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# Section 1

# Bid Instructions

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# Contract

# Conditions

## **CITY OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS—BIDDING AND CONTRACT GENERAL CONDITIONS (LOCAL FUNDS)**

The following shall be made part of the terms and conditions of the contract (“Contract”) entered into between the City of Rockford (City) and Vendor (also referred to herein as “bidder,” “awarded vendor,” and “contractor”) if awarded the contract. Vendor’s submission of a bid or proposal constitutes acceptance of these Conditions:

- 1. Pricing.** The bidder shall insert price for all bid items and all other information requested in these specifications. The price shall be the *full, delivered cost* to the City of Rockford with no additions.
- 2. Total versus "Per Item" Awards.** The City generally awards contracts on a lump sum basis to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder. However, the City may choose to award on a per item basis. Therefore, each bidder must submit pricing for each item indicated on the bid forms. Bidders must clearly indicate which items are bid and which are not.
- 3. Delivery of Merchandise.** Delivery terms will always be Freight-On-Board (FOB) Destination. The City of Rockford accepts no responsibility for the condition of any merchandise purchased prior to acceptance by City Personnel. Failure to comply with this requirement may constitute rejection of the bid.
- 4. Acceptance of Merchandise at Delivery.** The City of Rockford reserves the right to refuse acceptance of delivered merchandise that differs substantially from the specifications in the invitation to bid or as otherwise permitted by Illinois law.
- 5. Prompt Payment Act.** The City of Rockford intends to comply with the Local Government Prompt Payment Act (50 ILCS 505/1 *et seq.*). The awarded vendor will be paid upon submission of invoices to: City of Rockford Accounts Payable, 425 East State Street, Rockford, IL 61104.
- 6. W-9 Request for Taxpayer Identification Number.** Prior to issuance of a purchase order, the successful bidder will be required to supply the City of Rockford with a federal W-9 Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification. Failure to comply with this requirement will be considered a violation of contract terms, for which the City may bar Vendor from bidding for a period of up to three (3) years.
- 7. Legal Compliance.** Vendor will at all times observe and comply, and will cause its subcontractors to observe and comply, with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, and executive orders, now existing or hereinafter in effect, which may in any manner affect the performance of this contract. Provisions required by law, ordinance, rules, regulations, or executive order to be inserted in this contract will be deemed inserted, whether or not they appear in it. In no event will failure to insert such required provisions prevent the enforcement of applicable law. Lack of knowledge of applicable law on the part of Vendor will in no way be cause for release of this obligation. If the City becomes aware of violation of any

laws, ordinances, rules and regulations on the part of Vendor or subcontractor, it reserves the right to reject any bid, cancel any contract, and pursue any other legal remedies deemed necessary.

Vendor must pay all required taxes and obtain all licenses, certificates, or other authorization required in connection with the performance of its obligation hereunder, and Vendor must require all subcontractors to also do so. Failure to do so may result in rejection of Vendor's bid, cancellation of an award to Vendor, or termination of this contract with Vendor.

By entering into a contract with the City, Vendor certifies that to the best of its knowledge, its principals and any subcontractor used in the performance of this contract meet City requirements and have not violated any City ordinance, code, state, federal, or local rules or regulations, and have not been subject to any debarment, suspension, or other disciplinary action by any government agency. Additionally, if at any time Vendor becomes aware of such information, it must immediately disclose it to the City.

**8. Legal Requirements.** This contract sets forth the entire final agreement between the City of Rockford and the bidder and shall govern the respective duties and obligations of the parties. The validity of this contract, and any disputes arising from the contract, shall be governed by the laws of the State of Illinois. Any litigation under this agreement shall be resolved in the trial courts of Winnebago County, State of Illinois. Should a provision of this contract be declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of the contract.

**9. Safety.** Prevention of accidents at any project is the sole responsibility of Vendor and its subcontractors, agents, and employees. Vendor, its subcontractors, agents, and employees shall be fully and solely responsible for the safety of this project. Vendor shall retain exclusive and direct control over the acts or omissions of its subcontractors, agents and employees, and any other persons performing portions of the work and not directly employed by the awarded vendor.

**10. Criminal Background Check.** When necessary for the protection of citizens and/or City staff, the City may require an awarded vendor to conduct a criminal background check on all of its personnel who will have direct contact with City facilities or residents/businesses served under this contract. Personnel are defined as representatives, agents, employees, subcontractors, or anyone else who will be utilized to fulfill obligations under this contract. Criminal background checks, at a minimum, shall consist of a county level felony and misdemeanor check for each county in which the personnel resided in the last ten (10) years. The awarded vendor shall notify the City of any of its personnel who have been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor prior to commencing any work under this contract. At the City's discretion, personnel with any felony or misdemeanor convictions which raise a concern about the safety of building, property, or City staff/resident's personal security, or is otherwise job related (as determined by the City) shall not perform work under this contract. Once given notice that a background check(s) will be required, it must be completed within fourteen (14) calendar days so as to not delay work to be completed.

**11. Control of the Work.** With respect to Vendor's own work, the City shall not have contractual, operational, and/or supervisory control over and/or charge of the work and shall not be responsible for construction means, methods, techniques, sequences, procedures, and programs in connection with the awarded vendor's work, since these are solely the vendor's responsibility under the agreement. The City shall not be responsible for the awarded vendor's failure to carry out the work in accordance with the agreement's terms and conditions. The City shall not have control over and/or charge of acts or omissions of the awarded vendor, its subcontractors, and/or their agents or employees, or any other person performing portions of the work not directly employed by the awarded vendor. The awarded vendor shall be considered to be an "independent contractor" pursuant to Illinois law.

**12. Bid Bond.** When required on the cover sheet, a bid bond for not less than five (5) percent of the bid amount must accompany all bids as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, the bidder will execute and file the proper contract. A bank cashier's check, bank draft, or certified check equal to the amount specified is acceptable in lieu of a bid bond. Bid bonds of the two lowest firms will be retained until the contract is awarded.

**13. Performance and Payment Bond.** When required by the specifications herein, the awarded vendor shall furnish a performance and payment bond equal to the amount of the contract, acceptable to the City, within fourteen (14) calendar days after notification of contract award. Failure to furnish the required bond within the time specified may be cause for rejection of the bid and any bid deposit may be retained by the City as liquidated damages and not as a penalty.

**14. Taxes.** No charge will be allowed for taxes from which the City of Rockford, Illinois is exempt. The City of Rockford, Illinois is not liable for the Illinois Retailers' Occupation Tax, the Service Occupation Tax or the Service Use Tax. The City is exempt from the Federal Excise and Transportation Tax.

**15. Withdrawal of Bids.** Firms may withdraw or cancel their bids at any time prior to the advertised invitation to bid opening. After the opening time, no bid shall be withdrawn or cancelled. All bids shall be firm and valid for a period of sixty (60) calendar days. If a bidder to whom a contract is awarded refuses to accept the award, the City may, at its discretion, suspend the bidder for a period of time up to three (3) years.

**16. Subcontracting.** The bidder shall provide information for all subcontractors and leased operators of equipment in the required Subcontractor Utilization Form. Information contained in this form must be complete and accurate, to the best of Vendor's estimating ability at the time of bid, and will be relied upon by the City in projecting Minority and Women Business Enterprise subcontractor utilization for awarded City contracts. Any changes in subcontractor utilization from that which is provided on the Subcontractor Utilization Form must be made immediately in writing by submitting a new form to the City's Equal Opportunity Compliance Officer and the City Project Manager or designee. When subcontractors are used, Vendor must pay subcontractors

for satisfactory performance no later than thirty (30) days after receipt of each payment from the City.

**17. Termination of Contract.** The City of Rockford reserves the right to terminate the contract in its entirety or in portions, upon written notice to Vendor for convenience, if the Rockford City Council does not appropriate sufficient funds to complete the contract, or in the event of default by Vendor. Default is defined as failure of the awarded vendor to perform any of the provisions of this contract or failure to make sufficient progress so as to endanger performance of this contract in accordance with its terms. The City's written notice of termination shall specify the effective date of termination. Vendor shall discontinue providing goods or services after such effective date, and the City shall not be liable for goods or services provided by Vendor thereafter. In the event of default, the City may purchase the product(s) and/or service(s) from other sources and hold the defaulting company responsible for any excess costs occasioned thereby. The City may require payment of liquidated damages for non-performance. Should default be due to failure to perform or because of a request for a price increase, the City reserves the right to remove the firm from the City's bidder list and place the firm on the City's debarred list for a period of up to three (3) years.

**18. Late Bids and Proposals.** Regardless of cause, late bids and proposals will not be accepted and will automatically be disqualified from further consideration. It shall be solely Vendor's risk to ensure delivery at the designated office by the designated time. Late bids and proposals will not be opened and may be returned to Vendor at their request and expense.

**19. Equal Employment Opportunity.** Vendor shall comply with all applicable equal employment opportunity statutes, regulations, and ordinances including but not limited to the City's Equal Opportunity Employment (EOE) Ordinance (City of Rockford Code of Ordinances, Chapter 11, Article IV); the Illinois Human Rights Act (775 ILCS 5/101 *et seq.*), the Illinois Department of Human Rights (IDHR) Rules and Regulations for Government Contracts (44 Ill. Admin. Code, Chapter X, Section 750), the Discrimination in Public Contracts Act (775 ILCS 10/0.01 *et seq.*), Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended (§ 7, 42 U.S.C. § 2000e *et seq.*); the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended (29 USC §.621 *et seq.*); Title I of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended (42 USC 12111-12117); the Equal Pay Act of 1963, as amended; and the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994, as amended (38 USC §§ 4301-4335).

Pursuant to IDHR's Rules and Regulations and the City's EOE Ordinance, the awarded vendor shall comply with the following terms and conditions during the performance of this contract:

- a) Vendor will not discriminate against any employee, including apprentices, or applicant for employment, including training programs, because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, order of protection status, status as a survivor of domestic violence or human trafficking, national origin or ancestry, citizenship status, age, physical or mental disability unrelated to ability, military status, or unfavorable discharge from military service; and, further, that Vendor will examine all job

classifications to determine if minority persons or women are underutilized and will take appropriate affirmative action to rectify any underutilization.

- b) If Vendor hires additional employees in order to perform this contract or any portion of this contract, Vendor will determine the availability (in accordance with Section 750) of minorities and women in the areas from which Vendor may reasonably recruit and will hire for each job classification for which employees are hired in a way that minorities and women are not underutilized.
- c) In all solicitations and advertisements for employees placed by Vendor on its behalf, Vendor will state that all applicants will be afforded equal opportunity without discrimination because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, order of protection status, status as a survivor of domestic violence or human trafficking, national origin or ancestry, citizenship status, age, physical or mental disability unrelated to ability, military status, or an unfavorable discharge from military service.
- d) Vendor will send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which it has or is bound by a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, a notice advising the labor organization or representative of the Vendor's obligations under the Illinois Human Rights Act and Section 750 of the Illinois Department of Human Rights Rules and Regulations. If any labor organization or representative fails or refuses to cooperate with the Vendor in its efforts to comply with the Act and Part 750, Vendor will promptly notify the Illinois Department of Human Rights and the City of Rockford and will recruit employees from other sources when necessary to fulfill its obligations under the contract.
- e) Vendor will submit reports as required by Part 750, furnish all relevant information that may be requested by the Illinois Department of Human Rights or the City of Rockford, and in all respects comply with the Act, the Department's Rules and Regulations, and the City of Rockford's Equal Opportunity Employment Ordinance. *Vendor's failure to complete the City's required Equal Employment Opportunity Certifications or Vendor and Subcontractor Workforce Data Forms will result in disqualification of Vendor's bid or proposal.*
- f) Vendor will permit access to all relevant books, records, accounts, and work sites by personnel of the City of Rockford and the Illinois Department of Human Rights for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the Act, IDHR's Rules and Regulations, and City of Rockford EOE Ordinance.
- g) Vendor will include verbatim or by reference the Equal Employment Opportunity Clause (44 Ill. Admin. Code, Chapter X, Appendix A) in every subcontract awarded under which any portion of the contract obligations are undertaken or assumed, so that the provisions will be binding upon the subcontractor. In the same manner as with other provisions of this contract, Vendor will be liable for compliance with applicable provisions of this clause by subcontractors. Further, Vendor will promptly notify the City of Rockford and

the Illinois Department of Human Rights if any subcontractor fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of sections (a) through (f) of this paragraph. Vendor shall not utilize any subcontractor declared by the Illinois Human Rights Commission to be ineligible for contracts or subcontracts with the State of Illinois or any of its political subdivisions or municipal corporations.

