

Buckman Direct Diversion

341 Caja del Rio

Santa Fe, NM 87506

INVITATION TO BID (ITB)

Granular Activated Carbon Media Changeout

ITB # 23/74/B

NIGP Commodity Code: 89002

Bid Due Date and Time: July 6, 2023, no later than 2:00pm

Bidder MUST complete as applicable and sign the following for their bid to be valid (type or print clearly):

Company Name: _____	Address: _____
dba (if applicable): _____	_____
Co. Email: _____	_____
Co. Phone No.: _____	_____
NM Gross Receipts Tax # (CRS) _____	Federal Tax ID # _____

Payment terms: _____ (e.g., Net 30. Discount will not be considered in computing the low bid, see “Terms and Conditions”

F.O.B. Point must be Destination, unless otherwise indicated in the ITB.

Contractor’s Delivery: _____ (May be considered in the award)

Authorized Signature: _____	Print or type name: _____
Signatory Email: _____	Phone No: _____

It is your responsibility as a bidder to ensure your bid is correct and accurate.

No amendment will be issued later than three (3) days prior to the date for receipt of bids, except an amendment withdrawing the bids or one which includes postponement of the date for receipt of bids.

If applicable, Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following amendment(s):
Amendment No. ____ Dated: _____ Amendment No. ____ Dated: _____

Bids are subject to the “Terms and Conditions” shown on the attached pages of this document, and any additional bidding instructions or requirements. NOTE: if you decide not to bid, do not return this document.

Bids must be submitted electronically, via ShareFile only.
Mailed, Faxed, and Emailed bids will not be accepted.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS
(Unless otherwise specified)

1. **General:** When the City of Santa Fe's Chief Procurement Officer (CPO) or designee approves a purchase document in response to the ITB, a binding contract is created.
2. **Variation in Quantity:** No variation in the quantity of any item called for by this order will be accepted unless such variation has been caused by conditions of loading, shipping, packing or allowances in manufacturing process and then only to the extent, if any, specified in this order.
3. **City Furnished Property:** City furnished property shall be returned to the City upon request in the same condition as received except for ordinary wear, tear and modifications ordered hereunder.
4. **Discounts:** Prompt payment discounts will not be considered in computing the low bid.
5. **Inspection:** Final inspection and acceptance will be made at the destination. Tangible Personal Property (goods) rejected at the destination for nonconformance with specifications shall be removed at the Contractor's risk and expense, promptly after notice of rejection.
6. **Commercial Warranty:** The Contractor agrees that the supplies or services furnished under this order shall be covered by the most favorable commercial warranties the Contractor gives for such to any customer for such supplies or services. The rights and remedies provided herein shall extend to the City and are in addition to and do not limit any rights afforded to the City by any other clause of this order. **Contractor agrees not to disclaim warranties of fitness for a particular purpose of merchantability.**
7. **Taxes:** Price shall not include State gross receipts tax or local option tax. Such tax or taxes shall be added at time of invoicing at current rate and shown as a separate item to be paid by the Requesting Department.
8. **Packing, Shipping, and Invoicing:**
 - A. The City's purchasing document number and the Contractor's name, Requesting Department's name and location shall be shown on each packing and delivery ticket, package, bill of lading, and other correspondence in connection with the shipments. The Requesting Department's count will be accepted by the Contractor as final and conclusive on all shipments not accompanied by packing tickets.
 - B. The Contractor's invoice shall be submitted duly certified and shall contain the following information: order number, description of supplies or services, quantities, unit price and extended totals. Separate invoices shall be rendered for each complete shipment.
 - C. Invoices must be submitted to the Requesting Department and NOT to the City CPO.
9. **Non-Collusion:** In signing this bid the Contractor certifies they have not, either directly or indirectly, entered into action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this bid submitted to the CPO or designee.
10. **Default:** The City reserves the right to cancel all or any part of this order without cost to the City, if the Contractor fails to meet the provisions of this order and, except as otherwise provided herein, to hold the Contractor liable for any excess cost occasioned by the City due to the Contractor's default. The Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs if failure to perform the order arises out of causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor, such causes include but are not restricted to, acts of God or the public enemy, acts of the City, State, or Federal Government, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, unusually severe weather and defaults of subcontractors due to any of the above, unless the City shall determine that the supplies or services to be furnished by the subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit the Contractor to meet the required delivery scheduled. The rights of the City provided in this paragraph shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights now being provided by law or under this order.
11. **Nondiscrimination:** Contractor doing business with the City must follow the Federal Civil Rights Act of 1964 and Title VII of the Act (Rev. 1979) and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-336).
12. **Penalties:** Sections NMSA 1978, §§ 13-1-28 through 13-1-199, imposes civil and criminal penalties for its violation. In addition, the New Mexico criminal statutes impose felony penalties for bribes, gratuities, and kickbacks.
13. **Payment Provisions: All payments under this Agreement are subject to the following provisions.**
 - A. **Acceptance** - In accordance with Section NMSA 1978, § 13-1-158, the City shall determine if the product or services provided meet specifications. Until the products or services have been accepted in writing by the City, the City shall not pay for any products or services. Unless otherwise agreed upon between the City and the Contractor, within thirty (30) days from the date the City receives written notice from the

Contractor that payment is requested for services or within thirty (30) days from the receipt of products, the City shall issue a written certification (by letter or email) of complete or partial acceptance or rejection of the products or services. Unless the City gives notice of rejection within the specified time period, the products or services will be deemed to have been accepted.

