

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) #18-7010-39

MAINTENANCE OF KCATA'S COUNTRY CLUB RIGHT-OF-WAY

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The Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (KCATA) is a public transit agency providing transit services throughout the metropolitan Kansas City region. KCATA is seeking qualified contractors to provide bids for landscaping services, litter removal, and general maintenance services along the Country Club Right-of-Way (CCROW). The Country Club Right-of-Way is a former railroad right-of-way running north of the J.C. Nichols Fountain (43rd St. & Broadway) to the center line of Prospect Avenue, south of 85th Street; a distance of approximately 7.4 miles.

Pre-Bid Conference:

A pre-bid conference regarding this Invitation for Bids will be held at **2:00 P.M., April 10, 2018** in the KCATA Building 1 Large Conference Room, 1350 E. 17th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64108. Attendance is strongly encouraged at the pre-bid conference.

Bid Questions/Comments:

Any questions, comments or requests for clarification are due from bidders by **2:00 p.m. on April 12, 2018** and must be submitted in writing to **Tamika McDonald, Senior Buyer**, at tmcdonald@kcata.org. KCATA anticipates having an answer by close of business **April 17, 2018**. KCATA's response to these submissions will be a written Addendum.

Bid Closing and Submission:

Bids must be received with all required submittals as stated in the IFB, no later than **2:00 p.m. on April 24, 2018**. Bids received after time specified shall not be considered for award. Bids received via facsimile (fax) or electronic mail (e-mail) shall not be considered. Bids not meeting specified delivery and method of submittal will not be opened nor considered responsive.

Bids submitted must be addressed and delivered to KCATA at the following address. This is also the address to be used for all communication in connection with this IFB:

Kansas City Area Transportation Authority
Shipping and Receiving Department
Attn: Tamika McDonald, Procurement
1350 East 17th Street
Kansas City, Missouri 64108

Submission of a bid shall constitute a firm offer to the KCATA for ninety (90) days from the date of IFB closing.

Michael Graham
V.P. of Procurement and Finance/CFO

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Bid # 18-7010-39

Maintenance of KCATA's Country Club Right-Of-Way

To assist us in obtaining good competition on our Invitation for Bids, we ask that each firm that has received an invitation, but does not wish to propose, state their reason(s) below and return in a clearly marked envelope. Your envelope should include "Bid #18-7010-39" on the outside of the envelope.

This information will not preclude receipt of future invitations unless you request removal from the Bidders' List by indicating below.

Unfortunately, we must offer a "No Proposal" at this time because:

___ 1. We do not wish to participate in the bid process.

___ 2. We do not wish to propose under the terms and conditions of the Invitation for Bid document. Our objections are:

___ 3. We do not feel we can be competitive.

___ 4. We do not provide the services on which Bids are requested.

___ 5. Other: _____

___ We wish to remain on the Bidders' list for these services.

___ We wish to be removed from the Bidders' list for these services.

FIRM NAME

SIGNATURE

SECTION 1
BID SCHEDULE

IFB Issued/Advertised	April 3, 2018
Pre-Bid Conference – KCATA Building 1 Large Conference Room, 1350 E. 17 th Street, Kansas City, MO 64108	2:00 P.M., April 10, 2018
Deadline for Bidder Questions, Comments, & Requests for Clarification	2:00 P.M. April 12, 2018
KCATA Response to Questions	April 17, 2018
Bid Closing Location: KCATA Building 1 Small Conference Room 1350 E 17 th Street KCMO 64108	2:00 P.M. April 24, 2018
Contract Award (Anticipated)	May 2018

SECTION 2
SCOPE OF WORK/TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

A. Purpose and Background Information:

The Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (KCATA or Authority) was formed in 1965 by the signing of a bi-state compact between the States of Missouri and Kansas. The compact gives the KCATA responsibility for planning, constructing, owning and operating transportation systems and facilities within the seven-county metropolitan area.

The counties are Cass, Clay, Jackson, and Platte in Missouri; and Johnson, Leavenworth, and Wyandotte in Kansas. The Authority's Metro Division operates a fleet of 300 buses on 70 routes, logging nearly 52,000 passenger trips every weekday. Service is provided from 4 a.m. to 1 a.m. seven days a week and includes MAX, the Metro Area Express; Metro Local and Express service; and MetroFlex, which is demand-response bus service.

In addition, KCATA also operates the very popular Trolley Track Trail, 35 park-and-rides and MetroCenters, RideKC Freedom paratransit service, and the AdVANtage Vanpool Program.

B. Term:

The term of this agreement shall be for a period of two (2) year from date of contract award. The KCATA shall have the option to renew the contract annually for up to three (3) additional one (1) year periods. Work in process prior to expiration of the Agreement shall be completed and construed by KCATA to be within the "contract term".

C. General Requirements.

1. Description of Property: The properties under this contract are:

Country Club Right-of-Way: The Country Club Right-of-Way (CCROW) is a former railroad right-of-way which, for the purpose of this bid, runs from approximately Volker Blvd. south to the center line of Prospect, south of 85th Street; a distance of approximately 6 miles. This property is approximately 100 feet wide throughout its whole length. The property encompasses numerous parking lots, paved street crossings, and property leased to others, not maintained under this contract.

2. Schedule of Work:

- a. The Contractor shall be liable for the satisfactory performance of the work and its completion according to the specific schedule outlined by the KCATA.
- b. All work shall be completed in accordance with the Work Schedule provided by KCATA.
- c. For the purpose of this bid, the CCROW has been divided into the following three (3) segments:

Area I:

1. Volker to Gregory
2. 80-100 feet wide

Area II:

1. Gregory to west of 85th and Troost Avenue

2. 80-100 feet wide

Area III:

Area III refers to all property east of Troost Avenue. Grounds along this area average 40 feet wide.

Average and minimum width requirements given above may be reduced in specific segments when obstructions such as parking lots, fencing and heavily wooded areas, etc., are encountered within the CCROW. Sections of Area III are currently closed to traffic. Areas between barriers mowed per schedule. Area III may have a change in scope sometime during the contract; maintenance may be scaled back.

- d. Work requirements apply to all areas of the CCROW unless otherwise specified on the contract. If an area is to be partially or totally maintained by others, those areas will be identified and the Contractor so advised. At this time the work at the following locations is to be performed by others and is NOT PART OF THIS CONTRACT:

Any work at the following parking lots:

- Parking lot north of 51st Street is not included; Right-of-Way area north of lot is included.
 - Parking lots north of 52nd Street-area east of curb line by Central Methodist Church is not included. Area east of curb line of UMKC parking lot immediately north thereof is not included. All other land in the 51st-52nd Street section west to Brookside Blvd. is included.
 - Parking lots between 54th and 55th Street compromised of the paved areas lying both east and west of the location of the former main line track is not included; remaining Right-of-Way area is included.
 - Parking lots north and south of 59th Street being the easterly 27' of the Right-of-Way are not included. Westerly portion of the Right-of-Way is included.
 - Parking lots from 62nd Terrace at the north, through Meyer Boulevard at the south is not included.
 - Parking lot and Right-of-Way between 74th Street and 75th Street is not included.
 - Parking lots or portions of parking lots south of 77th Terrace are not included.
 - Any landscaping on/or around flowerbeds along Wornall Road between 65th Street and Gregory Boulevard.
 - Waldo marker at Gregory.
- e. Occasionally a revised Work Schedule or a directive from the KCATA Project Manager may be issued which will supersede previous Work Schedules. Contractor will adhere to the requirements of the most current schedule or directive. Revisions could include, but not be limited to changing the work requirements for a specific week.
- f. Under no circumstances shall Contractor deviate from the Work Schedule without first obtaining consent from the KCATA.

- g. Maintenance as specified herein must be conducted in accordance with the Work Schedule. Should adverse weather precluded adherence to the Work Schedule, the Contract shall immediately notify the KCATA Project Manager. Work shall reconvene at the next available opportunity. Work on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays and evenings will be at the option of the Contractor. However, when the Contractor elects to work at such times, notice of its intent to do so shall be given to the KCATA within a reasonable time in advance thereof.
- h. It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure proper and professional maintenance of the entire property and to possess and have available any and all necessary labor, tools, and equipment to carry out the work in accordance with the contract requirements and specifications.

D. Work Task Requirements.

Contractors are encouraged to visit the sites prior to bidding to fully understand terrain and any other factors, which may affect bidding. All of the work tasks described below must be performed in a manner acceptable to the KCATA Project Manager. Contractor work, which is unacceptable, will result in possible denial of contractor invoices.

1. Mowing:

There are sixteen (16) mowings anticipated during the mowing season. The exact start and end date may vary based on weather conditions but roughly starts between mid-March and ends early-November. The mowing schedule shall be coordinated with the project manager. The contractor shall expect mowing frequency every ten (10 to 12) days between March and June and every fifteen days (or twice a month) July to November. a. All grass shall be mowed in accordance with Work Schedule and maintained at a height between three (3) to four (4) inches without removing more than one-half of the leaf blades during any single cutting. All park structures, trees, tree wells, poles, signs, shrub beds, etc., shall be trimmed around. Trimming can be reduced by "chemical edging", with prior approval of the Project Manager. Special care shall be given in trimming around small trees so as not to inflict injury to the cadmium bark of the tree or disturb the wood chip tree wells. Upon completion, a mowed area shall be free of clumped grass, tire tracks, or ruts from the contractor's mowing equipment. Turf shall be cut in a professional manner as not to scalp turf or leave any areas of uncut grass. Care shall be taken to prevent discharge of grass clippings onto any paved surface especially the Trolley Track Trail, but also streets and sidewalks. These surfaces should be swept clean immediately after each mowing. Care shall also be taken discharge grass clippings away from businesses and resident property. No Trolley Track Trail section longer than ¼ mile in length should accumulate grass clippings before such clippings are removed. Failure to comply with this requirement will result in denial of contractor invoices.

- b. Contractor shall pick up all litter before each mowing and remove from site. If in the course of mowing, trash is overlooked and shredded by mowers, it should immediately be collected and disposed of. Litter includes broken tree limbs/branches, paper, real estate or other signage, cans, bottles and trash in general.
- c. If mowing is interrupted by inclement weather, the Contractor shall give top priority to completing the job at the earliest possible date.

2. Edging:

- a. Timing and frequency to be determined by the work schedule.
- b. Concrete sidewalks between Brookside & Wornall, 65th Street, 66th Terrace, 67th Street,

68th Street, 70th Street, and Gregory and all entryways along the Right-Of-Way shall be vertically edged to give a clean-cut edge at point of contact between concrete and turf.

- c. All debris including grass, thatch, and soil from edging process will be swept clean and removed from site immediately.
- d. Chemical edging acceptable to maintain 10ft wide crushed rock trail surfaces.

3. Refuse Collection:

Contractor shall pick up all litter, including illegally dumped trash and tree limb debris, real estate and other signs, broken tree limbs/branches, paper, cans, bottles, and trash in general, and dispose of in an approved landfill:

- a. Service trash receptacles in accordance with the Work Schedule.
- b. Animal waste along and adjacent to the Trolley Track Trail at designated animal waste disposal units, and as otherwise authorized and directed by the KCATA Project Manager. Contractor should include current unit cost for animal waste disposal unit.
- c. Contractor will remove and replace trash bags, including animal waste bags, from all trash receptacles located on the KCATA's Trolley Track Trail in accordance with this Work Schedule. Thirty - (30) receptacles are located on the Trail between Volker Boulevard and Prospect Ave. For this work task, and for tasks C.9 and C.10, the area immediately south of 75th St., the site of the "Waldo" monument, is considered part of Area II. Contractor shall supply all trash bags and animal waste bags.
- d. Contractor shall travel the length of the right of way during receptacle pickup to remove and collect stray and blown trash and debris. Collection shall include trash caught in trees, shrubs and along fence lines.
- e. As part of the of refuse collection, the contractor shall pick up small branches and miscellaneous materials that may have fallen or appeared on the trail. This may include random dumped yard waste and trash. Any dumped materials that is considered excessive and will delay regular pick up shall be reported to the project manager. The project manager and contract will proceed with clean up through a work order.
- f. Regular pickup of trash, debris and branches described in paragraph d and e above is not expected to not exceed more than one to two hours and shall not significantly impact refuse collection.

4. Fertilization, Weed Control and Turf Grass Management:

Important: Contractor and/or subcontractors shall be certified as a Commercial Pesticide Applicator (Category III) with the State of Missouri Department of Agriculture and, if requested by the KCATA, shall provide a copy of the license or license number within ten (10) calendar days from the "Notice of Intent to Award".

a. Fertilization

Turf will be fertilized by work order only with an 18-4-10 granular formulation. Application should result in one pound of nitrogen being applied per 1,000 square feet (forty-four pounds per acre). Fertilization will be performed during appropriate weather

conditions, to ensure total coverage with no evidence of “streaking” of turf.

b. Broadleaf Weed Control

Turf will be sprayed in accordance with Work Schedule with a uniform mixture or combination of the following turf labeled herbicides applied according to manufacturer’s guidelines.

- P.B.I. Gordon Trimec or approved equal at a rate of four (4) pints per acre.
- Exalt 800 Spreader Sticker or approved equal at a rate of 16 ounces per 100 gallons of spray material.

Application may be made by low-pressure broadcast boom sprayers using low-drift nozzles, calibrated walking wand sprayers, and other appropriate spray equipment. Micron “Herbi” sprayers are recommended for areas less than one acre. Anticipate using 40 gallons of diluted spray mixture an acre for thorough coverage of target weeds. Contractor shall adhere to the following environmental conditions before attempting to proceed with the selective weed control applications:

- No anticipated rainfall within 24 hours following application.
- Wind velocity not to exceed 8 miles per hour during spray operation.
- Minimum daytime temperature of 55 degrees.

Care shall be taken to avoid drift and damage to adjacent trees, shrubs, and any other plant material. A decline in weed control population of at least 90 percent in the selected area within 30 days from application is expected.

c. Pre-Emergent Weed Control:

A pre-emergent weed grass preventer shall be applied in accordance with the Work Schedule. A professionally acceptable product shall be applied in the granular form at the manufacturer’s recommended rate to control crabgrass and other undesirable weed grasses.

d. Grass reseeding and over-seeding to be completed by work order only.

5. Non-Selective Weed Control (Spray):

Non-selective weed control substance shall be sprayed to all areas within five feet from the centerline of the Trolley Track Trail. Application of such substance shall be in accordance with the Work Schedule.

Spraying compound must be a uniform mixture or combination of the following product or approved equal applied according to manufacturer’s guidelines:

Round-up (weed control) vegetation killer by Monsanto Company (or approved equal) at a rate of 1 quart per acre.

Mix only the quantities of spray solution, which can be used during the same day. Do not allow these tank mixtures to stand overnight. Effectiveness of 95% kill is expected for this spray

application. If a stronger application of herbicide is needed in order to reasonably assure a weed-free appearance during the entire growing season, the Contractor will so advise the KCATA Project Manager prior to application.

Spraying compound shall also be applied to all vegetation growing along pavement cracks, curb, and sidewalk joints and around utility poles. In applying the spray, the Contractor shall take adequate precautions to not damage adjacent turf areas.

6. Tree Maintenance/Landscaping; Brush Clean Up/Miscellaneous Services:

The work involves the performance of an unspecified amount of tree felling, tree trimming, and removal of trees, stumps, and roots; landscaping and brush clean up services to be provided on a time, equipment, and materials basis. The contractor's work will be performed on an unscheduled basis based on the issuance of individual work orders issued by the KCATA. The work area for this task extends from Westport Road south to the end of the property at 85th and Prospect Ave.

KCATA's work orders and the selected contractor's acceptance will include a description of the work to be performed, the location of the job, and written authorization for the maximum amount of time to be spent on the job for each category of service (labor, heavy equipment, or other charges).

