

**INVITATION TO BID  
AND  
GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR:**

**HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR PARK DISTRICT**

**2022 ASPHALT WORK AT THREE PARK DISTRICT LOCATIONS:**

**Parks Department, 18900 Kedzie Ave, Flossmoor  
Patriots Park, 187<sup>th</sup> & Center, Homewood  
Indian Trails Park, Riegel Road & Willow Road, Homewood**

**BID OPENING ON:**

**June 15, 2022**

**TIME: 9:00 a.m.**

**LOCATION OF BID OPENING:**

**HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR PARK DISTRICT  
GOLDBERG ADMINISTRATION CENTER  
3301 FLOSSMOOR RD.  
FLOSSMOOR, IL 60422**

**BID BOND REQUIRED**

**Any questions please contact:**

**Doug Boehm  
Superintendent of Parks & Planning  
708/957-0300  
dboehm@hfparks.com**

## INVITATION TO BID

**Homewood-Flossmoor Park District**  
3301 Flossmoor Rd  
Flossmoor, IL 60422

**Re: Asphalt Work at Three Park District Locations**

**Project Locations:**

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The Homewood-Flossmoor Park District (the "District") is accepting bids for asphalt work at three District locations.

Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained beginning **June 3, 2022** in PDF format at the District's website: [www.hfparks.com/bidsrfps](http://www.hfparks.com/bidsrfps), by emailed request to [abrabec@hfparks.com](mailto:abrabec@hfparks.com), or for pick up at the District's Administrative Office at the Goldberg Center, 3301 Flossmoor Road, Flossmoor, IL 60422, Monday – Friday, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm.

Each bid must be placed in a sealed, opaque envelope with the Bidder's name, the date and time of the bid deadline and marked "**Sealed Bid**: – Homewood-Flossmoor Park District 2022 Asphalt Work," and addressed to the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District, 3301 Flossmoor Road, Flossmoor, IL 60422, **Attention: Doug Boehm, Superintendent of Parks & Planning**. Bids will be received until **9:00 a.m. on June 15, 2022**, at which time the bid proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at the Goldberg Administration Center, 3301 Flossmoor Road, Flossmoor, IL 60422.

The Homewood-Flossmoor Park District Board of Park Commissioners reserves the right to waive all technicalities, to accept or reject any or all bids, to accept only portions of a proposal and reject the remainder without disclosure for any reason. Failure to make such a disclosure will not result in accrual of any right, claim or cause of action by any Bidder against the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District.

Bids shall not include federal excise tax or state sales tax for materials and equipment to be incorporated in, or fully consumed in the performance of, the work. An Exemption Certificate will be furnished by the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District on request of the Bidder, for use in connection with this project only.

The Work of this Project is subject to the Illinois *Prevailing Wage Act*, 820 ILCS 130/0.01 *et seq.* A prevailing wage determination has been made by the Illinois Department of Labor for public works projects in Cook County. The Contract entered into for the Work will be drawn in compliance with said law and proposals should be prepared accordingly and provide for payment of all laborers, workmen, and mechanics needed to perform the Work at no less than the prevailing rate of wages (or the prevailing rate for legal holiday and overtime work) for each craft, type of worker, or mechanic.

All bid proposals must be accompanied by a bid bond or bank cashier's check payable to the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District for ten percent (10%) of the amount of the bid as provided in the Instructions to Bidders. No proposals or bids will be considered unless accompanied by such bond or check.

The Contractor selected will also be required to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, rules, regulations and executive orders including but not limited to those pertaining to equal employment opportunity.

The District encourages women and minority business firms to submit bids and encourages bidders to utilize minority businesses for supplies, equipment and services.

Doug Boehm, Superintendent of Parks and Planning  
Homewood-Flossmoor Park District

## INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

### 1. DEFINITIONS

The Homewood-Flossmoor Park District and Owner are one and the same. The Owner's representative, Doug Boehm, can be contacted at the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District by phone or email: (708) 957-0300, [dboehm@hfparks.com](mailto:dboehm@hfparks.com).

The word "Contractor" or "Bidder" shall mean the party bidding for or entering the Contract for the performance of the Work covered by the written Specifications and Drawings, and his/her legal representatives or authorized agents.

### 2. BID FORM

- A. Each bid shall be made on the "Bid Form" furnished by the District. The Bid Form shall be executed properly and all writing, including all signatures, shall be with black ink. Failure to use the Bid Form provided could result in rejection of the bid.
- B. All applicable blank spaces on the "Bid Form" shall be fully completed, including the List of Subcontractors and the Bidder's Reference List, and all amounts shall be in words as well as in figures where applicable.
- C. The bid shall bear the legal name of the business organization. The signatures shall be in longhand and executed by a duly authorized official of the Bidder's organization and the name of the official and title shall be typed below the signature.
- D. Erasures, interlineations, corrections, or other changes on the "Bid Form" shall be explained or noted over the signature of the Bidder. No bid submitted with deviations or reservations from the full contract called for will be considered.
- E. Bidders' prices are to include the delivery of all materials; including plant, equipment, supplies, tools, scaffolding, transportation, insurances, bonds, warranties, and all other items and facilities, and the performance of all labor and services, necessary for the proper completion of the Work except as may be otherwise expressly provided in the Contract Documents. Bids shall not include federal excise tax or state sales tax for materials to be incorporated in, or totally consumed in the prosecution of, the Work. An exemption certificate will be furnished by the Park District upon request of the Bidder.
- F. Bidder must acknowledge all Addenda received in the spaces provided on the Contractor Bid Form. By submitting a bid, Bidder indicates that all considerations issued by Addendum are incorporated in the bid.
- G. Attached to the Bid Form will be the Contractor's Compliance and Certification Attachment regarding the Bidder's compliance with applicable laws. **Failure of a Bidder to complete/submit a required certification shall be the basis for immediate rejection of that Bidder's bid.** The certification of the successful Bidder shall become a part of the Contract with the Park District.
- H. Bid documents shall be delivered or mailed in time for delivery to the foregoing address no later than June 15, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. Oral bids or oral modifications to bids will not be considered. It is the sole responsibility of the Bidder to see that his bid is received in proper time. **No faxed or e-mail bid or modification of a bid will be considered.** The Park District is not responsible for the premature opening of bids not marked as required. Any bid opened prematurely due to the failure of the Bidder to mark the envelope in accordance with these Bid Documents will be considered non-responsive.
- I. No bid can be withdrawn prior to the opening of the bids unless a written request for any such withdrawal, showing good cause for said withdrawal, is first delivered to the District at the foregoing address prior to commencement of the opening of bids. No Bidder may withdraw a bid after opening of the bids.
- J. Bids will be publicly opened on the due date.