- B. **Payment of Invoice** - Upon acceptance that the products or services have been received and accepted, payment shall be tendered to the Contractor within thirty (30) days after the date of invoice. After the thirtieth day from the date that written certification of acceptance is issued, late payment charges shall be paid on the unpaid balance due on the contract to the Contractor at the rate of 1.5 % per month. Contractor may submit invoices for payment no more frequently than monthly. Payment will be made to the Contractor's designated mailing address. Payment on each invoice shall be due within 30 days from the date of the acceptance of the invoice. The City agrees to pay in full the balance shown on each account's statement, by the due date shown on said statement.

14. **Items:** All bid items are to be NEW and of most current production, unless otherwise specified.
15. **Workers' Compensation:** The Contractor agrees to comply with State laws and rules pertaining to Workers' Compensation benefits for their employees. If the Contractor fails to comply with Workers' Compensation Act and applicable rules when required to do so, this Agreement may be terminated by the City.
16. **Contractor Personnel:** Personnel proposed in the Contractor's written bid to the Requesting Department are considered material to any work performed under this Agreement. Once a Purchase Order or contract has been executed, no changes of personnel will be made by the Contractor without prior written consent of the Requesting Department. Replacement of any Contractor personnel, if approved, shall be with personnel of equal ability, experience, and qualifications. The Contractor will be responsible for any expenses incurred in familiarizing the replacement personnel to insure their being productive to the project immediately upon receiving assignments. Approval of replacement personnel shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Requesting Department shall retain the right to request the removal of any of the Contractor's personnel at any time.
17. **Records and Audit:** The Contractor shall maintain detailed time and expenditure records that indicate the date, time, nature, and cost of services rendered during this Agreement's term and effect and retain them for a period of three (3) years from the date of final payment under this Agreement. The records shall be subject to inspection by the Requesting Department and the City. The Requesting Department shall have the right to audit billings, both before and after payment. Payment for services under this Agreement shall not foreclose the right of the Requesting Department to recover excessive or illegal payments.
18. **Subcontracts:** The foregoing requirements for Contractor Personnel, Subcontracting, and Audit shall be inserted into all subcontracts from the prime contractor to the subcontractor.

IMPORTANT BIDDING INFORMATION:

Solicitation packets are available at the following website: https://www.santafenm.gov/bids_rfps

BID SUBMISSION:

Submission of Bid: Due Date – July 6, 2013, 2023 at 2:00 P.M. (MST/MDT) at which time the sealed Bids will be recorded as received and opened.

Complete bid documents, as required, by this ITB. **ALL** Specifications, submittal required documentation, supporting materials, certificates, etc. in addition to the bid documents must be attached to form a complete responsive bid. (NMSA 1978, §§ 13-1-82 through 13-1-84 and 13-1-133)

Electronic bid submissions through the following City of Santa Fe ShareFile upload:

<https://cityofsantafenm.sharefile.com/r-r2e1c990e0b104cada29f9959d0ebfbcc>

- It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure all documents are completely uploaded and submitted electronically via the ShareFile upload submission by the deadline set forth in this ITB. Such electronic submissions will be considered sealed bids in accordance with statute. **Note:** It is the responsibility of the Bidder to ensure bids are

correct and accurate before submission. By bidding electronically, you acknowledge all amendments and it is your responsibility to ensure your bid corresponds with any amendments.

- If an amendment is processed after bid is submitted, Bidders must resubmit their bid in order for it to be considered fully submitted.
- Please ensure that you, as the Bidder, allow adequate time for large uploads and to fully complete your submittal by the deadline. A submission that is not both: (1) fully complete; and (2) received, via email by the deadline, will be deemed late. Further, a submission that is not fully complete by the deadline because the response was captured, blocked, filtered, quarantined, or otherwise prevented from reaching the proper destination server by any anti-virus or other security software will be deemed late.

All Bids received after the due date and time will be rejected and will remain unopened. **NO LATE BID CAN BE ACCEPTED.**

Chief Procurement Officer (CPO): If you are an individual with a disability and you require accommodation such as closed captioning, please contact the CPO or designee at least five (5) working days prior to the scheduled bid opening.

CPO contact information is:
Travis Dutton-Leyda
Chief Procurement Officer
City of Santa Fe
tkduttonleyda@santafenm.gov

Any inquiries or requests regarding this procurement should be submitted, in writing, to the Department Contact AND the Central Purchasing Office at the following email addresses:

Department Contact: Monique Maes, mmmaes@santafenm.gov
Central Purchasing Office: purchasing_ITB@santafenm.gov

Bidders may contact **ONLY** the Department Contact and the Central Purchasing Office regarding this procurement and its terminology. All other city employees do not have the authority to respond.

Protests of the solicitation or award must be submitted in writing to the CPO. The CPO of the City of Santa Fe is the only authority for formal review and determination of a protest pursuant to NMSA 1978, §13-1-172, and Procurement Manual Section Y; **ONLY protests delivered directly to the CPO in writing and in a timely fashion will be considered to have been submitted properly and in accordance with statute, rule, and this ITB.** Protests submitted or delivered to the CPO will **NOT** be considered properly submitted.

Bidders shall promptly notify the CPO or designee of any ambiguity, inconsistency, or error which they may discover upon examination of the bid. Any response made by the City will be provided in writing to all contractors by addendum, no verbal responses shall be authoritative.