The time, equipment, and other applicable charges such as disposal fees will be negotiated in advance between the contractor and the KCATA for each job. These charges will be based on unit (hourly) costs submitted as a part of the bid proposal. Unit costs should be submitted for: labor, chipper truck, haul truck, tractor. For purposes of bid evaluation and determination of a contract amount, bidders should use their unit costs and the following estimates to calculate the total provisional cost for this work task:

Labor Unskilled	500 Hours
Labor Skilled	150 Hours
Chipper Truck	50 Hours
Haul Truck	50 Hours
Tractor	6 Hours
Stump Grinder	50 Hours

Trees shall be felled in such a manner that will prevent damage to trees left standing, to existing structures, utilities, paved roadways, curbs and walkways and with due regard to the safety of employees and others. Immediately after felling a tree, Contractor's personnel will cut up the trunks and limbs as needed for removal and clear all debris.

Stumps and roots in excavated or fill areas where depth of excavation or fill does not exceed three (3) feet shall be removed to a depth of 18 inches below grade. In fill areas where more than three (3) feet of embankment is required, trees and stumps shall be cut off at the surface of the ground.

All depressions excavated below the ground surface shall be refilled with suitable material and compacted to make the surface conform to the surrounding ground surface.

7. Trolley Track Trail Inspection and Landscape Maintenance:

Within the property, the KCATA has constructed a recreation trail called the Trolley Track Trail. This 6.5-mile long trail consists of a 10-foot wide crushed limestone surface, which sits

over the previous railroad track bed ballast in most locations. South of 85th Street, the Trail consists of a 1.75-mile long asphalt surface. The trail extends from Volker Boulevard to 85th Street and Prospect Ave. Maintenance of the trail's supporting components is a contractor responsibility.

There are locations where the existing trail intersects with public streets, driveways, or other locations along its length, there are entry markers (brick columns topped by concrete spheres north of 75th Street, and/or side and center Trail bollards) on each side of the trail, shrubbery, and trees.

Trail signage is posted at various locations. Existing signage and poles shall be examined for repairs, replacement, or graffiti. Removal shall be performed as necessary on a as needed basis. Trail benches and receptacles shall also be inspected.

Contractor will be required to inspect greenery and shrubbery that is within the CCROW that acts as a barrier between the Right of Way and businesses and residents. Contractor shall inspect areas for overgrowth to keep trail users safe. Contractor will inspect additional amenities and report items that need attention and repair.

For this work task the Contractor will maintain the shrubs and trees throughout the right-or-way and at each entry marker and other locations, and the trail surface along its entire length. Landscaping is at a minimum on the CCROW; the majority of this work task relates to inspections to insure proper upkeep of the CCROW and Trail. Inspections shall be regular and based on trail use and activities. It may be necessary for the Contractor to inspect the CCROW after storms or high winds. The Contractor may be required to inspect specific issues as they are reported to the KCATA Project Manager.

Upon reporting areas of concern, damage, or need of upkeep or repair to the KCATA Project Manager and the Project Manager agrees a work order shall be issued to contractor to make such repairs. The contractor shall utilize landscape maintenance or skill labor rates as determined by the cost proposal and contract. Repairs and landscaping shall be scheduled and completed as soon as possible as not present a safety concern to users.

The KCATA Project Manager will inspect the project area periodically and notify the Contractor of any items requiring attention.

There are areas along the trail that are maintained by others through various licenses and agreements. Contractor is not required maintain these areas or effect landscaping such as trees, shrubs, planting and flowering plantings. Should mowing be required in these areas, contractor shall take care to prevent damage to the existing landscaping.

The areas excluded from regular maintenance are:

- Landscaping from new Development south of 51st Street
- Small park south 59th Street
- Landscaping and sign in front of Aixois (south of 55th Street)
 - Mowing is excluded in this area
- Landscaping and shrubs and trees planted west of parking lot located north of 65th Street
- Landscaping associated the Bridge at 65th street, both areas above and below the bridge.
 - Contractor will be responsible for inspection and maintenance of hardscape area related to the Bridge. Regular trail maintenance is required. Retaining walls, brick and stone structures will be addressed as required and directed by KCATA project manager.

- Landscaping around brick markers on Wornall between 65th Street and Gregory
- Landscaping surrounding north parking lot at Gregory
- Landscaping and monument west of parking lot immediately south of Gregory
- Landscaping associated with Waldo monument and fountain immediate South of 75th Street.
- Landscaping and limestone trail extension leading to the Bier Company, north of 79th Street.

8. Trolley Track Trail Surface Maintenance:

The Contractor is responsible for monitoring the entire 6.5-mile long Trail surface and advising the KCATA Project Manager of needed repairs. If necessary and directed by the KCATA Project Manager, the Contractor will repair any damage, which may occur to the Trail surface and restore the facility to its previous condition. Bidders should include a cost per ton for crushed limestone. Trail surface repair is included on the attached bid sheet. Sections covered by an asphalt surface are to be repaired as needed per Project Manager's request.

9. Parking Lot Maintenance:

- a. The contractor will coordinate any necessary replacement or repair for exterior portions of the premises, sidewalks, passageways, driveways, and fence line with contractors, vendors, suppliers, and manufacturers of material and equipment utilized in its construction and/or outfitting.
- b. The contractor shall monitor the upkeep and conditions of the grounds; serve as the first line of contact for review of structural, mechanical, and related problems and their solutions.
- c. Trail surface repair, asphalt repair, or restriping of parking lot lines shall be completed as needed by KCATA work order. KCATA will specify the approved material or equivalents.
- d. Parking lots currently located at 85th & Prospect, 85th Street east of Main, Woodland, and 65th & Brookside.

D. Optional General Services

From time to time, the Contractor may be requested to perform special requests for the KCATA – e.g. installation of signage; cabling off specific areas of CCROW (per instruction); unlocking and/or securing cable; installing and/or removing post/poles and other similar miscellaneous tasks.

Hours and material for the optional general services will be negotiated at the time the work is being requested.

Contractor is required to respond to special call-in requests within twenty-four (24) hours. Work requested must be accomplished within that time or as mutually scheduled.

E. Pricing

All Offerors shall provide a firm, fixed price exclusive of Section D - Optional General Services. Pricing must include all conceivable aspects of completing work. This should include (but is not limited to) labor, expenses, licenses; insurance, general & administrative expenses, overhead, and materials not described but required to complete the work. Failure to do so may deem your response to be non-responsive.

SECTION 3
BID INFORMATION/INSTRUCTIONS

A. Bid.

The bid, along with all other accompanying documents and materials submitted by the bidder, will be deemed to constitute the entire bid. The bidder shall promptly furnish any additional information requested relative to its bid.

B. Submittal.

1. Bids shall be submitted on the Bid Response Form (Attachment K) provided. **Bids submitted on any other form may be considered non-responsive and therefore rejected.** The authorized person signing the bid shall initial any erasures, corrections or other changes appearing on the Bid Response Form.
2. Bids received after time specified shall not be opened or considered for award. Bids received via facsimile (fax) or electronic mail (e-mail) shall not be opened or considered.
3. The Authority reserves the right to reject bids that alter the Bid Response Form or otherwise take exception to the bid requirements. Bidders may submit alternative bids along with a complete description of the proposed alternative; however the decision to accept or reject such alternative is entirely at the sole discretion of the Authority.

C. Communications.

In cases where communication is required between bidders and the KCATA, such as requests for information, instruction, clarification of specifications, etc. such communication shall be forwarded directly to Tamika McDonald via email at tmcdonald@kcata.org or via fax to (816) 346-0336.

D. Protests.

1. The following protest procedures will be employed for this procurement. For the purposes of these procedures, “days” shall mean business days of KCATA administrative personnel which are days other than a Saturday, Sunday or legal holidays observed by KCATA for such administrative personnel.
 - a. **Pre-Submittal.** A pre-submittal protest is received prior to the bid due date. Pre-submittal protests must be received by the Authority, in writing and addressed to the KCATA Director of Procurement no later than five (5) days before the bid closing date.
 - b. **Post-Submittal/Pre-Award.** A post-submittal/pre-award protest is a protest against making an award and is received after receipt of bids but before award of a contract. Post-submittal protests must be received by the Authority, in writing and addressed to the KCATA Director of Procurement no later than five (5) days after the bid closing date.
 - c. **Post-Award.** Post-Award protests must be received by the Authority, in writing and addressed to the KCATA Director of Procurement no later than five (5) days after the date of the Notice of Intent to Award.
2. The KCATA Director of Procurement shall respond in writing within five (5) days from the date of the written request. If the protester is not satisfied with the response of the KCATA Director of Procurement the protester may appeal in writing to the KCATA Chief Financial Officer within five

- (5) days from the date of the KCATA Director of Procurement's response.
3. The KCATA Chief Financial Officer will decide if the protest and the appeal (if any) have been given fair and reasonable consideration, or if additional consideration is warranted. The KCATA Chief Financial Officer's response will be provided within ten (10) days after receipt of the request. The KCATA Chief Financial Officer's decision is final and no further action on the protest shall be taken by the KCATA.
 4. By written notice to all parties, the KCATA Director of Procurement may extend the time provided for each step of the protest procedures, extend the date of notice of award, or postpone the award of a contract if deemed appropriate for protest resolution.
 5. Protesters shall be aware of the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) protest procedures with the FTA Regional Office (ref: FTA Circular 4220.1F) If federal funding is involved, FTA will review protests from a third party only when: 1) a grantee does not have a written protest procedure or fails to follow its procedure, or fails to review a complaint or protest; or 2) violations of specific federal laws or regulations have occurred.
 6. An appeal to FTA must be received by FTA's regional office within five (5) working days of the date the protester learned or should have learned of KCATA's decision. Protests shall be addressed to: Regional Administrator, FTA Region 7, 901 Locust, Room 404, Kansas City, Missouri, 64106.

F. Bid Pricing.

1. Bids shall be firm and final.
2. Bidders shall be responsible for furnishing and delivering new and complete materials and/or services to include the installation, assembly, accessories, personnel, training, warranty, and guarantee as specified to make this procurement complete.
3. The bid price shall include, as applicable, all items of labor, materials, tools, equipment, transportation, and other costs necessary to complete the manufacture, delivery, assembly, installation and drawings, if required, of the materials or services required in this procurement.
4. The quantities specified for purchase by KCATA are based upon the best available estimates, taking into consideration the consumption during the past periods, and do not determine the actual amount the Authority may order during the contract period. The quantities are subject to change. Payment will be based on actual order quantities based on the unit rates quoted.
5. It is the intention of the specifications to provide complete and accurate descriptions for materials and/or services required by the KCATA. Any materials or services omitted from the specifications that are clearly necessary for the completion of this bid, although not directly specified or called for in the specifications, shall be considered a portion of the bid. Bidder shall indicate the additional material and services it has determined to be required for this procurement.
6. Bids shall indicate the unit price, extended to reflect the total bid. Any difference between the unit price correctly extended and the total price shall be resolved in favor of the unit price, except where the bidder clearly indicates that the total price is based on consideration of being awarded all items of the bid.
7. Bid shall be net and shall reflect any available discount. Separate discount for timely payment shall not be given consideration in evaluating bids, except in the case of bids that end in a tie.
8. The KCATA is exempt from payment of federal, state and local sales taxes, and such taxes shall not be included in the bid price. Nevertheless, the bidder is not exempt from these taxes when purchasing materials directly from its supplier.

G. Omissions and Form of Contract.

1. Omissions. The Contractor will be responsible for providing all services, equipment, facilities, and functions which are necessary for the safe, reliable, efficient, and well-managed operation of the program, within the general parameters described in this IFB, and consistent with established industry practices, regardless of whether those services, equipment, facilities, and functions are specifically mentioned in this IFB or not. The bidder should clearly identify any omissions to the requirements set forth in the IFB.
2. Form of Contract. A sample copy of the standard KCATA contract is attached to this IFB as Section 5. The standard contract terms and conditions outline various legal and administrative duties and responsibilities assumed by persons or organizations contracting with KCATA. It contains terms and conditions affecting the successful performance of the procurement. **Bids shall not stipulate any conditions or exceptions to the bid package or addenda.** The successful bidder will be expected to execute this contract. Contractors who take exception to the contract terms and conditions may contact the Buyer of Record prior to the due date to address concerns. However, consideration will only be given to negotiating terms and conditions not required by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) which will be included in the final contract.

H. Authorization to Bid.

If an individual doing business under a fictitious name makes the bid, the bid shall so state. If the bid is made by a partnership, the full names and addresses of all members of the partnership shall be given and one principal member shall sign the bid. If a corporation, Limited Liability Company or other legal entity makes the bid, an authorized officer shall sign it in the corporate name. If the bid is made by a joint venture, the full names and addresses of all members of the joint venture shall be given and one member shall sign the bid authorized thereof.

I. Submittal Instructions.

1. Sealed bids will be received until the date and time specified for bid closing in Section I, "Bid Schedule." Bids received before the bid closing time will be kept securely sealed. Bids submitted by facsimile (fax) machine or electronic mail (e-mail) will not be accepted.
2. One original and two copies of the bid shall be signed by an authorized official and submitted to the Procurement Department, Attn: Tamika McDonald, Senior Buyer, KCATA, 1350 E. 17th Street, Kansas City, Missouri, 64108. *It is highly desirable that the bidder includes one (1) electronic copy of their bid response on flash drive.* The bid number "18-7010-39" should be clearly marked on the front of the return envelope.
3. At a time specified for bid opening, all bids properly received will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after this time will not be considered.

J. Incomplete Bid.

All documents that are required to be submitted with this Bid are listed in Section 6. The bidder shall read all forms carefully before signing. Incomplete bid documents may render the bid non-responsive.

K. Withdrawal of Bids.

1. Bids may be withdrawn upon written request received by the KCATA before the time fixed for closing. Withdrawal of a bid shall not prejudice the right of the bidder to submit a new bid, provided it is received in a timely manner as provided above. The bond or certified check of any bidder withdrawing its bid, in accordance with the foregoing condition, will be returned promptly.
2. No bids may be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) days after the time set herein for the opening of bids.

L. Disclosure of Proprietary Information.

1. A bidder may restrict the disclosure of scientific and technological innovations in which it has a proprietary interest, or other information that is protected from public disclosure by law, which is contained in the bids:
 - a. Marking each page of each such document prominently in 16 point font with the words "Proprietary Information;"
 - b. printing each page of each such document in a different color paper other than the paper which the remainder of the bid is printed; and
 - c. segregating each page of each such document in a sealed envelope, which shall prominently display, on the outside, the words "Proprietary Information" in at least 16 point font, along with the name and address of the Bidder.
2. After either a contract is executed pursuant to the IFB, or all bids are rejected, the bids will be considered public records open for inspection. If access to documents marked "Proprietary Information," as provided above, is requested under the Missouri Open Records Law, the KCATA will notify the Bidder of the request and the Bidder shall have the burden to establish that such documents are exempt from disclosure under the Law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in response to a formal request for information, the KCATA reserves the right to release any documents if the KCATA determines that such information is a public record pursuant to the Missouri Sunshine Law.

M. Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Requirements

1. It is the policy of the KCATA and the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's), as defined herein and in the Federal regulations published in 49 CFR Part 26, shall have an equal opportunity to participate in DOT-assisted contracts. It is also the policy of the KCATA to:
 - a. Ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts;
 - b. Create a level playing field on which DBE's can compete fairly for DOT-assisted contracts;
 - c. Ensure that the DBE program is narrowly tailored in accordance with applicable law;
 - d. Ensure that only firms that fully meet 49 CFR Part 26 eligibility standards are permitted to participate as DBE's;
 - e. Help remove barriers to the participation of DBE's in DOT-assisted contracts;
 - f. To promote the use of DBE's in all types of federally assisted contracts and procurement activities; and
 - g. Assist in the development of firms that can compete successfully in the marketplace outside the DBE program.
2. This project is subject to the requirements of Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 26, *Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises in Department of Transportation Financial Assistance Programs*. Therefore, the Contractor must satisfy the requirements for DBE participation as set forth herein. These requirements are in addition to all other equal opportunity employment requirements of this Contract.
3. The KCATA shall make all determinations with regard to whether or not a Bidder/Offeror is in compliance with the requirements stated herein. In a compliance, the Bidder/Offeror may consider

during its review of the Bidder/Offeror's bid submission package, the Bidder/Offeror's documented history of non-compliance with DBE requirements on previous contracts with the KCATA.