**20. Restrictive or Ambiguous Specifications.** It is the responsibility of the bidding firm to review the invitation to bid specifications and to notify the Central Services Manager if the specifications are formulated in a manner that would unnecessarily restrict competition. Any such protest or question regarding the specifications or invitation to bid procedures must be received by the Central Services Division not less than seventy-two hours prior to the time set for the opening. In the event a contract term is not defined within the contract document, the term will be given its ordinary dictionary definition.

**21. Bid Protest.** Firms wishing to protest bids or awards shall notify the Central Services Manager in writing within seven (7) days after the invitation to bid opening. The notification should include the bid number, the name of the firm protesting, and the reason why the firm is protesting the bid. The Central Services Manager will respond to the protest within seven (7) calendar days. A successful protest may result in the reversal of a previously awarded contract.

**22. Disputes.** In case of disputes as to whether or not an item or service quoted or delivered meets specifications, the decision of the Central Services Manager or authorized representative shall be final and binding to all parties. The Central Services Manager has the right to waive technicalities as they see fit. The Central Services Manager may request a written recommendation from the head of the department using the equipment or service being procured.

**23. Exceptions.** Any deviations from these specifications shall be noted and submitted with the bid. Failure to address deviations from specifications may result in bid rejection.

**24. Acceptance/Rejection of Bids.** The City of Rockford reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or proposals at any time, for any reason, including but not limited to the Rockford City Council not appropriating sufficient funds to purchase equipment or complete the contract. The City may make awards in any manner deemed in the best interest of the City.

**25. Prevailing Wage.** When indicated on the cover page of the invitation to bid, this contract calls for the construction of a "public work," within the meaning of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, 820 ILCS 130/.01 *et seq.* ("the Act"). The Act requires awarded vendors and subcontractors to pay laborers, workers, and mechanics performing services on public works projects no less than the "prevailing rate of wages" (hourly cash wages plus fringe benefits) in the county where the work is performed. Prevailing wage rates are determined by the Illinois Department of Labor and posted on the Department's website at:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/idol/Laws-Rules/CONMED/Pages/Rates.aspx> .

- (a) The Act does apply to owner-operators.
- (b) When applicable, all awarded vendors and subcontractors rendering services under this contract must comply with all requirements of the Act, including but not limited to all wage, notice, recordkeeping, and filing of certified payroll requirements.
- (c) Under the Act, it is mandatory upon Vendor to insert into each subcontract a written stipulation to the effect that not less than the prevailing rate of wages shall be paid to all laborers, workers and mechanics performing work under this contract. It is also the Vendor's responsibility under the Act to verify and pay *current* wage rates, as the Department may change them from time to time.
- (d) It is Vendor's obligation to understand what the Act requires, and to comply accordingly. Failure on the part of the City to provide proper written notice regarding the applicability of the Prevailing Wage Act does not relieve Vendor or subcontractors of the obligation to comply with the Act when applicable, nor does it relieve them of their obligation to pay back wages when owed.
- (e) Vendor and all subcontractors shall make all records required under the Prevailing Wage Act available for inspection, copying, or transcription by authorized representatives of the City of Rockford or Department of Labor. Vendor shall further permit such representatives to interview employees during working hours on the job. If Vendor or subcontractor fails to submit the required records or make them available, the City may take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds. Furthermore, failure to submit the required records upon request may be grounds for debarment action.

**26. Certified Payroll.** All Certified Payroll reports required to be submitted under the Prevailing Wage Act, 820ILCS 130, as directed by the State of Illinois (<https://www2.illinois.gov/idol/Laws-Rules/CONMED/Pages/Prevailing-Wage-Portal.aspx>).

No paper copies or non-conforming Certified Payroll reports will be accepted. A copy of proof of submission, including the reported wage information, must be submitted to the City with the request for payment. The City reserves the right to withhold payment due to the awarded vendor until the vendor complies with this or any other provision of the Act.

**27. Substance Abuse Prevention.** Before Vendor commences work on a public works project, it must have in place a written program which meets or exceeds the program requirements in the Substance Abuse Prevention on Public Works Projects Act (820 ILCS 265/1 et seq.), to be filed with the City and made available to the general public, for prevention of substance abuse among its employees. This program must include pre-hire, random, reasonable suspicion, and post-accident drug and alcohol testing, as required by the Substance Abuse Prevention on Public Works Projects Act.

**28. Apprenticeship Requirement.** For construction contracts over \$50,000, Vendor must participate in apprenticeship and training programs approved and registered with the United States Department of Labor's Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training for all Trades that will be in Vendor's (or his subcontractor's) employment, with each worker receiving the required apprenticeship/training appropriate to his trade. Owners or work performed by owners is not exempt from the apprenticeship and training requirement.

**29. Indemnification.** To the fullest extent permitted by law, Vendor shall indemnify and hold harmless the City, its officers, representatives, elected and appointed officials, agents, and employees from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses, including but not limited to attorney's fees, arising out of or resulting from Vendor's performance of work under this agreement, and indemnifies and agrees to defend and hold harmless the City against any and all losses, claims, damages, and expenses arising from the work performed hereunder of the erection, construction, placement, or operation of any scaffold, hoist, crane, stay, ladder, support, or other mechanical contrivance in connection with such work including but not limited to losses, claims, damages, and expenses arising pursuant to claims asserted against the City pursuant to theories premised upon sections 343 and 414 of the Restatement (Second) of Torts.

This indemnification agreement shall not be limited in any way by any limitations on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for Vendor under the Illinois Workers' Compensation Act (820 ILCS 305/1 *et seq.*), disability benefit acts, or other employee benefit acts, and serves as an express agreement to waive the protection of *Kotecki v. Cyclops Welding Corp.*, 146 Ill.2d 155, 585 N.E.2d 1023 (1991) in Illinois.

Further, Vendor agrees that it is solely responsible for compliance with all safety laws applicable to the work performed hereunder, including but not limited to the Occupational Safety and Health Act (29 USC Ch. 15 §651 *et. seq.*) and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 USC Ch. 37 §3701 *et seq.*) and all standards and regulations which have been or shall be promulgated by the agencies which administer the Acts.

Under no circumstances shall Vendor, its subcontractors, agents, and employees be required to indemnify the City for its own negligence.

**30. Insurance Requirements.** Upon execution of the contract, and prior to Vendor commencing any work or services with regard to the project, Vendor shall carry commercial general liability insurance, umbrella liability insurance, and automobile liability insurance on ISO form CG 00 01 10 01 (or a substitute form providing equivalent coverage) and Vendor shall provide the City with a Certificate of Insurance and Additional Insured Endorsement on ISO form CG 20 10 11 85 (or substitute form providing equivalent coverage) or on the combination of ISO forms CG 20 IO 10 01 and CG 20 3 7 1001 (or substitute forms providing equivalent coverage) naming the City as

Additional Insured thereunder. Additional insured coverage shall apply as primary insurance and be noncontributory with respect to any other insurance afforded to the City. All coverage shall be placed with an insurance company duly admitted in the State of Illinois and shall be reasonably acceptable to the City. All awarded vendor insurance carriers must maintain an A.M. Best rating of "A-" or better. Coverage shall be afforded to the additional insured whether or not a claim is in litigation.

The insurance coverage required above shall be of sufficient type, scope and duration to ensure coverage for the City for liability related to any manifestation date within the applicable statutes of limitation and/or repose which pertain to any work performed by or on behalf of the City in relation to the contract. The following insurance requirement shall apply to the successful firm for the duration of the contract unless explicitly waived by the Central Services Manager:

- a) Commercial General Liability. The coverage available to the City, as Additional Insured, shall not be less than \$1 million each occurrence, \$2 million general aggregate (subject to a per project general aggregate provision applicable to the project), \$2 million products/completed operations aggregate and \$1 million personal and advertising injury limits. Such insurance shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent contractors, products-completed operations, personal and advertising injury, and liability assumed under an insured contract (including the tort liability of another assumed in a business contract).
- b) Umbrella Liability. The coverage available to the City, as Additional Insured, shall not be less than \$2 million each occurrence, \$2 million general aggregate. Such insurance shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent contractors, products-completed operations, personal and advertising injury, and liability assumed under an insured contract (including the tort liability of another assumed in a business contract).
- c) Automobile Coverage. The coverage available to the City, as Additional Insured, shall include comprehensive automobile bodily injury and property damage liability coverage for a minimum amount of \$1 million each occurrence, \$2 million general aggregate
- d) Workers Compensation. Vendor shall maintain during the life of this contract statutory workmen's compensation and employer's liability insurance for all his employees engaged in work on the job site.
- e) Insurance Certificates. Each Certificate of insurance shall provide that the insurer must give the City at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice of cancellation and termination of the City's coverage thereunder. Not less than two weeks prior to the expiration, cancellation or termination of any such policy, Vendor shall supply the City with a new and replacement Certificate of Insurance and Additional Insured endorsement as proof of renewal of said original policy. Said new and replacement endorsements shall be similarly endorsed in favor of the City as set forth above. All subcontractors to be utilized by Vendor shall provide Ownership with a Certificate of Insurance naming City of Rockford as additional insured prior to commencement of work by said subcontractor.

**31. Conflict of Interest.** Each bidder affirms, by submission of a response to this bid or request for proposals, it has no interest and will not acquire any interest in any enterprise, project, or contract that would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the work, services, or goods to be provided hereunder. Bidder further affirms that no person having such an interest will be employed to perform any work or services under the contract, and that no employee of the City of Rockford is directly or indirectly interested in the bid or proposal for any reason of personal gain.

**32. Non-Waiver.** The failure by the City to require performance of any provision shall not affect the City's right to require performance at any time thereafter, nor shall a waiver of any breach or default of this contract constitute a waiver of any subsequent breach or default or a waiver of the provision itself.

**33. Professional Services Selection Act.** The City of Rockford intends to comply with 50 ILCS 510/0.01 *et seq.* governing the selection of professional services. Any reference in these terms and conditions to supplying pricing or price as a determining factor in selection do not apply for services covered by said act.

**34. Compliance with Stormwater Management Ordinance and IEPA General Construction Permit.** Vendor must comply with the City's Stormwater Management Ordinance and Illinois EPA's General Construction Permit. For work performed on the stormwater system, including projects only requiring erosion and sediment control measures, acknowledgement of receipt of the Stormwater Management Ordinance and IEPA's General Construction Permit is required. It is also required that Vendor retain all invoices, work orders and/or other records of work performed in drainage areas for three (3) years beyond the end of the consent decree, 12/31/2023. These records are subject to audit and are to be made available immediately upon request by the City or the Federal and State Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Additionally, there may be other records provided that Vendor will be required to keep on file upon request of the City. Violation of this section and with the City's Stormwater Management Ordinance may result in a fine. Additional information can be found at: <https://rockfordil.gov/274/stormwater-environmental-team/>

**35. Acceptance or Rejection of Bids and Proposals.** The City of Rockford reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities in submitted bids.