BID OPENING: Bid opening will be accomplished through a Zoom meeting as follows:

Date: July 6, 2023
Time: 2:00 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)
Join Zoom Meeting @:

<https://santafenm-gov.zoom.us/j/84208314187?pwd=dkx0ZHZmc3k3ZVpKOTdwdEU0aDRNQOT09>

Meeting ID: 842 0831 4187
Passcode: 408444
One tap mobile

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- +1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma)
- +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)
- +1 669 444 9171 US
- +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose)
- +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)
- +1 360 209 5623 US
- +1 386 347 5053 US
- +1 507 473 4847 US
- +1 564 217 2000 US
- +1 646 931 3860 US
- +1 689 278 1000 US
- +1 929 205 6099 US (New York)
- +1 301 715 8592 US (Washington DC)
- +1 305 224 1968 US
- +1 309 205 3325 US

Meeting ID: 842 0831 4187

Passcode: 408444

Find your local number: <https://santafenm-gov.zoom.us/j/84208314187>

All Bidders must notify the CPO or designee if any employee(s) of the requesting Department or the office of CPO have a financial interest in the Bidder:

No financial interest **Yes financial interest**

If yes specify by name: _____

Rejection of Bids: The CPO or designee shall have the right to reject any or all bids, and to reject a bid not accompanied by the data required by this bidding document, or a bid which is in any way incomplete or irregular.,

Brand Name or Equal: Where a brand name or equal is indicated, it is for the purpose of describing the standard of quality, performance, and characteristics desired and is not intended to restrict competition. “No substitute” specifications may be authorized ONLY if required to match existing equipment.

If bidding “equivalent” bidders must be prepared to furnish “complete data” upon request, preferably with bid, to avoid delay in award.

Prohibit Bidding: If any Bidder is of the opinion that the specifications as written preclude him from submitting a bid on this ITB, it is requested that his opinion be made known to the CPO or designee, in writing, at least seven (7) days prior to the bid opening date.

Responsible Bidder: Bidders must, upon request of the CPO or designee, provide information and data to prove that the financial resources, production of service facilities, service reputation and experience are adequate to make satisfactory delivery of the materials and/or services. the CPO or designee reserves the right to require a Bidder to furnish a Performance Bond prior to award, where the Bidder is unable to furnish the required information or data, or for other reasons which would insure proper performance by the Bidder.

Samples: Unless otherwise indicated in the bid specifications, samples of the items, when required, shall be free of expense to the City. Samples not destroyed or mutilated in testing will be returned upon request, at Bidders expense. Each sample must be labeled to clearly show the bid number and item number that it pertains to. Unsolicited bid samples or descriptive

literature, which is submitted at the Bidder's risk, will not be returned.

Bid tabulations: Bid tabs will be posted to our website within 14 days after the bid opening date. To access go to https://www.santafenm.gov/bid_tabulations

AWARDS:

Determination of Lowest Bidder – Following determination of product acceptability, if any is required, bids will be evaluated to determine which Bidder offers the lowest cost to the City in accordance with the specifications and terms & conditions set forth in the Bid. The City reserves the right to award this Bid in total; by groups of items; on the basis of individual items; any combination of these which could result in a multiple award; or as otherwise specified in bid specifications; whichever, in their judgment, best serves the interest of the City.

The CPO or designee shall have the right to waive technical irregularities, and to award to the Bidder whose bid is deemed to be in the best interest of the City.

Special Notice – To preclude any possible errors and/or misinterpretations, bid prices must be affixed legibly in ink or typewritten. Corrections or changes must be signed or initialed by Bidder prior to the scheduled bid opening; failure to do so will be just cause for rejection of bid.

Bids may be withdrawn upon receipt of written request, prior to scheduled bid opening for the purpose of making any corrections and/or changes; such corrections must be properly identified and signed or initialed by Bidder. Resubmittal must be prior to scheduled bid opening for consideration.

After bid opening, no modifications on bid prices or other provisions of bid shall be permitted. A low Bidder alleging a material mistake of fact after bids have been opened may be permitted to withdraw the bid upon written request prior to award at the discretion of the CPO or designee.

F.O.B. Destination – Means goods are to be delivered to the destination designated by the Requesting Department which is the point at which the Requesting Department accepts ownership or title of the goods. Laws of New Mexico specifically prohibit acceptance of ownership of goods in transit. Any exception to F.O.B. Destination may cause bid to be declared nonresponsive.

Doing business with the city: We appreciate your interest in submitting bids to the City. Please note that all vendors who wish to do business with the City are required to register with the City and obtain a business license before any awards can be made.

To register, please visit the websites linked below and follow the instructions provided. Once you have completed the registration process and obtained your license, you will be eligible to work on City projects, provide services, and goods.

Vendor Registration: <https://cityofsantafenmvendors.munisselfservice.com/Vendors/default.aspx>

Business License: <https://santafenm.gov/land-use/doing-business-with-the-city>

If you are interested in receiving solicitations from the City, email: purchasing_info@santafenm.gov with the company name, contact person, telephone number and the list of commodities you offer.

Living Wage:

Compliance with the City of Santa Fe and Santa Fe County's Minimum Wage Rate Ordinances (Living Wage Ordinances). The vendor must comply with the current living wage rate and requirements posted on this page <https://santafenm.gov/economic-development/business-resources/living-wage-information>

STATEMENT OF WORK:

Orders:

Under the terms and conditions of this Agreement the City may issue orders for items described herein. The terms and conditions shall form a part of each order issued hereunder.

The items to be ordered shall be as listed in the Price Schedule. All orders issued hereunder will bear both an order number and the Purchase Order Number.

Only written signed orders are valid.

Items and/or services furnished hereunder shall conform to the requirements of specifications and/or drawings applicable to items listed under the Price Schedule. Orders issued against this schedule will show the applicable item(s), number(s), and price(s); however, they may not describe the item(s) fully.

Shipping and Billing Instructions:

The Contractor shall ship in accordance with the following instructions: Shipment shall be made only against specific orders which the Requesting Department may place with the Contractor during the term; The Contractor shall enclose a packing list with each shipment listing the order number, Agreement number and the commercial parts number (if any) for each item; delivery shall be made as indicated by the Requesting Department. If contractor is unable to meet stated delivery the CPO or designee must be notified.

