

# REQUEST FOR OWNER'S PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES ("OPM RFS") AMESBURY MIDDLE SCHOOL ROOF REPLACEMENT

## I. General Information

The *City of Amesbury* ("Owner") is seeking the services of a qualified OPM "Owner's Project Manager" as defined in Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 149, Section 44A½ and as further defined by the provisions of this RFS, to provide Owner's Project Management Services for the design and construction, of the Amesbury Middle School Roof Replacement project at the Amesbury Middle School, 220 Main Street, Amesbury, Massachusetts ("Project").

Please submit one (1) original and one (1) electronic copy on a "flash drive" of proposals not later than **2:00 P.M. on Wednesday, July 12, 2023** to:

Joan Liporto  
Director of Finance & Operations  
Amesbury Public Schools  
5 Highland Street  
Amesbury, MA 01913

Proposals received after the deadline will be returned unopened.

Proposals should be clearly marked "**PROPOSAL – OWNER'S PROJECT MANAGER AMESBURY MIDDLE SCHOOL ROOF REPLACEMENT**"

There will be an optional informal briefing session at the Amesbury Middle School, 220 Main Street, Amesbury, MA 01913 on **Monday, June 26, 2023 at 10:00 A.M.**

Questions must be submitted in writing via email to [liportoj@amesburyma.org](mailto:liportoj@amesburyma.org) not later than seven (7) calendar days prior to the deadline for receipt of proposals.

## II. Background

The Amesbury Middle School is located at 220 Main Street in Amesbury, Massachusetts. The building was originally constructed in 1954 and had an additional/renovation completed in 1996. The current office space, media center, and 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade wing were added in the project. The remained of the building was renovated. The total square footage of the building is 144,923. The roof was replaced during the renovation/addition completed in 1996; however, it is in very poor condition, with significant leaks throughout multiple sections of the building and is at the end of its useful life. Nearly all of the classrooms in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade wing (2<sup>nd</sup> floor) have multiple leaks. Currently there are between 1 and 3 bladders plus additional catch buckets in each of those classrooms.

The roof consists of mainly a low-slope TPO roofing system, with one are of steep-slope asphalt shingle roofing over the gymnasium. The TPO roofing membrane is reportedly adhered to a gypsum cover board.

## III. Project Description

The Amesbury Middle School Roof is in failure mode and a full replacement is needed to permanently solve the moisture intrusion.

#### **IV. Fee**

The fee will be negotiated with the successful applicant.

The fee should be all-inclusive, with expenses for the Project Manager, any supporting staff, and allowances for specialty consultants to assist in resolving the design or implementation.

#### **V. Scope of Services**

The Owner's Project Manager's scope of work generally involves representing the Awarding Authority and shall act at the Awarding Authority's agent and consultant throughout this project as outline in MGL Chapter 149, Section 44A ½. As such, the OPM shall be responsible for the total management of the Project as the Awarding Authority's representative and shall report to the Awarding Authority. The OPM's duties shall include, but no be limited to, providing advice and consultation with respect to design, value engineering, cost estimating, general contractor and subcontractor prequalification, pursuant to MGL Chapter 149, Section 44D ½ or 44D ¾ when applicable, scheduling, bidding, and construction; and the selection, negotiation with and oversight of a designer and a general contractor for the project, ensuring the preparation of time schedules which shall serve as control standards for monitoring performance of the project and assisting in project evaluation including, but not limited to, written evaluations of the performance of the design professional, contractors and subcontractors. The Owner's Project Manager shall be responsible for overall project oversight, including all services associated with the project management of a first-class, publicly replaced roof in Massachusetts similar in size and scope to the Project and as described herein. Through observation, advice and consultation, the OPM will endeavor to protect the City of Amesbury against defects, deficiencies in the work, cost additions/overruns and delays in the completion of the project.

**See Sample Contract for Project Management Services attached.**

#### **VI. Project Management Selection Process**

Each proposed must include the completed application form, which is included (Attachment A – Owner's Project Manager Application Form). Attach all supporting documentation necessary to fully respond and complete each item requested.