**36. Minority and Women Business Enterprise Policy.** It is the policy of the City of Rockford to strongly encourage and promote the award of subcontracts to ready, willing, and able Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MWBEs) certified with the City. The City strongly encourages bidders, when preparing bids or proposals, to contact certified MWBEs regarding potential subcontracting opportunities. The City requires information regarding Vendor's good faith efforts to identify MWBE subcontractors on the Subcontractor Utilization Form required to be completed and submitted with Vendor's bid or proposal. An up-to-date list of the City's certified MWBEs can be found at: <https://rockfordil.gov/279/purchasing/>.

**37. Veterans Preference.** Vendor shall comply with the Veterans Preference Act (330 ILCS 55/1 *et seq.*) in its employment to fill positions for the construction, addition to, or alteration of public works contracted for by the City. This Act requires that preference shall be given to veterans who possess the business capacity necessary for the proper discharge of the duties of employment. Vendor is not required to give preference to veterans who are not residents of the City of Rockford over City residents who are not veterans. A person who has been a member of the Illinois National Guard shall be given priority over a person who has been a member of the National Guard of any other state.

Veterans under the Act are defined as persons who have been members of the armed forces of the United States or who, while citizens of the United States, were members of the armed forces of allies of the United States in time of hostilities with a foreign country, and have served under one or more of the following conditions:

- a) The veteran served a total of at least six (6) months;
- b) The veteran served for the duration of hostilities regardless of the length of engagement;
- c) The veteran served in the theater of operations but was discharged on the basis of a hardship; or
- d) The veteran was released from active duty because of a service connected disability and was honorably discharged.

Vendor shall insure that the preceding provision is inserted in all subcontracts entered into to furnish labor for the construction, addition to, or alteration of public works in connection with this contract.

**38. Non-barred Bidder.** Vendors affirms, by submission of a response to this bid or request for proposals, that Vendor is not barred from bidding on this contract as a result of a conviction for violation of state law prohibiting bid rigging or rotating.

**39. City Debarment.** The City of Rockford reserves the right to bar Vendor from future bidding opportunities with the City if false information is submitted as part Vendor's bid response or proposal, Vendor has committed any violation of law, or Vendor fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this contract.

**40. Non-Assignment.** Neither this Contract nor any of the rights, interests or obligations under the Agreement shall be assigned, in whole or in part, by written agreement, merger, consolidation, operation of law, or otherwise by either party without the prior written consent of the other party.

**41. Governing Law.** This Contract shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois, excluding its choice of law rules and, to the extent

applicable, the copyright laws of the United States of America. In the event of a dispute under this Contract, the parties agree to submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state courts of, and federal courts sitting in, the State of Illinois.

**42. Severability.** In the event that any clause, provision, or portion of these General Conditions or any part thereof shall be declared invalid, void, or unenforceable by any court having jurisdiction, such invalidity shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining portions.

**43. Local Business Adjustment to Bid Award.** For Public Works or Construction contracts the use of local business adjustment (up to a maximum 5 percent of the contract price, but not more than \$20,000 whichever is less) may be authorized. To receive the local business adjustment the bidder must meet the qualifications of a local bidder (described below) and request the local business adjustment be implemented for that bid. The downward adjustment shall then be applied automatically to the local bidder's bid if doing so will cause the local bidder's bid to match the bid of a non-local bidder who would otherwise be the lowest qualified bidder. Any bidder requesting application of the local bidder adjustment shall acknowledge and agree to the potential of the reduction in their overall bid at the time of its bid submission. Should a bidder requesting the local business adjustment be declared the lowest bidder and thereafter decline to be awarded the project, that bidder shall be prohibited from requesting the application of a local business adjustment for a period of one year. In instances where more than one local bidder requests local business adjustment, the adjustment will be applied to the next lowest local bidder only, however, if the next lowest bidder did not request the adjustment, then the local bidder who did elect would get the adjustment and award.

A local bidder is an individual or entity that (1) has established a place of business within Winnebago, Boone, Ogle, or Stephenson County; (2) has paid a minimum of \$5,000 in sales tax in Winnebago County during the 12 months prior to bid submission; and (3) can demonstrate that at least 50% of its employees reside within Winnebago, Boone, Ogle, or Stephenson County.

A bidder that requests local business adjustment is certifying that they are in compliance with the above description. If the City determines the bidder is not in compliance the bidder may be barred from bidding for a period of up to three years.

**44. Sexual Harassment Policy Requirement.** Every party to a public contract and every eligible bidder shall have a written sexual harassment policy in accordance with the Equal Employment Opportunities; Affirmative Action (775 ILCS 5/2-105). The written policy must include, at a minimum, the following information: (i) the illegality of sexual harassment; (ii) the definition of sexual harassment under State law; (iii) a description of sexual harassment, utilizing examples; (iv) the vendor's internal complaint process including penalties; (v) the legal recourse, investigative, and complaint process available through the Department and the Commission; (vi) directions on how to contact the Department and Commission; and (vii) protection against retaliation as provided by Sections 6-101 and 6-101.5 of the Act.

## Instruction to Bidders

1. The bidder shall insert the price for all bid items and all other information requested in the Bid Form attached or a computer generated schedule of prices. All computer-generated schedule of prices submitted must be correct and correspond to the latest schedule of prices issued by the City of Rockford or the bid may be rejected. All prices shall be net and shall be the full, delivered cost to the City of Rockford, including all factors whatsoever. Failure to comply with this requirement will constitute rejection of bid.

2. The City requires the improvements specified to be completed under the following guidelines: Vendor must begin work within ten (10) days of the Notice to Proceed. Once notice to proceed has been given, Vendor will have until \_\_\_\_\_ to complete the project. If no project completion date is specified, Department to confirm completion date after contract award

3. Bidders bidding on any City of Rockford construction projects for CIP (Capital Improvement Projects) must be pre-qualified with the State of Illinois according to Section 102 of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge construction of the Illinois Department of Transportation. The bidder, prior to receiving a proposal form and being placed on the Bidders list must submit a certified copy of a "Certificate of Eligibility" issued by the Department of Transportation. An "Affidavit of Availability" issued by the Department of Transportation must accompany each sealed bid. Bids will be awarded upon approval of "Affidavit of Availability".

Anyone may secure a proposal marked "NOT FOR BIDDING" but will not be placed on the Bidders List and will not be allowed to submit a bid. Anyone securing a proposal marked "NOT FOR BIDDING" will be placed on a separate list for information purposes only.

4. It shall be mandatory that the awarded vendor and subcontractors comply with the Illinois Preference Act (IL Rev. Stat., Ch. 48, Par. 2201-2207) requires that on Illinois-resident workers be employed on Public Works Projects in times of excessive unemployment.

5. The bidder receiving award of this contract by the Rockford City Council shall submit the following information and be issued a notice to proceed prior to start of work:

- a. Construction schedule including starting date, project phasing controlling factors; and, estimated payment schedule (in Microsoft Projects format, one hard copy and one digital copy);
- b. Material suppliers including plant locations and State certification.
- c. A final, accurate Subcontractor Utilization Form and Subcontractor Workforce Data Forms for each subcontractor to be used. If the subcontractor fails to submit all required EEO compliance forms to Vendor or if the subcontractor is found to be in noncompliance, the City of Rockford may require that the subcontractor in question not be utilized on the project. The City of Rockford also reserves the right to take whatever action necessary to meet all EEO requirements.

6. Bidders are only required to return to the City the forms listed in the Required Forms section of the bid document, along with any special information that may be requested of firms as part of the general or special provisions. Sections 1, 3, and 4 of the bid document need not be returned to the City.

7. Bidder Questions during Bidding.

All questions regarding the bidder's preparation of his bid, pertaining to the drawings and specifications, shall be compiled in writing and e-mailed to Anne Wilkerson, ([anne.wilkerson@rockfordil.gov](mailto:anne.wilkerson@rockfordil.gov)) City of Rockford, Finance Department, at least 72 hours prior to bid time.

Questions received less than 72 hours before the designated bid time cannot be answered by addendum.

Oral statements will not be binding to City of Rockford or Vendor.

Any questions deemed by City as requiring a response will be answered by addendum issued to all bidders and will become a part of the Contract.

Subcontractors must direct their questions through Vendor only.

The consulting Architect and/or the consulting Engineer shall not be contacted direct without prior authorization from City.

8. These instructions are to be considered an integral part of any proposal.

9. Questions regarding EEOs should be addressed to City of Rockford Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) Officer, at (779) 348-7264.

10. Questions regarding Bid/RFP specs should be addressed to analyst listed in specs section.

FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

Anne Wilkerson

Central Services Manager

# **Section 2**

# **Required Forms**

**City of Rockford**  
**EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY CERTIFICATION**

All bidders seeking to do business with the City of Rockford must complete this certification. **Failure to sign this Certification will result in disqualification of Vendor's bid or proposal.** Questions regarding EEOs should be addressed to City of Rockford Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) Officer, at (779) 348-7264.

- 1. Compliance with EEO Law.** Vendor acknowledges and certifies that, if awarded a contract with the City of Rockford, it is subject to and will comply with all applicable equal employment opportunity statutes, regulations, and ordinances including but not limited to: the City's Equal Opportunity Employment (EOE) Ordinance (City of Rockford Code of Ordinances, Chapter 11, Article IV); the Illinois Human Rights Act (775 ILCS 5/101 *et seq.*), the Illinois Department of Human Rights Rules and Regulations for Government Contracts (44 Ill. Admin. Code, Chapter X, Section 750), and the Discrimination in Public Contracts Act (775 ILCS 10/0.01 *et seq.*), Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended (§ 7, 42 U.S.C. § 2000e *et seq.*); the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended (29 USC §.621 *et seq.*); Title I of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended (42 USC 12111-12117); the Equal Pay Act of 1963, as amended; the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994, as amended (38 USC §§ 4301-4335); and, for federally-funded construction contracts (only), Executive Order 11246, as amended, and relevant U.S. Department of Labor regulations regarding equal employment opportunity for federally assisted construction contracts (see 41 CFR Part 60).
- 2. Discrimination Prohibited.** Vendor certifies that it is its policy to provide equal employment opportunity and that it prohibits discrimination against any employee or applicant for employment due to race, color religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, order of protection status, status as a survivor of domestic violence or human trafficking, national origin or ancestry, citizenship status, age, physical or mental disability unrelated to ability, military status, or unfavorable discharge from military service. Further, Vendor will examine all job classifications to determine if minority persons or women are underutilized and will take appropriate affirmative action to rectify any underutilization, as is required by the Illinois Department of Human Rights Rules and Regulations for Government Contracts.
- 3. Non-Segregated Facilities.** Vendor certifies that it provides facilities at its place of business without segregation except where separate facilities for a person of the opposite sex are required. Vendor also certifies that it will, to the greatest extent possible, not assign employees to work at any location where facilities are so segregated and that it will insert into its subcontracts the provisions of this paragraph for work performed under this contract and obtain the same certification from subcontractors.
- 4. Government Exclusion, Debarment, or Suspension.** Vendor certifies that it is not subject to any exclusion, debarment, suspension, or other disciplinary action by any government agency including but not limited to the U.S. Government, State of Illinois, Illinois Human Rights Commission, Illinois Department of Labor, or any other federal or state agency or political subdivision. Additionally, if at any time Vendor is subject to such exclusion, suspension, or debarment during the contract period, Vendor certifies that it will immediately disclose this information to the City's EOC Officer.

**City of Rockford**  
**EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY CERTIFICATION**

5. **Subcontracting.** Vendor certifies that, if awarded a public contract with the City of Rockford, it will include verbatim or by reference the provisions of the City's General Conditions *Equal Employment Opportunity* paragraph 19 in every subcontract awarded under which any portion of the contract obligations are undertaken or assumed. For federally funded construction contracts, the conditions described in paragraph (8) of the "Equal Opportunity Clause for Federally Assisted Construction Contracts" and paragraph (2) of the "Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications" must also be included in every subcontract. Vendor acknowledges that it is responsible for the compliance of all of its subcontractors with this provision. Vendor also certifies it will not utilize any subcontractor excluded, debarred, suspended, or otherwise disciplined by any government agency including but not limited to the U.S. Government, State of Illinois, Illinois Human Rights Commission, Illinois Department of Labor, or any other federal or state agency or political subdivision, and that it will notify the City's EOC Officer if any subcontractor fails to comply with such provision.
  
