

# REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS (RFQ) #G25-7017-26 Complex Pest Control Services

### June 27, 2025

The Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (KCATA) requests quotes from qualified vendors to provide complex pest control services as specified in the Scope of Work. Release of this RFQ solicitation does not compel the KCATA to purchase.

### 1. Submittal of Quotations.

- A. Your written quotation must be received in **KCATA's Procurement Department** offices no later than **July 21**, **2025 at 2:00 p.m. Central Time** and may be submitted as follows:
  - 1. <u>Electronically</u>. Via email to Jen Webb, at <u>iwebb@kcata.org</u> include the project number in the Subject Line.
  - In Person or By Mail. Quotes delivered via US Postal Service or hand delivered to KCATA must be submitted in a <u>sealed</u> envelope with the RFQ Number, RFQ Title and Buyer's Name clearly marked on the outside and addressed to KCATA, Procurement Department, 1350 East 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Kansas City, MO, 64108. If delivering in person, firms should consider the time needed to navigate KCATA's security and parking.
- B. Quotations <u>must</u> be submitted to KCATA using the attached bid form. Modifications to the form or substitution of the quotation document(s) may deem the bidder non-responsive. All requested documents, as specified, are due at the time of price/quote submission. Failure to provide documents may deem the bidder non-responsive and therefore the bid/quote not considered.
- C. Submission of a quote shall constitute a firm offer to the KCATA for one hundred twenty (120) calendar days.
- D. Quotations submitted after the date and time specified will not be considered for award.
- E. KCATA reserves the right to accept or reject any or all quotations received, to modify this request, or cancel in part or in its entirety the RFQ if in the best interest of the KCATA.

# 2. Bid Questions/ Comments.

- A. Any questions, comments or requests for clarification are due from bidders by **2:00 P.M. on July 14, 2025** and must submitted in writing to Jen Webb, Procurement Buyer, at <a href="mailto:jwebb@kcata.org">jwebb@kcata.org</a>. Include the Project Number in the Subject Line. KCATA's response to these submissions will be in the form of an Addendum, with response anticipated by close of business on July **17, 2025**.
- B. <u>Restricted Communications.</u> No person or entity submitting a quotation in response to this RFQ, nor any officer, employee, agent, representative, relative or consultant representing such a person (or entity) may contact through any means, or engage in any discussion concerning the award of this contract with any member of KCATA's Board of Commissioners or any employee of KCATA during the period beginning on the date of RFQ issue and ending on the date of the selectin of the Contractor. Any such contact would be grounds

for disqualification of the respondent. Contact with KCATA Procurement department staff during such time period must be limited to site visits, questions, and discussions.

- **3. 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.
- **4. Reservations.** KCATA reserves the right to waive informalities or irregularities in quotes, to reject any or all quotes; to cancel this RFQ in part or in its entirety if it is in the best interest of the Authority.
- 5. Tax Exempt Status. The Kansas City Area Transportation Authority is exempt from federal excise, federal transportation and state sales tax and such taxes shall not be included in price quotations. All discounts should be reflected in the quote. By submission of quote, the bidder certifies that none of the taxes as to which the Authority is exempt, are included in its bid price(s).
- 6. Request for Changes/Substitutions. Requests for changes/substitutions and/or approved equals shall be written and documented. The substituted product or commodity shall meet the minimum salient and performance characteristics as identified in the Specifications/Scope of the Work. At minimum those salient physical, functional, or other characteristics of the referenced products that are essential to the minimum needs of KCATA shall be met by proposed substituted product. When an approved equal is requested, the Bidder shall demonstrate the quality of its product to the KCATA, and shall furnish sufficient technical data, test results, etc. to enable the KCATA to determine whether the Bidder's product is or is not equal to specifications. Any changes to the specifications will be made by Addendum. KCATA will respond to the bidder with approval or denial of the proposed items as soon as reasonably possible, but not later than 48 hours prior to RFQ deadline.

### 7. Inspection and Acceptance.

Within ten (10) calendar days of receipt of each order, the contractor shall understand and agree that all supplies/products and/or services which do not comply with the specifications and/or requirements, or which are otherwise unacceptable or defective may be rejected. KCATA shall have the right to return any such rejected shipment at the contractor's expense for full credit or replacement and to specify a reasonable date (i.e., within five calendar days) by which replacements must be received.

#### 8. Licenses and Permits.

- A. 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.
- B. 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.
- 9. Vendor Qualifications. The successful contractor shall have at a minimum the following qualifications:
  - 1. License to do business in the state of Kansas and in the state of Missouri.
  - 2. Registered as a vendor with KCATA.
  - 3. Fully Insured and capable of providing valid certificate of insurance for term of contract in accordance with KCATA's terms and conditions. See KCATA's Sample Contract/Terms and Conditions