### 3. EXAMINATION OF DOCUMENTS AND SITE

Each Bidder shall visit the site(s) of the proposed Work and fully acquaint himself with conditions, as they exist, and shall undertake such additional inquiry and investigation, as he shall deem necessary so that he may fully understand the requirements, facilities, possible difficulties and restrictions attending the execution of the Work under the Contract. Bidder shall thoroughly examine and be familiar with all of the Bid Documents including, but not limited to, the Drawings and the written Specifications. Any conflicts or discrepancies found between or among Bid Documents including, but not limited to, the Drawings and written Specifications and the site conditions, or any errors, omissions or ambiguities in the Drawings or written Specifications shall be immediately reported to the Park District and written clarification requested prior to submission of a bid.

The failure or omission of any Bidder to obtain, receive or examine any form, instrument, or information or to visit the Project site(s), and become knowledgeable with respect to conditions there existing, or to seek needed clarification shall in no way relieve any Bidder from any obligations with respect to his bid. By submitting a bid, the Bidder agrees, represents and warrants that he has undertaken such investigation as he deemed necessary, has examined the site(s) and the Bid Documents, has obtained all needed clarifications and where the Bid Documents indicate in any part of the Work, that a given result be produced, that the Bid Documents are adequate and the required result can be produced as indicated in the Specifications and Drawing(s). Once the award has been made, failure to have undertaken and completed the foregoing tasks shall not be cause to alter the original Contract or to request additional compensation.

#### 4. INTERPRETATIONS

**All questions about the Bid Documents need to be submitted in writing to the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District and shall be received on or before 1:00 p.m. on June 10, 2022.** Submit questions via e-mail to Doug Boehm, [dboehm@hfparks.com](mailto:dboehm@hfparks.com), fax (708) 957-8574, or via mail at 3301 Flossmoor Rd., Flossmoor, IL 60422.

The Park District shall in all cases determine the amount or quantity of the several kinds of Work which are to be paid for under this Contract, and shall decide all questions which may arise relative to the execution of the Contract on the part of the Contractor, and all estimates and decisions shall be final and conclusive. The Park District shall have the right to make alterations in the lines, grades, plans, forms, or dimensions of the Work herein contemplated either before or after the commencement of the Work. If such alterations diminish the quantity of the Work to be done, they shall not constitute a claim for damage or for anticipated profits on the work dispensed with, or if they increase the amount of Work, such increase shall be paid according to the quantity actually done and at the price or prices stipulated for such Work in the Contract. The Park District reserves the right to approve, an equal to or superior to product or equipment required under the Specifications, or to reject as not being and equal to or superior to the product or equipment required under the Specifications. If the Bidder is in doubt as to the interpretation of any part of the Bid Documents, or finds errors, discrepancies or omissions from any part of the Contract Documents, he must submit a written request for interpretation thereof not later than five (5) days prior to opening of bids to the Park District. If an error or omission is discovered in the Bid Documents after the bid opening, the Park District reserves the right: i) to determine whether to require the submission of new bids; or ii) if the error or omission is of such a nature that it was reasonably discoverable upon a careful review of the Bid Documents, to award the Contract to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder as determined by the Park District and to require that Contractor to perform the Work in accordance with an issued correction by the Park District and for the amount bid by the Contractor. Such decisions are final and not subject to recourse. Errors and omissions made by the Bidder cannot be corrected after the bid opening.

#### 5. ADDENDA

Any interpretation, correction to, or addition to the Bid Documents will be made by written Addendum and will be delivered to each prime Bidder of record. The written Addenda constitute the only interpretations of the Bid Documents; the Park District accepts no responsibility for any other claimed interpretations or communications.

It is the responsibility of each Bidder to verify that he has received all Addenda prior to submitting a bid. It is also the responsibility of each Bidder to verify that all subcontractors and material suppliers whose prices are incorporated in the Bidder's bid are familiar with the Bid Documents in their entirety, including all Addenda issued up to the time of bid opening.

In the event a conflict or omission is discovered in the Bid Documents after the issuing of the last Addendum such that an interpretation cannot be issued by the Park District prior to bidding, the Bidder is directed to estimate on and provide the quantity and quality of material and labor consistent with the overall represented and indicated Work so as to provide all materials, equipment, labor, and services necessary for the completion of the Work in accordance with the Bid Documents.

#### 6. SUBSTITUTIONS DURING BIDDING

Unless otherwise indicated, the use of brand names in the Specifications are used for the purpose of establishing a grade or quality. Bidders proposing to use an alternate that is equal to or superior to in every respect the product or material required by the Specifications must request approval in writing to the Park District at least seven (7) business days prior to the bid opening and mark the item as 'or approved equal'.

Additionally, Bidders requesting approval for use of an alternate must provide certification by the manufacturer that the substitute proposed is equal to or superior in every respect to that required by the Contract Documents, and that its in-place performance will be equal to or superior to the product or equipment specified in the application indicated. The Bidder, in submitting the request for substitution, waives the right to additional payment or an extension of Contract Time because of the failure of the substitute to perform as represented in the request for substitution.

The Park District may request additional information or documentation necessary for evaluation of the request for substitution. The Park District will notify all Bidders of acceptance of the proposed substitute by means of an Addendum to the Bid Documents. Park District's approval of a substitute during bidding does not relieve the Contractor of the

responsibility to submit required shop drawings and to comply with all other requirements of the Contract Documents, including but not limited to proper performance of all components of the Work and suitability for the uses specified.