6. **MWBE Procurement Policy.** Vendor understands that it is the policy of the City of Rockford to encourage and promote the award of subcontracts to ready, willing, and able Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MWBEs) certified with the City. The City strongly encourages bidders, when preparing bids or proposals, to contact certified MWBEs regarding potential subcontracting opportunities. Vendor certifies that it has worked in good faith to comply with this policy by contacting MWBE businesses for subcontracting opportunities when possible (list can be found at <https://rockfordil.gov/279/purchasing/>). For federally funded construction projects (only), Vendor further certifies it has demonstrated good faith efforts to meet the women and minority subcontracting goals set forth in the "Notice of Requirement for Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity."

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Signature of Vendor

Date

**City of Rockford**  
**SUBCONTRACTOR UTILIZATION FORM**

**THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED EVEN IF YOU DO NOT PLAN TO USE  
SUBCONTRACTORS**  
**(COMPLETE SECTIONS I, II, AND V IF YOU DO NOT PLAN TO USE SUBCONTRACTORS).**

All Vendors seeking to do business with the City of Rockford must provide information about all subcontractors that will be used. A **Subcontractor** is any person or business that supplies any of the work, transportation or labor services, supplies, equipment, or materials under a contract with Vendor. Failure to complete this form will result in disqualification of Vendor's bid or proposal. Questions regarding EEOs should be addressed to City of Rockford Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) Officer, at (779) 348-7264.

#### **Section I—Vendor/Prime Contractor Information**

Is this an update to a previously submitted Subcontractor Utilization Form?      Yes      No

Vendor Name:			
Project Name:		Bid or RFP Number:	
Total Proposal/Bid Amount (over the full term of the contract):			
Vendor Contact Name:		Contact Phone:	Contact Email:
Vendor Certification Status:	Minority Business Enterprise	Women Business Enterprise	None

#### **Section II--Subcontractor Utilization**

Will subcontractors be used?      Yes (complete rest of form)      No (proceed to Section V)

#### **Section III—Subcontractor Selection**

Please list information for **ALL** subcontractors Vendor *believes it will* use. Vendor may make changes or additions to its list of subcontractors by submitting an updated form to the City's EOC Officer after award, if needed.

Subcontractor Name	MBE or WBE? (Y/N)	Amount	% of Total Proposal/Bid	Scope of Work

If more than six subcontractors will be used, please complete the [Subcontractor Utilization Form-Supplement](#).

**City of Rockford**  
**SUBCONTRACTOR UTILIZATION FORM**

If Vendor plans to use subcontractors, but has not yet identified some or all of the subcontractors to be used, please explain why:

**Section IV—MWBE Subcontractors Contacted**

It is the policy of the City of Rockford to encourage and promote the award of subcontracts to qualified and available Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MWBEs) certified with the City. The City strongly encourages bidders, when preparing bids or proposals, to contact certified MWBEs regarding potential subcontracting opportunities (a list of MWBEs can be found at <https://rockfordil.gov/274/purchasing/>). Please list the MWBEs Vendor has contacted regarding subcontractor opportunities for this proposal/bid (MWBE subcontractors selected and listed in Section III do not need to be listed again here):

<b>MWBE Business Name</b>	<b>Method of Contact (e.g. phone, email)</b>	<b>Why not used?</b>

**Section V—Signature**

The undersigned certifies that the information provided herein is truthful, accurate, and complete. Further, Vendor acknowledges that if it is awarded the contract, this information must be kept up to date by Vendor. According to the City's General Conditions Paragraph 16, **any changes in subcontractor utilization must be immediately made in writing** by submitting a new form to the City's Equal Opportunity Compliance Officer (contact information provided at the top of this form). A complete and accurate list of subcontractors will be required prior to beginning work on the project, if awarded.

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**Signature**

**Date**

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**Name**

**Title**

**City of Rockford**  
**VENDOR WORKFORCE DATA FORM**

The City must collect information in an effort to monitor Vendor's compliance with the Illinois Human Rights Act, Illinois Department of Human Rights Rules and Regulations, and City of Rockford Equal Employment Opportunity Ordinance. **Failure to complete this form will result in disqualification of Vendor's bid or proposal.** Questions regarding EEOs should be addressed to: City of Rockford Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) Officer, at (779) 348-7264.

**Part I: Vendor Information**

Vendor Name:	Bid or RFP Number:
Project Name:	IDHR Number <sup>1</sup> :
Date:	Expiration:
Vendor's EEO Contact Name:	Estimated Duration of Work:
Title:	Contact Email:
	Contact Phone:

**Part II: Vendor Workforce Data**

Please provide the *number* of individuals employed by Vendor in each category below (report all employees, not just those who will work under the contract). Definitions of the EEO Job Categories are included with this form.

**W - White    B - Black    H - Hispanic/Latino    A - Asian    AI - American Indian, Alaskan or Hawaiian Native**  
**Tw—Two or more race/ethnicity    T - Total**

JOB CATEGORY	W	MALE					W	FEMALE					TOTAL
		B	H	A	AI	Tw		B	H	A	AI	Tw	
Officials and Managers													
Professional Workers													
Technicians													
Sales Workers													
Administrative Support Workers													
Craft Workers													
Operatives													
Laborers and Helpers													
Service Workers													
<b>TOTAL</b>													

<sup>1</sup> Bidders must have an Illinois Department of Human Rights Eligibility Number if 1) bidder employs 15 or more persons, AND 2) if the bid or proposal will total more than \$100,000.

**City of Rockford**  
**SUBCONTRACTOR WORKFORCE DATA FORM**

This form is **required** if Vendor will be using one or more subcontractors to complete work or perform services for the City. A Workforce Data Form must be completed for **each** subcontractor. Questions regarding EEOs should be addressed to City of Rockford Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) Officer, at (779) 348-7264.

**Part I: Identification**

Subcontractor Name:	Bid Number:
Project Name:	IDHR Number: Expiration:
Date:	Estimated Duration of Work:
Subcontractor's EEO Contact Name:	Contact Email: Contact Phone:

**Part II: Subcontractor Workforce Data**

Please provide the *number* of individuals employed by subcontractor in each category below (report all employees, not just those who will work under the contract). Definitions of the EEO Job Categories are included on the next page of this form.

**W - White    B - Black    H - Hispanic/Latino    A - Asian    AI - American Indian, Alaskan or Hawaiian Native**  
**Tw—Two or more race/ethnicity    T – Total**

JOB CATEGORY	MALE							FEMALE							<b>TOTAL</b>
	W	B	H	A	AI	Tw	T	W	B	H	A	AI	Tw	T	
Officials and Managers															
Professional Workers															
Technicians															
Sales Workers															
Administrative Support Workers															
Craft Workers															
Operatives															
Laborers and Helpers															
Service Workers															
<b>TOTAL</b>															

## Job Category Descriptions

**Officials and Managers:** Jobs occupied by administrative and managerial personnel who set broad policies, exercise overall responsibility for execution of these policies, and direct individual departments or special phases of a firm's operations. Includes: officials, executives, middle management, plant managers, department managers, superintendents, salaried supervisors who are members of management, and purchasing agents and buyers.

**Professionals:** Jobs requiring bachelor or graduate degree and/or professional certification or comparable experience. Includes: accountants and auditors, architects, chemists, computer programmers, designers, editors, engineers, lawyers, scientists, registered professional nurses, personnel and labor relations specialists, physicians, and surveyors.

**Technicians:** Jobs requiring a combination of basic scientific knowledge and manual skill which is often obtained through 2 years of post-high school education or through equivalent on-the-job training. Includes: drafters, surveying and mapping technicians, engineering aides, junior engineers, mathematical aides, emergency medical technicians, and licensed practical nurses.

**Sales Workers:** Jobs engaging wholly or primarily in direct selling. Includes: advertising agents and sales workers, insurance agents and brokers, real estate agents and brokers, stock and bond sales workers, securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents, demonstrators, sales workers and sales clerks, grocery clerks, and cashiers/checkers.

**Administrative Support Workers:** Jobs involving non-managerial tasks providing administrative and support assistance, primarily in office settings. Includes: office support, bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks, dispatchers, data entry workers, collectors (bills and accounts), messengers and office helpers, shipping and receiving clerks, typists and secretaries, telephone operators, and legal assistants.

**Craft Workers:** Jobs requiring higher skill in areas including: construction (building trades craft workers and their formal apprentices); natural resource extraction workers; installation, maintenance and part replacement of equipment, machines and tools; and some production occupations that are distinguished by the high degree of skill and precision. Includes: boilermakers; brick & stone masons; carpenters; electricians; painters; glaziers; plumbers, pipefitters & steam fitters; roofers; elevator installers; earth drillers; oil & gas rotary drill operators; blasters & explosive workers; mechanics; electric & electronic equipment repairers; millwrights; and tool & die makers.

**Operatives:** Jobs involving operation of machines, factory-related processing equipment, or equipment to facilitate the movement of people or materials. These occupations require intermediate skill level and usually do not require more than several months of training. Includes: machine operators; electrical & electronic equipment assemblers; semiconductor processors; testers; graders & sorters; bridge & lock tenders; truck, bus or taxi drivers; industrial truck & tractor (forklift) operators; conveyor operations; and hand packers & packagers.

**Laborers and Helpers:** Jobs requiring limited skills and brief training to perform tasks that require little or no independent judgment. Includes: production & construction worker helpers; construction laborers; refuse & recyclable materials collectors; landscapers, grounds maintenance workers, and laborers performing lifting, digging, mixing, loading and pulling operations.

**Service Workers:** Jobs in food service, personal service, cleaning service, and protective service occupations. Skill may be acquired through formal training, job-related training or direct experience. Includes: food service workers; medical assistants and other healthcare support occupations; transportation attendants; cleaners; janitors; porters; transit and railroad; police and fire fighters; guards; private detectives and investigators.

**Acknowledgement of Stormwater Management Ordinance and IEPA General Construction Permit  
(ILR10) Requirements**

By indicating below, we acknowledge receipt of the Stormwater Management Ordinance and IEPA's General Construction Permit, if applicable. Both documents can be found on the City of Rockford website at:

<https://rockfordil.gov/274/stormwater-environmental-team/>

The IEPA General Construction permit can also be located at:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/epa/topics/forms/water-permits/storm-water/Pages/general-permits.aspx>

I have been provided access to the City of Rockford Stormwater Management Ordinance and the Illinois EPAs General Construction Permit and agree to comply with the terms outlined therein.

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Person, Firm or Corporation

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Authorized Signature

## Acknowledgement of Addenda

By indicating below, we acknowledge receipt of the addenda listed.

Addendum _____	Date _____

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Person, Firm or Corporation

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Authorized Signature

The City of Rockford may respond to requests for information or pro-actively provide more information by posting addenda to bid packages on the City website. The City and its personnel are not responsible for notifying potential vendors of any addenda to bid packages posted to the [City's website](#). The City may, but is not required to, provide notification of new addenda via one or more of the same methods by which the original bid request was posted. Vendors who fail to account for information or requests included in these addenda may have their bids disqualified. THEREFORE, IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT THAT POTENTIAL VENDORS MONITOR THE [CITY WEBSITE](#) FOR ANY ADDENDA TO THE ORIGINAL BID PACKAGES.

Request for Taxpayer  
Identification Number and CertificationGo to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9) for instructions and the latest information.Give form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type. See <i>Specific Instructions</i> on page 3.	1 Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.)						
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.						
	3a Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only <b>one</b> of the following seven boxes.						4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> C corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) _____ <b>Note:</b> Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) _____						Exempt payee code (if any) _____
	3b If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions _____						Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any) _____
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions.						Requester's name and address (optional)
	6 City, state, and ZIP code						
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)						

**Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)**

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

**Note:** If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number						
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
or						
Employer identification number						
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**Part II Certification**

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and, generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person	Date
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**General Instructions**

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Future developments.** For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9).