4. Failure by the Contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of the resulting contract, which may result in the termination of the contract or such other remedy as KCATA deems appropriate.
5. **For this project there has been no goal established for DBE participation.** DBEs, Minority Owned Business Enterprises (MBEs), Women Owned Business Enterprises (WBEs) and Small Business Enterprises (SBEs) are encouraged to submit bids as Prime Contractors or Subcontractors, or through a joint venture/partnership.
6. **Non-discrimination.** Proposers shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability, or age in the performance of this project. The Proposer shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the Proposer to carry out these requirements is a material breach of the resulting contract, which may result in the termination of the contract or such other remedy as KCATA deems appropriate.
7. **DBE Certification.** DBE firms may participate as prime Contractors, subcontractors or suppliers. KCATA will only recognize firms that are certified as DBEs under the DOT guidelines found in 49 CFR Part 26. Firms must be certified as a DBE by a member of the Missouri Regional Certification Committee, which includes KCMO, MoDOT, City of St. Louis, Metro in St. Louis or KCATA. A list of certified firms may be found at www.modot.mo.gov/ecr/index.htm. MBE and WBE certifications from other agencies will not be counted toward the DBE participation.
8. **DBE Participation Credit.** DBE firms may participate as Prime Contractors or Subcontractors or Suppliers. The following shall be credited towards achieving the goals, except as provided herein:
 - a. The total contract dollar amount that a qualified DBE Prime Contractor earns for that portion of work on the contract that is performed by its own workforce, is performed in a category in which the DBE is currently certified, and is a commercially useful function as defined by the Program. DBE Prime Contractors must perform thirty percent (30%) of the contract value.
 - b. The total contract dollar amount that a Prime Contractor has paid or is obligated to pay to a subcontractor that is a qualified DBE; and
 - c. Subcontractor participation with a lower tier DBE subcontractor; and
 - d. Sixty percent (60%) of the total dollar amount paid or to be paid by a Prime Contractor to obtain supplies or goods from a supplier who is not a manufacturer and who is a qualified DBE. If the DBE is a manufacturer of the supplies, then one hundred percent (100%) may be credited, to be determined on a case-by-case basis.
 - e. NO CREDIT, however, will be given for the following:
 1. Participation in a contract by a DBE that does not perform a commercially useful function as defined by the Program; and
 2. Any portion of the value of the contract that a DBE Subcontractor subcontracts back to the prime contractor or any other contractor who is not a qualified DBE; and
 3. Materials and supplies used on the contract unless the DBE is responsible for negotiating the price, determining quality and quantity, ordering the materials and

installing (where applicable) and paying for material itself; and

4. Work performed by a DBE in a scope of work other than that in which the DBE is currently certified.
9. **Good Faith Efforts.** Failure to meet the contracted DBE participation commitment without documented evidence of good faith efforts may result in termination of the contract. In evaluating good faith efforts, KCATA will consider whether the Proposer has performed the following, along with any other relevant factors:
- a. Soliciting through all reasonable and available means (e.g. attendance at pre-bid meetings, advertising and/or written notices) the interest of all certified DBEs who have the capability to perform the work of the contract. The bidder must solicit this interest within sufficient time to allow the DBEs to respond to the solicitation. The bidder must determine with certainty if the DBEs are interested by taking appropriate steps to follow up initial solicitations. Copies of the solicitation efforts (dated facsimiles, advertisements, emails) must be submitted.
 - b. Selecting portions of the work to be performed by DBEs in order to increase the likelihood that the DBE goals will be achieved. This includes, where appropriate, breaking out contract work items into economically feasible units to facilitate DBE participation, even when the prime contractor might otherwise prefer to perform these work items with its own forces.
 - c. Providing interested DBEs with adequate information about the plans, specifications, and requirements of the contract in a timely manner to assist them in responding to a solicitation.
 - d. Negotiating in good faith with interested DBEs.
 - 1) It is the bidder's responsibility to make a portion of the work available to DBE subcontractors and suppliers and to select those portions of the work or material needs consistent with the available DBE subcontractors and suppliers, so as to facilitate DBE participation. Evidence of such negotiation includes the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of DBEs that were considered; a description of the information provided regarding the plans and specifications for the work selected for subcontracting; and evidence as to why additional agreements could not be reached for DBEs to perform the work.
 - 2) A bidder using good business judgment would consider a number of factors in negotiating with subcontractors, include DBE subcontractors, and would take a firm's price and capabilities as well as contract goals into consideration. However, the fact that there may be some additional costs involved in finding and using DBEs is not in itself sufficient reason for a bidder's failure to meet the contract DBE goal, as long as such costs are reasonable. Also, the ability or desire of a prime contractor to perform the work of a contract with its own organization does not relieve the bidder of the responsibility to make good faith efforts. Prime contractors are not, however, required to accept higher quotes from DBEs if the price difference is excessive or unreasonable.
 - 3) Not rejecting DBEs as being unqualified without sound reasons based on a thorough investigation of their capabilities. The contractor's standing within its industry, membership in specific groups, organizations, or associations and political or social affiliations (for example union vs. non-union employee status) are not legitimate causes for the rejection or non-solicitation of bids in the contractor's efforts to meet the project goal.

- 4) Making efforts to assist interested DBEs in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, or insurance as required by the KCATA or contractor.
- 5) Making efforts to assist interested DBEs in obtaining necessary equipment, supplies, materials, or related assistance or services.
- 6) Effectively using the services of available minority/women community organizations; minority/women contractors' groups; local, state, and Federal minority/women business assistance offices; and other organizations as allowed on a case-by-case basis to provide assistance in the recruitment and placement of DBEs.
- 7) In determining if the Contractor did use good faith efforts in securing DBE Participation, KCATA may request copies of each DBE and non-DBE subcontractor quote in the event a non-DBE subcontractor was selected over a DBE for work on the contract.

11. **Request for Modification, Replacement or Termination of Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Project Participation.** Contractor is responsible for meeting or exceeding the DBE commitment it has proposed for the project and as amended by any previously approved Request for DBE Modification/Substitution. Any Change Orders or amendment modifying the amount Contractor is to be compensated will impact the amount of compensation due to DBEs for purposes of meeting or exceeding the Proposer commitment. Contractor shall consider the effect of a Change Order or amendment and submit a Request for Modification/Substitution if the DBE commitment changes.

- a. **Termination Only for Cause.** Once the contract has been awarded; Contractor may not terminate a DBE subcontractor without KCATA's prior written consent. This includes, but is not limited to, instances in which a Contractor seeks to perform work originally designated for a DBE subcontractor with its own forces or those of an affiliate, a non-DBE firm, or with another DBE firm.
- b. **Good Cause.** Good cause includes the following circumstances:
 - 1) The listed DBE subcontractor fails or refuses to execute a written contract; or
 - 2) The listed DBE subcontractor fails or refuses to perform the work of its normal industry standards. Provided, however, that the good cause does not exist if the failure or refusal of the DBE subcontractor to perform its work on the subcontract results from the bad faith or discriminatory action of the Prime Contractor; or
 - 3) The listed DBE subcontractor fails or refuses to meet the Prime Contractor's reasonable, nondiscriminatory bond requirements; or
 - 4) The listed DBE subcontractor becomes bankrupt, insolvent, or exhibits credit unworthiness; or
 - 5) The listed DBE subcontractor is ineligible to work on public works projects because of suspension and debarment proceedings pursuant to 2 CFR Parts 180, 215 and 1200 or applicable state law; or
 - 6) The DBE subcontractor is not a responsible contractor; or
 - 7) The listed DBE subcontractor voluntarily withdraws from the project and provides the Prime Contractor written notice of its withdrawal;

- 8) The listed DBE is ineligible to receive DBE credit for the type of work required;
 - 9) A DBE owner dies or becomes disabled with the result that the listed DBE contractor is unable to complete its work on the contract;
 - 10) Other documented good cause that compels KCATA to terminate the DBE subcontractor. Provided the good cause does not exist if the Prime contractor seeks to terminate a DBE it relied upon to obtain the contract so that the Prime Contractor can self-perform the work for which the DBE contractor was engaged or so that the Prime Contractor can substitute another DBE or non-DBE contractor.
- c. Before submitting its request to terminate or substitute a DBE subcontractor, the Prime Contractor must give notice in writing to the DBE subcontractor, with a copy to KCATA, of its intent to request to terminate and/or substitute, and the reason for the request.
 - d. The Prime Contractor must give the DBE five days to respond to the Prime Contractor's notice and advise the KCATA and the Contractor of the reasons, if any, why it objects to the proposed termination of its subcontract and why KCATA should not approve the Prime Contractor's action. If required in a particular case as a matter of public necessity (e.g., safety), the response period may be shortened.

**SECTION 4
BID EVALUATION, ACCEPTANCE AND AWARD**

A. Bid Evaluation.

1. It is the intent of the KCATA to award a contract to the responsive and responsible bidder whose bid conforming to this IFB, is the lowest in price and, in KCATA's sole discretion, the most advantageous to the KCATA. Factors such as discounts, transportation costs and life cycle costs will be considered in determining which bid is lowest in price.
2. A responsible bidder possesses the ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of the proposed contract considering matters including Contractor integrity, record of past performance, and financial and technical resources.
3. The low bidder will be required to demonstrate its ability to provide the times and/or perform services contained in the solicitation, in a timely manner, to the complete satisfaction of the Authority. Doubt as to technical ability, productive capability, and financial strength which cannot be resolved affirmatively may result in a determination of non-responsibility by KCATA.
4. If the low bidder is eliminated, then the second lowest bidder will be required to demonstrate its ability to perform services as described herein. This process will continue to the next lowest bidder until a bidder successfully meets the specification requirements.
5. KCATA reserves the right to investigate the qualifications of all bidders under consideration to confirm any part of the information furnished by a bidder, or to require other evidence of managerial, financial or other capabilities which are considered necessary for the successful performance of the contract.

B. Bid Acceptance.

Each bid is to be submitted with the understanding that the acceptance in writing by the KCATA of the bid to furnish the materials and services, or any part thereof, described therein shall constitute a contract between the bidder and the KCATA which shall bind the bidder on its part to furnish and deliver at the price given and in accordance with the terms and conditions of said accepted bid and these conditions.

C. Unbalanced Bid.

The Authority may determine that a bid is non-responsive if the prices proposed are materially unbalanced. A bid is materially unbalanced when it is based on prices significantly less than cost or prices significantly overstated relative to cost.

D. Bid Award.

1. The procurement shall be awarded on the basis of the lowest responsive bidder complying with all the conditions of the bids, specifications, and instruction. The KCATA reserves the right to award any or all items of the bid or not to award at all.
2. In the case of multiple line items, the KCATA reserves the right to award the entire bid to one bidder, or to split the award of the items to multiple bidders.
3. If awarded at all, the bid may be awarded to the bidder whose total price is lowest, whose bid is responsive to the invitation thereof, and who is determined to be technically and financially responsible to perform as required. The KCATA reserves the right to accept another bid, if it is in

the best interest of the Authority. **Conditional bids and any bid taking exception to these instructions or conditions, to the contract conditions or specifications, or to other contract requirements shall be considered non-responsive and shall be rejected.**

E. Purchase Order or Contract.

1. Upon acceptance and award of a bid by KCATA, a purchase order or contract shall be issued thereon and shall constitute a contract for furnishing the items described in the bid in strict conformity with the specifications and bid conditions.
2. The purchase order or contract shall be considered as made in Kansas City, Missouri, and the construction and enforcement of it shall be in accordance with the laws of the State of Missouri except those pertaining to conflicts of law.

F. Bidder's Responsibilities.

1. By submitting a bid, the bidder represents that bidder has read and understands the IFB and the bid is made in accordance with the IFB; and
2. By submitting a bid, the bidder represents that bidder possesses the capabilities, resources, and personnel necessary to provide efficient and successful service to KCATA.

G. Reservations.

This IFB does not commit KCATA to award a contract, to pay any cost incurred in preparation of a bid, or to procure a contract for services. The KCATA reserves the right to waive informalities or irregularities in bids, and to reject any or all bids; to cancel this IFB in part or in its entirety, and to re-advertise for bid if it is in the best interest of the Authority. KCATA shall be the sole judge of what is in its best interest with respect to this IFB.

H. Debarment.

1. The bidder shall certify that it is not included in the "U.S. General Services Administration's List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Non-procurement Programs".
2. The bidder agrees to refrain from awarding any subcontract of any amount (at any tier) to a debarred or suspended subcontractor, and to obtain a similar certification from any subcontractor (at any tier) seeking a contract exceeding \$25,000.
3. The bidder agrees to provide the KCATA a copy of each conditioned debarment or suspension certification provided by a prospective subcontractor at any tier, and to refrain from awarding a subcontract with any party that has submitted a conditioned debarment or suspension certification until FTA approval is obtained.

I. Employee Eligibility Verification.

1. The bidder is required by sworn affidavit and provision of documentation, to affirm its enrollment and participation in a federal work authorization program with respect to employees working in connection with the contracted services.
2. The bidder shall also affirm that it does not knowingly employ any person in connection with the contracted services who does not have the legal right or authorization under federal law to work in the United States as defined in 8 U.S.C. §1324a(h)(3).

3. The bidder is required to obtain the same affirmation from all subcontractors at all tiers.

J. Licenses and Permits.

1. If applicable, the bidder shall, without additional expense to KCATA, be responsible for obtaining any necessary licenses and permits, and for complying with all federal, state, and municipal laws, codes, and regulations applicable to the providing of products, equipment or materials, or the performance of the work in this procurement.
2. The Contractor shall comply with all applicable and current rules, regulations and ordinances of any applicable federal, state, county or municipal governmental body or authority, including those as set forth by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR), the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE), the FTA, the Department of Transportation (DOT), and the City of Kansas City, Missouri.

K. Lobbying

1. Pursuant to Public Law 104-65, the Proposer is required to certify that no Federal funds were used to influence or attempt to influence an officer or employee of any Federal department or agency, a member of Congress or State legislature, an officer or employee of Congress or State legislature, or an employee of a member of Congress or State legislature regarding the project(s) included in this contract.
2. Proposers who use non-Federal funds for lobbying on behalf of specific projects or proposals must submit disclosure documentation when these efforts are intended to influence the decisions of Federal officials. If applicable, Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", is required with the Proposer's first submission initiating the KCATA's consideration for a contract. Additionally, Disclosure forms are required each calendar quarter following the first disclosure if there has been a material change in the status of the previous disclosure. A material change includes: 1) a cumulative increase of \$25,000 or more in the amount paid or expected to be paid for influencing or attempting to influence a covered Federal action; 2) a change in the person(s) or individual(s) influencing or attempting to influence a covered Federal action; or 3) a change in the officer(s) or employee(s) or Member(s) contacted to influence or attempt to influence a covered Federal action.
3. The Proposer is required to obtain the same certification and disclosure from all subcontractors (at all tiers) when the Federal money involved in the subcontract is \$100,000 or more. Any disclosure forms received by the Proposer must be forwarded to the KCATA.

L. Required Documentation.

1. **Pricing Pages.**
 - a. Bidders shall complete the Bid Response Form/Cost Proposal (Attachment K).
 - b. Bidders utilizing DBEs in their bid must include the "Prime Contractor Affidavit Regarding DBE Participation." on the attachments.
2. **Vendor Registration Form.** All bidders doing business with the KCATA shall complete a Vendor Registration Form (Attachment A). To verify your firm's registration status, contact Maurice Gay, KCATA's Contract Vendor Specialist, at (816) 346-0366 or via email at mgay@kcata.org. Once registered, firms are responsible for submitting any changes to this document to KCATA.