Bids proposing alternates not previously approved by the Park District will be considered non-responsive and rejected. The Park District reserves the right to determine whether a substituted selection, in its judgment, is equal to or better quality and therefore an acceptable alternate. Such decisions are final and not subject to recourse.

#### 7. MODIFICATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS

Bidders may withdraw or cancel their bids at any time prior to the advertised bid opening time by signing and submitting a request for said withdrawal. After the bid opening time, no bid shall be withdrawn or canceled for a period of sixty (60) calendar days.

#### 8. QUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS

Bidders must be able to demonstrate that they: 1) have experience in performing and have successfully performed and are still actively engaged in performing work similar in kind and scope to the Work of the Project; and 2) are able to show that they have adequate laborers and materials to successfully complete the Work as indicated in the Bid Documents and within the time required by the Bid Documents. The Contractor shall not have been debarred or determined ineligible for public contracts by any governmental agency.

The following information must be attached to the bid proposal. Failure to do so may result in disqualification of the Bidder.

- A. On a separate sheet, list all projects your organization has in progress, giving the name of the project, project description, project address, owner and telephone number, architect and telephone number, contract amount, percent complete, and scheduled completion date.
- B. On the Bidder's Reference List form provided herein, list at least three (3) projects your organization has completed in the past five (5) years, which are comparable in scope, giving the name of the project, project description, project address, owner and telephone number.
- C. On the List of Subcontractors form provided herein, provide a list of anticipated subcontractors, if any, including their firm names, addresses and telephone numbers. All subcontractors to be used shall be approved by the Owner. If the Contractor subcontracts any part of the Work for this project, the Contractor shall not under any circumstances be relieved of his liabilities and obligations; any subcontractor for this project will be recognized only in the capacity of an employee of the Contractor.
- D. On a separate sheet, list all administrative proceedings and litigation filed by or against Bidder in the past five (5) years, including the name and case number, name/jurisdiction of the court or administrative agency, and a summary of each claim/case, including current status and if no longer pending, the disposition. The foregoing includes but is not limited to information regarding any proceedings and actions taken by any governmental agency to debar or disqualify the Bidder from bidding on public contracts, including the name of the agency initiating the proceeding/action, the nature of the proceeding/action, the claimed basis for the proceeding/action and the current status or disposition of the proceeding/action.
- E. Other required submittals include: Bid Form; Contractor's Compliance and Certification Attachment/ Substance Abuse Prevention Program Certification. **Failure of a Bidder to complete/submit these documents shall be the basis for immediate rejection of that Bidder's bid.**
- F. The Park District reserves the right to require of any Bidder such information to verify the Bidder's qualifications and financial status and to withhold formal signing of the contract until such information is received.

#### 9. ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF BIDS

The Park District may accept the bid of, and award the contract for the Work to, the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder as determined by and in the sole discretion of the Park District.

The Owner reserves the right to (1) reject all bids; (2) reject only certain bids which are non-conforming or non-responsive to the bid requirements; (3) accept only a portion, part or specific items of Work of all and reject others, as the Owner shall in its sole discretion determine to be in its best interest; and/or (4) award the Contract to the responsible Bidder submitting the lowest bid responsive to the bidding requirements. No bid will be accepted from or Contract awarded to any person, firm or corporation that is in arrears or is in default to the Park District upon any debt or contract, or that is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to said Park District or that has failed to perform faithfully any previous contract with the Park District.

In the event of a rejection of a portion, part, or certain items of Work of all bids, the bid of each Bidder shall automatically be deemed reduced by the amount of such rejected part or item at the unit price or other cost designated therefore by that Bidder on its submitted Contractor Bid Form. The successful Bidder so selected may not refuse to enter into a Contract with the Owner on the basis that the Owner awarded a Contract for less than all portions or items of the Work specified in the Bid Documents. The Homewood-Flossmoor Park District Board of Park Commissioners reserves the right to waive any technicalities or irregularities, and to disregard any informality on the bids and bidding, when in its opinion the best interest of the Park District will be served by such actions and in accordance with applicable law.

#### 10. SURETY

All bids must be accompanied by a bid bond or bank cashier's check payable to the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District for ten percent (10%) of the amount of the bid and drawn on a responsive and responsible bank doing business in the United States. All bids not accompanied by a bid security, when required, will be rejected.

The bid security of all except the three (3) lowest responsive and responsible Bidders will be returned after the decision to accept or reject bids by the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District Board of Park Commissioners. The bid security of the three (3) lowest responsive and responsible Bidders will be returned after acceptance by the Park District of an acceptable Performance Bond, Labor and Materials/Payment Bond and a certificate of insurance naming the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District as the certificate holder and as additional insured from successful Bidder, and the successful Bidder has executed and returned to the Park District the Contract for the Work presented by the Park District.

Prior to beginning Work, the successful Bidder shall furnish a Performance Bond, and Labor and Materials/Payment Bond in the amount of 110% of the Contract Sum, using a form similar to the AIA-A312-2010 form, or its current equivalent, or one acceptable to Owner, cosigned by a surety company licensed to conduct business in the State of Illinois and with at least an "A" rating and a financial rating of at least "X" in the latest edition of the Best Insurance Guide. Said bond shall guarantee the faithful performance of the Work in accordance with the Contract, the payment of all indebtedness incurred for labor and materials, and guarantee correction of Work. The cost of each bond shall be included in the Contract Sum. The Bidder and all Subcontractors shall name the Park District as an obligee on all bonds. Said bonds shall meet the requirements of the Illinois Public Construction Bond Act, 30 ILCS 550/0.01 et seq. and any further amendments thereto. Bidder shall include in its Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond such language as shall guarantee the faithful performance of the Prevailing Wage Act as required in these Bid Documents.

The Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond will become a part of the Contract. The failure of the successful Bidder to enter into the Contract and supply the required bonds and evidence of insurance within ten (10) days after the Contract is presented for signature, or within such extended period as the Park District may grant, shall constitute a default, and the Park District may either award the Contract to the next responsible Bidder, or re-advertise for bids. In the event of a default, the Owner need not return the defaulting Bidder's bid surety and may charge against the defaulting Bidder for the full difference between the amount for the bid and the amount for which a Contract for the Work is subsequently executed, irrespective of whether the amount thus due exceeds the amount of the defaulting Bidder's bid surety, provided that the District's retention of the bid guarantee shall not preclude the District from holding the Bidder fully liable for any and all damages which are in excess of said partial liquidated damages, and which shall otherwise be incurred by the District, including reasonable attorneys' fees, arising from the Bidder's failure to enter into said Contract and to deliver the same back to the District within said ten (10) day period.

#### 11. AWARD OF CONTRACT

Owner will award the Contract to the lowest most responsible and responsive Bidder, as determined by Owner. In considering the Bidder's responsibility, the Owner may evaluate, among other factors, the ability of the Bidder to provide experienced labor sufficient in numbers to timely and properly complete the services, conformity with the Specifications, serviceability, quality, and the financial capability of the Bidder, and the performance of the Bidder on other projects.

The Owner shall have the right to accept Alternates in any order or combination, and to determine the low Bidder on the basis of the sum of the Base Bid and Alternates accepted. Bids will be awarded to one Bidder for the entire Project or to any combination of Bidders for any portion(s) of the Project.

The acceptance of a bid will be by a Notice of Award, signed by a duly authorized representative of the Park District; no other act by the Park District shall constitute the acceptance of a bid. The acceptance of a bid by the Park District shall bind the successful Bidder to execute and perform the Work of the Contract. The successful Bidder to whom the Contract is awarded by the Park District shall sign and deliver to the Park District for execution by the Park District all required copies of the Contract, along with all required insurance and surety documents within ten (10) days after presentation to him of the Contract for signature. In case the Bidder shall fail or neglect to do so, he will be considered as having abandoned the Contract, and as being in default to the Owner. The Owner may thereupon re-advertise or otherwise award said Contract and forfeit the Bid Security.

The Advertisement for Bids, Instructions to Bidders, General Conditions, Special Conditions, if any, Drawings, Specifications, Contractor Bid Form, Addenda, if any, and the Contractors Compliance and Certifications Attachment, comprise the Bid Documents. The Bid Documents, together with the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor for Asphalt Work, substantially in the same form as included in these Bid Documents, the performance and payment bonds, and proof of insurance comprise the Contract Documents.

END OF SECTION 001000

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## 2022 Asphalt Work at Three Park District Locations

### SCOPE OF WORK

- Parks Department, 18900 Kedzie Avenue, Flossmoor
  - Area to be marked in orange paint
  - Repair and replace one existing area of asphalt, and add an adjacent section as marked (see photo). Total approximately 100' x 30'. Do your own actual measurement
  - Remove and haul away existing materials
  - Fine grade with **6" binder** and 1.5" asphalt surface
  
- Patriots Park, 197<sup>th</sup> & Center, Homewood
  - Area to be marked in orange paint
  - Remove and replace one section of walking path, located on the east side, estimated at 80' x 6' (see photo). Do your own actual measurement
  - Remove and haul away existing materials
  - Fine grade with **2" binder** and 1.5" asphalt surface
  
- Indian Trails Park, Riegel Road & Willow Road, Homewood
  - Remove and replace marked existing walking trail sections (see photo). Estimated 690', 6' wide in most places. Do your own actual measurement
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**GENERAL CONDITIONS**

The General Conditions are included in the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor for Asphalt Work, substantially in the same form as included in these Bid Documents (the "General Conditions").

**SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS**

The General Conditions are hereby amended to include the following:

**1. COMMENCEMENT AND COMPLETION DATE**

The Work for the Contract shall commence on such a date as agreed upon by the parties. Contractor shall achieve Final Completion on or before August 22, 2022 unless otherwise extended by agreement of the parties pursuant to the General Conditions.

**2. USE OF THE SITES**

The Contractor shall confine all equipment, the storage of materials and the operations of its workers, to limits indicated by law, ordinances, permits, or directions of the Owner and shall not unreasonably encumber the site with such materials. The site shall not be utilized for the storage of vehicles, materials, equipment, or fixtures not intended for the Work to be performed.

**3. COOPERATION WITH UTILITIES**

The Contractor shall notify all utility companies, public and private, as necessary in advance of commencing performance of the Work. The responsibility for moving water lines, gas lines, wire lines, service connections, water and gas meter boxes, water and gas valve boxes, light standards, cable ways, signals and all other utility appurtenances which are within the limits of the proposed construction will be assumed by the Contractor, at no additional compensation.

The Contractor shall verify the location of all utilities prior to the start of construction and shall be responsible for the preservation of existing utility installation and the cost of

providing precautionary supports, braces, etc. to insure against damage to said utility installation.

The cost to repair and replace any new or existing utilities damaged will be paid for by the Contractor.

It is understood and agreed that the Contractor has considered in its bid all of the permanent and temporary utility appurtenances in their present or relocated positions and that no additional compensation will be allowed for delays, inconvenience, or damage sustained by the Contractor, due to any interference from the said utility appurtenances or the operation of moving them either by the utility company or by the Contractor, or on account of any special construction methods required in performing the Work due to the existence of said appurtenances whether in their present or relocated positions.

#### **4. PROTECTION OF PROPERTY -SAFETY RESPONSIBILITY**

In accordance with the Specifications, the Contractor shall protect all existing property and improvements within the Project site and those adjacent to the Owner's property in a manner agreed upon between the Owner and Contractor. The Contractor shall be responsible for the repair cost of any damage created by its operations or the operations of any subcontractors.

Contractor shall comply with State and Federal regulations as outlined in the latest revision of the Federal Construction Safety Standards and with applicable provisions and regulations of Occupation Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Standards of the William-Steiger Occupational Health and Safety Act of 1970 (revised). The Contractor and Owner shall each be responsible for their respective agents and employees.