Proposer should note on their proposals any modification of the scope of services believed to be necessary or appropriate for the provision of services appropriate to the successful completion of the Project.

Any proposal that does not contain a completed application form with supporting documentation will not be considered and will be rejected by the City.

##### **1. Criteria for Selection**

Proposer must demonstrate familiarity and experience with the character of the work, sensitivity to the Project setting and knowledge of design and construction processes and requirements for public building projects. Proposer must document ability to perform the services described, to coordinate the work and protect the City's interests competently during the course of the Project. Proposer should also identify key consultants that can be utilized to assist the proposer in addressing specialized technical issues that may impact implementation of the project. Experience, quality of services, reliability, public sector

knowledge and the capacity of the Project manager to perform the work will be considered. The City is only seeking highly qualified and experienced proposers that demonstrate significant and relevant experience in the supervision and construction of public projects. The following will also be considered:

- a. Shall be registered by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as an architect or professional engineer and shall have at least 5 years' experience in the construction and supervision of construction of buildings.
- b. If not registered as an architect or professional engineer, shall have at least 7 years' experience in the construction and supervision of construction of buildings.
- c. Shall be independent of the Designer(s), the Contractor or any subcontractor involved in the Project.
- d. The above are minimum requirements and the City will consider the following additional criteria:
  - Good working knowledge of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' procurement law.
  - Thorough knowledge of the Massachusetts State building Codes and applicable construction-related codes and regulations.
  - Prior similar experience with successful outcomes n projects of similar scope and challenges.
  - General experience and reputation.
  - The proposer's current and anticipated work commitment and financial stability.
  - Qualifications and availability of individuals listed who will work on this project.

References will be evaluated to identify the ability and quality of previous work as an OPM on projects of similar size and scope.

## 2. Review of Proposals and Selection of Finalist

The City is conducting a qualifications based selection process. The City will review all proposals in their entirety. A short list of those candidates that are considered best qualified may be use to schedule interviews.

The most qualified candidates, as determined by the City, may be interviewed and provided the opportunity to explain and supplement the information contained in their proposals.

After the final selection is made, the selected candidate shall provide the City a detailed breakdown of the estimated labor and expenses the candidate believes are necessary to perform each task. All related const information requested by the City shall be furnished by the candidate for the purpose of complete disclosure during negotiations. If an acceptable price can be negotiated, a contract will be executed. If an agreement cannot be reached, then negotiations with the top-ranked firm are closed and the second-ranked firm is invited to undertake negotiations. This process can continue to the third-ranked firm and beyond, if agreement cannot be reached. Employees assigned to this project are subject to CORI inquiries.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to only a award a contract it deems is in the best interest of the City.

## **VII. Comparative Evaluation Criteria**

The following criteria will be used by the Selection Committee in evaluating proposals that meet the minimum threshold requirements set out above.

**1. Completion of relevant projects of similar size, scope and complexity.**

*Highly Advantageous:* The proposer has completed at least five (5) relevant projects of similar size, scope and complexity.

*Advantageous:* The proposer has completed at least three (3) but less than five (5) relevant projects of similar size, scope and complexity.

*Not Advantageous:* The proposer has completed less than three (3) relevant projects of similar size, scope and complexity.

**2. Qualifications and experience of the designated lead project manager.**

*Highly Advantageous:* The lead project manager has at least ten (10) years of related experience and required qualifications and professional background.

*Advantageous:* The lead project manager has at least five (5) years of related experience and required qualification and professional background.

*Not Advantageous:* The lead project manager has less than five (5) years of related experience and required qualifications and professional background.

**3. Demonstrated ability to complete projects on a timely basis.**

*Highly Advantageous:* All of the proposer's references indicate that the projects were completed on schedule or with minimal delays.

*Advantageous:* Only one of the proposer's references indicates that the project was completed with substantial delays attributable to the proposer, and not current project or project completed in the last three years experienced substantial delays attributable to the proposer.