3. Affirmative Action Compliance.

- a. Contractors and subcontractors agree to comply with Federal Transit Law, specifically 49 U.S.C. 5332 which prohibits discrimination, including discrimination in employment and discrimination in business opportunity.
- b. Firms are required to complete the “Affidavit of Civil Rights Compliance” (Attachment B). This applies to both the Prime Contractor and Subcontractors.
- c. Firms are required to complete Attachment D.1, “KCATA Workforce Analysis/EEO-1 Report.” A current EEO-1 form may be substituted.
- d. For questions on these requirements, or for assistance in completing the forms, please contact Maurice Gay, KCATA’s Contract Vendor Specialist at (816) 346-0366 or mgay@kcata.org.

4. Employee Eligibility Verification.

- a. The bidder is required by sworn affidavit and provision of documentation, to affirm its enrollment and participation in a federal work authorization program with respect to employees working in connection with the contracted services. (Refer to Attachment G.1).
- b. The bidder shall also affirm that it does not knowingly employ any person in connection with the contracted services who does not have the legal right or authorization under federal law to work in the United States as defined in 8 U.S.C. §1324a(h)(3).
- c. The bidder is required to obtain the same affirmation from all subcontractors at all tiers.

5. DBE Certification.

- a. The KCATA recognizes firms that have been certified as Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs) under the criteria established by the U. S. Department of Transportation’s Regulations 49 C.F.R. Part 26. Contractors using DBE firms as subcontractors must submit a current certificate or letter of DBE certification from a member of the Missouri Regional Certification Committee (MRCC).
- b. All bidders requesting to become certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises with the KCATA must complete the proper paperwork and certifications.
- c. Letter of Intent to Subcontract for each DBE subcontractor on the project must be signed by both the Prime and the DBE. This letter may be found on KCATA’s website or upon request to KCATA’s DBE/Grants Specialist.
- d. Contractor Utilization Plan/Request for Waiver. This is a commitment that the Prime understands the DBE participation required on the project.
- e. For information and the necessary forms for the certification process, please contact Canesha Moore, KCATA’s DBE/Grants Specialist, at (816) 346-0272 or via email cmoore@kcata.org.

7. Warranty; Warranty of Title.

- a. The Contractor agrees that products, equipment, materials or services furnished under this Contract, shall be covered by the most favorable warranties the Contractor gives to any customer of such products, equipment, materials or services, and that the rights and remedies

provided herein are in addition to and do not limit any rights afforded to KCATA by any other clause in this Contract.

- b. Upon final acceptance by KCATA of all work to be performed by the Contractor, KCATA shall so notify the Contractor in writing. The date of final acceptance shall commence the warranty period.
 - c. Contractor shall provide KCATA with good and marketable title to all products, equipment or materials delivered under this Contract, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances.
- 8. Receipt of Addenda.** In the event that Addenda are issued against this Invitation to Bid, bidders will be issued a Receipt of Addenda Form to complete and return with the Invitation to Bid, acknowledging receipt of all addenda issued. This is to safeguard KCATA and the bidder against failure to communicate any important information and changes to the scope of the procurement.
- 9. Other Documents.** Bidders shall submit any other documents necessary to complete this bid. This may include technical information or product brochures.

SECTION 5
SAMPLE CONTRACT AGREEMENT AND CONTRACT TERMS & CONDITIONS
CONTRACT # 18-7010-39
MAINTENANCE OF KCATA'S COUNTRY CLUB RIGHT-OF-WAY

THIS CONTRACT (the "Contract"), made and entered into as of the _____ day of _____, 2018, by and between the **Kansas City Area Transportation Authority ("KCATA")**, a body corporate and politic, and a political subdivision of the States of Missouri and Kansas, with offices at 1350 East 17th Street, Kansas City, Missouri, and _____ ("**Contractor**"), with offices at _____.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants and conditions to be performed by the respective parties hereto and of the compensation to be paid as hereinafter specified, the KCATA and the Contractor agree as follows:

1. EMPLOYMENT OF CONTRACTOR.

This Contract is entered into for the purpose of engaging the Contractor as an independent contractor by KCATA in accordance with that certain bid submitted by the Contractor dated April 24, 2018, which is incorporated herein by reference ("Bid").

2. SCOPE OF CONTRACT.

The Contractor shall provide the products, equipment, materials and/or work services consistent with the Invitation for Bid (IFB) solicited by the KCATA, dated April 3, 2018 entitled "**Maintenance of KCATA's Country Club Right of Way**" (sometimes referred to as the "Project" or the "Work") The Scope of Work is attached hereto as Appendix B and incorporated herein by reference. The Contractor hereby agrees to provide preventative maintenance, recalibration and testing services as needed at the firm, fixed prices stated in the Appendix C attached hereto for the KCATA in accordance with the specifications of the scope of contract provided in the Contract Documents herein.

3. TERM.

The term of this contract agreement shall be for a period of two (2) year(s) beginning _____, **2018 and expiring on** _____, and shall include three (3), one-year extension options. The services to be provided and performed shall commence upon receipt of a notice to proceed from the KCATA. Work in process prior to expiration of the contact agreement shall be completed and as construed by KCATA to be within the "contract term".

4. CONTRACT SUM.

The KCATA shall pay the Contractor in current funds for the provision of products and the performance of the services (Appendix B to this Contract), subject to (a) the terms and conditions of the Contract and (b) any KCATA authorized additions or deductions by "Change Order", if applicable, as provided in this Contract. The contractor shall be paid for the work performed at the rates set out in the Contractor's Bid Response Form/Cost Proposal (Appendix C). It is anticipated that the funds to be paid the Contractor under this contract shall not exceed the sum of _____ Dollars (\$_____), as detailed in Appendix C.

5. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

The following Appendices are attached hereto by reference as part of this Contract. This Contract and any amendments issued hereafter, constitute the entire Contract between the KCATA and the Contractor.

- Appendix A. Contract Terms and Conditions; and
- Appendix B. Scope of Work; and
- Appendix C. Bid Response Form/Cost Proposal Submitted by Contractor Dated _____

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto for themselves, their successors and permitted assigns, executed this Contract Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

(CONTRACTOR)

**KANSAS CITY AREA TRANSPORTATION
AUTHORITY**

By _____
Name
Title

By _____
Daniel Serda, Chairman of the Board

By _____
Melissa Bynum, Secretary of the Board

CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

ARTICLE 1: ACCEPTANCE OF MATERIALS – NO RELEASE

Acceptance of any portion of the products, equipment or materials prior to final acceptance shall not release the Contractor from liability for faulty workmanship or materials, or for failure to fully comply with all of the terms of this Contract. KCATA reserves the right and shall be at liberty to inspect all products, equipment or materials and workmanship at any time during the Contract term, and shall have the right to reject all materials and workmanship which do not conform with the conditions, Contract requirements or specifications; provided, however, that KCATA is under no duty to make such inspection, and Contractor shall (notwithstanding any such inspection) have a continuing obligation to furnish all products, services, equipment or materials and workmanship in accordance with the instructions, Contract requirements and specifications. Until delivery and acceptance, and after any rejections, risk of loss will be on the Contractor, unless loss results from negligence of KCATA.

ARTICLE 2: AGREEMENT IN ENTIRETY

This Contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. This Contract may be amended only by written instrument signed by all parties.

ARTICLE 3: ASSIGNMENT

The Contractor shall not assign any interest in this Contract and shall not transfer any interest in the same (whether by assignment or novation), without the prior written consent of KCATA. In the event of KCATA's consent to assignment of this Contract, all of the terms, provisions and conditions of the Contract shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors, assigns and legal representative.

ARTICLE 4: BANKRUPTCY

In the event the Contractor enters into proceedings relating to bankruptcy, whether voluntary or involuntary, the Contractor agrees to furnish, by certified mail, written notification of the bankruptcy to the KCATA official identified in the "Notification and Communication" section. This notification shall be furnished within five (5) days of the initiation of the proceedings relating to bankruptcy filing. This notification shall include the date on which the bankruptcy petition was filed, the identity of the court in which the bankruptcy petition was filed, and a listing of KCATA Contract numbers against which final payment has not been made. This obligation remains in effect until final payment under this Contract.

ARTICLE 5: BREACH OF CONTRACT; REMEDIES

- A. If the Contractor shall fail, refuse or neglect to comply with any terms of this Contract, such failure shall be deemed a total breach of contract and the Contractor shall be subject to legal recourse by KCATA, plus costs resulting from failure to comply including the KCATA's reasonable attorney fees, whether or not suit be commenced.
- B. The duties and obligations imposed by this Contract and the rights and remedies available hereunder shall be in addition to and not a limitation of any duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law or equity. No action or failure to act by KCATA shall constitute a waiver of any right or duty afforded under this Contract, nor shall any such action or failure to act constitute an approval of or acquiescence in any breach hereunder, except as may be specifically agreed in writing.

ARTICLE 6: CHANGES

KCATA may at any time, by a written order, and without notice to the Contractor, make changes within the general scope of this Contract. No such changes shall be made by the Contractor without prior written approval by KCATA. If any such change causes an increase or decrease in the Contract sum, or the time required for performance of this Contract, whether changed or not changed by such order, an equitable adjustment shall be made by written modification. Any Contractor's claim for adjustment under this clause must be asserted within 30 days from the date of receipt by the Contractor of the notification of change. Nothing in this clause shall excuse the Contractor from proceeding with this Contract as changed.

ARTICLE 7: CHANGES TO FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS

Contractor shall at all times be aware and comply with all applicable Federal Transit Administration regulations, policies, procedures and directives, including without limitation, those listed directly or by reference in the Agreement between the Authority and FTA (Master Agreement 23 dated October 1, 2016), as they may be amended or promulgated from time to time during the term of this Contract. Contractors' failure to so comply shall constitute a material breach of this Contract. Contractor agrees to include this clause in all subcontracts at any tier. It is further agreed that the clause shall not be modified, except to identify the subcontractors who will be subject to its provisions.

ARTICLE 8: CIVIL RIGHTS

- A. **Nondiscrimination.** In accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, section 303 of the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 6102, section 202 of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C. § 12132, and Federal transit law at 49 U.S.C. § 5332, the Contractor agrees that it will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, creed, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin or disability. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with applicable Federal implementing regulations and other implementing regulations that the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) may issue.
- B. **Equal Employment Opportunity.** The following equal employment opportunity requirements apply to this Contract:
1. **Race, Color, Creed, National Origin or Sex.** In accordance with Title VII of the Civil Rights Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §2000e, *et seq.*, and Federal transit laws at 49 U.S.C. §5332, the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable equal opportunity requirements of the U.S. Department of Labor (U.S. DOL) regulations, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor" 41 C.F.R. Parts 60 *et seq.*, (which implement Executive Order No. 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity," as amended by Executive Order No. 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," 42 U.S.C. 2000e note), and with any applicable Federal statutes, executive orders, regulations, and Federal policies that may in the future affect construction activities undertaken in the course of the Contract. The Contractor agrees to take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, creed, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.
 2. **Age.** In accordance with Section 4 of the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended, 29 U.S.C. § 623 and Federal transit law at 49 U.S.C. §5332, the Contractor agrees to refrain from discrimination against present and prospective employees for reason of age. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.

3. Disabilities. In accordance with section 102 of the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §12112, the Contractor agrees that it will comply with the requirements of U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, “Regulations to Implement the Equal Employment Provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act,” 29 C.F.R. Part 1630, pertaining to employment of persons with disabilities. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.

C. **ADA Access Requirements**. In accordance with section 102 of the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 12112 and section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. § 794, the Contractor agrees that it will comply with the requirements of U.S. Department of Transportation regulations, “Transportation Services for Individuals with Disabilities (ADA),” 49 CFR Part 37; and U.S. Department of Transportation regulations, “Americans with Disabilities Accessibility Specifications for Transportation Vehicles,” 36 CFR Part 1192 and 49 CFR Part 38, pertaining to facilities and equipment to be used in public transportation. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with the requirements of 49 U.S.C. § 5301 (d) which expresses the Federal policy that the elderly and persons with disabilities have the same right as other persons to use mass transportation services and facilities, and that special efforts shall be made in planning and designing those services and facilities to implement transportation accessibility rights for elderly persons and persons with disabilities. Contractor also agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.

D. Contractor understands that it is required to include this Article in all subcontracts. Failure by the Contractor to carry out these requirements or to include these requirements in any subcontract is a material breach of this Contract, which may result in the termination of this Contract or such other remedy as the KCATA deems appropriate, including but not limited to withholding monthly progress payments and/or disqualifying the Contractor from future bidding as non-responsible.

ARTICLE 9: CONFLICTS OF INTEREST (ORGANIZATIONAL)

The Contractor certifies that it has no other activities or relationships that would make the Contractor unable, or potentially unable, to render impartial assistance or advice to KCATA, or that would impair the Contractor’s objectivity in performing work under this Contract, or that would result in an unfair competitive advantage to Contractor or to another third party performing the Project work.

ARTICLE 10: CONTINUITY OF SERVICES

- A. The Contractor recognizes that the services under this Contract are vital to the KCATA and must be continued without interruption and that, upon contract expiration, a successor, either the KCATA or another contractor may continue them. The Contractor agrees to (1) furnish phase in-training and (2) exercise its best efforts and cooperation to effect an orderly and efficient transition to a successor.
- B. The Contractor shall, upon KCATA’s written notice, (1) furnish phase-in, phase-out services for up to 90 days after this Contract expires and (2) negotiate in good faith a plan with a successor to determine the nature and extent of phase-in, phase-out services required. The plan shall specify a training program and a date for transferring responsibilities for each division of work described in the plan, and shall be subject to KCATA’s approval. The Contractor shall provide sufficient experienced personnel during the phase-in, phase-out period to ensure that the services called for by this Contract are maintained at the required level of proficiency.

ARTICLE 11: CONTRACTOR’S PERSONNEL

All of the services required hereunder shall be performed by the Contractor or under its supervision and all personnel engaged in the services shall be fully qualified and authorized under state and local law to perform such services. Any change in the key personnel, as described in the contractor’s proposal, shall be subject to the written approval of KCATA; such approval shall not be unreasonably withheld. The parties agree that at all times during the entire term of this Contract that the persons listed in Contractor’s proposal shall serve as the primary staff person(s) of Contractor to undertake, render and oversee all of the services of this Contract subject to KCATA’s

right to remove personnel. KCATA reserves the right to require the Contractor to remove any personnel and or subcontractors for any cause provided such request for removal shall be documented in writing to Consultant.

ARTICLE 12: CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

No advantage shall be taken by the Contractor or its subcontractor of the omission of any part or detail which goes to make the equipment complete and operable for use by KCATA. In case of any variance, this specification shall take precedence over Contractors or subcontractors own specifications. The Contractor shall assume responsibility for all materials and services used whether the same is manufactured by the Contractor or purchased ready made from a source outside the Contractor's company.

ARTICLE 13: DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION

- A. The Contractor, its principals and any affiliates, shall certify that it is not included in the "U.S. General Services Administration's List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Non-procurement Programs," as defined at 49 CFR Part 29, Subpart C.
- B. The Contractor agrees to refrain from awarding any subcontract of any amount (at any tier) to a debarred or suspended subcontractor, and to obtain a similar certification from any subcontractor (at any tier) seeking a contract exceeding \$25,000.
- C. The Contractor agrees to provide KCATA a copy of each conditioned debarment or suspension certification provided by a prospective subcontractor at any tier, and to refrain from awarding a subcontract with any party that has submitted a conditioned debarment or suspension certification until FTA approval is obtained.