The Contractor shall be obligated to indemnify, hold harmless and protect the Owner, its officers, employees and agents, from any actions or suits instituted as a direct or indirect result of any injury or damage consequent upon any failure to use or misuse by the Contractor, its agents and employees and any subcontractor, its agents and employees, of any ladder, support or other mechanical contrivance erected or constructed by any person or any or all kinds of equipment whether or not owned by or furnished by the Owner.

Contractor shall comply with, and require all of its employees, subcontractors and invitees to comply with, all applicable COVID-19/Coronavirus-related health and safety laws, rules, regulations, orders, guidelines, or guidance from any source with jurisdiction over this Project, including but not limited to, guidelines promulgated by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC"), the Occupational Safety and Health Administration ("OSHA"), the Illinois Department of Health ("IDPH"), and the Cook County Health Department.

5. INSURANCE

**BIDDER'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS BELOW. IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT THE BIDDER CONFER WITH ITS INSURANCE CARRIER REGARDING THESE REQUIREMENTS. FAILURE TO MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS IS CAUSE FOR CANCELLATION OF THE CONTRACT.**

The successful Bidder shall obtain insurance of the types and in the amounts listed below.

**a. Commercial General and Umbrella Liability Insurance**

The successful Bidder shall maintain commercial general liability (CGL) and, if necessary, commercial umbrella insurance with a limit of not less than \$2,000,000 each occurrence. If such CGL insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this Project/location.

CGL insurance shall be written on Insurance Services Office (ISO) occurrence form CG 00 01 04 13, or a substitute form providing equivalent coverage, and shall cover liability arising from premises, operations, independent contractors, products-completed operations, personal injury and advertising injury, and liability assumed under an insured contract (including the tort liability of another assumed in a business contract).

The District, its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and volunteers shall be included as an additional named insured under the CGL, using ISO additional insured endorsement CG 20 26 or a substitute providing equivalent coverage, and under the commercial umbrella, if any. This insurance shall apply as primary insurance with respect to any other insurance or self-insurance afforded to District. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the District shall be deemed excess of such bidder's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

If the Contractor maintains higher limits than the minimums shown above, the Park District requires and shall be entitled to coverage for the higher limits maintained by the contractor. Any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to the Park District.

**b. Continuing Completed Operations Liability Insurance**

Contractor shall maintain commercial general liability (CGL) and, if necessary, commercial umbrella liability insurance with a limit of not less than \$2,000,000 each occurrence for at least three years following Substantial Completion of the Work.

Continuing CGL insurance shall be written on ISO occurrence form CG 00 01 04 13, or substitute form providing equivalent coverage, and shall, at minimum, cover liability arising from products-completed operations and liability assumed under an insured contract.

Continuing CGL insurance shall have a products-completed operations aggregate of at least two times its each occurrence limit.

Continuing commercial umbrella coverage, if any, shall include liability coverage for damage to the insured's completed work equivalent to that provided under ISO form CG 00 01.

**c. Business Auto and Umbrella Liability Insurance**

The successful Bidder shall maintain business auto liability and, if necessary, commercial umbrella liability insurance with a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 each accident. Such insurance shall cover liability arising out of any auto including owned, hired and non-owned autos.

Business auto insurance shall be written on Insurance Services Office (ISO) form CA 00 01, CA 00 05, CA 00 12, CA 00 20, or a substitute form providing equivalent liability coverage. If necessary, the policy shall be endorsed to provide contractual liability coverage equivalent to that provided in the 1990 and later editions of CA 00 01.

**d. Workers Compensation Insurance**

The successful Bidder shall maintain workers compensation and employers liability insurance. The commercial umbrella and/or employers liability limits shall not be less than \$1,000,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident or \$1,000,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease.

Such Bidder waives all rights against District and its officers, officials, employees, volunteers and agents for recovery of damages arising out of or incident to such Bidder's activities.

**e. General Insurance Provisions**

i. Evidence of Insurance: The successful Bidder shall furnish the District with a certificate(s) of insurance and applicable policy endorsement(s), executed by a duly authorized representative of each insurer, showing compliance with the insurance requirements set forth above.

All certificates shall provide for 30 days' written notice to the District prior to the cancellation or material change of any insurance referred to therein. Written notice to the District shall be by certified mail, return receipt requested.

Failure of the District to demand such certificate, endorsement or other evidence of full compliance with these insurance requirements, or failure of the District to identify a coverage deficiency from evidence that is provided, shall not be construed as a waiver of such Bidder's obligation to maintain such insurance.

The District shall have the right, but not the obligation, of prohibiting such Bidder from entering the premises until such certificates or other evidence that insurance has been placed in complete compliance with these requirements is received and approved by District.

Failure to maintain the required insurance may result in termination of the Contract entered by the parties at the District's option.

With respect to insurance maintained after final payment in compliance with a requirement above, an additional certificate(s) evidencing such coverage shall be promptly provided to the District upon request.

Such Bidder shall provide certified copies of all insurance policies required above within 10 days of the District's written request for said copies.

ii. Acceptability of Insurers: All insurance companies shall maintain a rating no less than A-VII from A.M. Best, based on the most recent edition of the A.M. Best's Key Rating Guide. If the Best's rating is less than A-VII or a Best's rating is not obtained, the District has the right to reject insurance written by an insurer it deems unacceptable.

iii. Cross-Liability Coverage: If Contractor's liability policies do not contain the standard ISO separation of insured's' provision, or a substantially similar clause, they shall be endorsed to provide cross-liability coverage.

iv. Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions: Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to the District. At the option of the District, the successful Bidder may be asked to eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions as respects the District, its officers, officials, employees, volunteers and agents, or such Bidder may be required to procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and other related costs, including, but not limited to, investigations, claims administration and defense expenses.

**f. Subcontractors**

Contractor shall cause each subcontractor employed by Contractor to purchase and maintain insurance of the type specified above. When requested by the

Owner, Contractor shall furnish copies of certificates of insurance evidencing coverage for each subcontractor.