*Not Advantageous:* Two of the proposer's references indicate that the project was completed with substantial delays attributable to the proposer, and no current project or project completed in the last year experience substantial delays attributable to the proposer.

*Unacceptable:* More than two of the proposer's references indicate that the project was completed with substantial delays attributable to the proposer.

**4. Cost Control – how does proposer manage plan within budget.**

*Highly Advantageous:* The plan of services proposes a detailed timeline for completing the project

*Advantageous:* The plan of services proposes a credible scheme for producing and completing the project.

*Not Advantageous:* The plan of services is not sufficiently detailed to fully evaluate, or the plan does not contain all the components necessary to complete the project.

**Owner's Project Manager Application Form – March 2017**

1. Project Name/Location for Which Firm is Filing:

1a. MSBA Project Number:

2a. Respondent, Firm (Or Joint-Venture) - Name And Address Of Primary Office To Perform The Work:

2b. Name And Address Of Other Participating Offices Of The Prime Applicant, If Different From Item 3a Above:

2c. Date Present And Predecessor Firms Were Established:

2d. Name And Address Of Parent Company, If Any:

2e. Federal ID #:

2f. Name of Proposed Project Director:

3. Personnel From Prime Firm Included In Question #2 Above By Discipline (List Each Person Only Once, By Primary Function -- Average Number Employed Throughout The Preceding 6 Month Period. Indicate Both The Total Number In Each Discipline):

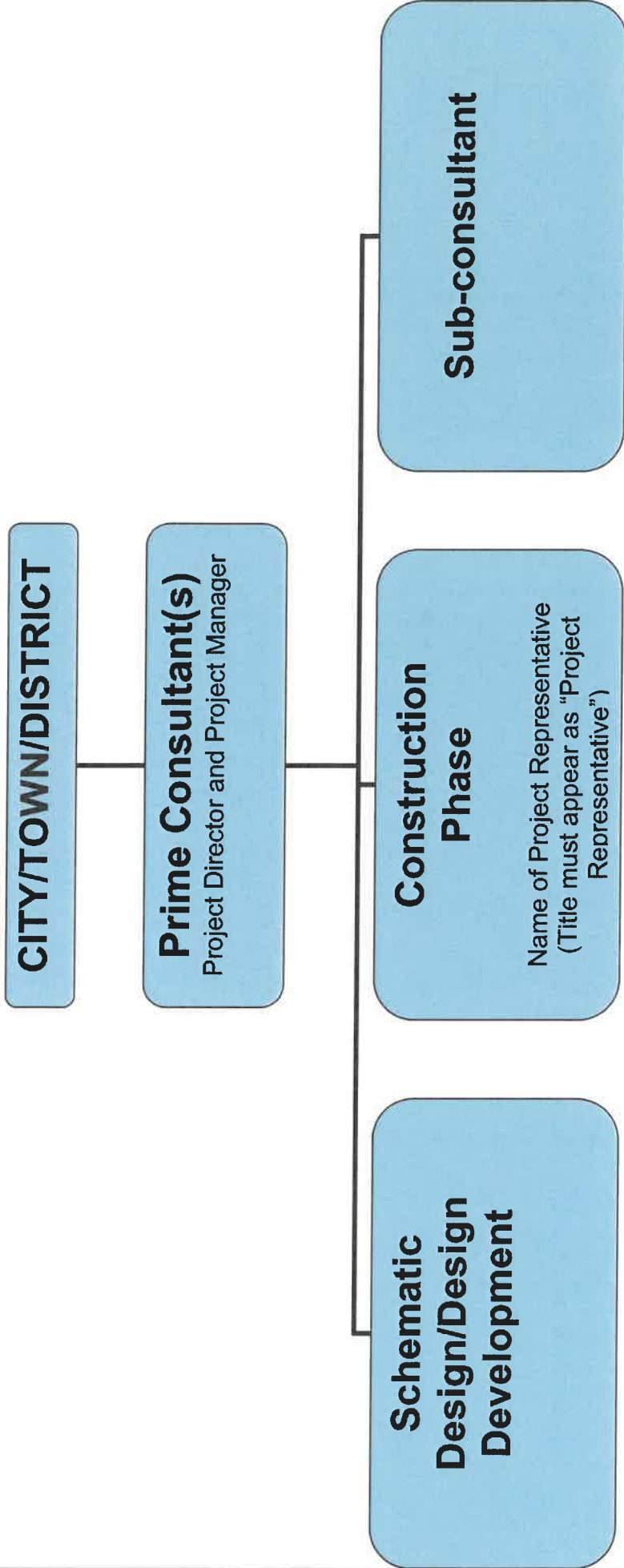
Admin. Personnel	_____	Cost Estimators	_____	Other	_____
Architects	_____	Electrical Engrs.	_____		_____
Acoustical Engrs.	_____	Environmental Engrs.	_____		_____
Civil Engrs.	_____	Licensed Site Profs.	_____		_____
Code Specialists	_____	Mechanical Engrs.	_____		_____
Construction Inspectors	_____				_____
					Total
					_____