# 10. Award and Purchase Order or Contract.

- A. 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 RFQ, and consistent with established industry practices, regardless of whether those services, equipment, facilities, and functions are specifically mentioned in this RFQ or not. The bidder should clearly identify any omissions to the requirements set forth in the RFQ.
- B. Award, if any, will be made on the basis of the lowest responsive bidder complying with all the conditions of the quotation, specifications, and instructions and is determined to be technically responsible to perform as required. Conditional bids and any bid taking exception to these instructions or conditions, to the contract conditions or specifications, or to other contract requirements may be considered non-responsive and may be rejected.
- C. Upon acceptance and award of a bid by KCATA, a contract (see Attachment C, "Terms and Conditions") shall be issued thereon. The purchase order or contract shall be considered as b 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.
- D. KCATA contemplates award of a firm fixed price contract. The term of this agreement shall be for a period of three (3) years from date of contract award. Any such award will be made within 120 days after receipt of the quote.
- E. Factors such as discounts, transportation costs and life cycle costs will be considered in determining which bid is lowest in price.
- F. KCATA shall have the right to make awards by item, group of items, or on an all or none basis. KCATA may make awards to multiple vendors. The grouping of items and/or multiple vendor awards shall be determined by KCATA based upon factors such as item similarity, location, administrative efficiency, or other considerations in the best interest of KCATA for purchases of the product items described in the Pricing Table stated in Attachment B to a responsive and responsible bidder(s) whose bid response conforms to this RFQ and is the lowest in price.

# 11. Protests.

- A. 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. Protests may be accepted electronically (email or facsimile) as long as the transmission is dated.
  - 1. **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 KCATA's Director of Procurement, no later than five (5) days before the bid closing date.
  - 2. **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 KCATA's Director of Procurement, no later than five (5) days after the bid closing date.
  - 3. **Post-Award**. Post-Award protests must be received by the Authority, in writing and addressed to KCATA's Director of Procurement, no later than five (5) days after the date of the Notice of Intent to Award.
- B. The Director of Procurement shall respond within five (5) days from the date of the written request. If the protester is not satisfied with the response of Director of Procurement, the protester may appeal in writing to KCATA's Chief Financial Officer within five (5) days from the date of the Director of Procurement's response.

- C. The 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 Chief Financial Officer's response will be provided within ten (10) days after receipt of the request. The Chief Financial Officer's decision is final and no further action on the protest shall be taken by the KCATA.
- D. By written notice to all parties, KCATA's 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.

### **12.** Required Documents – Bid Submittal.

The following documents are required and must be summited with your Quotation:

- Attachment B Quotation Proposal
- Attachment C KCATA Contract/Standard Terms and Conditions
- Attachment D References
- Attachment E Affidavit of Civil Rights Compliance
- Attachment F-1 Affidavit of Primary Participation Regarding Employee Eligibility Verification
- Attachment G KCATA Work Force Analysis/EEO-1 Report
- Attachment H Non-Collusion Affidavit

# ATTACHMENT A SCOPE OF WORK

# A. Purpose and Background Information:

The Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (KCATA) provides public transportation services in the Kansas City metropolitan area. KCATA is requesting bids for pest control for its Central Service Complex located at 1350 E. 17<sup>th</sup> Street, KCMO 64108; East Village Transit Center located at 700 E. 12<sup>th</sup> Street, KCMO 64106; 75<sup>th</sup>/Prospect Transit Center located at 7501 Prospect, KCMO 64132 and as needed service at multiple offsite locations.

KCATA reserves the right to award the contract to one bidder, or to split the award to multiple bidders if it is in the best interest of the Authority. Any bid submitted on an "all or nothing" basis should be marked as such.

### B. Term:

The term of this agreement shall be for a period of three (3) years from date of contract award. Work in process prior to expiration of the Agreement shall be completed and as construed by KCATA to be within the "contract term".

# C. Scope of Work/Deliverables:

- Contractor must comply with all applicable standards, orders or requirements issued pursuant to Federal, State and Local Stature Regulations regarding Exterminations/Pest Control Services.
- Contractor shall furnish all specimen labels and MSDS for all products used.
- Contractor shall furnish a designated account representative to KCATA for communications regarding service requests, issues, questions, etc.
- Contractor shall be responsible for care, handling and disposal of all chemicals used during the extermination process.
  - No chemical will be stored or disposed of on KCATA property
- Contractor shall provide additional sticky traps "as needed" for mice and roaches. KCATA staff will maintain, including replacement and disposal on an "as needed" basis.
- Placards are to be posted in close proximity to all apparatus' placed or installed on KCATA property identifying the presence of rodent pest traps, bait stations, flytrap, etc.
- Contractor should warrant that the extermination/pest control services provided under this contract shall be adequate and effective to completely eradicate active pests from KCATA Central Service Complex, East Village Transit Center and 75<sup>th</sup>/Prospect Transit Center. It shall be the responsibility of the Successful Contractor to perform as many applications as necessary each month to ensure complete control of pest problems on KCATA facilities.
- Products used at KCATA properties shall be of low odor to humans and have a low mammalian toxicity.
- Chemical application by the contractor shall not leave the appearance of a stain or residue on internal furnishings to include but not limited to baseboards, carpet, etc.
- Contractor shall furnish and maintain, including trap cleaning and/or replacement and trap/vermin disposal of the following:
  - Bait stations to throughout areas described in section A, including sewer stations in and around Building 2 garage.
  - Ultraviolet fly/moth traps that are compatible with office environments, such as the Gilbert 2000 GT Flying Venus wall scone flytrap or approved equal. Color to be selected by Facilities.
  - Avitrol baiting station or approved equal on Building 1 and 2 rooftops monthly for pigeon control.

• Contractor shall provide all labor, equipment, supplies, materials and insurance required to successfully perform and provide work as stated.