**What's New**

Line 3a has been modified to clarify how a disregarded entity completes this line. An LLC that is a disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Otherwise, it should check the "LLC" box and enter its appropriate tax classification.

New line 3b has been added to this form. A flow-through entity is required to complete this line to indicate that it has direct or indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries when it provides the Form W-9 to another flow-through entity in which it has an ownership interest. This change is intended to provide a flow-through entity with information regarding the status of its indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, so that it can satisfy any applicable reporting requirements. For example, a partnership that has any indirect foreign partners may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3. See the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

**Purpose of Form**

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS is giving you this form because they

must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN), which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid).
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds).
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds).
- Form 1099-NEC (nonemployee compensation).
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers).
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions).
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third-party network transactions).
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), and 1098-T (tuition).
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt).
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property).

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

**Caution:** If you don't return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding*, later.

**By signing the filled-out form**, you:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued);
2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding; or
3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee; and
4. Certify to your non-foreign status for purposes of withholding under chapter 3 or 4 of the Code (if applicable); and
5. Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting is correct. See *What Is FATCA Reporting*, later, for further information.

**Note:** If you are a U.S. person and a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S. person.** For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien;
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States;
- An estate (other than a foreign estate); or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

**Establishing U.S. status for purposes of chapter 3 and chapter 4 withholding.** Payments made to foreign persons, including certain distributions, allocations of income, or transfers of sales proceeds, may be subject to withholding under chapter 3 or chapter 4 of the Code (sections 1441–1474). Under those rules, if a Form W-9 or other certification of non-foreign status has not been received, a withholding agent, transferee, or partnership (payor) generally applies presumption rules that may require the payor to withhold applicable tax from the recipient, owner, transferor, or partner (payee). See Pub. 515, *Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities*.

The following persons must provide Form W-9 to the payor for purposes of establishing its non-foreign status.

- In the case of a disregarded entity with a U.S. owner, the U.S. owner of the disregarded entity and not the disregarded entity.
- In the case of a grantor trust with a U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner, generally, the U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner of the grantor trust and not the grantor trust.
- In the case of a U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust), the U.S. trust and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

See Pub. 515 for more information on providing a Form W-9 or a certification of non-foreign status to avoid withholding.

**Foreign person.** If you are a foreign person or the U.S. branch of a foreign bank that has elected to be treated as a U.S. person (under Regulations section 1.1441-1(b)(2)(iv) or other applicable section for chapter 3 or 4 purposes), do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 or Form 8233 (see Pub. 515). If you are a qualified foreign pension fund under Regulations section 1.897(l)-1(d), or a partnership that is wholly owned by qualified foreign pension funds, that is treated as a non-foreign person for purposes of section 1445 withholding, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use Form W-8EXP (or other certification of non-foreign status).

**Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien.** Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a saving clause. Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payee has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items.

1. The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.
2. The treaty article addressing the income.
3. The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.
4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.
5. Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

**Example.** Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if their stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinese student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first Protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an exemption from tax on their scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that exemption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8 or Form 8233.

## Backup Withholding

**What is backup withholding?** Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS 24% of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include, but are not limited to, interest, tax-exempt interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, payments made in settlement of payment card and third-party network transactions, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

**Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:**

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester;
2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the instructions for Part II for details);
3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN;
4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only); or
5. You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding, as described in item 4 under "By signing the filled-out form" above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See *Exempt payee code*, later, and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

See also *Establishing U.S. status for purposes of chapter 3 and chapter 4 withholding*, earlier.

## What Is FATCA Reporting?

The Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) requires a participating foreign financial institution to report all U.S. account holders that are specified U.S. persons. Certain payees are exempt from FATCA reporting. See *Exemption from FATCA reporting code*, later, and the Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

## Updating Your Information

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an exempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the future from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information if you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or if you are no longer tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account, for example, if the grantor of a grantor trust dies.

## Penalties

**Failure to furnish TIN.** If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

**Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding.** If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

**Criminal penalty for falsifying information.** Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

**Misuse of TINs.** If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

## Specific Instructions

### Line 1

You must enter one of the following on this line; **do not** leave this line blank. The name should match the name on your tax return.

If this Form W-9 is for a joint account (other than an account maintained by a foreign financial institution (FFI)), list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of Form W-9. If you are providing Form W-9 to an FFI to document a joint account, each holder of the account that is a U.S. person must provide a Form W-9.

• **Individual.** Generally, enter the name shown on your tax return. If you have changed your last name without informing the Social Security Administration (SSA) of the name change, enter your first name, the last name as shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

**Note for ITIN applicant:** Enter your individual name as it was entered on your Form W-7 application, line 1a. This should also be the same as the name you entered on the Form 1040 you filed with your application.

• **Sole proprietor.** Enter your individual name as shown on your Form 1040 on line 1. Enter your business, trade, or "doing business as" (DBA) name on line 2.

• **Partnership, C corporation, S corporation, or LLC, other than a disregarded entity.** Enter the entity's name as shown on the entity's tax return on line 1 and any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.

• **Other entities.** Enter your name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on line 1. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. Enter any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.

• **Disregarded entity.** In general, a business entity that has a single owner, including an LLC, and is not a corporation, is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (a disregarded entity). See Regulations section 301.7701-2(c)(2). A disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Enter the owner's name on line 1. The name of the owner entered on line 1 should never be a disregarded entity. The name on line 1 should be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For

example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner's name is required to be provided on line 1. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity's name on line 2. If the owner of the disregarded entity is a foreign person, the owner must complete an appropriate Form W-8 instead of a Form W-9. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TIN.

### Line 2

If you have a business name, trade name, DBA name, or disregarded entity name, enter it on line 2.

### Line 3a

Check the appropriate box on line 3a for the U.S. federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one box on line 3a.

IF the entity/individual on line 1 is a(n) . . .	THEN check the box for . . .
• Corporation	Corporation.
• Individual or	Individual/sole proprietor.
• Sole proprietorship	
• LLC classified as a partnership for U.S. federal tax purposes or	Limited liability company and enter the appropriate tax classification: P = Partnership, C = C corporation, or S = S corporation.
• LLC that has filed Form 8832 or 2553 electing to be taxed as a corporation	
• Partnership	Partnership.
• Trust/estate	Trust/estate.

### Line 3b

Check this box if you are a partnership (including an LLC classified as a partnership for U.S. federal tax purposes), trust, or estate that has any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate, in which you have an ownership interest. You must check the box on line 3b if you receive a Form W-8 (or documentary evidence) from any partner, owner, or beneficiary establishing foreign status or if you receive a Form W-9 from any partner, owner, or beneficiary that has checked the box on line 3b.

**Note:** A partnership that provides a Form W-9 and checks box 3b may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065). For more information, see the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

If you are required to complete line 3b but fail to do so, you may not receive the information necessary to file a correct information return with the IRS or furnish a correct payee statement to your partners or beneficiaries. See, for example, sections 6698, 6722, and 6724 for penalties that may apply.

### Line 4 Exemptions

If you are exempt from backup withholding and/or FATCA reporting, enter in the appropriate space on line 4 any code(s) that may apply to you.

#### Exempt payee code.

- Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding.
- Except as provided below, corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, including interest and dividends.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third-party network transactions.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding with respect to attorneys' fees or gross proceeds paid to attorneys, and corporations that provide medical or health care services are not exempt with respect to payments reportable on Form 1099-MISC.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding. Enter the appropriate code in the space on line 4.

1—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2).

2—The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities.

3—A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or territory, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities.

4—A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities.

5—A corporation.

6—A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a U.S. commonwealth or territory.

7—A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

8—A real estate investment trust.

9—An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

10—A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a).

11—A financial institution as defined under section 581.

12—A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian.

13—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947.

The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 13.

IF the payment is for . . .	THEN the payment is exempt for . . .
• Interest and dividend payments	All exempt payees except for 7.
• Broker transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 and all C corporations. S corporations must not enter an exempt payee code because they are exempt only for sales of noncovered securities acquired prior to 2012.
• Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt payees 1 through 4.
• Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 <sup>1</sup>	Generally, exempt payees 1 through 5. <sup>2</sup>
• Payments made in settlement of payment card or third-party network transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4.

<sup>1</sup> See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Information, and its instructions.

<sup>2</sup> However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney reportable under section 6045(f), and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

**Exemption from FATCA reporting code.** The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank. Consult with the person requesting this form if you are uncertain if the financial institution is subject to these requirements. A requester may indicate that a code is not required by providing you with a Form W-9 with "Not Applicable" (or any similar indication) entered on the line for a FATCA exemption code.

A—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37).

B—The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities.

C—A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or territory, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities.

D—A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i).

E—A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i).

F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state.

G—A real estate investment trust.

H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

I—A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a).

J—A bank as defined in section 581.

K—A broker.

L—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1).

M—A tax-exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan.

**Note:** You may wish to consult with the financial institution requesting this form to determine whether the FATCA code and/or exempt payee code should be completed.

### Line 5

Enter your address (number, street, and apartment or suite number). This is where the requester of this Form W-9 will mail your information returns. If this address differs from the one the requester already has on file, enter "NEW" at the top. If a new address is provided, there is still a chance the old address will be used until the payor changes your address in their records.

### Line 6

Enter your city, state, and ZIP code.

## Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

**Enter your TIN in the appropriate box.** If you are a resident alien and you do not have, and are not eligible to get, an SSN, your TIN is your IRS ITIN. Enter it in the entry space for the Social security number. If you do not have an ITIN, see *How to get a TIN* below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner, enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

**Note:** See *What Name and Number To Give the Requester*, later, for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

**How to get a TIN.** If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local SSA office or get this form online at [www.SSA.gov](http://www.SSA.gov). You may also get this form by calling 800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at [www.irs.gov/EIN](http://www.irs.gov/EIN). Go to [www.irs.gov/Forms](http://www.irs.gov/Forms) to view, download, or print Form W-7 and/or Form SS-4. Or, you can go to [www.irs.gov/OrderForms](http://www.irs.gov/OrderForms) to place an order and have Form W-7 and/or Form SS-4 mailed to you within 15 business days.

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, apply for a TIN and enter "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, you will generally have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

**Note:** Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon. See also *Establishing U.S. status for purposes of chapter 3 and chapter 4 withholding*, earlier, for when you may instead be subject to withholding under chapter 3 or 4 of the Code.

**Caution:** A disregarded U.S. entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

## Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if item 1, 4, or 5 below indicates otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on line 1 must sign. Exempt payees, see *Exempt payee code*, earlier.

**Signature requirements.** Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 5 below.

**1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983.**

You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

**2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983.** You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

**3. Real estate transactions.** You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

**4. Other payments.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payment card and third-party network transactions, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).

**5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), ABLE accounts (under section 529A), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

## What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual	The individual
2. Two or more individuals (joint account) other than an account maintained by an FFI	The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account <sup>1</sup>
3. Two or more U.S. persons (joint account maintained by an FFI)	Each holder of the account
4. Custodial account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)	The minor <sup>2</sup>
5. a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee)	The grantor-trustee <sup>1</sup>
b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The actual owner <sup>1</sup>
6. Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual	The owner <sup>3</sup>
7. Grantor trust filing under Optional Filing Method 1 (see Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(A)) <sup>**</sup>	The grantor <sup>*</sup>

For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
8. Disregarded entity not owned by an individual	The owner
9. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity <sup>4</sup>
10. Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553	The corporation
11. Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization	The organization
12. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
13. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
14. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	The public entity
15. Grantor trust filing Form 1041 or under the Optional Filing Method 2, requiring Form 1099 (see Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(B)) <sup>**</sup>	The trust

<sup>1</sup> List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

<sup>2</sup> Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

<sup>3</sup> You must show your individual name on line 1, and enter your business or DBA name, if any, on line 2. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

<sup>4</sup> List first and circle the name of the trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.)