Term:

The term of this Agreement shall be awarded for four (4) years from the date of final approval signature. This Agreement shall not exceed four (4) years.

Tax Note:

Prices submitted by the Bidder shall not include State Gross Receipts Tax (GRT) or Local Option Tax. Applicable NMGR rate will be applied and paid as determined by NM Taxation and Revenue Department at time of service.

If applicable, the Awarded Vendor(s) shall add applicable NMGR or Local Option Tax to their invoice at the current rates at the time of service as a separate line item to be paid by the City.

Insurance Requirements:

The Awarded Contractor shall procure and maintain at the Awarded Vendor's own expense, insurance of the kinds and in amounts herein required. This insurance shall be provided by insurance companies authorized to do business in the State of New Mexico and shall cover all operations under the Agreement, whether performed by the Awarded Vendor, the Awarded Vendor's agents, or employees, or by subcontractors. All insurance provided shall remain in full force and effect for the entire period of the work, up to and including final acceptance, and the removal of all equipment, employees, agents, and subcontractors therefrom.

Bidding Information:

The conditions and specifications set out in this ITB are inseparable and indivisible. Any Bidder, by submitting a bid, agrees to be bound by all such conditions and/or specifications. All conditions and specifications in the ITB, and all other documents required to be submitted, shall be submitted by the Bidder in their bid package. Failure to do so or any attempt to vary or change the conditions or specifications of the ITB shall, at the discretion of the City of Santa Fe, constitute grounds for rejection of the entire bid.

The prices quoted herein represent the total compensation to be paid by the City of Santa Fe for goods and/or services provided. It is understood that the Bidder providing said goods and/or services to the City of Santa Fe is responsible for payment of all costs of labor, equipment, tools, materials, federal taxes, permits, licenses, fees, and any other items necessary to complete the work provided. The prices quoted in this Agreement include an amount sufficient to cover such costs. When bidding, enter the amounts for the respective bid item unit prices to a maximum of three (3) decimal places.

The Awarded Contractor shall be considered an independent entity and not an employee of the City of Santa Fe. The Department shall provide directions regarding the time and place of performance and compliance with rules and regulations required by this Agreement.

All interested Bidders, at a minimum, must be able to provide the products and/or services identified within the scope of work of this ITB.

Bidder shall promptly notify the City of any ambiguity, inconsistency, or error which they may discover upon the examination of the bidding documents, or of site and local conditions.

The City shall have the right to reject any or all bids, and in particular, to reject a bid not accompanied by data, literature or samples required by the bidding documents, or a bid in any way incomplete or irregular.

IMPORTANT: NO ADDITIONAL TERMS AND/OR CONDITIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED

SPECIFICATIONS:

The City of Santa Fe is seeking bids for the provision of Granulated Activated Carbon Changeout.

Replace Calgon Filtrasorb 820 media in two GAC contactors. The media must be Calgon Filtrasorb 820 in order to accomplish the water quality that is required. The filter media will be removed from the GAC filters and will be dumped onsite at a location designated by the Department. After removal, underdrains will be inspected to ensure proper flow. Once inspection is completed, new Calgon Filtrasorb 820 media is to be installed, with proper backwashing, in the two GAC contactors. Each contactor holds 70,000 lbs. of media which totals to 140,000 lbs. that will be replaced.

PRICE SCHEDULE:



DRAFT AGREEMENT

The Agreement included in this Appendix C represents the agreement the City intends to use to make an award. The City of Santa Fe reserves the right to make minor modifications to the Agreement prior to, or during, the award process, as necessary.

**BUCKMAN DIRECT DIVERSION
GENERAL SERVICES CONTRACT**

THIS GENERAL SERVICES CONTRACT ("Contract") is made and entered into by and between the Buckman Direct Diversion Board ("BDDDB"), and <TBD> herein after referred to as the ("Contractor").

IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BETWEEN THE PARTIES:

1. Definitions

A. "Products and Services Schedule" refers to the complete list of products and services offered under this Contract and the price for each. Product and service descriptions may be amended with the prior approval of the Contract Administrator. New products and services shall not be added to the Products and Services Schedule.

B. "Business Hours" means 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Mountain Time.

C. "You" and "your" refers to (Contract Name, Granulated Activated Carbon). "We," "us" or "our" refers to the BDDDB and whose accounts are created under this Contract .

2. Scope of Work

Replace Calgon Filtrasorb 820 media in two GAC contactors. The media must be Calgon Filtrasorb 820 in order to accomplish the water quality that is required. The filter media will be removed from the GAC filters and will be dumped onsite at a location designated by the Department. After removal, underdrains will be inspected to ensure proper flow. Once inspection is completed, new Calgon Filtrasorb 820 media is to be installed, with proper backwashing, in the two GAC contactors. Each contactor holds 70,000 lbs. of media which totals to 140,000 lbs. that will be replaced.

3. Compensation

The BDDDB shall pay to Contractor based upon fixed prices for the Deliverable item as listed below.

Deliverable item:	Lump Sum	Price
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Remove filter media, inspect underdrains and install GAC media in contactors. Price includes freight and support.

_____ \$ _____

The total compensation under this Contract shall not exceed [Insert Dollar Amount] [CHOICE #1- excluding New Mexico gross receipts tax. CHOICE #2 – including New Mexico gross receipts tax.]

4. Payment Provisions

All payments under this Contract are subject to the following provisions.