### Periodic Treatments:

- Extermination shall be one application per month at each site location listed in the table below.
- Treatment is to be on a monthly basis beginning promptly at 7:00 AM on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month.
  - Contractor shall provide up to three (3) "as needed" treatments annually at any KCATA location.
- Remote (offsite) locations, identified with advance notice to designated KCATA personnel can be treated during the week.
- Successful Contractor is to notify the Facilities Department of any schedule changes for facility applications 72 hours in advance to allow for security schedule to be adjusted accordingly.
- The contractor will not be allowed in secured areas of the facility without a security officer escort.
- Site locations at KCATA Central Service Complex, headquartered at 1350 E. 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Kansas City, MO 64108.
  - Building 1, 111,484 sq. feet to include maintenance and the service line on the first floor and offices/transportation/dispatch on the second floor.
  - Building 2, 163,880 sq. feet to include offices on the north side of the building and bus barn to the south of the offices.
  - Building 3, 39,924 sq. feet to include offices/facilities department/body shop area.
  - Building 3A, 20,000 sq. feet to include executive office area/call center/IT.
  - Farebox Island, 400 sq. feet
  - Guard Shack, 100 sq. feet
- Site location at East Village, 700 E. 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Kansas City, MO 64106
  - Offices and lobby area
- Site location at 75<sup>th</sup>/Prospect, 7501 Prospect, Kansas City, MO 64132
  - Offices and lobby area

# "As Requested" Treatments:

- Extermination shall be performed on an "as needed" basis as requested by KCATA Management at each applicable off-site location listed below.
- Each off-site location shall not exceed six (6) treatments annually.
- Off-site locations include restrooms and a driver area containing a small breakroom.
  - 1. 75<sup>th</sup>/Troost
  - 2. 39<sup>th</sup>/Troost
  - 3. Vivion/Antioch
  - 4. Boardwalk 8600 N. Boardwalk Ave. KCMO 64154
  - 5. Three Trails 9449 Blue Ridge Blvd. KCMO 64138

#### **D.** Special Provisions:

- The following items must be submitted with your quotation response:
  - Copy of valid City Occupational License and State Commercial Applications License.
  - $\circ$  ~ Specimen Labels for each product to be used within the scope of work.
  - Five (5) copies of Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for each chemical or product to be used within the scope of work. (Ref. U.S. Dept. of Labor – Occupational Safety and Health Administration; Form OMB No. 44-R1387; Form OSHA-20)

### ATTACHMENT B QUOTATION RESPONSE FORM

Quotation Number	Date Issued				
Project Description					
Company Name	Date Submitted				

The bidder shall complete the following pricing table(s) and provide firm, fixed pricing necessary to meet the requirements of the RFQ and comply with the Specifications detailed in Section 2, "Scope of Work." Any deviations from these specifications shall be pre-approved, in writing, by KCATA.

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 Bid Response Form provided. **Bids submitted on any other form may be considered nonresponsive 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.* 

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	Unit of Measure	Qty.	Year 1 Price	Year 2 Price	Year 3 Price
1.	Bldg I – Offices/Maintenance	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
2.	Bldg II – Offices/Garage	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
3.	Bldg III – Offices/Maintenance	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
4.	Bldg IIIA – Offices	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
5.	Bldg IV – Fairbox Island	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
6.	Bldg V – Main Guard Station	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
7.	East Village – Offices & Lobby (please include ongoing treatment for mice)	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
8.	75 <sup>th</sup> and Prospect – Offices & Lobby	Monthly	12	\$	\$	\$
9.	75 <sup>th</sup> and Troost	As needed	6	\$	\$	\$
10.	39 <sup>th</sup> and Troost	As needed	6	\$	\$	\$
11.	Vivion and Antioch	As needed	6	\$	\$	\$
12.	Boardwalk – 8600 N. Boardwalk Ave.	As needed	6	\$	\$	\$
13.	Three Trails 9449 Blue Ridge Blvd	Three Trails 9449 Blue Ridge Blvd As needed		\$	\$	\$
14.	Additional Sticky Traps	As needed	6	\$	\$	\$
		TOTAL	\$	\$	\$	

# PRICING TABLE 1

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 Request for Quotation (RFQ) and any subsequent Addenda. The Bidder shall immediately notify the KCATA in the event of any change.

# ATTACHMENT B QUOTATION RESPONSE FORM (CONTINUED)

- 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 of the Request for Quotations. 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	
x	
Authorized Signature	Title
Name (Type / Print)	
Telephone #	Facsimile #
E-mail Address	

#### **APPENDIX C**

# KCATA CONTRACT #G25-7017-26 Complex Pest Control Services

THIS CONTRACT (the "Contract"), made and entered into as of the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025, 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, 64108 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, 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 quotation submitted by the Contractor dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, a copy of which is attached hereto as Appendix D and incorporated herein by reference ("Quotation", "Bid").