\* Note: The grantor must also provide a Form W-9 to the trustee of the trust.

\*\* For more information on optional filing methods for grantor trusts, see the Instructions for Form 1041.

Note: If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

## Secure Your Tax Records From Identity Theft

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information, such as your name, SSN, or other identifying information, without your permission to commit fraud or other crimes. An identity thief may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a refund.

To reduce your risk:

- Protect your SSN,
- Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- Be careful when choosing a tax return preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identity theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or wallet, questionable credit card activity, or a questionable credit report, contact the IRS Identity Theft Hotline at 800-908-4490 or submit Form 14039.

For more information, see Pub. 5027, Identity Theft Information for Taxpayers.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a systemic problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 800-829-4059.

**Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes.**

Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in an attempt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal detailed information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to [phishing@irs.gov](mailto:phishing@irs.gov). You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration (TIGTA) at 800-366-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at [spam@uce.gov](mailto:spam@uce.gov) or report them at [www.ftc.gov/complaint](http://www.ftc.gov/complaint). You can contact the FTC at [www.ftc.gov/idtheft](http://www.ftc.gov/idtheft) or 877-IDTHEFT (877-438-4338). If you have been the victim of identity theft, see [www.IdentityTheft.gov](http://www.IdentityTheft.gov) and Pub. 5027.

Go to [www.irs.gov/IdentityTheft](http://www.irs.gov/IdentityTheft) to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

## Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secured property; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS, reporting the above information.

Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and territories for use in administering their laws. The information may also be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section 3406, payors must generally withhold a percentage of taxable interest, dividends, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to the payor. Certain penalties may also apply for providing false or fraudulent information.

# **Section 3**

# **Bid/RFP**

# **Specifications**

**CITY OF ROCKFORD**  
**POLICE DEPARTMENT UNIFORM AND SHOES**  
**BID NO.: 725-PD-089**

1. **Scope of Services.** The City of Rockford Police Department has a need to purchase uniform clothing, accessories and shoes. These specifications describe the specifications for Police Department uniform pants, shirts, sweaters, hats, dress uniforms, leather goods and shoes, boots and accessories.

**2. General Requirements**

A. **Vendor Qualifications.** No contract shall be awarded except to responsible vendors capable of providing the quality and quantity of services desired. Before awarding the contract, the City may require a vendor to present evidence of the necessary experience, capability, facilities, equipment, and financial resources to provide the desired materials in a timely manner.

B. **Basis of Award.** The firm selected as a result of this Bid process will be required to enter into a written professional services agreement. Such agreement shall reflect the terms and conditions included in the Bid and the selected firm's proposal, as well as any other provisions mutually agreed to by both parties. The agreement is subject to approval by City Council. In the event that the proposer to whom the services are awarded does not execute a contract within thirty (30) calendar days after approval, the City may give notice to such proposer of intent to award the contract to the next most qualified proposer or to call for new proposals and may proceed to act accordingly. The City of Rockford may award the contract based on line item categories, or as a whole, whichever best serves the interest of the City.

1. **Evaluation Team.** An evaluation team will be used to review the bids submitted. This evaluation team shall consist of members of the Police and Finance Departments.

2. **Evaluation of Bids.** The evaluation team shall award this contract to the vendor that is able to deliver the products specified in this document for the lowest price.

3. **Determination of Responsible and Responsive Bidders.** The City reserves the right to request any information necessary to determine a vendor's ability to provide the desired services. If any information requested is denied, the City reserves the right to reject the bid.

4. **Basis of Award.** The City will award the bid to the lowest responsible bidder(s), and may make multiple awards if in the best interests of the City.

C. **Length of Contract.** The length of this contract will be for two (2) years from date of award. Three (3) additional one (1) year renewal options are also available if approved by both the City and the vendor.

1. **Terms of Renewal.** At the time of a contract renewal, the terms of the original contract may be modified provided that both parties agree in writing to such modification.

2. **Price Changes at Renewal.** Sixty (60) days in advance of the renewal of this contract, the vendor may request a price adjustment if the Rockford Metropolitan Area market conditions have changed. A written request detailing the specific reasons for the increase must be submitted to the City of Rockford Central Services Division. The City will assess current market conditions to determine the validity of any price adjustment requests. The City reserves the right to reject any price increase request and to re-bid this contract if the vendor chooses not to renew due to the rejection of a price adjustment request.

D. **Contact.** The contact person for this proposal is Vishruti Patel, Financial Analyst at [vishruti.patel@rockfordil.gov](mailto:vishruti.patel@rockfordil.gov).

**Questions shall be received, in writing, until July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:00 pm; no questions may be submitted after this date. Questions will be answered via addendum no later than July 29<sup>th</sup>. Any oral communications will be considered unofficial and non-binding.**

E. **Penalties for non-compliance with contract:** Vendors who deviate from the specifications listed herein without the approval of the City, or deemed non-responsive in their ability to provide a quality product in a timely manner will be considered non-compliant with the contract. City may rescind this contract with the vendor and the vendor may not be considered for any future contract with the City for a period of up to three (3) years.

### 3. Specific Requirements

A. **Price.** Prices quoted shall be FOB destination and delivered to: Police Administration, 557 S. New Towne Drive, Rockford, IL 61108 or allow officers to pick up items at store. All prices quoted shall be firm and fixed for the length of the contract. Included at the end of these specifications is one form for Police Department Uniform and Shoes.

B. **Quantities.** The City will purchase and pay for only those quantities actually required during the contract period. The City makes no guarantee whatsoever as to quantities it will purchase. Every effort will be made to work with the awarded vendors to adjust work as manpower and resources allow.

ALL quantities for this bid are for orders throughout the year NOT all at one time. There is no pattern on ordering. Items are ordered as needed by department.

C. **Method of Ordering.** Orders will be electronically transmitted to contractor via email as needed or via online ordering.

D. **Delivery.** Delivery is required within ten (10) calendar days after receipt of order. Vendor must contact the Police Department if it cannot meet the time limit. Recurring non-compliance will result in contract termination.

E. **Extended Sizes.** Please include any additional costs associated with larger sizes on a separate sheet, if applicable.

F. **Fitting and Alterations.** The successful bidder will be required to provide a contracted local vendor, for measuring new hires and miscellaneous alterations, with skilled full time workers (preferably open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.) on weekdays where inventory can be maintained while in the alteration phase, measurements can be taken, alterations made and badges/insignias can be sewn on. The shop or agency shall be within 15 miles of the Rockford Police Department headquarters. The name, address, phone number of this location shall be specified on the bid form or the bid may be rejected. Any alterations on new garments are to be made at no additional cost to the City. Other alterations and insignia sew on shall be paid for on an as needed basis. The vendor, upon request, shall within seven days measure Chief Officers at 557 S. New Towne Dr., Rockford, Illinois 61108. Standard alterations, included in quoted price, will include waist alterations, hemming of trousers, sleeve and/or shirt tail shortening for shirts if necessary and approved by department, sew on sleeve emblems and cloth badges on new uniform items.

G. **Provided by City of Rockford.** The Rockford Police Department will provide all sleeve emblems, cloth silver or gold star emblems and sergeant stripes.

H. **Transition.** The Rockford Police Department currently operates on a quarter master system with used stock maintained at Police Headquarters. With this contract, the department wishes to continue with new stock being maintained in a local store or available for order online. Please provide information or your firm's proposed solution, including temporary passwords/web address for online ordering to review and evaluate available tools. If pricing differs for this delivery method, please provide a second price schedule.

I. Specified Brands. The Police Department has listed specific items and item numbers and will take no exceptions unless alternatives are listed.

4. Clothing Descriptions

A. Uniform Pants

1. Uniform Pants

- a. The pants shall be Elbeco E314RN, alternative if Fechheimer 38200 100% polyester
- b. The fabric shall be wash and wear 100% polyester
- c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color
- d. The pants shall be available in men's and women's waist sizes
- e. The pockets shall be Quarter top pockets
- f. The pants shall be provided with a lifetime crease
- g. The pants shall have a Freedom Flex adjustable waistband.
- h. The pants shall have Tru-Grip.

2. Uniform Pants

- a. The pants shall be Blauer Flex RS #8666 rip stop fabric
- b. The fabric shall be wash and wear 100% rip stop polyester
- c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color
- d. The pants shall be available in men's and women's waist sizes
- e. The pants shall have a TunnelFlex waistband with silicone shirt grip.

3. Uniform Cargo Pants (officer will pay difference in cost from standard uniform pant)

- a. The pants shall be Elbeco #394R or alternative must have hidden cargo pocket and features listed below
- b. The fabric shall be wash and wear 100% polyester
- c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color
- d. The pants shall be available in men's and women's waist sizes
- e. The pockets shall be Quarter top pockets and hidden cargo pockets
- f. The pants shall be provided with a lifetime crease
- g. The pants shall have Freedom Flex adjustable waistband
- h. The pants shall have Tru-Grip.

4. Colorguard (Summer and Winter) Pants

- a. The pants shall be Fechheimer 38200
- b. The fabric will be wash and wear 100% polyester
- c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color
- d. The pants shall be available in men's and women's waist sizes
- e. The pockets shall be Quarter top pockets
- f. The pants shall be provided with a lifetime crease
- g. The pants shall have a Freedom Flex adjustable waistband
- h. The pants shall have Tru-Grip
- i. The pants shall have a 1" Royal Blue cloth stripe sewn on outseam of pants

5. Bike Pant/Short combo

- a. The pant/short combo shall be Blauer item 8822 Flextech zip off or equivalent alternative
  - b. The pants shall be stretch nylon
  - c. The fabric shall be dark navy blue in color
6. Training Unit, School Unit, ID Unit, Recruiter, Bomb Unit, MCU Unit and P&E staff
  - a. The pants shall be Vertx item #VTX8001 or VTX1005
  - b. The fabric shall be 65% Polyester, 35% Cotton or 98% cotton, 2% lycra
  - c. The fabric shall be Desert Tan
  - d. The pants shall be a 6-pocket cargo pant
7. K9 Unit Uniform Pant
  - a. The pants shall be Vertx item #VTX8600 or Blauer 8980
  - b. The fabric shall be 65% Polyester, 35% Cotton or Poly Rayon
  - c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color
  - d. The pants shall be a 6 pocket BDU style cargo pant
8. K9 Unit Goretex Pant
  - a. The pants shall be Blauer item 9134 or equivalent
  - b. The fabric shall be durable ripstop Taslan nylon shell fabric
  - c. The fabric shall be navy blue or black in color
9. Explorer Unit Uniform Pants
  - a. The pants shall be Elbeco 314RN or Fechheimer 38200
  - b. The pants shall be 100% polyester
  - c. The pants shall be LAPD navy in color

## B. Uniform Shirts

1. Summer Short Sleeve Uniform Shirts
  - a. Tex-trop by Elbeco 3314N navy or #3310N white or alternatives Fechheimer 92R78-86 navy zippered under button placket or Blauer8675 zippered under button placket
  - b. The fabric will be 100% polyester
  - c. The shirt shall have badge eyelet holes on left chest
  - d. The shirt will be LAPD navy or White in color
  - e. Sleeve emblems will be sewn on each sleeve
  - f. The shirt will be available in men's and women's sizes
2. Blauer Base Shirt (this is an optional, authorized, or alternative brand with similar appearance and features)
  - a. Blauer Base Shirt, item 8372, short sleeve & item 8371 long sleeve shirt.
  - b. The shirt will be LAPD navy in color.
3. Winter Long Sleeve Uniform Shirts

- a. Tex-trop by Elbeco 314N navy or Elbeco 310N white or alternative Fechheimer 42W78-86 zipper under button placket or Blauer 8670, zipper under button placket.
- b. The fabric shall be 100% polyester
- c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy or White in color
- d. The shirt shall have badge eyelet holes on left chest
- e. Sleeve emblems will be sewn on each sleeve
- f. The shirt will be available in men's and women's sizes

4. Bike Shirt (Scope Unit, RHA Unit, C. Serv. Unit, Rock Officer)

- a. Vertx, item 4000NV polo shirt
- b. The shirt shall have side gussets and raglan short sleeves
- c. The fabric shall be Coldblack
- d. The shirt will have a 3-button placket front with mic tab
- e. The shirt shall have a dual pen pocket on sleeve
- f. The shirt shall have sleeve emblems, cloth silver or gold star emblem and nylon nametag.
- g. The shirt will be available in men's and women's sizes

5. Polo Shirt (Chaplain, Admin Sgt., Training, Civilian Support Staff, ID, Schools, MCU, P&E Staff)

- a. Vertx, item 4000NV polo shirt
- b. The shirt shall be long sleeve or short sleeve in men's and women's sizes
- c. The shirt shall be dark navy in color
- d. The shirt requires embroidery

6. Mock Turtlenecks

- a. The turtleneck shall be Blauer item 8110X mock turtleneck or equivalent
- b. The fabric shall be 90% cotton and 10% lycra
- c. The fabric shall be dark navy in color
- d. The turtleneck shall have white  $\frac{1}{2}$ " black letters "R.P.D." embroidered on right neck area

7. K9 Unit uniform shirts

- a. Short Sleeve, Vertx Phantom LT item VTX8100 and Long Sleeve Vertx Phantom LT item VTX8120
- b. The fabric shall be 65% polyester, 35% cotton
- c. The shirt will have power stretch panels
- d. The shirt shall have sleeve emblems, cloth silver or gold star emblem and nylon nametag.