**6. INDEMNIFICATION**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Owner and its officers, officials, employees, volunteers and agents from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses including but not limited to legal fees (attorney's and paralegals' fees and court costs), arising out of or resulting from the performance of the Contractor's work, provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense (i) is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or injury to or destruction of tangible property, other than the work itself, including the loss of use resulting therefrom and (ii) is caused in whole or in part by any wrongful or negligent act or omission of the Contractor, any subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, regardless of whether or not it is caused in part by a party indemnified hereunder. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge, or otherwise reduce any other right or obligation of indemnity which would otherwise exist as to any party or person described in this Paragraph. Contractor shall similarly protect, indemnify and hold and save harmless the Owner, its officers, officials, employees, volunteers and agents against and from any and all claims, costs, causes, actions and expenses including but not limited to legal fees, incurred by reason of Contractor's breach of any of its obligations under, or Contractor's default of, any provision of the Contract.

Nothing contained herein shall be construed as prohibiting the District, its officers, employees or agents from defending, through the selection and use of their own agents, attorneys and experts, any claims, suits, demands, proceedings or actions brought against them. The District's participation in its defense shall not remove the successful Bidder's duty to indemnify, defend and hold the District harmless as set forth herein.

The indemnification required hereunder shall not be limited by reason of the enumeration of insurance coverage herein provided.

The successful Bidder's indemnification of the District shall survive the termination or expiration of the Contract.

**7. WARRANTY**

The Work performed and the materials and equipment installed under this Contract shall be in compliance with the Contract Documents and must be guaranteed by the Contractor for a period of twelve (12) months from Final Completion or for the period(s) set forth in the scope of work/Specifications, whichever is longer, against defective workmanship and material of any nature. On all material or equipment incorporated, the Contractor and its Surety must guarantee that the type, quality, design and performance will fully meet the requirements of the Specifications and Drawings. Neither final payment nor termination of the guarantee period, nor any provision in the Contract Documents shall relieve the Contractor of the responsibility for negligence, faulty materials, or workmanship within

the extent and period provided by law, and upon written notice he/she shall remedy any defects due thereto, and shall pay all expenses for any damage to other work resulting therefrom.

8. **COMPLETION OF WORK**

All Work, as either implied or reasonably inferable from the Contract Documents and Specifications shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. All Specifications are directed to the attention of the Contractor and the inclusion of any work by mention, note, detail, itemization or implication, however brief, means that the Contractor shall provide and install same. All Work performed shall include all appurtenances and apparatus normally deemed to be a part of a completed package within the definitions of normal industry standards.

9. **SUPERVISION**

The Contractor is to provide a full-time superintendent on the Project to coordinate all subcontractors' work and supervise the daily activity of the Project as well as maintain the site in a safe clean manner.

10. **SITE CONDITIONS**

All Contractors' work shall be performed in a first-class, workmanlike manner, cutting, patching, matching and aligning all surfaces where applicable to afford a finished neat appearance. Contractor shall clean all surfaces free of dirt and refuse caused by debris from all installation techniques of the trade. All adjacent surfaces to their work shall be left as they appear prior to the commencement of the Contractor's work to be done. Contractor shall properly protect all adjacent surfaces during the course of this installation.

11. **OWNER INSPECTION**

The District's representative shall have access to the site at all times and to the factory or shop of any of the subcontractors. Any inferior material or workmanship shall be removed upon demand and work shall be reconstructed as approved by the Owner at the Contractor's sole expense.

12. **OTHER CONTRACTS**

The Owner reserves the right to let other contracts in connection with the Work of the Project. The Contractor shall be responsible for coordination of work and establishing schedules for all trades; and shall afford other contractors reasonable opportunity for the introduction and storage of their materials and equipment and the execution of their work.

13. **CHANGES TO THE WORK**

The District reserves the right to make changes as the work progresses. Bulletins, change orders, drawings, specifications or instructions covering such changes will be issued to the Contractor, whose responsibility it will be to distribute these immediately and to notify the field office and all subcontractors affected to take such measures as may be necessary to avoid errors in the Work which may occur due to the use of superseded Drawings. Work affected by changes proposed in any revised Drawings or other documents issued to the Contractor shall not be executed unless changes are accompanied by letter of authorization from the District to proceed accordingly. In cases where instructions accompanying any issue of revised Drawings or Specifications request estimates of cost involved, such estimates shall be prepared and submitted promptly in order not to unduly affect the progress of the Work.

14. **SHOP DRAWINGS**

Contractor shall submit all shop drawings for approval to the Owner prior to commencement of Work. Shop drawing submittals shall be in the form of (5) black and white prints of each drawings; (5) catalog cut sheets; and (1) PDF file as applicable. Approval of a shop drawing(s) shall indicate only that such drawings generally express the intent of the Contract Documents and shall neither be construed as a complete check nor relieve the Contractor of responsibility for quantities and dimensions, or full performance of the Work. All Contractors shall submit cuts, samples and finishes for written approval prior to ordering of fabrication. A tentative shop drawing submittal schedule with proposed review dates is requested from the Contractor.

**SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

1. Unless expressly agreed otherwise by the District, the Homewood-Flossmoor Parks Department, Patriots Park, and Indian Trails Park shall remain open to the public for the duration of the Project. As such, Contractor shall maintain the Project site in a manner that ensures safe access to each facility's amenities by the public, Park District staff and others requiring access to such amenities. Contractor shall comply with and give notices required by applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities bearing on safety of persons or property or their protection from damage, injury or loss.