### 2. SCOPE OF CONTRACT.

The Contractor shall provide the products, equipment, materials and/or work services consistent with the Request for Quotations (RFQ) solicited by the KCATA, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ and entitled "<u>Complex Pest Control Services</u>" (sometimes referred to as the "Project" or the "Work"), which is incorporated herein by reference. The Contractor hereby agrees to provide the pest control services as needed at the firm, fixed prices stated in the 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 three (3) year(s) beginning \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2025 and expiring on \_\_\_\_\_\_. The services to be performed shall commence upon receipt of a notice to proceed from 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 "Amendment", 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 Quotation (Appendix C). It is anticipated that the funds to be paid the Contractor under this contract shall not exceed the sum of \_\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_).

#### 5. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of any inconsistency between the articles, attachments, specifications, or provisions which constitute this Contract, the following order of precedence shall apply:

- A. Specific written amendments or modifications/change orders to the executed Contract;
- B. KCATA's Standard Terms and Conditions;
- C. Executed Contract and any attachments incorporated by reference; and
- D. Contractor's Quotation Proposal; and
- E. KCATA's RFQ and Scope of Work, including any attachments incorporated by reference.

### 6. 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.KCATA Standard Contract Terms and Conditions; andAppendix B.KCATA's Scope of Work; andAppendix C.Contractor's Quotation

**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'S NAME (CONTRACTOR)

# KANSAS CITY AREA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (KCATA)

By

Name Title Ву \_\_\_

Michael Leone Chief Financial Officer

# (APPENDIX A TO CONTRACT) COMPLETE CONTRACT TERMS & CONDITIONS

# 1. ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICES/DELIVERABLES – NO RELEASE

Acceptance of any portion of the services and/or deliverables prior to final acceptance shall not release the Contractor from liability for faulty workmanship, 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 work products at any time during the Contract term, and shall have the right to reject all services or deliverables 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 services and deliverables 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.

# 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.

# 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.

### 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.

#### A. Warranty of Work and Maintenance.

- a. 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.
- b. 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. As additional security for these guarantees, the Contractor shall, prior to the release of final payment, furnish separate maintenance (or guarantee) bonds in form acceptable to KCATA written by the same corporate surety that provides the performance bond for this Contract. These bonds shall secure the Contractor's obligation to replace or repair defective products, equipment and materials and faulty workmanship for a minimum period of one (1) year

after final payment and shall be written in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Sum, as adjusted (if at all).

### 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.

# 6. CHANGES

KCATA may at any time, by a written order, and without notice to the surety, 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 thirty (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.

# 7. CIVIL RIGHTS

### A. Nondiscrimination in Federal Public Transportation Programs.

- 1. Contractor must prohibit:
  - a. discrimination based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex (including sexual orientation, disability, or age;
  - exclusion from participation in employment or a business opportunity for reasons identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332;
  - c. denial of program benefits in employment or a business opportunity identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332; and
  - d. discrimination identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332, including discrimination in employment or a business opportunity identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332.
- 2. Contractor must follow the most recent edition of FTA Circular 4702.1, "Title VI Requirements and Guidelines for Federal Transit Administration Recipients," to the extent consistent with applicable federal laws, regulations, requirements, and guidance. However, FTA does not require an Indian Tribe to comply with FTA program specific guidelines for Title VI when administering its agreement supported with federal assistance under the Tribal Transit Program.

# B. Nondiscrimination – Title VI of the Civil Rights Act.

- 1. Contractor must prohibit discrimination based on race, color, or national origin;
- Contractor must comply with a) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, et seq.; b) U.S. DOT regulations, "Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964," 49 CFR Part 21; and c) Federal transit law, specifically 49 U.S.C. § 5332.

3. Contractor must follow a) the most recent edition of FTA Circular 4702.1, "Title VI Requirements and Guidelines for Federal Transit Administration Recipients," to the extent consistent with applicable federal laws, regulations, requirements, and guidance; b) U.S. DOJ, "Guidelines for the enforcement of Title VI, Civil Rights Act of 1964," 28 C.F.R. § 50.3; and c) all other applicable federal guidance that may be issued.

# C. Equal Employment Opportunity.

- 1. <u>Federal Requirements and Guidance</u>. Contractor must prohibit discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or national origin; and
  - a. Comply with: (a) Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000e, et seq.;
  - b. Comply with Title I of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101, et seq.;
  - c. Comply with federal transit law, specifically 49 U.S.C. § 5332, as provided in section 12 of FTA's Master Agreement;
  - d. Comply with FTA Circular 4704.1 "Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Requirements and Guidelines for Federal Transit Administration Recipients"; and
  - e. Follow other federal guidance pertaining to EEO laws, regulations, and requirements.
- 2. <u>Indian Tribes</u>. Contractors will recognize that Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended exempts Indian Tribes under the definition of "Employer".
- 3. <u>Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex</u>. The Contractor agrees to comply with all Federal prohibitions against discrimination based on sex, including Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, 20 U.S.C. § 1681, *et. seq.*, U.S. DOT regulations, "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance," 49 CFR part 25; and federal transit law, specifically 49 U.S.C. § 5332.
- 4. <u>Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Age.</u> In accordance with the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, 29 U.S.C. §§ 621-634, U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (U.S.EEOC) regulations, "Age Discrimination in Employment Act," 29 C.F.R. part 1625, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 6101 *et seq.*, which prohibits discrimination against individuals based on age in the administration of Programs, Projects and related activities receiving federal assistance; U.S. Department of Health and Human Services regulations, "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance," 45 C.F. R. part 90, and Federal transit law at 49 U.S.C. §5332.
- 5. Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Disability. In accordance with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. § 794, which prohibits discrimination based on disability in the administration of federally assisted programs, projects or activities; the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), as amended, 42 U.S.C. §12101 *et seq.*, the Architectural Barriers Act of 1968, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 4151 *et seq.*, which requires that buildings and public accommodations be accessible to individuals with disabilities; Federal transit law, specifically 49 U.S.C. § 5332, and other applicable federal laws, regulations, and requirements pertaining to access for seniors or individuals with disabilities. The Contractor agrees that it will not discriminate against individuals on the basis of disability. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.
- D. <u>Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency</u>. Compliance to provide meaningful access to public transportation services in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, *et seq.*, and its implementing regulation at 28 CFR § 42.405(d), and applicable U.S. Department of Justice guidance.