ARTICLE 14: DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE)

- A. It is the policy of the KCATA and the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's), as defined herein and in the Federal regulations published in 49 CFR Part 26, shall have an equal opportunity to participate in DOT-assisted contracts. It is also the policy of the KCATA to:
 - 1. Ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts;
 - 2. Create a level playing field on which DBE's can compete fairly for DOT-assisted contracts;
 - 3. Ensure that the DBE program is narrowly tailored in accordance with applicable law;
 - 4. Ensure that only firms that fully meet 49 CFR Part 26 eligibility standards are permitted to participate as DBE's;
 - 5. Help remove barriers to the participation of DBE's in DOT-assisted contracts;
 - 6. To promote the use of DBE's in all types of federally assisted contracts and procurement activities; and
 - 7. Assist in the development of firms that can compete successfully in the marketplace outside the DBE program.
- B. This Contract is subject to the requirements of Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26, Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises in Department of Transportation Financial Assistance Programs. The national goal for participation of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's) is 10 percent. *KCATA's overall goal for DBE participation is 15 percent. A separate contract goal has not been established for this procurement.*

- C. Contractors shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability or age in the performance of this Contract. The Contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of this DOT-assisted contract. Failure by the Contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this Contract, which may result in the termination of this Contract or such other remedy as KCATA deems appropriate. Each subcontract the Contractor signs with a subcontractor must include the assurance in this paragraph (see 49 C.F.R. 26.13(b)). The Contractor may not substitute, remove or terminate a DBE subcontractor without KCATA's prior written consent. Written consent of termination may only be given if the Contractor has demonstrated good cause. Before submitting its request to terminate or substitute a DBE subcontractor, the Prime Contractor must give notice in writing to the DBE subcontractor, with a copy to KCATA, of its intent to request to terminate and/or substitute, and the reason for the request. The Contractor must give the DBE five days to respond to the Contractor's notice and advise KCATA and the Contractor of the reasons, if any, why it objects to the proposed termination of its subcontract and why KCATA should not approve the Contractor's action. If required in a particular case as a matter of public necessity (e.g., safety), the response period may be shortened.

ARTICLE 15: DISCLAIMER OF FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY

The Contractor, and any subcontractors acknowledge and agree that, notwithstanding any concurrence by the Federal Government in or approval of the solicitation or award of this contract, absent the express written consent by the Federal Government, the Federal Government is not a party to this contract and shall not be subject to any obligations or liabilities to the Contractor, or any other party (whether or not a party to this Contract) pertaining to any matter resulting from this Contract. It is further agreed that the clause shall be included in each subcontract and shall not be modified, except to identify the subcontractor who will be subject to its provision.

ARTICLE 16: DISPUTE RESOLUTION

- A. Except as otherwise provided in this Contract, any dispute concerning a question of fact arising under this Contract which is not disposed of by agreement shall be decided by KCATA's Interim Director of Procurement, who shall reduce the decision to writing and mail or otherwise furnish a copy to the Contractor. The decision of the Interim Director of Procurement shall be final and conclusive unless within ten (10) days from the date of receipt of such copy the Contractor mails or otherwise furnishes a written appeal addressed to the Chief Executive Officer, with a copy to the Chief Operations Officer and the Interim Director of Procurement. The determination of such appeal by the Chief Operations Officer shall be final and conclusive unless determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to have been fraudulent or capricious, arbitrary, or not supported by substantial evidence. In connection with any appeal proceeding under this clause the Contractor shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard and to offer evidence in support of its appeal. Pending final decision of a dispute hereunder, and unless otherwise directed in writing by KCATA, the Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance in accordance with the Interim Director of Procurement's decision.
- B. The duties and obligations imposed by the Contract and the rights and remedies available hereunder shall be in addition to and not a limitation of any duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law. No action or failure to act by the KCATA or Contractor shall constitute a waiver of any right or duty afforded any of them under the Contract, nor shall any such action or failure to act constitute an approval of or acquiescence in any breach thereunder, except as may be specifically agreed in writing.

ARTICLE 17: EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

- A. To comply with Section 285.500 RSMo, *et seq.*, the Contractor is required by sworn affidavit and provision of documentation, to affirm its enrollment and participation in a federal work authorization program with respect to the employees working in connection with the contracted services. The Contractor shall also affirm that it does not knowingly employ any person in connection with the contracted services who does not have the legal right or authorization under federal law to work in the United States as defined in 8

U.S.C. §1324a(h)(3). The Contractor is required to obtain the same affirmation from all subcontractors at all tiers with contracts exceeding \$5,000.

- B. A federal work authorization program is any of the electronic verification of work authorization programs operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security (E-Verify) or an equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, under the Immigration Reform and control Act of 1986 (IRCA), P.L.99-603.

ARTICLE 18: EMPLOYEE PROTECTIONS

A. EMPLOYEE PROTECTIONS

1. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act

- a. Overtime Requirements. No Contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the Contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic in any workweek in which he or she is employed on such work to work in excess of forty hours in such workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in such workweek. (40 U.S.C. § 3701 *et seq.*)
- b. Violation; Liability for Unpaid Wages; Liquidated Damages. In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in Paragraph 1 of this section the Contractor and any subcontractor responsible therefore shall be liable for the unpaid wages. In addition, such Contractor and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, employed in violation of the clause set forth in Paragraph 1 of this section, in the sum of \$10 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard work week of forty hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in Paragraph 1 of this section.
- c. Withholding for Unpaid Wages and Liquidated Damages. The KCATA shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the Contractor or subcontractor under any such contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime Contractor, or any other federally-assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, which is held by the same prime Contractor, such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such Contractor or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in Paragraph 2 of this section.
- d. Safety Standards. No Contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic to work in surroundings or under conditions that are unsanitary, hazardous, or dangerous as prohibited by the safety requirements of section 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, 40 U.S.C. § 3704, and its implementing U.S. Department of Labor regulations, "Safety and Health Regulations for Construction," 29 CFR Part 1926.
- e. Subcontracts. The Contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in Paragraphs 1 through 5 of this section and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The Contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with the clauses set forth in Paragraphs 1 through 4 of this section.

ARTICLE 19: ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS

- A. **Clean Air.** The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §7401 *et seq.* The Contractor agrees to report, and to require each subcontractor at every tier receiving more than \$100,000 from this Contract to report any violation of these requirements resulting from any project implementation activity to KCATA. KCATA will in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to FTA and the appropriate U.S. EPA Regional Office.
- B. **Clean Water.** The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 *et seq.* The Contractor agrees to report, and require each subcontractor at every tier receiving more than \$100,000 from this Contract to report any violation of these requirements resulting from any project implementation activity to KCATA. The Contractor understands that KCATA will in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to FTA and the appropriate U.S. EPA Regional Office.
- C. **Energy Conservation.** The Contractor agrees to comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency, which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act. The Contractor agrees to include the requirements of this clause in all subcontracts under this Contract.
- D. **Recovered Materials/Recycled Products.** To the extent practicable and economically feasible, the Contractor agrees to provide a competitive preference for products and services that conserve natural resources and protect the environment and are energy efficient. Examples of such products may include, but are not limited to products described in U.S. Environmental Protection Agency guidelines at 40 CFR Part 247, which implements Section 6002 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 6962), and Executive Order 12873. The Contractor also agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract at every tier receiving more than \$10,000.

ARTICLE 20: FRAUD AND FALSE OR FRAUDULENT STATEMENTS OR RELATED ACTS

- A. The Contractor acknowledges that the provisions of the Program Fraud Civil Remedies Act of 1986, as amended, 31 U.S.C. § 3801 *et seq.* and U.S DOT regulations, "Program Fraud Civil Remedies," 49 CFR Part 31, apply to its actions pertaining to the Project. Upon execution of the Contract, the Contractor certifies and affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of any statement it has made, it makes, or may make pertaining to the project covered under this Contract. In addition to other penalties that may be applicable, the Contractor further acknowledges that if it makes a false, fictitious, or fraudulent claim, statement, submission, or certification, the Federal Government reserves the right to impose the penalties of the Program Fraud Civil Remedies Act of 1986 on the Contractor to the extent the Federal Government deems appropriate.
- B. The Contractor also acknowledges that if it makes, or causes to be made, a false, fictitious, or fraudulent claim, statement, submission, or certification to the Federal Government in connection with this Contract, the Government reserves the right to impose on the Contractor the penalties of 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and 49 U.S.C. § 5307(n) (1), to the extent the Federal Government deems appropriate.
- C. The Contractor agrees to include these clauses in each subcontract, and it is further agreed that the clauses shall not be modified, except to identify the subcontractor who will be subject to the provisions.

ARTICLE 21: GOVERNING LAW; CHOICE OF JUDICIAL FORUM

This Contract shall be deemed to have been made in, and be construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Missouri. Any action of law, suit in equity, or other judicial proceeding to enforce or construe this Contract, respecting its alleged breach, shall be instituted only in the Circuit Court of Jackson County, Missouri.

ARTICLE 22: HEADINGS

The headings included in this Contract are inserted only as a matter of convenience and for reference, and in no way define, limit or describe the scope of intent of any provision, and shall not be construed to affect, in any manner, the terms and provisions hereof of the interpretation or construction thereof.

ARTICLE 23: INCORPORATION OF FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION TERMS

The provisions in this Contract include certain standard terms and conditions required by the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), whether or not expressly set forth. All contractual provisions required by DOT, as set forth in FTA Circular 4220.1F or any revision thereto, are hereby incorporated by reference. Anything to the contrary herein notwithstanding, all FTA mandated terms shall be deemed to control in the event of a conflict with other provisions contained in the Contract. Contractor shall not perform any act, fail to perform any act, or refuse to comply with any KCATA requests that would cause KCATA to be in violation of the FTA terms and conditions. The Contractor agrees to include this clause in all subcontracts at any tier. It is further agreed that the clause shall not be modified, except to identify the subcontractors who will be subject to the provision.

ARTICLE 24: INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

- A. The parties agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor under this Contract. Under no circumstance shall the Contractor be considered an agent, employee or representative of KCATA and KCATA shall not be liable for any claims, losses, damages, or liabilities of any kind resulting from any action taken or failed to be taken by the Contractor.
- B. The Contractor shall furnish adequate supervision, labor, materials, supplies, security, financial resources and equipment necessary to perform all the services contemplated under this Contract in an orderly, timely, and efficient manner.

ARTICLE 25: INSPECTION OF SERVICES

- A. The Contractor shall provide and maintain an inspection system acceptable to the Authority covering the services provided in the performance of the Contract. "Services" as used in this clause, includes services performed, quality of the work, and materials furnished or used in the performance of services.
- B. The Contractor shall provide and maintain an inspection system acceptable to the Authority covering the project. Complete records of all inspection work performed by the Contractor shall be maintained and made available to the Authority during contract performance and for as long afterwards and the Contract requires.
- C. The Authority has the right to inspect and test all services called for by this Contract to the extent practicable at all times and places during the term of the Contract. The Authority shall perform inspection and tests in a manner that will not unduly delay the work.
- D. If any of the services performed do not conform to Contract requirements, the Authority may require the contractor to perform the services again in conformity with Contract requirements for no additional fee. When the defects in performance cannot be corrected by re-performance, the Authority may:

1. Require the Contractor to take necessary action to ensure that future performance conforms to Contract requirements; or
 2. Reduce the Contract Sum accordingly.
- E. If the Contractor fails to promptly perform the services again or to take the necessary action to ensure future performance in conformity with contract requirements, the Authority may:
1. By contract or otherwise, perform the services and charge to the Contractor any cost incurred by the Authority that is directly related to the performance of the work; or
 2. Terminate the Contract for default.

ARTICLE 26: INSURANCE

- A. The insurance required in this Contract shall be written for not less than any limits of liability required by law or by those set forth below, whichever is greater, and shall include blanket contractual liability insurance as applicable to the Contractor's obligations under the Liability and Indemnification section below. All policies, except Professional Liability policies, shall name KCATA, its commissioners, officers, and employees as additional insureds. Explosion, collapse and underground coverage shall not be excluded. The insurance should be written with companies acceptable to KCATA and the companies should have a minimum A.M. Best's insurance rating of A-(VIII).
- B. The Contractor shall be required to furnish to KCATA certificate of insurance as proof of required insurance and relevant additional insured endorsements prior to the execution of the Contract, and thereafter furnish copies of the certificates including additional insured endorsements from time to time, whenever reasonably requested by KCATA. The certificates (with the exception of Professional Liability and Workers Compensation coverage) shall specifically state that:
1. Contractual liability coverage is applicable; and
 2. The Kansas City Area Transportation Authority, its commissioners, officers and employees are named as additional insureds (Named Insureds) on the policies covered by the certificate; using this specific wording:

Kansas City Area Transportation Authority, its commissioners, officers, and employees are named as additional insureds as respects general liability and where required by written contract. Any coverage afforded the certificate holder as an additional insured shall apply as primary and not excess or contributing to any insurance or self-insurance in the name of the certificate holder, and shall include a waiver of subrogation.
- C. Further, from time to time and whenever reasonably requested by KCATA, the Contractor shall represent and warrant to KCATA (1) the extent to which the insurance limits identified below have been, or may be, eroded due to paid or pending claims under the policies; and (2) the identity of other entities or individuals covered as an additional insured on the policies. Further, the Contractor shall confirm that the insurers' obligation to pay defense costs under the policies is in addition to, and not part of the liability limits stated in the policies.
- D. All such insurance, with the exception of Professional Liability coverage, shall contain endorsements that the policies may not be canceled or amended or allowed to lapse by the insurers with respect to KCATA its commissioners, officers and employers by the insurance company without thirty (30) days prior notice by certified mail to KCATA in addition to the Named Insured (s) and that denial of coverage or voiding of the policy for failure of Contractor to comply with its terms shall not affect the interest of KCATA, its commissioners, officers and employees thereunder.

E. The requirements for insurance coverage are separate and independent of any other provision hereunder.

1. Worker's Compensation:

- a. State: Missouri and/or Kansas – Statutory
- b. Employer's Liability: Bodily Injury by Accident -- \$500,000 Each Accident
 Bodily Injury by Disease -- \$500,000 Each Employee
 Bodily Injury by Disease -- \$500,000 Policy Limit

The Contractor and any subcontractor shall maintain adequate workers' compensation insurance as required by law to cover all employees during performance of services, or during delivery, installation, assembly or related services in conjunction with this Agreement.

2. Commercial General Liability:

- Bodily Injury and Property Damage to include Products and Completed Operations:
- \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence
 - \$2,000,000 General Aggregate (per project)
 - \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury
 - \$50,000 Fire Damage
 - \$5,000 Medical Expenses
 - 2 Years (Completed Operations)

Contractor shall procure and maintain at all times during the term of the KCATA purchase order or the Contract commercial general liability insurance for liability arising out of the operations of the Contractor and any subcontractors. The policy(ies) shall include coverage for the Contractor's and subcontractors' products and completed operations for at least two (2) years following project completion, or as otherwise noted. The policy(ies) shall name as an additional insured, in connection with Contractor's activities, the KCATA, its commissioners, officers, and employees. Using ISO Form CG 20 10 11 85 (or OCG20 26 0704 in the case of a Blanket Endorsement), or such other additional insured forms acceptable to KCATA. The Insurer(s) shall agree that its policy(ies) is primary insurance and that it shall be liable for the full amount of any loss up to and including the total limit of liability without right of contribution from any other insurance or self-insurance KCATA may have.

3. Auto Liability:

- Bodily Injury and Property Damage: \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit

The policy(ies) shall include automobile liability coverage for all vehicles, licensed or unlicensed, on or off the KCATA premises, whether the vehicles are owned, hired or non-owned, covering use by or on behalf of the Contractor and any subcontractors during the performance of work under this Contract.

4. Professional Liability Insurance

- Professional Liability Limit: \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence
 \$1,000,000 Annual Aggregate

Where applicable, the Contractor shall obtain professional liability insurance covering any damages caused by an error, omission or any negligent acts of the Contractor or its employees with regard to performance under this Agreement.