A. Acceptance – In accordance with Section 13-1-158 NMSA 1978, the BDDB shall determine if the product or services provided meet specifications. Until the products or services have been accepted in writing by the City of Santa Fe ("City"), the BDDB shall not pay for any products or services. Unless otherwise agreed upon between the BDDB and Contractor, within thirty (30) days from the date the BDDB receives written notice from Contractor that payment is requested for services or within thirty (30) days from the receipt of products, the BDDB shall issue a written certification (by letter or email) of complete or partial acceptance or rejection of the products or services. Unless the BDDB gives notice of rejection within the specified time period, the products or services will be deemed to have been accepted.

B. Payment of Invoice – Upon acceptance that the products or services have been received and accepted, payment shall be tendered to Contractor within thirty (30) days after the date of invoice. After the thirtieth (30th) day from the date that written certification of acceptance is issued, late payment charges shall be paid on the unpaid balance due on the contract to Contractor at the rate of 1.5 % per month. Contractor may submit invoices for payment no more frequently than monthly. Payment will be made to Contractor's designated mailing address. Payment on each invoice shall be due within thirty (30) days from the date of the acceptance of the invoice. The BDDB agrees to pay in full the balance shown on each account's statement, by the due date shown on said statement.

5. Term

THIS CONTRACT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE WHEN APPROVED IN WRITING BY THE CITY. This Contract shall begin on date approved by the BDDB, and end on [REDACTED]. The BDDB reserves the right to renew the Contract on an annual basis by mutual agreement not to exceed a total of four (4) years in accordance with NMSA 1978, §§ 13-1-150 through 152.

6. Default and Force Majeure

The BDDB reserves the right to cancel all or any part of any orders placed under this contract without cost to the BDDB, if Contractor fails to meet the provisions of this contract and, except as otherwise provided herein, to hold Contractor liable for any excess cost occasioned by the BDDB due to Contractor's default. Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs if failure to perform the order arises out of causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of Contractor; such causes include, but are not restricted to, acts of God or the public enemy, acts of the State or Federal Government, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, unusually severe weather and defaults of sub-contractors due to any of the above, unless the BDDB shall determine that the supplies or services to be furnished by the sub-contractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit Contractor to meet the required delivery scheduled. The rights and remedies of the BDDB provided in this paragraph shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights now being provided by law or under this Contract.

7. Termination

A. Grounds. The BDDB may terminate this Contract for convenience or cause. Contractor may only terminate this Agreement based upon the City's uncured, material breach of this Contract.

B. Notice; BDD Opportunity to Cure.

1) Except as otherwise provided in Paragraphs 7.A and 17, the BDD shall give Contractor written notice of termination at least thirty (30) days prior to the intended date of termination.

2) Contractor shall give BDDB written notice of termination at least thirty (30) days prior to the intended date of termination ("Notice of Termination"), which notice shall (i) identify all the City's material breaches of this Contract upon which the termination is based and (ii) state what the BDDB must do to cure such material breaches. Contractor's Notice of Termination shall only be effective (i) if the BDDB does not cure all material breaches within the thirty (30) day notice period or (ii) in the case of material breaches that cannot be cured within thirty (30) days, the BDDB does not, within the thirty (30) day notice period, notify Contractor of its intent to cure and begin with due diligence to cure the material breach.

3) Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Contract may be terminated immediately upon written notice to Contractor (i) if Contractor becomes unable to perform the services contracted for, as determined by the City; (ii) if, during the term of this Contract, Contractor is suspended or debarred by the City; or (iii) the Contract is terminated pursuant to Paragraph 17, "Appropriations," of this Contract.

C. Liability. Except as otherwise expressly allowed or provided under this Contract, the City's sole liability upon termination shall be to pay for acceptable work performed prior to Contractor's receipt or issuance of a Notice of Termination; provided, however, that a Notice of Termination shall not nullify or otherwise affect either party's liability for pre-termination defaults under or breaches of this Contract. Contractor shall submit an invoice for such work within thirty (30) days of receiving or sending the Notice of Termination. *THIS PROVISION IS NOT EXCLUSIVE AND DOES NOT WAIVE THE CITY'S OTHER LEGAL RIGHTS AND REMEDIES CAUSED BY CONTRACTOR'S DEFAULT/BREACH OF THIS CONTRACT.*

8. Amendment

A. This Contract shall not be altered, changed or amended except by instrument in writing executed by the parties hereto and all other required signatories.

B. If the BDDB proposes an amendment to the Contract to unilaterally reduce funding due to budget or other considerations, Contractor shall, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the proposed Amendment, have the option to terminate the Contract, pursuant to the termination provisions as set forth in Paragraph 7 herein, or to agree to the reduced funding.

9. Status of Contractor

Contractor, and Contractor's agents and employees, are independent contractors for the BDDB and are not employees of the City. Contractor, and Contractor's agents and employees, shall not accrue leave, retirement, insurance, bonding, use of BDDB vehicles, or any other benefits afforded to employees of the BDDB as a result of this Contract. Contractor acknowledges that all

sums received hereunder are personally reportable by Contractor for income tax purposes, including without limitation, self-employment tax and business income tax. Contractor agrees not to purport to bind the BDDB unless Contractor has written authority to do so, and then only within the strict limits of that authority.

10. Assignment

Contractor shall not assign or transfer any interest in this Contract or assign any claims for money due or to become due under this Contract without the prior written approval of the City.

11. Subcontracting

Contractor shall not subcontract any portion of the services to be performed under this Agreement without the prior written approval of the City. No such subcontract shall relieve the Contractor from its obligations and liabilities under this Contract, nor shall any subcontract obligate direct payment from the City.

12. Non-Collusion

In signing this Contract, Contractor certifies Contractor has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this offer submitted to the City.

13. Inspection of Plant

The BDDB may inspect, at any reasonable time during Contractor's regular business hours and upon prior written notice, Contractor's plant or place of business, or any subcontractor's plant or place of business, which is related to the performance of this Contract.