8. Explorer Shirts

- a. The shirt shall be Elbeco, item #311 or equivalent
- b. The shirt shall be 100% polyester
- c. The shirt shall be long sleeve or short sleeve
- d. The shirt shall be gray in color

## C. Jackets/Coats and Sweaters

1. Uniform All Season Jackets
  - a. Blauer item 9820-60 or alternative similar in appearance and features
  - b. The fabric shall be dark navy in color
  - c. The jacket shall have a zip out soft shell jacket liner
  - d. The jacket shall be available in sizes XS-4XL Regular, Tall and Short
  - e. The jacket and soft shell zip out liner shall both have a cloth badge sewn on the upper left chest, cloth name tab on the right chest area and shoulder emblems. Sergeant stripes if needed.
2. Command Officer Dress Blouse
  - a. The blouse shall be Flying Cross item 38800.
  - b. The blouse shall be 100% polyester
  - c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color with gold or silver "P" buttons
  - d. The blouse shall have a gold braid sewn on out sleeves, 1—4 braids depending on rank
  - e. The blouse shall have shoulder emblems sewn on
3. Recruiting Officer Blouse
  - a. The blouse shall be Flying Cross item 38800
  - b. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color with gold or silver "P" buttons
  - c. The blouse shall have a 1" navy cloth stripe sewn on out sleeves only
  - d. The blouse shall have shoulder emblems sewn on
4. Colorguard Dress Blouse
  - a. The blouse shall be Flying Cross item 38800
  - b. The fabric shall be LAPD navy blue in color with gold or silver "P" buttons
  - c. The blouse shall have a 1" royal blue cloth stripe sewn on out sleeves only
  - d. The blouse shall have shoulder emblem sewn on.
5. Raincoat
  - a. The coat shall be Blauer Defender item 26990 or equivalent
  - b. The coat shall be 48" reversible black and high visibility yellow, ANSI/ISEA 107-2010 Class II
  - c. The coat shall have 2" SCOTCHLITE reflective trim on yellow side only around chest/back and sleeve hems
  - d. The coat shall have a snap front closure
  - e. The coat shall have a cloth silver or gold star emblem on left chest and nylon nametag on right chest care on black side only
6. Rain Hat Cover
  - a. Rain hat cover shall be Blauer item #107 or equivalent
  - b. Hat cover shall be reversible black and high visibility yellow, material to match raincoat.
7. Bike Jacket
  - a. The jacket shall be Mocean Barrier Jacket item 6023SC or equivalent.
  - b. Outer shell fabric shall be 100% supplex
  - c. The fabric shall be LAPD navy and royal blue
  - d. The jacket shall have a nylon mesh lining

- e. The jacket shall have a removable polar fleece vest, Mocean item 0551P or equivalent
- f. The jacket shall have a 2" x 4" reflective Police patch on right chest area, cloth silver or gold star emblem on left chest, shoulder emblems, 4" x 11" reflective Police patch on center back of jacket and Sergeant stripes when needed.

8. Command Staff Trench Coat or similar alternative

- a. Canterbury Trench coat
- b. The fabric will be black in color

9. Colorguard Trench Coat or will consider alternative that matches in style and color

- a. 261N – Darien Double Breasted Trench coat
- b. The fabric shall be dark navy in color
- c. The coat will have sleeve emblems

10. Raid Jacket

- a. The jacket shall be Tri-Mountain item 1500 or equivalent
- b. Fabric shall be navy or equivalent
- c. The jacket shall have cloth silver or gold star emblem on left chest
- d. The jacket shall have a 4" POLICE screen printed across back
- e. The jacket shall have a 2" POLICE screen printed on right chest of jacket

11. Pullover Sweater

- a. The sweater shall be Fechheimer item 740 or Blauer 228
- b. Sweater shall have a quarter zip and fleece lining
- c. Fabric shall LAPD navy blue in color
- d. Sweater shall have color matched nylon/spandex mini Ripstop panel accents on the shoulders and sleeves
- e. The sweater shall have sleeve emblems, cloth nametag, cloth silver or gold star emblem and Sergeant stripes when needed

#### D. Hats

1. Winter and Summer Hats – Midway Cap Company

- a. Frame: The frame shall be a medium shape, 1-3/4" hi-gloss black visor
- b. The frame shall be adjustable for small (6-1/2" to 6-7/8"), medium (7" to 7-1/4"), large (7-3/8" to 7-5/8") and extra-large (7-3/4" – 8").
- c. The sides shall be material matching the item in IV.A.1 with blue soutache trim around bottom.
- d. The front of the hat will have proper support for badge and contain two eyelet holes 1-5/8" apart horizontally.
- e. The frame will have a black leather-like strap on front secured by nickel or gold "P" buttons.
- f. Covers shall be 75% polyester, 25% worsted wool
- g. Covers shall be navy blue in color
- h. Covers shall be 8-point style with ventilation holes on each side
- i. Covers shall have two eyelet 1-5/8" apart horizontally
- j. Cover shall be removable type
- k. Material for winter cover shall be the same as used for the item in IV.A.1
- l. Material for summer cover shall be open mesh navy blue nylon.

2. Command Officer Hats – Midway Cap Company, “4-Star”
  - a. Frame: The frame shall be 1-3/4” hi-gloss black visor
  - b. The frame shall be adjustable for small (6-1/2” – 6-7/8”), medium (7 to 7-1/4”), large (7-3/8” to 7-5/8”) and extra-large (7-3/4” to 8”).
  - c. The frame sides shall be a black fine mesh
  - d. The front of the hat shall have proper support for badge and contain two eyelet holes 1-5/8” part horizontally.
  - e. The frame shall have two gold “P” buttons to hold hat strip
  - f. Covers: Cover shall be 75% Polyester, 25% Worsted Wool
  - g. Cover shall be navy blue in color
  - h. Cover shall have two eyelet holes 1-5/8” apart horizontally
  - i. Material for cover to be the same as used for the item in IV.A.1
3. Winter – Trooper Style Hats
  - a. Blauer item 195 or equivalent
  - b. The fabric shall be navy with B. Dry Fabric and B. Warm fleece lining
  - c. The hat shall have two eyelet holes spaced 1-5/8” apart horizontally.
4. Hat Bands
  - a. Midway Cap Company, item MF50G – gold floral
  - b. Midway Cap Company, item Mf50S – silver floral
5. Baseball Hat
  - a. The hat shall be Blauer item #182 fitted or #182-1 adjustable
  - b. The hat shall be navy blue in color
  - c. The hat shall have “ROCKFORD POLICE” embroidered on front of hat
  - d. The hat shall be available in sizes regular and oversized

#### E. Leather Gear

1. Duty Holster – Safariland Duty Holster model #6360 RDS-832 Black
2. Detective & Off duty Holster - Safariland paddle holster – Solis Paddle Holster for Glock 47 COA without mounted light
3. Duty Belt – Boston Leather item #6501-3 or equivalent, black basketweave with silver or gold buckle
4. Garrison Belt – Boston Leather item #6505-3 or equivalent, black basketweave with silver or gold buckle
5. Keepers – Boston Leather item #5456-3 or equivalent, black basketweave with silver or gold snap
6. Cuff Case – Safariland item #190 or equivalent, black basketweave with hidden snap
7. Mace/OC case - Safariland item #38 or equivalent, black basketweave with hidden snap
8. ASP Baton Case – Safariland item #35 or equivalent, black basketweave

9. Magazine case double, Safariland item #77 or equivalent, black basketweave with hidden snap
10. Magazine case single – Safariland item #76 or equivalent, black basketweave with open top
11. Flashlight ring – Safariland Item #730 or equivalent, gold or silver ring, black bastweave strap.
12. Mic Holder – Boston Leather item #5469-1 or equivalent

#### F. Nylon Duty Gear

1. Holster – Duty Holster – Safariland Duty Holster model #6360 RDS-832 Black
2. Duty Belt – Uncle Mikes item 8801-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes
3. Under Belt – Uncle Mikes item 8806-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes
4. Single cuff case – Uncle Mikes item 8878-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes
5. Keepers (set of 4) – Uncle Mikes item 8865-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes
6. ASP holder – Uncle Mikes item 8884-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes
7. Double Mag Holder – Uncle Mikes item 8836-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes
8. Mace Holder – Uncle Mikes item 8877-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes
9. C/D Cell Light Holder – Uncle Mike's item 8863-1 or Blackhawk or Bianchi Substitutes

#### G. Miscellaneous items

1. Ties, Sam Broome Poly Clip on Tie or equivalent
  - a. The tie shall be LAPD blue in color
  - b. The fabric shall be 75/25 Poly Wool
  - c. The shall be available in sizes 3.0" x 14.5", 3.0" x 18" and 3.0" x 20.0"
2. Stockings, Execusox item #401 or equivalent
  - a. The fabric shall be 80% acrylic, 20% nylon
  - b. The stockings shall be black with white sole and toe
3. Tie Bars – Hero's Pride item #4005 or equivalent
  - a. Tie bars shall be silver and gold clip on
  - b. Tie bars shall have solid smooth finishes
4. Large Reflective Police Patch – Premier item E820 or equivalent
  - a. Patch shall be 4" x 11" reflective gray background with black letters POLICE

5. Small Reflective Police Patch – Premier item E845 or equivalent
  - a. Patch shall be 2" x 4" reflective gray background wth black letters POLICE
6. Nylon Nametags – RE
  - a. Nametag shall be 1" x 4" nylon fabric
  - b. Nametags shall have options for gold letters on dark navy background, gold letters with black background, silver letters with dark navy background, silver letters with black background,
  - c. SWAT nametags – Military embroidered name strip, black lettering on OD green
7. Safety Vest – Blauer item #339P or equivalent
  - a. ANSI/107-2015 Type P, Class 2
8. Nametags – Blackinton J5 Silver or Gold or equivalent
9. Handcuffs – Peerless item #700C or equivalent
10. Whistle with lip guard – silver
11. Traffic cones – Ansi rated traffic cone to fit officer purchased flashlight
12. Years of service hashmarks: Premier PE376, royal, white, navy
13. Field Training Officer chevrons: Premier 422, royal, white, navy