5. Pollution

- Pollution Liability Limit: \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence
 \$1,000,000 Annual Aggregate

by a party indemnified hereunder, so long as such Liabilities are not caused by the sole negligence or willful misconduct of a party indemnified hereunder. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge or otherwise reduce other rights or obligations of indemnity which would otherwise exist as to a party or person described in this paragraph.

2. In claims against any person or entity indemnified under this section, by an employee or Contractor, subcontractor or sub-subcontractor or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, the indemnification obligation shall not be limited by a limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for the Contractor, subcontractor, or sub-subcontractor under worker's compensation acts, disability benefit acts or other employee benefit acts. If any action at law or suit in equity is instituted by any third party against Contractor arising out of or resulting from the acts of Contractor in performing work under this Contract, Contractor shall promptly notify KCATA of such suit.
3. If any action at law or suit in equity is instituted by any third party against KCATA or its commissioners, officers or employees arising out of or resulting from the acts of Contractor, a subcontractor or sub-subcontractor, their respective agents or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them in providing products, equipment or materials, or in performing work or services under this Contract, and if Contractor has failed to provide insurance coverage to KCATA against such action as required herein or otherwise refuses to defend such action, KCATA shall have the right to conduct and control, through counsel of its choosing, the defense of any third party claim, action or suit, and may compromise or settle the same, provided that KCATA shall give the Contractor advance notice of any proposed compromise or settlement.
4. KCATA shall permit Contractor to participate in the defense of any such action or suit through counsel chosen by the Contractor, provided that all fees and expenses of such counsel shall be borne by Contractor. If KCATA permits Contractor to undertake, conduct and control the conduct and settlement of such action or suit, Contractor shall not consent to any settlement that does not include as an unconditional term thereof the giving of a complete release from liability with respect to such action or suit to KCATA. Contractor shall promptly reimburse KCATA for the full amount of any damages, including fees and expenses of counsel for KCATA, incurred in connection with any such action.

ARTICLE 29: LOBBYING RESTRICTIONS

- A. The Contractor is bound by its certification contained in its offer to the Authority regarding the use of federal or non-federal funds to influence, or attempt to influence any federal officer or employee regarding the award, execution, continuation, or any similar action of any federal grant or other activities as defined in 31 U.S.C. 1352, and 49 CFR Part 20. The Contractor agrees to comply with this requirement throughout the term of the Contract.
- B. The Contractor agrees to include these requirements in all subcontracts at all tiers exceeding \$100,000 and to obtain the same certification and disclosure from all subcontractors (at all tiers).

ARTICLE 30: NATIONAL INTELLIGENT TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE AND STANDARDS

The contractor agrees to conform, to the extent applicable, to the National Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Architecture and Standards as required by SAFETEA-LU § 5307 ©, 23 U.S.C. § 512 note, and Contractor agrees to apply with FTA Notice, "FTA National ITS Architecture Policy on Transit Projects" 66 *Fed. Reg.* 1455, January 8, 2001, and any further implementing directives, except to the extent FTA determines otherwise in writing.

ARTICLE 31: NOTIFICATION AND COMMUNICATION

Communications regarding technical issues and activities of the project shall be exchanged with Mrs. Lesa George, KCATA’s Manager of Property, Capital and Economic Development, at (816) 346-0220 or via email at lgeorge@kcata.org.

Issues regarding the contract document, changes, amendments, etc. are the responsibility of KCATA’s Procurement Department. All notices and communications on all matters regarding this Contract may be given by delivery or mailing the same postage prepaid, addressed to the following:

If to KCATA: Tamika McDonald, Senior Buyer
Kansas City Area Transportation Authority
1350 East 17th Street
Kansas City, MO 64108

If to Contractor: _____

The Contractor shall notify KCATA immediately when a change in ownership has occurred, or is certain to occur.

The addresses to which notices may be made may be changed from time to time by notice mailed as described above. Any notice given by mail shall be deemed given on the day after that on which it is deposited in the United States Mail as provided above.

ARTICLE 32: PRIVACY ACT REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Contractor agrees to comply with, and assures the compliance of its employees and subcontractors with the information restrictions and other applicable requirements of the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. § 552. Among other things, the Contractor agrees to obtain the express consent of the KCATA and/or the Federal Government before the Contractor or its employees operate a system of records on behalf of the KCATA or Federal Government.
- B. The Contractor understands that the requirements of the Privacy Act, including the civil and criminal penalties for violation of that Act, apply to all individuals involved, and that failure to comply with the terms of the Privacy Act may result in termination of the underlying Agreement.
- C. The Contractor agrees that strict privacy will be maintained in the collection, storage, use, transfer, access to and/or security of personnel information. Contractor agrees to protect such information, and to limit the use of the information to that required by the contract.
- D. Contractor shall be liable to each employee for loss of any private or personal information lost or left unsecure by Contractor. Contractor shall not have any personal employee information for any reason outside of this contract.

ARTICLE 33: PROHIBITED INTERESTS

- A. No board member, officer, employee or agent of KCATA or of a local public body who has participated or will participate in the selection, award, or administration of this Contract, nor any member of his or her immediate family, business partner or any organization which employs, or intends to employ any of the above during such period, shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in this Contract or the proceeds thereof, to any share or part of

this Contract, or to any benefit arising there from. This shall not be construed to prevent any such person from owning stock in a publicly owned corporation.

- B. No member of, or delegates to, the Congress of the United States shall be admitted to any share or part of the Contract, or to any benefit arising there from. This shall not be construed to prevent any such person from owning stock in a publicly-owned corporation.

ARTICLE 34: PROHIBITED WEAPONS AND MATERIALS

- A. Missouri Revised Statutes, Section 571.107 (R.S.Mo. §571.107) allows government units and businesses to prohibit persons holding a concealed carry endorsement from carrying concealed firearms on its premises. Accordingly, KCATA has adopted the following rules prohibiting weapons, whether concealed or not, and whether or not the individual carrying the weapon has an endorsement or permit to carry.
- B. No weapon, including firearms concealed or not, or other instrument intended for use as a weapon, or any object capable of inflicting serious bodily injury upon another person or property may be carried in or on any facility or property of KCATA, including vehicles of contractors parked on KCATA property or leased facilities, or vehicles used in transporting KCATA customers, even if a person has a permit to carry a concealed weapon, unless authorized in writing to do so by KCATA. For the purposes hereof, a weapon shall include, but not be limited to, a firearm, knife, sword, mace, or any instrument of any kind known as blackjack, billy club, club, sandbag and metal knuckles.
- C. No explosives, flammable liquids, acids, fireworks, other highly combustible materials, radioactive materials or biochemical materials may be carried on or in any KCATA property, facility or vehicle, including vehicles of contractors parked on KCATA property or leased facilities, or vehicles used in transporting any KCATA customer, except as authorized in writing by KCATA.
- D. Any contractor, subcontractor, employee or agent thereof, who has a firearm or other weapon, including those used for recreational purposes, in his/her possession, including on his/her person, in a vehicle on an KCATA facility, in a vehicle carrying KCATA customers, or accessible such as in first aid kits, toolboxes, purses, lunch or carrying bags, etc., at any time while performing KCATA contracted services or on KCATA property, including parking lots, concealed or not, shall be immediately prohibited from performing any further KCATA work, even if the person has a permit to carry a concealed weapon.
- E. Any KCATA contractor, subcontractor, employee or agent thereof, while performing KCATA contracted services or on any KCATA property or facilities, who has in his/her possession, carries, transports, displays, uses, flourishes, or threatens another person with a weapon, radioactive material, biochemical material or other dangerous weapon, object or material, which has the capability of inflicting bodily injury, shall be immediately prohibited from performing any further KCATA work and reported to local law enforcement authorities.

ARTICLE 35: RECORD RETENTION AND ACCESS

- A. The Contractor agrees that, during the course of this agreement and any extensions thereof, and for three years thereafter, it will maintain intact and readily accessible all data, documents, reports, records, contracts, and supporting materials relating to this Contract. In the event of litigation or settlement of claims arising from the performance of this Contract, the Contractor agrees to maintain same until such litigation, appeals, claims or exceptions related thereto have been disposed of.
- B. The Contractor shall permit KCATA, the U.S. Secretary of Transportation, the Comptroller General of the United States, and, as applicable, the City of Kansas City, Missouri, to inspect all work, materials, construction sites, payrolls, and other data and records, and to audit the books, records, and accounts of the Contractor relating to its performance under this Contract.
- C. The Contractor agrees to permit any of the foregoing parties to reproduce by any means whatsoever or to copy excerpts and transcriptions as reasonably needed, and to include this clause in all subcontracts.

ARTICLE 36: REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT

- A. Invoices requesting payment shall be submitted directly to KCATA's Procurement Department. All invoices shall be numbered, dated and submitted in duplicate, and contain full descriptive information of materials or services furnished. All invoices and correspondence shall reference KCATA's Contract number. Separate invoices shall be submitted for each purchase order or work (task) order.
- B. Payment by KCATA will be made within the later of 1) 30 days after receipt of a proper invoice, or 2) 30 days after KCATA's acceptance of supplies delivered or services performed by the Contractor. On a final invoice where the payment amount is subject to contract settlement actions, acceptance shall be deemed to have occurred on the effective date of the contract settlement.
- C. All final invoices shall be submitted to KCATA within 90 days of project completion or contract termination. Invoices submitted more than 90 days after project completion or contract termination will not be valid and will not be paid. Contractor indemnifies and holds KCATA harmless for any suit filed for payment of invoices submitted after 90 days of project completion or contract termination.
- D. **Subcontractor Payments**
 - 1. Prompt Payment. The Contractor shall establish procedures to ensure timely payment of amounts due pursuant to the terms of its subcontracts. The Contractor shall pay each DBE and non-DBE subcontractor for satisfactory performance of its contract, or any billable portion thereof, in accordance with the timing set forth in any applicable laws or no later than 30 days, whichever is less, from the date of the Contractor's receipt of payment from the Authority for work by that subcontractor.
 - 2. Prompt Return of Retainage. If retainage is withheld from subcontractors, the Contractor is required to return any retainage payment to its DBE and non-DBE subcontractors in accordance with the timing set forth in any applicable laws or no later than 30 days, whichever is less, from the date of receipt of the retainage payment from the Authority related to the subcontractors work. Any delay or postponement of payment from said time frame may occur only for good cause following written approval from KCATA.
 - 3. The Contractor shall certify on each payment request to the Authority that payment has been or will be made to all subcontractors. Lien waivers may be required for the Contractor and its subcontractors. The Contractor shall notify KCATA on or before each payment request, of any situation in which scheduled subcontractor payments have not been made.
 - 4. If a subcontractor alleges that the Contractor has failed to comply with this provision, the Contractor agrees to support any Authority investigation, and if deemed appropriate by the Authority, to consent to remedial measures to ensure that subcontractors are properly paid as set forth herein.
 - 5. The Contractor agrees that the Authority may provide appropriate information to interested subcontractors who inquire about the status of Authority payments to the Contractor.
 - 6. Nothing in this provision is intended to create a contractual obligation between the Authority and any subcontractor or to alter or affect traditional concepts of privity of contract between all parties.

ARTICLE 37: RIGHT TO OFFSET

KCATA, without waiver or limitation of any rights, may deduct from any amounts due Contractor in connection with this Contract, or any other contract between Contractor and KCATA, any amounts owed by Contractor to KCATA, including amounts owed by Contractor pursuant to Contractor's obligation to indemnify KCATA against third party claims arising out of Contractor's performance of work under this Contract.

ARTICLE 38: SEAT BELT USE POLICY

Contractor agrees to comply with terms of Executive Order No. 13043 “Increasing Seat Belt Use in the United States” and is encouraged to include those requirements in each subcontract awarded for work relating to this Agreement.

ARTICLE 39: SEVERABILITY

If any clause or provision of this Contract is held to be invalid illegal or otherwise unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of this Contract shall continue in full force and effect.

ARTICLE 40: SUBCONTRACTORS

A. Subcontractor Approval. None of the work or services covered by this Contract shall be subcontracted without the prior written approval of KCATA. The only subcontractors approved for this Contract, if any, are listed in an appendix to this Contract. Any substitutions or additions of subcontractors must have the prior written approval of KCATA as set forth herein.

B. DBE Subcontractor Employment. See Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Provisions.

C. Subcontractor Payments. See Requests for Payment Provisions.

D. Adequate Provision(s) in Subcontract(s). Any subcontracts related to this Contract must contain adequate provisions to define a sound and complete agreement. In addition, all subcontracts shall contain contractual provisions or conditions that allow for:

1. Administrative, contractual, or legal remedies in instances where subcontractors violate or breach contract terms, including sanctions and penalties as may be appropriate.
2. Termination for cause and for convenience including the manner by which it will be effected and the basis for settlement.
3. The following provisions if included in this Contract:

- Acceptance of Material – No Release
- Agreement in Entirety
- Assignment
- Bankruptcy
- Breach of Contract; Remedies
- Changes
- Civil Rights
- Conflicts of Interest
- Continuity of Services
- Contractor’s Personnel
- Contractor’s Responsibility
- Debarment and Suspension
- Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)
- Disclaimer of Federal Government Obligations or Liability
- Dispute Resolution
- Employee Eligibility Verification
- Employee Protections
- Environmental Regulations
- Fraud and False or Fraudulent Statements or Related Acts
- Governing Law: Choice of Judicial Forum

Headings
Incorporation of FTA Terms
Independent Contractor
Inspection of Services
Insurance
Liability and Indemnification
Licensing, Laws and Regulations
Lobbying
National Intelligent Transportation Systems Architecture & Standards
Notification and Communication
Privacy Act Requirement
Prohibited Interests
Prohibited Weapons and Materials
Record Retention and Access
Requests for Payment
Right to Offset
Seat Belt Use Policy
Severability
Subcontractors
Suspension of Work
Termination
Texting While Driving and Distracted Driving
Unavoidable Delays
Warranty; Warranty of Title
General Provisions

- E. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontractor as KCATA or the U.S. Department of Transportation may direct as means of enforcing such provisions of this contract.
- F. KCATA reserves the right to review the Contractor's written agreement with its subcontractors (DBE and non-DBE) to confirm that required federal contract clauses are included.
- G. KCATA may perform random audits and contact minority subcontractors to confirm the reported DBE participation.

ARTICLE 41: SUSPENSION OF WORK

KCATA may order the Contractor, in writing, to suspend, delay, or interrupt all or any part of the work under this agreement for the period of time that KCATA determines appropriate for the convenience of KCATA.

ARTICLE 42: TERMINATION

- A. **Termination for Convenience.** The KCATA may terminate this Contract, in whole or in part, at any time by written notice to the Contractor when it is in KCATA's best interest. The Contractor will only be paid the Contract price for supplies delivered and accepted, or services performed in accordance with the manner of performance set forth in the Contract.
- B. **Funding Contingency.** If this Contract is subject to financial assistance provided by the U.S. Department of Transportation, the Contractor agrees that withdrawal or termination of such financial assistance by the U.S. DOT may require KCATA to terminate the agreement.

C. **Termination for Default.**

1. If the Contractor does not deliver supplies in accordance with the contract delivery schedule, or if the Contract is for services, and the Contractor fails to perform in the manner called for in the Contract, or if the Contractor fails to comply with any other provisions of the Contract, KCATA may terminate this Contract for default. Termination shall be effected by serving a notice of termination on the Contractor setting forth the manner in which the Contractor is in default. The Contractor will only be paid the contract price for supplies delivered and accepted, or services performed in accordance with the manner of performance set forth in the Contract.
2. If the termination is for failure of the Contractor to fulfill the contract obligations, KCATA may complete the work by contract or otherwise and the Contractor shall be liable for any additional cost incurred by KCATA. If, after termination for failure to fulfill contract obligations, it is determined that the Contractor was not in default, KCATA, after setting up a new delivery or performance schedule, may allow the Contractor to continue work, or treat the termination as a termination for convenience.