14. Commercial Warranty

Contractor agrees that the tangible personal property or services furnished under this Agreement shall be covered by the most favorable commercial warranties Contractor gives to any customer for such tangible personal property or services, and that the rights and remedies provided herein shall extend to the BDDB and are in addition to and do not limit any rights afforded to the BDDB by any other clause of this order. Contractor agrees not to disclaim warranties of fitness for a particular purpose or merchantability.

15. Condition of Proposed Items

Where tangible personal property is a part of this Contract, all proposed items are to be NEW and of most current production, unless otherwise specified.

16. Records and Audit

During the term of this Contract and for three years thereafter, Contractor shall maintain detailed records pertaining to the services rendered and products delivered. These records shall be subject to inspection by the City, the State Auditor and other appropriate state and federal authorities.

The BDDB shall have the right to audit billings both before and after payment. Payment under this Contract shall not foreclose the right of the BDDB to recover excessive or illegal payments.

17. Appropriations

The terms of this Contractor, and any orders placed under it, are contingent upon sufficient appropriations and authorization being made by the BDDB for the performance of this Contract. If sufficient appropriations and authorization are not made by the legislature, this Contract, and any orders placed under it, shall terminate upon written notice being given by the BDDB to Contractor. The City's decision as to whether sufficient appropriations are available shall be accepted by Contractor and shall be final. If the BDDB proposes an amendment to the Contract to unilaterally reduce funding, Contractor shall have the option to terminate the Contract or to agree to the reduced funding, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the proposed amendment.

18. Release

Contractor, upon final payment of the amount due under this Contract, releases the City, its officers and employees, from all liabilities, claims and obligations whatsoever arising from or under this Contract. Contractor agrees not to purport to bind the City, unless Contractor has express written authority to do so, and then only within the strict limits of that authority.

19. Confidentiality

Any confidential information provided to or developed by Contractor in the performance of this Contract shall be kept confidential and shall not be made available to any individual or organization by Contractor without prior written approval by the City.

20. Conflict of Interest

A. Contractor represents and warrants that it presently has no interest and, during the term of this Agreement, shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance or services required under the Contract. Contractor shall comply with any applicable provisions of the New Mexico Governmental Conduct Act and the New Mexico Financial Disclosures Act.

B. Contractor further represents and warrants that it has complied with, and, during the term of this Agreement, will continue to comply with, and that this Contract complies with all applicable provisions of the Governmental Conduct Act, Chapter 10, Article 16 NMSA 1978.

C. Contractor's representations and warranties in Paragraphs A and B of this Paragraph are material representations of fact upon which the BDDB relied when this Contract was entered into by the parties. Contractor shall provide immediate written notice to the BDDB if, at any time during the term of this Contract, Contractor learns that Contractor's representations and warranties in Paragraphs A and B of this Paragraph 20 were erroneous on the effective date of this Contract or have become erroneous by reason of new or changed circumstances. If it is later determined that Contractor's representations and warranties in Paragraphs A and B of this Paragraph 20 were erroneous on the effective date of this Contract or have become erroneous by reason of new or

changed circumstances, in addition to other remedies available to the BDDB and notwithstanding anything in the Contract to the contrary, the BDDB may immediately terminate the Contract.

D. All terms defined in the Governmental Conduct Act have the same meaning in this section.

21. Approval of Contractor Representative(s)

The BDDB reserves the right to require a change in Contractor representative(s) if the assigned representative(s) are not, in the opinion of the City, adequately serving the needs of the City.

22. Scope of Agreement; Merger

This Contract incorporates all the agreements, covenants, and understandings between the parties hereto concerning the subject matter hereof, and all such covenants, agreements and understandings have been merged into this written Contract. No prior agreements or understandings, verbal or otherwise, of the parties or their agents shall be valid or enforceable unless embodied in this Contract.

23. Notices

The Procurement Code, Sections 13-1-28 through 13-1-199 NMSA 1978, imposes civil and criminal penalties for its violation. In addition, the New Mexico criminal statutes impose felony penalties for bribes, gratuities and kickbacks.

24. Equal Opportunity Compliance

Contractor agrees to abide by all federal and state laws, and local Ordinances, pertaining to equal employment opportunity. In accordance with all such laws, rules, and regulations, Contractor agrees to assure that no person in the United States shall on the grounds of race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, age, physical or mental handicap, or serious medical condition, spousal affiliation, sexual orientation or gender identity, be excluded from employment with or participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity performed under this Contract. If Contractor is found not to be in compliance with these requirements during the life of this Contract, Contractor agrees to take appropriate steps to correct these deficiencies.

25. Indemnification

Contractor shall hold the BDDB and its employees harmless and shall indemnify the BDDB and its employees against any and all claims, suits, actions, liabilities and costs of any kind, including attorney's fees for personal injury or damage to property arising from the acts or omissions of Contractor, its agents, officers, employees or subcontractors. Contractor shall not be liable for any injury or damage as a result of any negligent act or omission committed by the City, its officers or employees.

26. **New Mexico Tort Claims Act**

Any liability incurred by the BDDDB in connection with this Contract is subject to the immunities and limitations of the New Mexico Tort Claims Act, Section 41-4-1, et. seq. NMSA 1978, as amended. The BDDDB and its “public employees” as defined in the New Mexico Tort Claims Act, do not waive sovereign immunity, do not waive any defense and do not waive any limitation of liability pursuant to law. No provision in this Contract modifies or waives any provision of the New Mexico Tort Claims Act.

27. **Applicable Law**

The laws of the State of New Mexico shall govern this Contract, without giving effect to its choice of law provisions. Venue shall be proper only in a New Mexico court of competent jurisdiction in accordance with NMSA 1978, § 38-3-2. By execution of this Contract, Contractor acknowledges and agrees to the jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New Mexico over any and all lawsuits arising under or out of any term of this Contract.