**BID FORM  
HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR PARK DISTRICT  
2022 Asphalt Work at Three Park District Locations**

**Parks Department, 18900 Kedzie Ave, Flossmoor**

**Patriots Park, 187<sup>th</sup> & Center, Homewood**

**Indian Trails Park, Riegel Road & Willow Road, Homewood**

(Please complete in ink, and print or type)

TO: Homewood-Flossmoor Park District  
3301 Flossmoor Road  
Flossmoor, Illinois 60422

FROM:

\_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF BIDDER

\_\_\_\_\_  
STREET ADDRESS

\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY

\_\_\_\_\_  
STATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
ZIP

\_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL ADDRESS

**FOR: 2022 ASPHALT WORK AT THREE PARK DISTRICT LOCATIONS**

By submission of its bid, the Bidder acknowledges, agrees, represents, declares and warrants:

- A. That he has carefully examined the written Specifications and Drawings and is thoroughly familiar therewith, and that he has visited the site of the proposed Work to arrive at a clear understanding of the conditions under which the Work is to be done, and that he has compared the site with the Drawings and Specifications and has satisfied himself as to all conditions affecting the execution of the Work;
- B. That all modifications have been submitted with this bid;
- C. That he has checked carefully the bid figures and understands that he shall be responsible for any errors or omissions based on these Specifications and alternates as submitted on the Bid Proposal Form;
- D. That it is understood and agreed that the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or to combine or separate any section or work, and to waive any technicalities;
- E. To hold the bid open for sixty (60) days subsequent to the date of the bid opening;

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- F. To enter into and execute a Contract with the Owner within ten (10) days after the date of the Notice of Award, if awarded on the basis of this bid, and in connection therewith to:
  - (a) Furnish all bonds and insurance required by the Contract Documents;
  - (b) Accomplish the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents; and
  - (c) Complete the Work within the time requirements as set forth in the Bid Documents.
  
- G. That if this bid is accepted, the Bidder is to provide all of the necessary equipment, tools, apparatus, labor, and other means of construction, and to do all of the Work and to furnish all of the materials specified in the Bid Documents in the manner and at the time therein prescribed, and in accordance with the requirements set forth;
  
- H. To commence Work as specified in the Instructions to Bidders, and to prosecute the Work in such a manner, and with sufficient materials, equipment and labor as will ensure its completion within reasonable time, it being understood and agreed that the completion within such reasonable time is an essential part of this Contract;
  
- I. That any and all prices stated in the proposal include all costs of labor, materials, equipment, insurance, bonds, overhead and profit, and any and all other costs normal to doing business.

**The undersigned Bidder agrees to perform the Work for the following lump sum price:**

Base Bid	Amount
1) 2022 Asphalt Work – Parks Department	\$
2) 2022 Asphalt Work – Patriots Park	\$
3) 2022 Asphalt Work – Indian Trails Park	\$

**Total Lump Sum Bid:** \_\_\_\_\_

Bids will be awarded to one Bidder for the entire Project or to any combination of Bidders for any portion(s) of the Project.

The undersigned Bidder hereby acknowledges the receipt of the following addenda (if any) distributed by the Park District.

Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The Work for the Contract shall commence on such a date as agreed upon by the parties. Contractor shall achieve Final Completion on or before August 22, 2022 unless otherwise extended by agreement of the parties pursuant to the General Conditions.

The undersigned Bidder agrees that if this bid is accepted by the Park District, it will perform all Work in accordance with the requirements of the Contract.

DATED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Full Name of Bidder (Print) (a) Individual ( )  
(b) Partnership ( )  
(c) Corporation ( )

Name and Title of Authorized Agent  
if Corporation or Partnership (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Full Name and Title of Bidder (Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS**

Bidder submits a list of subcontractors for each trade relative to the Work to be performed under the Contract with the District, and agrees that if selected the successful Contractor, the Bidder will promptly confer with the District's agents on the question of which subcontractors the Bidder proposes to use, including submission of their qualifications. It is agreed that the District may substitute for any proposed subcontractor, another subcontractor for the trade against whose standing and ability the Bidder makes no objection in writing, and the Bidder will use all such finally selected subcontractors at the amount named in their respective subcontracts, and be in every way responsible for them and their work as if they had been originally named in the Bidder's bid, the unit, total and alternate Contract prices being adjusted to confirm thereto.

Subcontractor Name & Address                      Classification of Work                      Amount of Subcontract

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## CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE AND CERTIFICATIONS ATTACHMENT

**Note: The following certifications form an integral part of the Agreement between the Owner and Contractor. Breach by Contractor of any of the certifications may result in immediate termination of the Contractor's services by Owner.**

THE UNDERSIGNED CONTRACTOR HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGES, CERTIFIES, AFFIRMS AND AGREES AS FOLLOWS:

- A. Contractor has carefully read and understands the contents, purpose and legal effect of this document as stated above and hereafter in this document. The certifications contained herein are true, complete and correct in all respects.
- B. Contractor shall abide by and comply with, and in contracts which it has with all persons providing any of the services or Work on this Project on its behalf shall require compliance with, all applicable Federal, State and local laws and rules and regulations including without limitation those relating to 1) fair employment practices, affirmative action and prohibiting discrimination in employment; 2) workers' compensation; 3) workplace safety; 4) wages and claims of laborers, mechanics and other workers, agents, or servants in any manner employed in connection with contracts involving public funds or the development or construction of public works, buildings or facilities; and 5) steel products procurement.
- C. All contracts for this Project are subject to the provisions of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act (820 ILCS 130/0.01 *et seq.*), providing for the payment of the prevailing rate of wage to all laborers, workmen and mechanics engaged in the Work. Contractor shall pay prevailing rates of wages in accordance with the Illinois Department of Labor's wage determination and any subsequent determinations issued by the Illinois Department of Labor, all in accordance with applicable law. These revisions may be accessed by computer at <http://labor.illinois.gov/>. Contractor is responsible for determining the applicable prevailing wage rates at the time of bid submission and at the time of performance of the Work. Failure of Contractor to make such determination shall not relieve it of its obligations in accordance with the Contract Documents. Contractor shall also comply with all other requirements of the Act including without limitation those pertaining to inclusion of required language in subcontracts, job site posting, maintenance and submission of certified payroll records and inspection of records. Contractor is not barred from entering into public contracts under Section 11a of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act due to its having been found to have disregarded its obligations under the Act.
- D. To the best of Contractor's knowledge, no officer or employee of Contractor has been convicted of bribery or attempting to bribe an officer or employee of the State of Illinois, or any unit of local government, nor has any officer or employee made an admission of guilt of such conduct which is a matter of record.
- E. Contractor is not barred from bidding on or entering into public contracts due to having been convicted of bid-rigging or bid rotating under paragraphs 33E-3 or 33E-4 of the Illinois Criminal Code. Contractor also certifies that no officers or employees of the Contractor have been so convicted and that Contractor is not the successor company or a new company created by the officers or owners of one so convicted. Contractor further certifies that any such conviction occurring after the date of this certification will be reported to the Owner, immediately in writing, if it occurs during the bidding process, or otherwise prior to entering into the Contract therewith.