4. Has this Joint-Venture previously worked together?

Yes

No

5. List **ONLY** Those Prime and Sub-Consultant Personnel identified as Key personnel in the Response to Request for Services. This Information Should Be Presented Below In The Form Of An Organizational Chart modified to fit the firm's proposed management approach. Include Name of Firm And Name Of The Person:



<p>6. Brief Resume for Key Personnel <u>ONLY</u> as indicated in the Request for Services. Resumes Should Be Consistent With The Persons Listed On The Organizational Chart In Question # 5. Additional Sheets Should Be Provided Only As Required For The Number Of Key Personnel And They Must Be In The Format Provided. By Including A Firm As A Subconsultant, The Prime Applicant Certifies That The Listed Firm Has Agreed To Work On This Project, Should The Team Be Selected.</p>	
<p>a. Name And Title Within Firm:</p>	<p>a. Name And Title Within Firm:</p>
<p>b. Project Assignment:</p>	<p>b. Project Assignment:</p>
<p>c. Name And Address Of Office In Which Individual Identified In 6a Resides:</p>	<p>c. Name And Address Of Office In Which Individual Identified In 6a Resides:</p>
<p>d. Years Experience: With This Firm: _____ With Other Firms: _____</p>	<p>d. Years Experience: With This Firm: _____ With Other Firms: _____</p>
<p>e. Education: Degree(s) /Year/Specialization</p>	<p>e. Education: Degree(s) /Year/Specialization</p>
<p>f. Date of MCPPO Certification:</p>	<p>f. Date of MCPPO Certification:</p>
<p>g. Applicable Registrations and Certifications :</p>	<p>g. Applicable Registrations and Certifications:</p>
<p>h. Current Work Assignments And Availability For This Project (availability should be identified as a percentage: eg: "As of 5/30, 50% available"):</p>	<p>h. Current Work Assignments And Availability For This Project (availability should be identified as a percentage: eg: "As of 5/30, 50% available"):</p>
<p>i. Other Experience And Qualifications Relevant To The Proposed Project: (Identify OPM Firm By Which Employed, If Not Current Firm. Please distinguish between OPM work and any design work performed by the firm.):</p>	<p>i. Other Experience And Qualifications Relevant To The Proposed Project: (Identify OPM Firm By Which Employed, If Not Current Firm. Please distinguish between OPM work and any design work performed by the firm.):</p>





7b. Past Performance: Provide the following information for those completed Projects listed above in 7a for which the Prime Applicant has performed, or has entered into a contract to perform (cont) Owner's Project Management Services for all Public Agencies within the Commonwealth within the past 10 years.

a. Project Name And Location Project Director	b. Original Project Budget	c. Final Project Budget	d. If different, provide reason(s) for variance	e. Original Project Completion	e. Actual Project Completion On Time (Yes or No)	f. If different, provide reason(s) for variance.
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
(5)						

8. **Capacity:** Identify all current/ongoing Work by Prime Applicant, Joint-Venture Members or Sub-consultants. Identify project participants and highlight any work involving the project participants identified in the response.