- E. <u>Promoting Free Speech and Religious Liberty</u>. All Federal funding must be expended in full accordance with the U.S. Constitution, Federal Law, and statutory and public policy requirements, including but not limited to, those prohibiting discrimination and protecting free speech, religious liberty, public welfare, and the environment.
- F. 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.

# 8. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST (ORGANIZATIONAL)

In accordance with 2 C.F.R. § 200.112, 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.

# 9. 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 exercise its best efforts and cooperation to affect 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.

# 10. 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.

# 11. 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 Contractor's or subcontractor's 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.

# **12. 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 Director of Procurement, who shall reduce the decision to writing and mail or otherwise furnish a copy to the Contractor. The decision of the 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 Financial Officer, with a copy to the Director of Procurement. The determination of such appeal by the Chief Financial 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 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.

# 13. EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION (FOR CONTRACTS OVER \$5,000)

- 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.

# 14. FORCE MAJEURE

- A. Both Parties shall be excused from performing its obligations under this Contract during the time and to the extent that it is prevented from performing by an unforeseeable cause beyond its control (**"Excusable Delays"**) including, but not limited to: any incidence of fire, flood; acts of God or the public enemy; commandeering of material, products, plants or facilities by the federal, state or local government; national fuel shortage; pandemics; acts of war; terrorism; strikes; any acts, restrictions, regulations, by-laws; prohibitions or measures of any kind on the part of any KCATA; freight embargoes; delays of Contractor's suppliers for like causes; contractual acts of either Party or a material act of omission by either Party; when satisfactory evidence of such cause is presented to the other Party, and provided further that such nonperformance is unforeseeable, beyond the control and is not due to the fault or negligence of the Contractor or KCATA. Contractor and KCATA shall use its best efforts to remove the cause of delay and resume work as soon as possible.
- B. If at any time, Contractor concludes that any of the Work hereunder will become subject to a delay beyond Contractor's control, including but not limited to any of the aforementioned causes, Contractor shall notify KCATA of the nature and detailed reasons and foreseeable extent of such delay and shall, once every seven (7) calendar days thereafter, notify KCATA whenever, to the best of Contractor's knowledge and belief, the nature or foreseeable extent of such delay shall change. Contractor shall provide this written notice within five (5) business days of Contractor's becoming aware of the facts or matters giving rise to such Excusable Delay. Both Parties shall keep in contact with each other as to the status of such Excusable Delay and shall agree in writing to a restart date when the facts or matters giving rise to such Excusable Delays are not foreseen. Upon reengagement of work, Contractor and KCATA will formulate and agree upon an update project schedule, taking into account the timeframe that has passed since the work stoppage, necessary time to resume or re-create any previously completed tasks due to damaged or missing equipment and any associated time periods for shipment and/or manufacture of equipment.

### 15. 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. **Time of Essence.** Time is of the essence in Contractor's performance of this Agreement.
- D. **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.
- E. **Binding Effect**. This Contract shall bind and inure to the benefit of the legal representatives, successors and permitted assigns of the parties.
- F. **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.
- G. 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.
- H. 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.
- I. 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 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.
- J. **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.

- K. **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.
- L. **Hazardous Material Identification and Material Safety Data.** "Hazardous Material" as used in this clause includes any material defined as hazardous under the latest version of Federal Standard No. 313 as amended. Contractor shall properly identify any hazardous materials to be provided under this Agreement consistent with the Hazardous Materials Regulations on the standard Material Safety Data Sheet form. The hazardous materials shall be properly identified and include any applicable identification number, such as National Stock Number or Special Item Number. This information shall also be included on the Material Safety Data Sheet submitted under this Agreement. After award, Contractor shall notify KCATA of any changes to the composition of the item(s) or revision to Federal Standard No. 313, which renders incomplete or inaccurate data previously submitted. Neither the requirements of this clause nor any act or failure to act by the Government shall relieve the Contractor of any responsibility or liability for the safety of Government, Contractor, or subcontractor personnel or property. Nothing contained in this clause shall relieve the Contractor from complying with applicable Federal, State, and local laws, codes, ordinances, and regulations (including the obtaining of licenses and permits) in connection with hazardous material. Failure to comply with this provision in any way is a material breach.

### 16. 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.

### 17. 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.

#### **18. 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.

#### **19. 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 as 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.

