES)

The Owner may, by written notice to the Consultant, terminate this Agreement for its convenience and without cause or default on the part of Consultant. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, except as explicitly directed by the Owner, the Consultant must immediately discontinue all services affected.

Upon termination of the Agreement, the Consultant must deliver to the Owner all data, surveys, models, drawings, specifications, reports, maps, photographs, estimates, summaries, and other documents and materials prepared by the Engineer under this contract, whether complete or partially complete.

Owner agrees to make just and equitable compensation to the Consultant for satisfactory work completed up through the date the Consultant receives the termination notice. Compensation will not include anticipated profit on non-performed services.

Owner further agrees to hold Consultant harmless for errors or omissions in documents that are incomplete as a result of the termination action under this clause.

TERMINATION FOR DEFAULT (PROFESSIONAL SERVICES)

Either party may terminate this Agreement for cause if the other party fails to fulfill its obligations that are essential to the completion of the work per the terms and conditions of the Agreement. The party initiating the termination action must allow the breaching party an opportunity to dispute or cure the breach.

The terminating party must provide the breaching party [7] days advance written notice of its intent to terminate the Agreement. The notice must specify the nature and extent of the breach, the conditions necessary to cure the breach, and the effective date of the termination action. The rights and remedies in this clause are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this agreement.

a) **Termination by Owner:** The Owner may terminate this Agreement in whole or in part, for the failure of the Consultant to:

1. Perform the services within the time specified in this contract or by Owner approved extension;
2. Make adequate progress so as to endanger satisfactory performance of the Project; or
3. Fulfill the obligations of the Agreement that are essential to the completion of the Project.

Upon receipt of the notice of termination, the Consultant must immediately discontinue all services affected unless the notice directs otherwise. Upon termination of the Agreement, the Consultant must deliver to the Owner all data, surveys, models, drawings, specifications, reports, maps, photographs, estimates, summaries, and other documents and materials prepared by the Engineer under this contract, whether complete or partially complete.

Owner agrees to make just and equitable compensation to the Consultant for satisfactory work completed up through the date the Consultant receives the termination notice. Compensation will not include anticipated profit on non-performed services.

Owner further agrees to hold Consultant harmless for errors or omissions in documents that are incomplete as a result of the termination action under this clause.

If, after finalization of the termination action, the Owner determines the Consultant was not in default of the Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the Owner issued the termination for the convenience of the Owner.

b) **Termination by Consultant:** The Consultant may terminate this Agreement in whole or in part, if the Owner:

1. Defaults on its obligations under this Agreement;
2. Fails to make payment to the Consultant in accordance with the terms of this Agreement;
3. Suspends the Project for more than [180] days due to reasons beyond the control of the Consultant.

Upon receipt of a notice of termination from the Consultant, Owner agrees to cooperate with Consultant for the purpose of terminating the agreement or portion thereof, by mutual consent. If Owner and Consultant cannot reach mutual agreement on the termination settlement, the Consultant may, without prejudice to any rights and remedies it may have, proceed with terminating all or parts of this Agreement based upon the Owner's breach of the contract.

In the event of termination due to Owner breach, the Engineer is entitled to invoice Owner and to receive full payment for all services performed or furnished in accordance with this Agreement and all justified reimbursable expenses incurred by the Consultant through the effective date of termination action. Owner agrees to hold Consultant harmless for errors or omissions in documents that are incomplete as a result of the termination action under this clause.

B16 TRADE RESTRICTION CERTIFICATION

49 USC § 50104

49 CFR part 30

TRADE RESTRICTION CERTIFICATION

By submission of an offer, the Offeror certifies that with respect to this solicitation and any resultant contract, the Offeror –

- 1) is not owned or controlled by one or more citizens of a foreign country included in the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms as published by the Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR);
- 2) has not knowingly entered into any contract or subcontract for this project with a person that is a citizen or national of a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms as published by the USTR; and
- 3) has not entered into any subcontract for any product to be used on the Federal project that is produced in a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms published by the USTR.

This certification concerns a matter within the jurisdiction of an agency of the United States of America and the making of a false, fictitious, or fraudulent certification may render the maker subject to prosecution under Title 18 USC Section 1001.

The Offeror/Consultant must provide immediate written notice to the Owner if the Offeror/Consultant learns that its certification or that of a subconsultant was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances. The Consultant must require subconsultants provide immediate written notice to the Consultant if at any time it learns that its certification was erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

Unless the restrictions of this clause are waived by the Secretary of Transportation in accordance with 49 CFR 30.17, no contract shall be awarded to an Offeror or subconsultant:

- 1) who is owned or controlled by one or more citizens or nationals of a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms published by the USTR or
- 2) whose subconsultants are owned or controlled by one or more citizens or nationals of a foreign country on such USTR list or
- 3) who incorporates in the public works project any product of a foreign country on such USTR list.

Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render, in good faith, the certification required by this provision. The knowledge and information of a Consultant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

The Offeror agrees that, if awarded a contract resulting from this solicitation, it will incorporate this provision for certification without modification in all lower tier subcontracts. The Consultant may rely on the certification of a prospective subconsultant that it is not a firm from a foreign country included on the list of countries that discriminate against U.S. firms as published by USTR, unless the Offeror has knowledge that the certification is erroneous.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when making an award. If it is later determined that the Consultant or subconsultant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) may direct through the Owner cancellation of the contract or subcontract for default at no cost to the Owner or the FAA.