Project Name And Location Project Director	b. Brief Description Of Project And Services (Include Reference To Areas Of Similar Experience)	c. Original Project Budget	d. Current Project Budget	d. Project Completion Date	e. Current forecast completion date On Time (Yes Or No)	f. Original Construction Contract Value	g. Number and dollar value of Change Orders	h. Number and dollar value of claims
1.								
2.								
3.								
4.								
5.								
6.								
7.								
8.								

9. References: Provide the following information for completed and current Projects listed above in 7 and 8 for which the Prime Applicant has performed, or has entered into a contract to perform Owner's Project Management Services for all Public Agencies within the Commonwealth within the past 10 years.				
a.	Project Name And Location Project Director	Client's Name, Address and Phone Number. Include Name of Contact Person	Project Name And Location Project Director	Client's Name, Address and Phone Number. Include Name of Contact Person
1)			5)	9)
2)			6)	10)
3)			7)	11)
4)			8)	12)

9. Use This Space To Provide Any Additional Information Or Description Of Resources Supporting The Qualifications Of Your Firm And That Of Your Sub-consultants. If Needed, Up To Three, Double-Sided 8 1/2" X 11" Supplementary Sheets Will Be Accepted. **APPLICANTS ARE REQUIRED TO RESPOND SPECIFICALLY IN THIS SECTION TO THE AREAS OF EXPERIENCE REQUESTED.**

10. I hereby certify that the undersigned is an Authorized Signatory of Firm and is a Principal or Officer of Firm. The information contained in this application is true, accurate and sworn to by the undersigned under the pains and penalties of perjury.

Submitted By  
(Signature)

Printed Name And Title

Date

CERTIFICATE OF NON-COLLUSION & CERTIFICATION OF TAX COMPLIANCE

The undersigned certifies under the penalties of perjury that this bid or proposal has been made and submitted in good faith and without collusion or fraud with any other person. As used in this certification, the word "person" shall mean any natural person, business, partnership, corporation, union, committee, club, or other organization, entity, or group of individuals.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of person signing bid or proposal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of business)

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Pursuant to G.L. c.62C, §49A, I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify under the  
Pains and penalties of perjury that \_\_\_\_\_ has complied with all laws  
(Contractor)

Of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts relating to the payment of taxes and has filed all state Tax  
returns and paid all State taxes required under law.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number or Federal ID  
Number of Contractor

**CONTRACT FOR PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES**  
**SAMPLE**

This Contract is made this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_ between  
the \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Owner) (day) (month) (year) (street)  
\_\_\_\_\_, **Massachusetts**, \_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)  
hereinafter called "the Owner" and \_\_\_\_\_  
(Owner's Project Manager)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
(street) (city) (State) (Zip Code)  
hereinafter called the "Owner's Project Manager" to provide the Project Management services required to complete  
the Basic and Extra Services described herein at \_\_\_\_\_  
(name/description of Project)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

The Owner's Project Manager is authorized to perform the services required by this Contract from the Schematic Design, Construction and Completion Phase.

For the performance of the services required under this Contract for the Schematic Design, Construction and Completion Phase, the Owner's Project Manager shall be compensated by the Owner for Basic Services in accordance with the Payment Schedule included as Attachment A.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Owner and the Owner's Project Manager have caused this Contract to be executed by their respective authorized officers.

OWNER

\_\_\_\_\_  
(print name)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(print title)  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature and seal)  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER'S PROJECT MANAGER

\_\_\_\_\_  
(print name)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(print title)  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature )  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Attach Certificate of Vote of Authorization)

## **ARTICLE 1: DEFINITIONS**

**APPROVAL** – a written communication from the Owner approving either the work of the current Phase, as identified on Attachment A, or authorizing the Owner’s Project Manager to proceed to the next Phase or approving the scope and compensation for either Extra Services or Reimbursable Expenses.