- F. Pursuant to the Illinois Human Rights Act (775 ILCS 5/2-105), Contractor has a written sexual harassment policy that includes, at a minimum, the following information: (i) a statement on the illegality of sexual harassment; (ii) the definition of sexual harassment under State law; (iii) a description of sexual harassment utilizing examples; (iv) the Contractor's internal complaint process including penalties; (v) the legal recourse, investigative and complaint process available through the Illinois Department of Human Rights and the Human Rights Commission and directions on how to contact both; and (vi) protection against retaliation as provided by Section 6-101 of the Illinois Human Rights Act. Contractor further certifies that such policy shall remain in full force and effect. A copy of the policy shall be provided to the Illinois Department of Human Rights upon request.
- G. (i) Contractor's bid proposal was made without any connection or common interest in the profits anticipated to be derived from the Contract by Contractor with any other persons submitting any bid or proposal for the Contract; (ii) the Contract terms are in all respects fair and the Contract will be entered into by Contractor without collusion or fraud; (iii) no official, officer or employee of the Owner has any direct or indirect financial interest in Contractor's bid proposal or in Contractor, (iv) the Contractor has not directly or indirectly provided, and shall not directly or indirectly provide, funds or other consideration to any person or entity (including, but not limited to, the Owner and the Owner's employees and agents), to procure improperly special or unusual treatment with respect to this Agreement or for the purpose of otherwise improperly influencing the relationship between the Owner and the Contractor. Additionally, the Contractor shall cause all of its officers, directors, employees, (as the case may be) to comply with the restrictions contained in the preceding sentence.
- H. Contractor knows and understands the Equal Employment Opportunity Clause administered by the Illinois Department of Human Rights, which is incorporated herein by this reference, and agrees to comply with the provisions thereof. Contractor further certifies that Contractor is an "equal opportunity employer" as defined by Section 2000 (e) of Chapter 21, Title 42 of the United States Code Annotated and Executive Orders #11246 and #11375 as amended, which are incorporated herein by this reference.
- I. Neither Contractor nor any substantially owned affiliated company is participating or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the provisions of the U.S. Export Administration Act of 1979 or the regulations of the U.S. Department of Commerce promulgated under that Act.
- J. Contractor is not barred from contracting with the Owner because of any delinquency in the payment of any tax administered by the Illinois Department of Revenue, unless it is being contested. Contractor further certifies that it understands that making a false statement regarding delinquency in taxes is a Class A misdemeanor and, in addition, voids the Contract and allows the Owner, a municipal entity, to recover in a civil action all amounts paid to the Contractor.
- K. If Contractor has 25 or more employees at the time of letting of the Contract, Contractor knows, understands and acknowledges its obligations under the Illinois Drug Free Workplace Act (30 ILCS 580/1 *et seq.*) and certifies that it will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the actions required under, and otherwise implementing on a continuing basis, Section 3 of the Drug Free Workplace Act. Contractor further certifies that it has not been debarred and is not ineligible for award of this Contract as the result of a violation of the Illinois Drug Free Workplace Act.



**SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION PROGRAM CERTIFICATION**

The Substance Abuse Prevention on Public Works Projects Act, 820 ILCS 265/1 et seq., (“Act”) prohibits any employee of the Contractor or any Subcontractor on a public works project to use, possess or be under the influence of a drug or alcohol, as those terms are defined in the Act, while performing work on the Project. The Contractor/Subcontractor [circle one], by its undersigned representative, hereby certifies and represents to the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District that [Contractor/Subcontractor must complete either Part A or Part B below]:

A. The Contractor/Subcontractor [circle one] has in place for all of its employees not covered by a collective bargaining agreement that deals with the subject of the Act a written substance abuse prevention program, a true and correct copy of which is attached to this certification, which meets or exceeds the requirements of the Substance Abuse Prevention on Public Works Act, 820 ILCS 265/1 et seq. [Contractor/Subcontractor must attach a copy of its substance abuse prevention program to this Certification.]

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Contractor/Subcontractor (print or type)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title of Authorized Representative (print or type)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Authorized Representative

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

B. The Contractor/Subcontractor [circle one] has one or more collective bargaining agreements in effect for all of its employees that deal with the subject matter of the Substance Abuse Prevention on Public Works Projects Act, 820 ILCS 265/1 et seq.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Contractor/Subcontractor (print or type)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title of Authorized Representative (print or type)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Authorized Representative

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT NOTICE OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR PERIODIC REVISIONS TO PREVAILING WAGE RATES**

Revisions of the Prevailing Wage Rates are made periodically by the Illinois Department of Labor (IDOL). As required by the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, the contractor/subcontractor has an obligation to check IDOL's web site for revisions to prevailing wage rates. These revisions may be accessed by computer at <http://labor.illinois.gov/>. Bidders and contractors performing work on this Project are responsible for determining the applicable prevailing wage rates at the time of bid submission and performance of the Work. Failure of a bidder/contractor to make such determination shall not relieve it of its obligations in accordance with the Contract Documents. In consideration for the award to it of the contract for this Project, the contractor agrees that the foregoing notice satisfies any obligation of the public body in charge of this Project to notify the contractor of periodic changes in the prevailing wage rates and the contractor agrees to assume and be solely responsible for, as a material obligation of the contractor under the contract, the obligation to determine periodic revisions of the prevailing wage rates, to notify its subcontractors of such revisions, to post such revisions as required for the posting of wage rates under the Act, and to pay and require its subcontractors to pay wages in accordance with such revised rates.