# 20. 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 and Workers Compensation) policies, shall name KCATA, its commissioners, officers, and employees as Additional Insureds. 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). An exception to the minimum A.M. Best rating is granted for Workers Compensation exposures insured through the Builders' Association of Self Insurance Fund (BASIF).
- B. The Contractor shall be required to furnish to KCATA certificates verifying the required insurance and relevant additional insured endorsements prior to execution of the Contract, and thereafter furnish the certificates on an annual basis. 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 on the policies covered by the certificate; using this specific wording: <u>Kansas City Area</u> <u>Transportation Authority, its commissioners, officers, and employees are named as additional insureds as</u> <u>respects general liability and where required by written contract. Any coverage afforded the certificate</u> <u>holder as an additional insured shall apply as primary and not excess or contributing to any insurance or</u> <u>self-insurance in the name of the certificate holder and shall include a waiver of subrogation.</u>
- 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 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
- 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. The Contractor shall be responsible for all premiums associated with the requested policy(ies) and endorsements. 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. Umbrella or Excess Liability

Umbrella or Excess Liability Limit:	\$1,000,000 Each Occurrence
	\$1,000,000 Aggregate (per project)

The Contractor shall obtain and keep in effect during the term of the contract, Umbrella or Excess Liability Insurance covering their liability over the limit for primary general liability, automobile liability, and employer's liability.

# 5. Cyber Security \$3,000,000 Minimum

# 21. LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION

A. **Contractor's Liability.** Contractor shall be liable for all damages to persons (including employees of Contractor) or property of any type that may occur as a result of any act or omission by Contractor, any subcontractors, or sub-subcontractor, their respective agents or anyone directly employed by any of them or anyone.

B. **Subrogation.** Contractor, its agents, and any subcontractor hereby waive and relinquish any right of subrogation or claim against KCATA, its commissioners, senior leaders and employees arising out of the use of KCATA's premises (including any equipment) by any party in performance of this Agreement.

# C. Indemnification.

- 1. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contractor agrees to and shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless KCATA, its Commissioners, officers and employees from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, causes of action, suits, liens and liability of every kind, (including all expenses of litigation, expert witness fees, court costs and attorney's fees whether or not suit be commenced) by or to any person or entity (collectively the "Liabilities") arising out of, caused by, or resulting from the acts or omissions of Contractor, subcontractors, or sub-subcontractors, their respective agents or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them in performing work under this Contract, regardless of whether or not such claim, damage, loss or expense is caused in part 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 indemnify, hold harmless and defend the KCATA for any contractor or subcontractor action, tort, or violation of federal or state law or city ordinance.
- 2. In claims against any person or entity indemnified under this section, by an employee or Contractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, the subcontractor or sub-subcontractor 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. Under these circumstances, KCATA retains the right to recover all costs of defense from the Contractor.
- 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.
- D. Release of Liability. Contractor, its officers, directors, employees, heirs, administrators, executors, agents and representatives and respective successors and assigns hereby fully release, remise, acquit and forever discharge the KCATA and its commissioners, officers, directors, attorneys, employees, agents, representatives and its respective successors and assigns from any and all actions, claims, causes of action, suits, rights, debts, liabilities, accounts, agreements, covenants, contracts, promises, warranties, judgments, executions, demands, damages, costs and expenses, whether known or unknown at this time, of any kind or nature, absolute or contingent, existing at law or in equity, on account of any matter related to this agreement, cause or thing whatsoever that has happened,

developed or occurred before or after you sign and deliver this Contract to KCATA. This release will survive the termination of this Contract.

### 22. LICENSING, LAWS, AND REGULATIONS

- A. The Contractor 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 Services, under this Contract.
- B. 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 but not limited to those as set forth by the Environmental Protection Agency, the Missouri Department of Natural Resources, the Kansas Department of Health and Environmental, the FTA, the Department of Transportation, and the City of Kansas City, Missouri.

# 23. NOTIFICATION AND COMMUNICATION

- A. Communications regarding technical issues and activities of the project shall be exchanged with Vicky Vasquez KCATA's Facilities Manager, at (816) 346-0819 or via e-mail at vvasquez@kcata.org.
- B. 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:	Jen Webb, Procurement Buyer
	Kansas City Area Transportation Authority
	1350 East 17 <sup>th</sup> Street
	Kansas City, MO 64108
If to Contractor:	

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

#### 24. 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.

### 25. 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.

#### 26. PROHIBITED WEAPONS AND MATERIALS

- A. Missouri Revised Statutes, Section 571.107 (RSMo §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.

### 27. 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 accordance with 2 CFR § 200.33, 49 U.S.C. § 5325(g) and 49 CFR part 633. 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, any local municipality, 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.

# 28. REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT

- A. Contractor shall timely submit invoices for work performed each calendar month by the 15<sup>th</sup> day of each subsequent month for work performed the previous month. Invoices requesting payment shall be submitted electronically to KCATA's dedicated Accounts Payable email at <a href="mailto:payme@kcata.org">payme@kcata.org</a>. Invoices shall be numbered, dated, and contain full descriptive information of materials or services furnished per Agreement by and between the Contractor and KCATA. Contractor shall reference KCATA's contract number and FSM number (provided by KCATA to Contractor), the billing period applicable and, if travel expenses, pre-approved before issuance of an Agreement by the Authority, are included for reimbursement, receipts for each line item claimed as reimbursable shall be included with Invoice and/or Payment Application. Contractor agrees the KCATA shall have no contract obligation to pay any contractor invoices submitted to the KCATA more than ninety (90) days from the date the service was performed for the KCATA.
- B. Payment by KCATA shall be made within 30 days after receipt of a proper and timely invoice.
- 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 subcontractor's 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.