D. **Opportunity to Cure.** KCATA in its sole discretion may, in the case of a termination for breach or default, allow the Contractor an appropriately short period of time in which to cure the defect. In such case, the written notice of termination will state the time period in which cure is permitted and other appropriate conditions. If Contractor fails to remedy to KCATA's satisfaction the breach or default of any of the terms, covenants, or conditions of this Contract within the time period permitted, KCATA shall have the right to terminate the Contract without any further obligation to Contractor. Any such termination for default shall not in any way operate to preclude KCATA from also pursuing all available remedies against Contractor and its sureties for said breach or default.

E. **Waiver of Remedies for any Breach.** In the event that KCATA elects to waive its remedies for any breach by Contractor of any covenant, term or condition of this Agreement, such waiver by KCATA shall not limit KCATA's remedies for any succeeding breach of that or of any other term, covenant, or condition of this Agreement.

F. **Property of KCATA.** Upon termination of the Contract for any reason, and if the Contractor has any property in its possession belonging to KCATA, the Contractor shall protect and preserve the property, account for the same, and dispose of it in the manner KCATA directs. Upon termination of the Contract for any reason, the Contractor shall (1) immediately discontinue all services affected (unless the notice directs otherwise), and (2) deliver to KCATA's Project Manager all data, drawings, specifications, reports, estimates, summaries, and other information and materials accumulated in performing this Contract, whether completed or in process.

ARTICLE 43: TEXTING WHILE DRIVING AND DISTRACTED DRIVING

Consistent with Executive Order No. 13513, "Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving," October 1, 2009, 23 U.S.C. Section 402 note, and DOT Order 3902.10, "Text Messaging While Driving," December 30, 2009, the Contractor agrees to promote policies and initiatives for its employees and other personnel that adopt and promote safety policies to decrease crashes by distracted drivers, including policies to ban text messaging while driving, and to encourage each subcontractor to do the same.

ARTICLE 44: UNAVOIDABLE DELAYS

A delay is unavoidable only if the delay was not reasonably expected to occur in connection with or during the Contractor's performance, and was not caused directly or substantially by acts, omissions, negligence, or mistakes of the Contractor, the Contractor's suppliers, or their agents, and was substantial and in fact caused the Contractor to miss delivery dates, and could not adequately have been guarded against by contractual or legal means.

ARTICLE 45: WARRANTY; WARRANTY OF TITLE

- A. The Contractor agrees that equipment, materials or services furnished under this Agreement, shall be covered by the most favorable warranties the Contractor gives to any customer of such equipment, materials or services and that the rights and remedies provided herein are in addition to and do not limit any rights afforded to KCATA by any other clause in this Contract.
- B. The Contractor warrants to KCATA, that all products, equipment and materials furnished under this Contract will be of highest quality and new unless otherwise specified by KCATA, free from faults and defects and in conformance with the Contract. All work not so conforming to these standards shall be considered defective. If required by KCATA, the Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence as to the kind and quality of products, equipment and materials. Further, at a minimum, all such products, equipment or materials must be free of defects in workmanship or materials, merchantable, comply with all applicable specifications and laws and be suitable for its intended purposes. The workmanship must be the best obtainable in the various trades.
- C. Upon final acceptance by KCATA of all work to be performed by the Contractor, KCATA shall so notify the Contractor in writing. The date of final acceptance shall commence the warranty period.
- D. **Warranty of Work and Maintenance**
 - 1. The Contractor warrants to KCATA, that all products, equipment and materials furnished under this Contract will be of highest quality and new unless otherwise specified by KCATA, free from faults and defects in workmanship or materials, merchantable, suitable for its intended purpose and in conformance with the Contract. All work not so conforming to these standards shall be considered defective. If required by KCATA, the Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence as to the kind and quality of products, equipment and materials. The work or services furnished must be of first quality and the workmanship must be the best obtainable in the various trades.
 - 2. The work must be of safe, substantial and durable construction in all respects. The Contractor hereby guarantees the work against defective materials or faulty workmanship for a minimum period of one (1) year after final payment by KCATA and shall replace or repair any defective products, equipment or materials or faulty workmanship during the period of the guarantee at no cost to KCATA.

ARTICLE 46: GENERAL PROVISIONS

- A. **No Third Party Beneficiaries.** The parties do not intend to confer any benefit hereunder on any person, firm or entity other than the parties hereto.
- B. **Extensions of Time.** No extension of time for performance of any Contractor obligations or acts shall be deemed an extension of time for performance of any other obligations or acts.
- C. **Binding Effect.** This Contract shall bind and inure to the benefit of the legal representatives, successors and permitted assigns of the parties.
- D. **Counterparts.** This Contract may be executed at different times and in two or more counterparts and all counterparts so executed shall for all purposes constitute one contract, binding on all the parties hereto, notwithstanding that all parties shall not have executed the same counterpart. And, in proving this Contract, it shall not be necessary to produce or account for more than one such counterpart executed by the party against whom enforcement is sought.
- E. **Interpretation; Update of Citations.** Unless otherwise specified herein, (a) the singular includes the plural and the plural the singular; (b) words importing any gender include the other genders; and (c) references to persons or parties include their permitted successors and assigns. The parties recognize and agree that many of the laws, regulations, policies, procedures and directives stated as governing the Contractor's performance of its work or services, or the supplying of products, equipment, or materials, pursuant to this Contract are subject to updating, amendment or replacement. Therefore, all such references in this Contract

are agreed by the parties to be deemed to refer to the then current updated, amended or replacement form of such laws, regulations, policies, procedures and directives in effect at the applicable time during the term of this Contract and the same are hereby incorporated into this Contract by this reference.

- F. **When Effective.** Notwithstanding any provision contained in this Contract to the contrary, this Contract shall become effective only after the execution and delivery of this Contract by each of the parties hereto and no course of conduct, oral contract or written memoranda shall bind the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof except this Contract.
- G. **Further Actions; Reasonableness and Cooperation by Parties; Time for Certain Actions.** Each party agrees to take such further actions and to execute such additional documents or instruments as may be reasonably requested by the other party to carry out the purpose and intent of this Contract. Except where expressly stated to be in a party's sole discretion, or where it is stated that a party has the ability to act in its sole judgment or for its own uses or purposes, wherever it is provided or contemplated in this Contract that a party must give its consent or approval to actions or inactions by the other party or a third party in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, such consent or approval will not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. If no time period is set hereunder for a party to approve or consent to an action or inaction by the other party or a third party such approval shall be given or affirmatively withheld in writing within ten (10) business days after it is requested in writing or it shall be deemed given.
- H. **Time Periods.** A "business day" is a business working day of KCATA administrative personnel which are days other than a Saturday, Sunday or legal holidays observed by the KCATA for administrative personnel. If the time period by which any right or election provided under this Contract must be exercised, or by which any act required hereunder must be performed, expires on a day which is not a business day, then such time period shall be automatically extended through the close of business on the next regularly scheduled business day.
- I. **Survival.** In addition to any provisions expressly stated to survive termination of this Contract, all provisions which by their terms provide for or contemplate obligations or duties of a party which are to extend beyond such termination (and the corresponding rights of the other party to enforce or receive the benefit thereof) shall survive such termination.
- J. **Authority of Signatories.** Any person executing this Contract in a representative capacity represents and warrants that such person has the authority to do so and, upon request, will furnish proof of such authority in customary form.

Contractor's Initials _____ KCATA's Initials _____

KCATA's Initials _____

SECTION 6 – ATTACHMENTS

DOCUMENT/FORM REQUIREMENTS (BID CHECK LIST)

Listed below are documents that are required to be submitted in response to this Invitation for Bids (IFB).

- ✓ Attachment A: Vendor Registration (unless already registered with KCATA). This form is required for each subcontractor.
- ✓ Attachment B: Affidavit of Civil Rights Compliance (include this form for each subcontractor)
- ✓ Attachment C: Schedule of Participation by Contractor & Subcontractors
- ✓ Attachment D: KCATA EEO-1/Workforce Analysis Report (also required for each subcontractor)
- ✓ Attachment E: Letter of Intent to Subcontract (if using DBE Subcontractor)
- ✓ Attachment F: Contractor Utilization Plan/Request for Waiver
- ✓ Attachment G: Affidavit of Primary Participants Regarding Employee Eligibility Verification (Primary and Lower-Tier). *Include G.2 of using subcontractors.*
- ✓ Attachment H: Certification of Debarment (Primary and Lower-Tier) Form. *Include Attachment H.2 if using subcontractors.*
- ✓ Attachment I: Certificate of Lobbying (Primary and Lower-Tier) Form. *Include Attachment I.2 if using subcontractors.*
- ✓ Attachment J: References
- ✓ Attachment K: Bid Response Form/Cost Proposal

ATTACHMENT A KCATA VENDOR REGISTRATION FORM

Thank you for your interest in doing business with the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority. To be placed on the KCATA Registered Vendors List for goods and services, please complete this form **in its entirety** and return it to the KCATA Procurement Department. Submittal of this registration form will place your company on the KCATA Registered Vendor List, but does not guarantee a solicitation. The list will be periodically purged. If you do not receive solicitations, inquire to confirm that your company remains on our list. Current business opportunities can be found in the "Doing Business with KCATA" section of our website, www.kcata.org.

Firms are required to submit this information to KCATA once. However, it is your responsibility to notify KCATA of any changes to your business that may affect your registration (i.e. address, contact information).

Legal Entity Name:		Phone:	
Doing Business As:		Toll-free Phone:	
Physical Address:		Fax:	
City:		Email:	
State:	Zip:	Website:	
Contact Person Name:		Title:	
Contact Phone:		Contact Email:	
Mailing Address:		Phone:	
City:		Fax:	
State:	Zip:	Comments:	
Business Type:	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation
	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain) _____	
If Incorporated, in Which State:		Federal Tax ID No:	
Years in Business:		Years in Business Under Current Name:	
Does your firm have a Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number as a Federal contractor? If so, please provide. DUNS numbers may be obtained free of charge from Dun & Bradstreet at 1-866-705-5711 or at www.fedgov.dnb.com/webform .			DUNS # _____
Annual Gross Receipts. This information is required by U. S. Department of Transportation and Vendors will be requested to update this information on a regular basis.	<input type="checkbox"/> Less than \$250,000	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250,000 to \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000 to \$1 Million
	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1 Million to 5 Million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$5 Million to 10 Million	<input type="checkbox"/> More than \$10 Million
Standard Invoice Terms:	Due Days	Discount Days	Percent
Please provide a description of the goods and services you are interested in providing to KCATA. Include the corresponding North America Industry Classification System (NAICS) Codes for your business type. For a listing of the codes visit U.S. Small Business Administration's website at http://www.sba.gov/content/small-business-size-standards .			
NAICS CODE(S) :		NAICS CODE(S):	
NAICS CODE(S):		NAICS CODE(S):	

1. Is your firm a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) based on the definitions and U.S. Department of Transportation certification guidelines in 49 CFR Part 26? If YES, submit a copy of a copy of your current certification from your state's UCP.	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> ENCLOSED
2. Is your firm a Small Business Enterprise (SBE) as defined by the U.S. Small Business Administration's Small Business Size Guidelines and 13 CFR 121? For further information on 13 CFR 121 and SBE designation refer to SBA's website at http://www.sba.gov/content/small-business-size-standards	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> ENCLOSED
3. Is your firm a Woman-Owned Business Enterprise (WBE) or Minority Owned Business Enterprise (MBE) certified by a nationally recognized organization? If YES, please provide a copy of your certification documentation.	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> ENCLOSED

4. Does your firm meet any of these other federal business classifications? If YES, please provide a copy of certification documents.

Service Disabled, Veteran Owned Business
 SBA 8(a) Certified Business
 HubZone Program Certified
 Other _____

DBE/SBE CERTIFICATION: The KCATA participates in the U. S. Department of Transportation's DBE and SBE programs. Certification in these programs is based on the regulations in 49 CFR Part 26. If your firm is interested in becoming a certified DBE or SBE, please contact KCATA's Contracting/Supplier Diversity Coordinator at (816) 346-0272 or via email at Cmoore@kcata.org

WORKER ELIGIBILITY AFFIDAVIT: As required by §285.500 RSMo, et seq., any business contracting to perform work in excess of \$5,000 for the KCATA shall provide a sworn affidavit affirming: (1) its enrollment and participation in a federal work authorization program such as U. S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify, accompanied by corresponding documentation to evidence its enrollment in that program; and (2) that it does not knowingly employ any person who does not have the legal right or authorization under federal law to work in the United States. Prior to being awarded any contract with KCATA, you will be required to furnish proof of your firm's participation in such program.

VENDOR CERTIFICATION: I certify that information supplied herein (including all pages attached) is correct and that neither the business entity nor any person in any connection with the business entity as a principal or officer, so far as known, is now debarred or otherwise declared ineligible from bidding for furnishing materials, supplies, or services to the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority or declared ineligible to participate in federally funded projects.

Signature		Date
Printed Name		Title

The following documents must be returned:

- Completed Vendor Registration Form
- KCATA Workforce Analysis/EEO-1 Report
- Affidavit of Civil Rights Compliance (*found on KCATA's website as Attachment B*)

**Return completed Vendor Registration Packet to Kansas City Area Transportation Authority,
 Maurice Gay, Procurement Department, 1350 East 17th Street, Kansas City, MO 64108
 Fax: (816) 346-0336 or email: mgay@kcata.org**

NOTE: Vendors will be required to submit a signed IRS W9 form prior to authorization of any purchase.

A foreign corporation may not transact business in Missouri until it obtains a Certificate of Authority. To apply, you must use the forms provided by the Missouri Secretary of State's office, as required by law.

ATTACHMENT B
AFFIDAVIT OF CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLIANCE

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this ____ day of _____, 20____, before me appeared _____, personally known by me or otherwise proven to be the person whose name is subscribed on this affidavit and who, being duly sworn, stated as follows: I am the _____ (title) of _____ (business entity) and I am duly authorized, directed or empowered to act with full authority on behalf of the business entity in making this affidavit.

I hereby swear or affirm that the business entity complies with the following:

A. Nondiscrimination. In accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, section 303 of the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 6102, section 202 of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S. C. § 12132, and Federal transit law at 49 U.S.C. § 5332, the Contractor agrees that it will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, creed, national origin, sex, age, or disability. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with applicable Federal implementing regulations and other implementing regulations that the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) may issue.

B. Equal Employment Opportunity. The following equal employment opportunity requirements apply to this Contract:

1. Race, Color, Creed, National Origin or Sex. In accordance with Title VII of the Civil Rights Act, as amended, 42. U.S.C. §2000e, *et seq.*, and Federal transit laws at 49 U.S.C. §5332, the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable equal opportunity requirements of the U.S. Department of Labor (U.S. DOL) regulations, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor” 41 C.F.R. Parts 60 *et seq.*, (which implement Executive Order No. 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity,” as amended by Executive Order No. 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” 42 U.S.C. 2000e note), and with any applicable Federal statutes, executive orders, regulations, and Federal policies that may in the future affect activities undertaken in the course of the Contract. The Contractor agrees to take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability or age. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.
2. Age. In accordance with Section 4 of the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended, 29 U.S.C. § 623 and Federal transit law at 49 U.S.C. §5332, the Contractor agrees to refrain from discrimination against present and prospective employees for reason of age. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.

ATTACHMENT B (CONTINUED)

3. Disabilities. In accordance with section 102 of the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §12112, the Contractor agrees that it will comply with the requirements of U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, "Regulations to Implement the Equal Employment Provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act," 29 C.F.R. Part 1630, pertaining to employment of persons with disabilities. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.