28. **Limitation of Liability**

Contractor's liability to the City, for any cause whatsoever shall be limited to the purchase price paid to Contractor for the products and services that are the subject of the City's, claim. The foregoing limitation does not apply to paragraph 25 of this Contractor or to damages resulting from personal injury caused by Contractor's negligence.

29. **Incorporation by Reference and Precedence**

If this Contract has been procured pursuant to a request for proposals, this Contract is derived from (1) the request for proposal, (including any written clarifications to the request for proposals and any BDDDB response to questions); (2) Contractor's best and final offer; and (3) Contractor's response to the request for proposals.

In the event of a dispute under this Contract, applicable documents will be referred to for the purpose of clarification or for additional detail in the following order of precedence: (1) amendments to the Contract in reverse chronological order; (2) the Contract, including the Scope of Work and all terms and conditions thereof; (3) the request for proposals, including attachments thereto and written responses to questions and written clarifications; (4) Contractor's best and final offer if such has been made and accepted by the City; and (5) Contractor's response to the request for proposals.

30. **Workers' Compensation**

Contractor agrees to comply with state laws and rules applicable to workers' compensation benefits for its employees. If Contractor fails to comply with the Workers' Compensation Act and applicable rules when required to do so, this Contract may be terminated by the City.

31. **Inspection**

If this Contract is for the purchase of tangible personal property (goods), final inspection and acceptance shall be made at destination. Tangible personal property rejected at destination for non-

conformance to specifications shall be removed at Contractor's risk and expense promptly after notice of rejection and shall not be allowable as billable items for payment.

32. Inspection of Services

If this Contract is for the purchase of services, the following terms shall apply.

A. Services, as used in this Article, include services performed, workmanship, and material furnished or utilized in the performance of services.

B. Contractor shall provide and maintain an inspection system acceptable to the BDDB covering the services under this Contract. Complete records of all inspection work performed by Contractor shall be maintained and made available to the BDDB and for as long thereafter as the Agreement requires. The BDDB has the right to inspect and test all services contemplated under this Agreement to the extent practicable at all times and places during the term of the Contract. The BDDB shall perform inspections and tests in a manner that will not unduly delay or interfere with Contractor's performance.

C. If the BDDB performs inspections or tests on the premises of Contractor or a subcontractor, Contractor shall furnish, and shall require subcontractors to furnish, at no increase in contract price, all reasonable facilities and assistance for the safe and convenient performance of such inspections or tests.

D. If any part of the services does not conform with the requirements of this Contract, the BDDB may require Contractor to re-perform the services in conformity with the requirements of this Contract at no increase in contract amount. When the defects in services cannot be corrected by re-performance, the BDDB may:

(1) require Contractor to take necessary action(s) to ensure that future performance conforms to the requirements of this Agreement; and

(2) reduce the contract price to reflect the reduced value of the services performed.

E. If Contractor fails to promptly re-perform the services or to take the necessary action(s) to ensure future performance in conformity with the requirements of this Contract, the BDDB may:

(1) by contract or otherwise, perform the services and charge to Contractor any cost incurred by the BDDB that is directly related to the performance of such service; or

(2) terminate the Contract for default.

33. Insurance

If the services contemplated under this Contract will be performed on or in BDDB facilities or property, Contractor shall maintain in force during the entire term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage(s), naming the BDDB as additional insured.

A. Commercial General Liability insurance shall be written on an occurrence basis and be as broad as ISO Form CG 00 01 with limits not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 in the aggregate for claims against bodily injury, personal and advertising injury, and property damage. Said policy shall include broad form Contractual Liability coverage and be endorsed to name the BDDDB or their officials, officers, employees, and agents as additional insureds.

B. Broader Coverage and Limits. The insurance requirements under this Contract shall be the greater of (1) the minimum coverage and limits specified in this Contract, or (2) the broader coverage and maximum limits of coverage of any insurance policy or proceeds available to the named insured. It is agreed that these insurance requirements shall not in any way act to reduce coverage that is broader or that includes higher limits than the minimums required herein. No representation is made that the minimum insurance requirements of this Contract are sufficient to cover the obligations of Contractor hereunder.

C. Contractor shall maintain the above insurance for the term of this Contract and name the BDDDB as an additional insured and provide for thirty (30) days cancellation notice on any Certificate of Insurance form furnished by Contractor. Such certificate shall also specifically state the coverage provided under the policy is primary over any other valid and collectible insurance and provide a waiver of subrogation.

34. Impracticality of Performance

A party shall be excused from performance under this Contract for any period that the party is prevented from performing as a result of an act of God, strike, war, civil disturbance, epidemic, or court order, provided that the party has prudently and promptly acted to take any and all steps that are within the party's control to ensure performance. Subject to this provision, such non-performance shall not be deemed a default or a ground for termination.

35. Invalid Term or Condition

If any term or condition of this Contract shall be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Contract shall not be affected and shall be valid and enforceable.

36. Enforcement of Agreement

A party's failure to require strict performance of any provision of this Contract shall not waive or diminish that party's right thereafter to demand strict compliance with that or any other provision. No waiver by a party of any of its rights under this Contract shall be effective unless express and in writing, and no effective waiver by a party of any of its rights shall be effective to waive any other rights.