**ARCHITECT/ENGINEER** – herein also referred to as the **DESIGNER** -- the person or firm with whom the Owner has contracted to perform the professional designer services for this Project.

**CONTRACT** – this Contract, inclusive of all Attachments, between the Owner and the Owner’s Project Manager; all written amendments to this Contract; and all Approvals issued pursuant to this Contract.

**CONTRACTOR or GENERAL CONTRACTOR** – the person or firm with whom the Owner has contracted to perform the construction for this Project pursuant to the provisions of G.L. c. 149, §§ 44A-44J.

**EXTRA SERVICES** – services requested by the Owner to be performed by the Owner’s Project Manager but which are additional (or “extra”) to the services performed as Basic Services.

**FEE FOR BASIC SERVICES** – the fee to be paid to the Owner’s Project Manager for satisfactorily performing, in the Owner’s sole discretion, the Basic Services required under this Contract, exclusive of the compensation to which the Owner’s Project Manager is entitled pursuant to Articles 9 and 10.

**GENERAL LAWS** – the Massachusetts General Laws as amended, including any rules, regulations and administrative procedures implementing said laws.

**NOTICE to PROCEED** – the written communication issued by the Owner to the Contractor or the CM at Risk authorizing him to proceed with the services specified in the construction contract or the CM at Risk contract and establishing the date for commencement of the contract time.

**OWNER** – the entity identified as such on page one of this Contract, or its authorized representative, that is the owner of the property that is the site of the Project and is responsible for administering this Contract.

**OWNER’S PROJECT MANAGER** – the individual, corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, joint stock company, joint venture or other legal entity identified as such on page one of this Contract performing the professional Project Management Services under this Contract.

**PRINCIPALS** – the owners and/or officers of the Owner’s Project Manager who are actively involved in the management of the Project.

**PROJECT** – all work that pertains to the study, planning, design, construction, reconstruction, installation, demolition, maintenance or repair, if any, as defined in the Project Scope.

**REIMBURSABLE SERVICES OR REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES** – the cost of services requested by the Owner to be performed by the Owner’s Project Manager or the cost of expenses paid by the Owner’s Project Manager that are reimbursable pursuant to the provisions of Article 10.

**SUBCONSULTANT** – any individual, company, firm, or business having a direct contractual relationship with the Owner’s Project Manager, who provides services on the Project.

## **ARTICLE 2: RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES**

- 2.0 The Owner’s Project Manager shall act as an independent contractor of the Owner in providing the services required under this Contract.
- 2.1 The Owner’s Project Manager warrants and represents to the Owner that it has fully, completely and truthfully represented the qualifications and skills of the Owner’s Project Manager, its Subconsultants, agents, servants and employees in the proposal submitted by the Owner’s Project Manager, the Contract documents and in all communications with the Owner relative to this Contract and the services to be performed hereunder by the Owner’s Project Manager, its Subconsultants, agents, servants and employees.
- 2.2 The Owner’s Project Manager shall perform its services under this Contract with no less than that degree of skill and care ordinarily exercised by similarly situated members of the Owner’s Project Manager’s profession on projects of similar size, scope and complexity as is involved on the Project. The Owner’s Project Manager’s services shall be rendered in accordance with this Contract.
- 2.3 The Parties hereto agree that the Designer is solely responsible for the design requirements and design criteria for the Project (except to the extent specifically delegated to others) and for performing in accordance with the contract between the Owner and Designer.
- 2.4 The Parties hereto agree that the Contractor or CM at Risk, as the case may be, shall be solely responsible for construction means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures, the Contractor’s or CM at Risk’s schedules, and for safety precautions and programs in connection with the Project and for performing in accordance with the Owner-Contractor Agreement or the Owner-CM at Risk Agreement. The Owner’s Project Manager shall be responsible for the Owner’s Project Manager’s negligent acts or omissions but shall not have control over or charge over acts or omissions of the Contractors, CM at Risk, Subcontractors, Trade Contractors or Non-Trade Contractors or the agents or employees of the Contractor, CM at Risk, Subcontractors, Trade Contractors or Non-Trade Contractors the Designer, or the Owner.
- 2.5 Nothing in this Contract shall be construed as an assumption by the Owner’s Project Manager of the responsibilities or duties of the Contractor or the CM at Risk or the Designer. The Owner’s Project Manager’s services shall be rendered compatibly and in coordination with the services provided by the Designer. It is not intended that the services of the Owner’s Project Manager and Designer be competitive or duplicative, but rather complementary. The Owner’s Project Manager shall be entitled to rely upon the Designer and Contractor or CM at Risk for the proper performance of their obligations pursuant to their respective contracts with the Owner.