### 29. 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.

### 30. SEAT BELT USE POLICY

Contractor agrees to comply with terms of Executive Order No. 13043, "Increasing Seat Belt Use in the United States," April 16, 1997, 23 U.S.C. § 402 note, (62 Fed Reg. 19217); Contractor is encouraged to include those requirements in each subcontract awarded for work relating to this Agreement.

#### 31. 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.

### **32.** 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. The Contractor is responsible for managing and directing the work of the Subcontractors and for all actions of subcontractors performing work under this Contract. Any contact from Subcontractors to KCATA shall be limited to KCATA's Director of Procurement.
- C. 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:

ADA Access Requirements Assignment Civil Rights Conflicts of Interest Dispute Resolution Employee Eligibility Verification Force Majeure General Provisions Headings Prohibited Interests Prohibited Weapons and Materials Record Retention and Access Seat Belt Use Policy Subcontractors Termination Texting While Driving and Distracted Driving

- D. 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.
- E. 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.
- F. KCATA may perform random audits and contact minority subcontractors to confirm the reported DBE participation.

# 33. 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.

# 34. 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 work 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 according to specifications, 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 cost of 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 legal and non-legal 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 this Contract for any reason, and if the Contractor has any property in its possession or under its control belonging to KCATA, the Contractor shall protect and preserve the property or pay KCATA full market value of the property, account for the same, and dispose of it in the manner KCATA directs. Upon termination of this 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.

### 35. 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. § 402 note, (74 Fed. Reg. 51225) and U.S. 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.

#### 36. UNAVOIDABLE DELAYS

- A. 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.
- B. **Notification of Delays.** The Contractor shall notify the Director of Procurement as soon as the Contractor has, or should have, knowledge that an event has occurred which will cause an unavoidable delay. Within five (5) days, the Contractor shall confirm such notice in writing, furnishing as much as detail as is available.
- C. **Request for Extension.** The Contractor agrees to supply, as soon as such data is available, any reasonable proof that is required by the Director of Procurement to make a decision on any request for extension. The Director of Procurement shall examine the request and any documents supplied by the Contractor and shall determine if the Contractor is entitled to an extension and the duration of such extension. The Director of Procurement shall notify the Contractor of its decision in writing.
- D. It is expressly understood and agreed that the Contractor shall not be entitled to damages or compensation, and shall not be reimbursed for losses on account of delays resulting from any cause under this provision, except to the extent the Contractor's delay was attributable to KCATA's non-performance of its duties herein.

Contractor's Initials\_\_\_\_\_

KCATA's Initials \_\_\_\_\_

KCATA's Initials \_\_\_\_\_

# ATTACHMENT D REFERENCES

Provide examples of projects similar in scope that your company has delivered. Make certain that all information requested is provided or the bid may be found **non-responsive**.

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# ATTACHMENT E AFFIDAVIT OF CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLIANCE

(To Be Completed by Prime and Subs)

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

On this	day of	, 2025, before me appeared	, personally known by me or
otherwise p	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 empowe	ered to act w	vith full authority on behalf of the business ent	tity in making this affidavit.

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

### A. Nondiscrimination in Federal Public Transportation Programs.

- 1. Contractor must prohibit:
  - a. discrimination based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex (including sexual orientation, disability, or age;
  - exclusion from participation in employment or a business opportunity for reasons identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332;
  - c. denial of program benefits in employment or a business opportunity identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332; and
  - d. discrimination identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332, including discrimination in employment or a business opportunity identified in 49 U.S.C. § 5332.
- 2. Contractor must follow the most recent edition of FTA Circular 4702.1, "Title VI Requirements and Guidelines for Federal Transit Administration Recipients," to the extent consistent with applicable federal laws, regulations, requirements, and guidance. However, FTA does not require an Indian Tribe to comply with FTA program specific guidelines for Title VI when administering its agreement supported with federal assistance under the Tribal Transit Program.

# B. Nondiscrimination – Title VI of the Civil Rights Act.

- 1. Contractor must prohibit discrimination based on race, color, or national origin;
- Contractor must comply with a) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, et seq.; b)
   U.S. DOT regulations, "Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964," 49 CFR Part 21; and c) Federal transit law, specifically 49
   U.S.C. § 5332.
- 3. Contractor must follow a) the most recent edition of FTA Circular 4702.1, "Title VI Requirements and Guidelines for Federal Transit Administration Recipients," to the extent consistent with applicable federal laws, regulations, requirements, and guidance; b) U.S. DOJ, "Guidelines for the enforcement of Title VI, Civil Rights Act of 1964," 28 C.F.R. § 50.3; and c) all other applicable federal guidance that may be issued.

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### C. Equal Employment Opportunity.