37. Patent, Copyright and Trade Secret Indemnification

A. Contractor shall defend, at its own expense, the BDDDB against any claim that any product or service provided under this Contract infringes any patent, copyright to trademark in the United States or Puerto Rico, and shall pay all costs, damages and attorneys' fees that a court finally awards as a result of any such claim. In addition, if any third party obtains a judgment against the BDDDB based upon Contractor's trade secret infringement relating to any product or services provided under this Contract, Contractor agrees to reimburse the BDDDB for all costs, attorneys' fees and amount of the judgment. To qualify for such defense and or payment, the BDDDB shall:

- 1) give Contractor prompt written notice within 48 hours of any claim;
- 2) allow Contractor to control the defense of settlement of the claim;
- 3) cooperate with Contractor in a reasonable way to facilitate the defense or settlement of the claim.

B. If any product or service becomes, or in Contractor's opinion is likely to become the subject of a claim of infringement, Contractor shall at its option and expense:

- 1) provide the BDDB the right to continue using the product or service and fully indemnify the BDDB against all claims that may arise out of the City's use of the product or service;
- 2) replace or modify the product or service so that it becomes non-infringing; or,
- 3) accept the return of the product or service and refund an amount equal to the value of the returned product or service, less the unpaid portion of the purchase price and any other amounts, which are due to Contractor. Contractor's obligation will be void as to any product or service modified by the BDDB to the extent such modification is the cause of the claim.

38. **Survival**

The Contract paragraphs titled "Patent, Copyright, Trademark, and Trade Secret Indemnification; Indemnification; and Limit of Liability" shall survive the expiration of this Contract. Software licenses, leases, maintenance and any other unexpired agreements that were entered into under the terms and conditions of this Contract shall survive this Contract.

39. **Disclosure Regarding Responsibility**

A. Any prospective Contractor and any of its Principals who enter into a contract greater than Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) with any BDDB for professional services, tangible personal property, services or construction agrees to disclose whether Contractor, or any principal of Contractor's company is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for award of contract by any federal entity, state agency or local public body.

B. Principal, for the purpose of this disclosure, means an officer, director, owner, partner, or a person having primary management or supervisory responsibilities within a business entity or related entities.

C. Contractor shall provide immediate written notice to the BDDB if, at any time during the term of this Contract, Contractor learns that Contractor's disclosure was at any time erroneous or became erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

D. A disclosure that any of the items in this requirement exist will not necessarily result in termination of this Contract. However, the disclosure will be considered in the determination of Contractor's responsibility and ability to perform under this Contract. Failure of Contractor to furnish a disclosure or provide additional information as requested will be grounds for immediate

termination of this Contract pursuant to the conditions set forth in Paragraph 7 of this Contract.

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

F. The disclosure requirement provided is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when making an award and is a continuing material representation of the facts during the term of this Contract. If during the performance of the Contract, Contractor is indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by, any government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any offenses named in this Contract, Contractor must provide immediate written notice to the City. If it is later determined that Contractor knowingly rendered an erroneous disclosure, in addition to other remedies available to the Government, the BDDDB may terminate the involved contract for cause. Further the BDDDB may suspend or debar Contractor from eligibility for future solicitations until such time as the matter is resolved to the satisfaction of the City.

40. **Suspension, Delay or Interruption of Work**

The BDDDB may, without cause, order Contractor, in writing, to suspend, delay or interrupt the work in whole or in part for such period of time as the BDDDB may determine. The contract sum and contract time shall be adjusted for increases in cost and/or time associated with Contractor's compliance therewith. Upon receipt of such notice, Contractor shall leave the jobsite and any equipment in a safe condition prior to departing. Contractor must assert rights to additional compensation within thirty (30) days after suspension of work is lifted and return to work is authorized. Any compensation requested for which entitlement is granted and the contract sum adjusted, shall have profit included (for work completed) and for cost only (not profit) for Contractor costs incurred directly tied to the suspension itself and not otherwise covered by contract remedy. Any change in total compensation must be reflected in an amendment executed pursuant to Section 8 of this Contract.

41. **Notification**

Any notices requests, demands, waivers and other communications given as provided in this Contract will be in writing and will be deemed to have been given if delivered in person (including by Federal Express or other personal delivery service), or mailed by certified or registered mail, postage prepaid, and addressed to the following addresses:

To BDDDB: Rick Carpenter, Facilities Manager
341 Caja Del Rio Road
Santa Fe, NM 87506
Email: rrcarpenter@santafenm.gov

With a copy to: Nancy R. Long, Esq.
BDDDB Independent Counsel
Long, Komer & Associates, P.A.
1800 Old Pecos Trail, Ste. A
P. O. Box 5098
Santa Fe, NM 87502-5098
Email: nancy@longkomer.com

To Contractor: Name

Address
Email

Any such notice sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt, shall be deemed to have been duly given and received seventy-two (72) hours after the same is so addressed and mailed with postage prepaid. Notice sent by recognized overnight delivery service shall be effective only upon actual receipt thereof at the office of the addressee set forth above, and any such notice delivered at a time outside of normal business hours shall be deemed effective at the opening of business on the next business day. Notice sent by email shall be effective only upon actual receipt of the original unless written confirmation is sent by the recipient of the email stating that the notice has been received, in which case the notice shall be deemed effective as of the date specified in the confirmation. Any party may change its address for purposes of this paragraph by giving notice to the other party as herein provided. Delivery of any copies as provided herein shall not constitute delivery of notice hereunder.

42. **Succession**

This Contract shall extend to and be binding upon the successors and assigns of the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Contract as of the date of the signature by the required approval authorities below.

Buckman Direct Diversion Board:

CONTRACTOR:

BDDDB Chair, Anna Hamilton

DATE: _____

ATTEST:

COUNTY CLERK

APPROVE AS TO FORM:

Nancy R. Long
BDDDB ATTORNEY

APPROVED FOR FINANCES:

FINANCE DIRECTOR

Org. Name / Org. #

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

NAME

TITLE

DATE: _____

CRS# _____

Registration # _____