### **ARTICLE 3: RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE OWNER**

- 3.1 The Owner shall be responsible to oversee and monitor the performance of the Owner's Project Manager to ensure that it performs its obligations in a satisfactory manner. The Owner shall provide the necessary general direction and broad management coordination required to execute the Project.
- 3.2. The Owner shall designate an individual or individuals who shall have the authority to act on behalf of the Owner under this Contract and who shall be responsible for day-to-day communication between the Owner and the Owner's Project Manager.
- 3.3 Upon satisfactory completion of services performed, the Owner shall make payments to the Owner's Project Manager as provided in Articles 7, 8, 9 and 10.
- 3.4 The Owner shall be responsible for requiring the Contractor or CM at Risk and/or the Designer to comply with their respective contract obligations and to cooperate with the Owner's Project Manager.
- 3.5 The Owner shall provide timely information with respect to its requirements relative to the Project Schedule and the Project Budget, and shall further give timely notice to the Owner's Project Manager of any changes or modifications to the same.

#### **ARTICLE 4: RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE OWNER'S PROJECT MANAGER**

- 4.1 The Owner's Project Manager shall provide project management services to monitor procurement procedures, design, construction and other related activities and to facilitate, coordinate and manage the Project with respect to timely performance in accordance with the Project Schedule and monitor the quality of services and workmanship and shall recommend courses of action to the Owner when respective contractual requirements are not being fulfilled. Services shall continue through substantial use and occupancy by the Owner, and Project closeout.
- 4.2 The Owner's Project Manager shall perform the services required under this Contract in conformance with applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances and regulations.
- 4.3 The Owner's Project Manager shall report to the Owner any act or inaction in connection with the Project which the Owner's Project Manager believes creates a substantial health or safety risk. Notwithstanding the immediately preceding sentence, the Owner's Project Manager shall not assume responsibility for safety precautions and programs in connection with the Project, which shall remain the sole responsibility of the Contractor or CM at Risk, as the case may be.
- 4.4 The Owner's Project Manager acknowledges the importance that the Owner attributes to the abilities and qualifications of the key members of the Owner's Project Manager's team, including Subconsultants, and the continuity of key members participation in the services to be provided under this Contract. This Contract has been entered into on the representation of the Owner's Project Manager that the individuals, consultants, assignments and responsibilities will be maintained throughout the duration of this engagement. No substitution or replacement of individuals or change in the Subconsultants, listed in Attachment B, shall take place without the prior written approval of the Owner and the Authority, except when necessitated by causes beyond the Owner's Project Manager's control. If the Owner's Project Manager proposes to replace one of the key members of the Owner's Project Manager's team, the Owner's Project Manager shall propose a person or consultant with qualifications at least equal to the person or firm the Owner's Project Manager proposes to replace. The Owner shall have the right to approve any substitution or replacement or change in status for the persons or Subconsultants listed in Attachment B and such approval shall not be unreasonably withheld. At the request of the Owner, the Owner's Project Manager shall consult with the Owner to resolve any situation in which the Owner determines that a member of the Owner's Project Manager's team is failing to perform services in an acceptable manner to the Owner. The Owner shall have the right to direct the removal of any such person or consultant. No act or omission of the Owner made or permitted under this Section shall relieve the Owner's Project Manager of its responsibility for the performance of the services specified in this Contract.
- 4.5 The Owner's Project Manager shall employ at all times professional and support personnel with requisite expertise and adequate numbers to assure the complete, timely and high quality performance of the obligations of the Owner's Project Manager.
- 4.6 The Owner's Project Manager shall be and shall remain liable to the Owner for all damages incurred by the Owner as a result of the failure of the Owner's Project Manager to perform in conformance with the terms and conditions of this Contract.