Affiant's Signature

Date

Subscribed and sworn to me before this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public Signature

Date

My Commission expires: _____

ATTACHMENT C
SCHEDULE OF PARTICIPATION BY CONTRACTOR & SUBCONTRACTORS

Project # _____ **Description:** _____ **Date:** _____

Form must be submitted for each prospective offeror and submitted with proposal

PRIME CONTRACTOR					
Name and Address	Telephone No. Fax No.	Type of Work To Be Performed	NAICS Code	Value of Work	DBE % Participation
				\$	%
PARTICIPATION BY SUBCONTRACTOR(S) AND MAJOR SUPPLIERS - DBE & NON-DBE					
Name and Address	Telephone No. Fax No.	Type of Work To Be Performed	NAICS Code	Value of Work	DBE % Participation
				\$	%
				\$	%
				\$	%
				\$	%

TOTAL VALUE OF WORK \$ _____

TOTAL CONTRACT VALUE OF WORK
(FROM BID FORM) \$ _____

TOTAL DBE PARTICIPATION \$ _____

TOTAL PERCENTAGE OF DBE PARTICIPATION _____%

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL ENTER INTO A FORMAL AGREEMENT WITH THE SUBCONTRACTOR(S) FOR THE WORK LISTED ON THIS SCHEDULE.

Prime Contractor (Type/Print) _____ Date _____

Authorized Signature _____ Title _____

Name (Type/Print) _____ Telephone #/Fax # _____

ATTACHMENT D.1
GUIDELINES FOR COMPLETING
KCATA WORKFORCE ANALYSIS/EEO-1 REPORT

Contractor shall apply the following definitions to the categories in the attached Workforce Analysis/EEO-1 Report form. Contractors must submit the Workforce/Analysis form to be considered for contract award. The form is also required for all subcontractors.

A. RACIAL/ETHNIC

1. **WHITE** (not of Hispanic origin): All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East.
2. **BLACK** (not of Hispanic origin): All persons having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
3. **HISPANIC**: All persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American origin, regardless of race.
4. **ASIAN or PACIFIC ISLANDER**: All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands. This area includes, for example, China, Japan, Korea, the Philippine Islands, and Samoa.
5. **AMERICAN INDIAN or ALASKAN NATIVE**: All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America, and who maintain cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.

B. JOB CATEGORIES

1. **OFFICIALS and MANAGERS**: Includes chief executive officers, presidents, vice-presidents, directors and kindred workers.
2. **PROFESSIONALS**: Includes attorneys, accountants and kindred workers.
3. **TECHNICIANS**: Includes computer programmers and operators, drafters, surveyors, highway technicians, inspectors and kindred workers.
4. **SALES WORKERS**: Includes contract sales representatives, purchasing agents, customer relations representatives and kindred workers.
5. **OFFICE and CLERICAL**: Includes secretaries, book-keepers, clerk typists, payroll clerks, accounts payable clerks, receptionists, switchboard operators and kindred workers.
6. **CRAFT WORKERS** (skilled): Includes mechanics and repairers, electricians, carpenters, plumbers and kindred workers.
7. **OPERATIVES** (semi-skilled): Includes bricklayers, plaster attendants, welders, truck drivers and kindred workers.
8. **LABORERS** (unskilled): Includes laborers performing lifting, digging, mixing, loading and pulling operations and kindred workers.
9. **SERVICE WORKERS**: Includes janitors, elevator operators, watchmen, chauffeurs, attendants and kindred workers.

ATTACHMENT D.2- EEO-1 / WORK FORCE ANALYSIS REPORT

Report all permanent, temporary, or part-time employees including apprentices and on-the-job trainees.
Enter the appropriate figures on all lines and in all columns. All blank spaces will be considered zero.

Job Categories	Number of Employees (Report employees in only one category)															
	Race/Ethnicity															
	Hispanic or Latino		Not Hispanic or Latino													Total Col A-N
	Male	Female	Male							Female						
White			Black or African American	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Asian	American Indian or Alaska Native	Two or more races	White	Black or African American	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Asian	American Indian or Alaska Native	Two or more races			
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O		
Executive/Senior-Level Officials and Managers																
First/Mid-Level Officials and Managers																
Professionals																
Technicians																
Sales Workers																
Administrative Support Workers																
Craft Workers																
Operatives																
Laborers and Helpers																
Service Workers																
TOTAL																
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTAL																
TYPE OF BUSINESS	<input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing		<input type="checkbox"/> Wholesale			<input type="checkbox"/> Construction		<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Dealer		<input type="checkbox"/> Selling Agent		<input type="checkbox"/> Service Establishment			<input type="checkbox"/> Other	

Signature of Certifying Official

Company Name

Printed Name and Title

Address/City/State/Zip Code

Date Submitted

Telephone Number/Fax Number

ATTACHMENT E
LETTER OF INTENT TO SUBCONTRACT
(To be completed for Each DBE Subcontractor on Project)

Project Number _____

Project Title _____

_____ (“Prime Contractor”) agrees to enter into a contractual

agreement with _____ (“DBE Subcontractor”), who will

provide the following goods/services in connection with the above-referenced contract:

(Insert a brief narrative describing the goods/services to be provided. Broad categorizations (e.g., “electrical,” “plumbing,” etc.) or the listing of the NAICS Codes in which DBE Subcontractor is certified are insufficient and may result in this Letter of Intent to Subcontract not being accepted.)

_____.

for an estimated amount of \$ _____ or _____ % of the total estimated contract value.

DBE Subcontractor is currently certified with the Missouri Regional Certification Committee (MRCC) to perform in the capacities indicated herein. Prime Contractor agrees to utilize DBE Subcontractor in the capacities indicated herein, and DBE Subcontractor agrees to work on the above-referenced contract in the capacities indicated herein, contingent upon award of the contract to Prime Contractor.

Signature: Prime Contractor

Signature: DBE Subcontractor

Print Name

Print Name

Title _____ **Date** _____

Title _____ **Date** _____

may be higher than the subcontract amount listed therein as change orders and/or amendments changing the total contract amount may correspondingly increase the amount of compensation due a DBE for purposes of meeting or exceeding the Bidder/Proposer participation commitment.

Attachment F.3 ~ Continued

5. Bidder/Proposer acknowledges that it is responsible for considering the effect that any change orders and/or amendments changing the total contract amount may have on its ability to meet or exceed the Bidder/Proposer participation. Bidder/Proposer further acknowledges that it is responsible for submitting a **Request for Modification or Substitution** form if it will be unable to meet or exceed the Bidder/Proposer participation set forth herein.
6. If Bidder/Proposer has not achieved the DBE commitment set for this Project, Bidder/Proposer hereby requests a waiver of the DBE commitment that Bidder/Proposer has failed to achieve.
7. Bidder/Proposer will present documentation of its good faith efforts, a narrative summary detailing its efforts and the reasons its efforts were unsuccessful when requested by KCATA.
8. I hereby certify that I am authorized to sign this Affidavit on behalf of the Bidder/Proposer named below and who shall abide by the terms set forth herein:

Bidder/Proposer Primary Contact: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Facsimile number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

By _____
(Signature)

Title _____

Date _____
(Attach corporate seal if applicable)

NOTARY:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20__.

My Commission Expires: _____

Notary Public (Seal)

**ATTACHMENT G.1
AFFIDAVIT OF PRIMARY PARTICIPANTS
COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 285.500 RSMO, ET SEQ.
REGARDING EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION**

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____, 20____, before me appeared _____, personally known by me or otherwise proven to be the person whose name is subscribed on this affidavit and who, being duly sworn, stated as follows: I am the _____ (title) of _____ (business entity) and I am duly authorized, directed or empowered to act with full authority on behalf of the business entity in making this affidavit.

I hereby swear or affirm that the business entity does not knowingly employ any person in connection with the contracted services who does not have the legal right or authorization under federal law to work in the United States as defined in 8 U.S.C. §1324a(h)(3).

I hereby additionally swear or affirm that the business entity is enrolled in an electronic verification of work program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security (E-Verify) or an equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, and that the business entity will participate in said program with respect to any person hired to perform any work in connection with the contracted services.

I have attached hereto documentation sufficient to establish the business entity's enrollment and participation in the required electronic verification of work program. I shall require that the language of this affidavit be included in the award documents for all sub-contracts exceeding \$5,000.00 at all tiers and that all subcontractors at all tiers shall affirm and provide documentation accordingly.

Affiant's signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____

Notary Public

My Commission expires:

NOTE: An example of acceptable documentation is the E-Verify Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) – a valid, completed copy of the first page identifying the business entity and a valid copy of the signature page completed and signed by the business entity, the Social Security Administration and the Department of Homeland Security.

ATTACHMENT G.2
AFFIDAVIT OF LOWER-TIER PARTICIPANTS
COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 285.500 RSMO, ET SEQ.
REGARDING EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____, 20____, before me appeared _____, personally known by me or otherwise proven to be the person whose name is subscribed on this affidavit and who, being duly sworn, stated as follows: I am the _____ (title) of _____ (business entity) and I am duly authorized, directed or empowered to act with full authority on behalf of the business entity in making this affidavit.

I hereby swear or affirm that the business entity does not knowingly employ any person in connection with the contracted services who does not have the legal right or authorization under federal law to work in the United States as defined in 8 U.S.C. §1324a(h)(3).

I hereby additionally swear or affirm that the business entity is enrolled in an electronic verification of work program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security (E-Verify) or an equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, and that the business entity will participate in said program with respect to any person hired to perform any work in connection with the contracted services.

I have attached hereto documentation sufficient to establish the business entity's enrollment and participation in the required electronic verification of work program. I shall require that the language of this affidavit be included in the award documents for all sub-contracts exceeding \$5,000.00 at all tiers and that all subcontractors at all tiers shall affirm and provide documentation accordingly.

Affiant's signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____

Notary Public

My Commission expires:

NOTE: An example of acceptable documentation is the E-Verify Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) – a valid, completed copy of the first page identifying the business entity and a valid copy of the signature page completed and signed by the business entity, the Social Security Administration and the Department of Homeland Security.

**ATTACHMENT H.1
CERTIFICATION OF PRIMARY PARTICIPANT
REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER
RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS**

The Primary Participant (applicant for an FTA grant or cooperative agreement, or potential Contractor for a major third party contract), _____ certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:

1. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
2. Have not within a three-year period preceding this bid, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
3. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (2) of this certification; and
4. Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/bid had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.

If the primary participant (applicant for FTA grant, or cooperative agreement, or potential third party Contractor) is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, the participant shall attach an explanation to this certification.

THE PRIMARY PARTICIPANT (APPLICANT FOR AN FTA GRANT OR COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT, OR POTENTIAL CONTRACTOR FOR A MAJOR THIRD PARTY CONTRACT), _____ CERTIFIES OR AFFIRMS THE TRUTHFULNESS AND ACCURACY OF THE CONTENTS OF THE STATEMENTS SUBMITTED ON OR WITH THIS CERTIFICATION AND UNDERSTANDS THAT THE PROVISIONS OF 31 U.S.C., SECTIONS 3801 *ET SEQ.* ARE APPLICABLE THERETO.

Signature and Title of Authorized Official

Date

ATTACHMENT H.2
CERTIFICATION OF LOWER-TIER PARTICIPANTS REGARDING
DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER INELIGIBILITY
AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION

The Lower Tier Participant (potential sub-grantee or sub-recipient under an FTA project, potential third party Contractor, or potential subcontractor under a major third party contract) _____, certifies, by submission of this bid, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.

If the Lower Tier Participant (potential sub-grantee or sub-recipient under an FTA project, potential third party Contractor, or potential subcontractor under a major third party contract) is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such participant shall attach an explanation to this bid.

THE LOWER-TIER PARTICIPANT (POTENTIAL SUB-GRANTEE OR SUB-RECIPIENT UNDER AN FTA PROJECT, POTENTIAL THIRD PARTY CONTRACTOR, OR POTENTIAL SUBCONTRACTOR UNDER A MAJOR THIRD PARTY CONTRACT), _____, CERTIFIES OR AFFIRMS THE TRUTHFULNESS AND ACCURACY OF THE CONTENTS OF THE STATEMENTS SUBMITTED ON OR WITH THIS CERTIFICATION AND UNDERSTANDS THAT THE PROVISIONS OF 31 U.S.C., SECTIONS 3801 *ET SEQ.* ARE APPLICABLE THERETO.

Signature and Title of Authorized Official

Date

ATTACHMENT I.1
CERTIFICATION OF PRIMARY PARTICIPANTS
REGARDING RESTRICTIONS ON LOBBYING

I, _____ (Name and Title of Grantee Official or Potential Contractor for a Major Third Party Contract), hereby certify on behalf of _____ (Name of Grantee or Potential Contractor) that:

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

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

Executed this _____ day of _____ 20_____

By _____
Signature of Authorized Official

Title of Authorized Official

ATTACHMENT I.2
CERTIFICATION OF LOWER-TIER PARTICIPANTS
REGARDING RESTRICTIONS ON LOBBYING

I, _____ (Name and Title of Grantee Official or Potential Subcontractor under a Major Third Party Contract), hereby certify on behalf of _____ (Name of Grantee or Potential Subcontractor) that:

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

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

Executed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

By _____
Signature of Authorized Official

Title of Authorized Official

**ATTACHMENT J
REFERENCES**

**IFB # 18-7010-39
MAINTENANCE OF KCATA'S COUNTRY CLUB RIGHT-OF-WAY**

Work accomplished by Contractor which best illustrates current qualification relevant to this project:

Job Description: _____
Contract Amount: _____
Time to Complete Job: _____
Owner & Location: _____
Contact Name: _____ Telephone No.: _____
E-mail Address: _____ Contract Date: _____ to _____

Job Description: _____
Contract Amount: _____
Time to Complete Job: _____
Owner & Location: _____
Contact Name: _____ Telephone No.: _____
E-mail Address: _____ Contract Date: _____ to _____

Job Description: _____
Contract Amount: _____
Time to Complete Job: _____
Owner & Location: _____
Contact Name: _____ Telephone No.: _____
E-mail Address: _____ Contract Date: _____ to _____

Job Description: _____
Contract Amount: _____
Time to Complete Job: _____
Owner & Location: _____
Contact Name: _____ Telephone No.: _____
E-mail Address: _____ Contract Date: _____ to _____

ATTACHMENT K
BID RESPONSE FORM/COST PROPOSAL
IFB #18-7010-39 – MAINTENANCE OF KCATA’S COUNTRY CLUB RIGHT-OF-WAY

PRICING TABLE 1: REQUIRED PRICING – Attached as a separate document

The bidder shall complete the following pricing table(s) and provide firm, fixed pricing necessary to meet the requirements of the IFB. The bid price shall include, as applicable, all items of labor, materials, tools, equipment, transportation, and other costs necessary to complete the manufacture, delivery, assembly, installation and drawings, if required, of the materials or services required in this procurement.

Bids shall be submitted on the attached Bid Response Form. **Bids submitted on any other form may be considered non-responsive and therefore may be rejected.** The authorized person signing the bid shall initial any erasures, corrections or other changes appearing on the Bid Response Form. *No written comments, modifications or interlineations to the Bid Response Form will be accepted.*

PRICING TABLE 2: OPTIONAL PRICING

The bidder may provide firm, fixed pricing for optional features/products, expansion options and/or enhancements for the proposed solution. Please include other valued added options that are not included with the required bundled solution, but sold and maintained separately. Also list any pricing discounts.

DESCRIPTION/COMMENTS	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE

The undersigned, acting as an authorized agent or officer for the Bidder, does hereby agree to the following:

1. The offer submitted is complete and accurate, including all forms required for submission in accordance with the terms and conditions listed in this Invitation for Bids and any subsequent Addenda. The Bidder shall immediately notify the KCATA in the event of any change.
2. The quantities specified are based upon the best available estimates and do not determine the actual amount the Authority shall order during the contract period. The quantities are subject to change. Payments will be based on actual quantities order based on the unit rates quoted.
3. The undersigned agrees to furnish and deliver the items or perform services as described herein for the consideration stated in accordance with the terms and conditions listed in the KCATA IFB. The rights and obligations of the parties to any resultant purchase order/contract shall be subject to and governed by this document and any documents attached or incorporated herein by reference.

Company Name (Type / Print)

Date

Address / City / State / Zip

Authorized Signature

Title

Name (Type / Print)

Telephone #

Facsimile #

E-mail Address