- 1. Federal Requirements and Guidance. Contractor must prohibit discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or national origin; and
  - a. Comply with: (a) Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000e, et seq.;
  - b. Comply with Title I of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101, et seq.;
  - c. Comply with federal transit law, specifically 49 U.S.C. § 5332, as provided in section 12 of FTA's Master Agreement;
  - d. Comply with FTA Circular 4704.1 "Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Requirements and Guidelines for Federal Transit Administration Recipients"; and
  - e. Follow other federal guidance pertaining to EEO laws, regulations, and requirements.
- 2. Indian Tribes. Contractors will recognize that Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended exempts Indian Tribes under the definition of "Employer".
- 3. Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex. The Contractor agrees to comply with all Federal prohibitions against discrimination based on sex, including Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, 20 U.S.C. § 1681, et. seq., U.S. DOT regulations, "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance," 49 CFR part 25; and federal transit law, specifically 49 U.S.C. § 5332.
- 4. Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Age. In accordance with the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, 29 U.S.C. §§ 621-634, U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (U.S.EEOC) regulations, "Age Discrimination in Employment Act," 29 C.F.R. part 1625, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq., which prohibits discrimination against individuals based on age in the administration of Programs, Projects and related activities receiving federal assistance; U. S. Department of Health and Human Services regulations, "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance," 45 C.F. R. part 90, and Federal transit law at 49 U.S.C. §5332.
- 5. Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Disability. In accordance with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. § 794, which prohibits discrimination based on disability in the administration of federally assisted programs, projects or activities; the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), as amended, 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq., the Architectural Barriers Act of 1968, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 4151 et seq., which requires that buildings and public accommodations be accessible to individuals with disabilities; Federal transit law, specifically 49 U.S.C. § 5332, and other applicable federal laws, regulations, and requirements pertaining to access for seniors or individuals with disabilities. The Contractor agrees that it will not discriminate against individuals on the basis of disability. In addition, the Contractor agrees to comply with any implementing requirements FTA may issue.
- 6. Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency. Compliance to provide meaningful access to public transportation services in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, et seq., and its implementing regulation at 28 CFR § 42.405(d), and applicable U.S. Department of Justice guidance.
- 7. Promoting Free Speech and Religious Liberty. All Federal funding must be expended in full accordance with the U.S. Constitution, Federal Law, and statutory and public policy requirements, including but not limited to, those prohibiting discrimination and protecting free speech, religious liberty, public welfare, and the environment.

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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.

	Affiant's Sig	nature	
Subscribed and sworn to me before this _	day of	, 2025.	
Notary Public Signature	Date		

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

# ATTACHMENT F-1 KANSAS CITY AREA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY AFFIDAVIT OF PRIMARY PARTICIPANT'S 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.

State laws/regulations DO NOT require that we participate in a federal work program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security or an equivalent program.

Affiant's signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025

Notary Public

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Seal)

**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. Firms may register at <a href="https://www.e-verify.gov/">https://www.e-verify.gov/</a>

# ATTACHMENT F-2 KANSAS CITY AREA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY AFFIDAVIT OF LOWER-TIER PARTICIPANT'S 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.

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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.

State laws/regulations DO NOT require that we participate in a federal work program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security or an equivalent program.

Affiant's signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_,

Notary Public

My Commission expires: (Seal)

**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. Firms may register at <a href="https://www.e-verify.gov/">https://www.e-verify.gov/</a>

# ATTACHMENT G GUIDELINES FOR COMPLETING KCATA WORKFORCE ANALYSIS/EEO-1 REPORT (Attachment D-2 is to be completed as part of KCATA's online vendor registration process)

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. <u>RACIAL/ETHNIC</u>

- 1. <u>WHITE</u> (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. <u>ASIAN or PACIFIC ISLANDER</u>: 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. <u>AMERICAN INDIAN or ALASKAN NATIVE</u>: 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. <u>TECHNICIANS</u>: Includes computer programmers and operators, drafters, surveyors, highway technicians, inspectors, and kindred workers.
- 4. <u>SALES WORKERS</u>: Includes contract sales representatives, purchasing agents, customer relations representatives and kindred workers.
- 5. **OFFICE and CLERICAL**: Includes secretaries, bookkeepers, clerk typists, payroll clerks, accounts payable clerks, receptionists, switchboard operators and kindred workers.
- 6. <u>CRAFT WORKERS</u> (skilled): Includes mechanics and repairers, electricians, carpenters, plumbers, and kindred workers.
- 7. **<u>OPERATIVES</u>** (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 G-2: KCATA WORK FORCE ANALYSIS/EEO-1 REPORT (To be submitted as part of KCATA's online vendor registration process)

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. This form is also required for subcontractors and major suppliers on a project.

		Number of Employees (Report employees in only one category)													
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Signature of Certifying Official
Company Name

Printed Name and Title
Address/City/State/Zip Code

Date Submitted
Telephone Number/Fax Number

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# ATTACHMENT H NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

### **REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS (RFQ) #G25-7017-26**

State of \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title of Person Signing

Proposer Name

The above-named individual being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he or she is an authorized representative of the above Proposer and that all statements made, and facts set out in this proposal for the above referenced project are true and correct and that the Proposer (firm, person, association, or corporation making the bid) has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive proposal in connection with such proposal or any contract which may result from its acceptance.

Affiant further certifies that Proposer is not financially interested in or financially affiliated with, any other Proposer for the project.

By \_\_\_\_\_\_ personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s)is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(is), and that by his/her/their signatures(s) on the instrument the person(s), or entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this \_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_,2025.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

(Seal)