#### H. Boots/Shoes

1. Oxford Style Men
  - a. Thorogood Poromeric item #834-6027
  - b. Bates Lites item #E00056
2. Oxford Style Women's
  - a. Thorogood Classic item #534-6047
  - b. Thorogood Classic item #534-6145
3. Clarino Men – Bates Lites High Gloss item #E00942
4. Clarino Women –Bates High Gloss Durashocks, item E00742
5. Non-Insulated/Non-Waterprooof Boots Men
  - a. Bates Lites Leather Lace-Up Chukka item #SR58
  - b. Bates Delta 6-side zip item EO2346
6. Non-Insulated/Non-waterproof Boots Women
  - a. Magnum Stealth Force Side Zip item #5116
  - b. Bates 8" Tactical Sport, item EO2700

7. Paratrooper Men and Women
  - a. Bates 11" Paratrooper item EO2184
  - b. Thorogood 8" Trooper side zip, item 834-7991
8. Waterproof Boots Men
  - a. Bates GX-8 Goretex Side Zip, item 2268
  - b. Danner Striker Torrent, item 43013
9. Waterproof Boots Women
  - a. Bates GX-8 Goretex Side-zip item EO2788
  - b. Danner Striker II item 42970
10. Waterproof Insulated Men
  - a. Danner Striker Torren tiem 43035
  - b. Bates GX-8 Goretex Insulated Side Zip item EO2488
11. Waterproof Insulated Women
  - a. Thorogood Insulated Sport boot 6" item 534-6342
  - b. Bates GX-8 Goretex Insulated side zip item EO2488
12. K9 Officer
  - a. Danner Kinetic item 28010
  - b. Thorogood 8" lace up item 834-6087
  - c. Bates 8" durashocks Goretex item EO3135
13. Tennis shoes
  - a. Under Armour Tactical Mirage item 1287351-001
  - b. Magnum Sport Mid Plus item 5144
  - c. Haix, Black Eagle athletic low, item 330011M
14. SWAT boots
  - a. Danner USAF TFX, Sage Green item 26117
  - b. Danner Desert TFX, Camouflage item 26036
  - c. Danner Desert TFX Mojave, Tan item 26010
  - d. Danner Desert TFX Rough-Out GTX, Tan item 26013

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<b>Estimated</b>				
<b>Item</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Unit Total</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
Uniform Pants	100	Fechheimer item #47280	\$	\$
Uniform Cargo Pants	50	Fechheimer item #47680	\$	\$
Colorguard (Summer) Pants	5	Flying Cross #47280	\$	\$
Colorguard (Winter) Pants	5	Flying Cross #38200	\$	\$
Bike Pants	5	Blauer item #8822	\$	\$
Bike Shorts	5	Blauer item #8842	\$	\$
Training/ID Pants	20	Vertx item #VTX8000	\$	\$
K9 Pants	5	Vertx item #VTX8600	\$	\$
K9 Gore-Tex Pants	5	Blauer item #9834	\$	\$
SWAT Pants	10	Tru Spec TRU OD GREEN	\$	\$
SWAT Pants	10	Tru Spec Multi CAM	\$	\$
Explorer Trousers	15	Fechheimer item #38200	\$	\$
Short Sleeve Uniform Shirts	100	Tex-trop by Elbeco	\$	\$
Short Sleeve Uniform Shirts	100	Fechheimer Power Stretch P/W item #92R8486Z	\$	\$
Short Sleeve Uniform Shirts	50	Fechheimer Poly Wool item #57R8486Z	\$	\$
Short Sleeve Uniform Shirts	50	Fechheimer Power Stretch Poly item #82R7800Z	\$	\$
Long Sleeve Uniform Shirts	50	Tex-trop by Elbeco	\$	\$
Long Sleeve Uniform Shirts	50	Fechheimer Power Stretch P/W item #42W8486Z	\$	\$
Long Sleeve Uniform Shirts	50	Fechheimer Poly Wool item #07W8486Z	\$	\$
Long Sleeve Uniform Shirts	50	Fechheimer Power Stretch Poly item #42W7800Z	\$	\$
Bike Shirt	15	Vertx item #VTX4000	\$	\$
Polo Shirt	15	Vertx item #VTX4020	\$	\$
Polo Shirt	15	Vertx item #VTX4000	\$	\$
Mock Turtleneck	50	Blauer item #8110X	\$	\$
K9 Shirt	5	Vertx Phantom LT item #VTX8100	\$	\$
K9 Shirt	5	Vertx Phantom LT item #VTX8120	\$	\$
SWAT Shirt	10	Tru Spec TRU OD GREEN	\$	\$
SWAT Shirt	10	Tru Spec Multi CAM	\$	\$
Explorer Shirt	15	Elbeco item #311	\$	\$
Uniform All Season Jacket	10	Blauer item #9920-60	\$	\$
Uniform All Season Jacket	10	Blauer item #9910Z Cruiser	\$	\$
Uniform All Season Jacket	10	Blauer item #9915Z Ike	\$	\$
Command Officer Dress Blouse	5	Flying Cross item #38800 w/ 1" navy stripe	\$	\$
Recruiting Officer Dress Blouse	3	Flying Cross item #38800 w/ no stripe	\$	\$
Colorguard Dress Blouse	5	Flying Cross item #38800 w/ 1" cadet blue stripe	\$	\$
Raincoat	15	Blauer Defender item #26990	\$	\$
Rain Hat Cover	20	Blauer item #107	\$	\$
Bike Jacket	5	Mocean Barrier Jacket item #6023SC	\$	\$
Soft Shell Vest	5	Tri-Mountain item #6440	\$	\$
Raid Jacket	10	Tri-Mountain item #1500	\$	\$
Pullover Sweater	10	Fechheimer item #740	\$	\$
Winter & Summer Hats	20	Midway Cap	\$	\$

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Item	Estimated		Unit Total	Total Cost
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Winter Trooper Style Hats	5	Midway Cap Company FH-1	\$	\$
Winter Trooper Style Hats	5	Blauer item #5120	\$	\$
Hat Bands	5	Midway Cap Company item #MF50G	\$	\$
Hat Bands	20	Midway Cap Company item #MF50S	\$	\$
Baseball Hat	20	Pacific Headwear item #430C	\$	\$
Duty Holster	15	Safariland item #6280	\$	\$
Duty Holster	5	Safariland item #6390	\$	\$
Duty Belt	20	Boston Leather item #6501-3	\$	\$
Garrison Belt	20	Boston Leather item #6505-3	\$	\$
Keepers	50	Boston Leather item #5456-3	\$	\$
Cuff Case	20	Safariland item #190	\$	\$
Mace/OC Case	20	Safariland item #38	\$	\$
ASP Baton Case	20	Safariland item #35	\$	\$
Magazine Case DBL	20	Safariland item #77	\$	\$
Magazine Case Single	20	Safariland item #76	\$	\$
Flashlight Ring	20	Safariland item #730	\$	\$
Mic Holder	20	Boston Leather item #5469-1	\$	\$
Holster	20	Safariland item #6280 STX	\$	\$
Duty Belt	10	Uncle Mike's item #8801-1	\$	\$
Under Belt	10	Uncle Mike's item #8806-1	\$	\$
Single Cuff Case	10	Uncle Mike's item #8878-1	\$	\$
Keepers (set of 4)	10	Uncle Mike's item #8865-1	\$	\$
ASP Holder	10	Uncle Mike's item #8884-1	\$	\$
DBL Mag Holder	10	Uncle Mike's item #8836-1	\$	\$
Mace Holder	10	Uncle Mike's item #8877-1	\$	\$
C/D Cell Light Holder	10	Uncle Mike's item #8863-1	\$	\$
Drop Leg Holster	5	Safariland item #6004 STX	\$	\$
Ties	10	Sam Broome Poly Clip on Tie 3"x14.5"	\$	\$
Ties	20	Sam Broome Poly Clip on Tie 3"x18"	\$	\$
Ties	20	Sam Broome Poly Clip on Tie 3"x20"	\$	\$
Stockings	50	Execusox item #401	\$	\$
Tie Bars	20	Hero's Pride item #4005	\$	\$
Riot Bags	10	Premier item #PBG-047PDBK2	\$	\$
Large Police Patch	10	Premier item #E820	\$	\$
Small Police Patch	10	Premier item #E845	\$	\$
Nylon Nametags	4	Central State #EM1189-gold letters, dark navy bkgrd	\$	\$
Nylon Nametags	7	Central State #EM1189-white letters, dark navy bkgrd	\$	\$
Nylon Nametags	7	Central State #EM1189-gold letters, black bkgrd	\$	\$
Nylon Nametags	7	Central State #EM1189-white letters, black bkgrd	\$	\$
Nylon Nametags	15	Central State #EM1189-silver letters, dark navy bkgrd	\$	\$
Safety Vest	15	Blauer item #339P	\$	\$
Riot Helmet	20	Premier Crown item #900LT	\$	\$

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Item	Estimated		Unit Total	Total Cost
	Quantity	Description		
Name Tag	10	Blackinton J5 Silver	\$	\$
Name Tag	10	Blackinton J5 Gold	\$	\$
ASP Baton	10	ASP item #F-21 Black Chrome	\$	\$
ASP Baton	10	ASP item #F-26 Black Chrome	\$	\$
Riot Baton	25	Monadnock item #MD2800	\$	\$
Handcuffs	20	Peerless item #700C	\$	\$
Whistle	20	Whistle	\$	\$
Traffic Cone	20	Streamlight item #SL20 Yellow	\$	\$
Traffic Cone	20	Streamlight item Stinger Yellow	\$	\$
Spit Sock	20	Spit sock	\$	\$
Oxford Style Men	5	Thorogood Poromeric item #834-6027	\$	\$
Oxford Style Men	5	Bates Lites item #E00056	\$	\$
Oxford Style Women	5	Thorogood Classic item #534-6047	\$	\$
Oxford Style Women	5	Thorogood Classic item #534-6145	\$	\$
Clarino Men	5	Bates Lites High Gloss item #E00942	\$	\$
Clarino Women	5	Bates High Gloss Durashocks item #E00742	\$	\$
Non-Insulated Boots Men	10	Bates Lites Leather Lace-Up Chukka item #SR58	\$	\$
Non-Insulated Boots Men	10	Bates Delta item #EO2346	\$	\$
Non-Insulated Boots Women	10	Magnum Sstealth Force item #5116	\$	\$
Non-Insulated Boots Women	10	Bates 8" Tactical Sport item #EO2700	\$	\$
Paratrooper	5	Bates 11" Paratrooper item #EO2184	\$	\$
Paratrooper	5	Thorogood 8" Trooper item #834-7991	\$	\$
Waterproof Boots Men	50	Bates GX-8 item #2268	\$	\$
Waterproof Boots Men	50	Danner Striker Torrent item #43013	\$	\$
Waterproof Boots Women	10	Bates GX-8 item #EO2788	\$	\$
Waterproof Boots Women	10	Danner Striker II item #42970	\$	\$
Waterproof Insulated Men	50	Danner Striker Torrent item #43035	\$	\$
Waterproof Insulated Men	30	Bates GX-8 item #2488	\$	\$
Waterproof Insulated Women	10	Thorogood Insulated Sport item #534-6342	\$	\$
Waterproof Insulated Women	10	Bates GX-8 item #EO2488	\$	\$
K9 Officer	1	Danner Kinetic item #28010	\$	\$
K9 Officer	1	Thorogood 8" item #834-6087	\$	\$
K9 Officer	2	Bates 8" Durashocks item #EO3135	\$	\$
Tennis Shoes	50	Under Armour Tactical Mirage item #1201539	\$	\$
Tennis Shoes	10	Magnum Sport Mid Plus item #5144	\$	\$
SWAT Boots	3	Danner USAF TFX item #26117	\$	\$
SWAT Boots	2	Danner Desert TFX item #26036	\$	\$
SWAT Boots	3	Danner Desert TFX item #26010	\$	\$
SWAT Boots	3	Danner Desert TFX item #26013	\$	\$

TOTAL ALL ITEMS

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