## **ARTICLE 5: SUBCONSULTANTS**

- 5.1 The Owner's Project Manager may employ Subconsultants, subject to the prior written approval of the Owner and subject to Paragraph 10.3 in order to perform Basic, Extra and Reimbursable services under this Contract. The employment of Subconsultants shall not in any way relieve the Owner's Project Manager from its responsibilities under this Contract. Nor shall the Owner's approval of a Subconsultant in any way relieve the Owner's Project Manager from its responsibilities under this Contract.
- 5.2 Upon request, the Owner's Project Manager shall provide the Owner copies of its agreements with Subconsultants, including amendments thereto, and shall consult with the Owner with respect to the inclusion therein of appropriate terms and conditions to assure timely, efficient and competent performance of the Subconsultants.
- 5.3 No substitution of Subconsultants and no use of additional Subconsultants shall be made without prior written approval of the Owner, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- 5.4 The OPM shall be responsible for all compensation to be paid to a subconsultant. No Subconsultant shall have recourse against the Owner for payment of monies alleged to be owed to the Subconsultant by the Owner's Project Manager, and the Owner's Project Manager shall include in all contracts with its Subconsultants language so providing.
- 5.5 All contracts between the Owner's Project Manager and its Subconsultants shall include a provision in which the Owner's rights to initiate corrective action shall be stipulated

## **ARTICLE 6: TERM AND TIMELY PERFORMANCE**

- 6.1 The Owner's Project Manager acknowledges that expeditious completion of the Owner's Project Manager's services and the Project is of the utmost importance to the Owner. The term of this Agreement shall commence on the date stipulated in an Approval to proceed from the Owner. The Owner's Project Manager shall complete the services required under this Contract in a prompt and continuous manner. The Owner's Project Manager shall perform its services in a timely manner and shall not delay the work of the Designer, Contractor or CM at Risk. The Owner's Project Manager shall monitor the performance of the Designer and the Contractor or CM at Risk in accordance with schedules of performance that are established under their contracts with the Owner. The Owner's Project Manager shall immediately advise the Owner, as well as the Designer or the Contractor or CM at Risk, in writing, any time the Owner's Project Manager determines that either the Designer or the Contractor's or CM at Risk's performance is jeopardizing the Project Schedule or the Project Budget.
- 6.2 Time is of the essence in the performance of the Owner's Project Manager's obligations under this Agreement and under any amendment. The Owner's Project Manager agrees that no other work in its organization will be permitted to interfere with its timely performance of the work required under this Agreement or any amendment.
- 6.3 The Owner's Project Manager's services are to be provided in accordance with the time schedule set forth in the Project Scope. If the schedule changes causing the need for revisions

to the Owner's Project Manager's services, the Owner's Project Manager shall notify the Owner of the revisions to its services. The Owner shall have the right to extend the term of this Contract by amendment. All the rights and obligations of the parties for such extended periods shall be as set forth in this Contract or in the amendment.

#### **ARTICLE 7: COMPENSATION**

- 7.1 For the satisfactory performance of all services required pursuant to this Contract, excluding those services specified under Articles 9 and 10, the Owner's Project Manager shall be compensated by the Owner in an amount up to the negotiated fee. The Owner's Project Manager shall submit invoices on a monthly basis. The Owner shall make payments to the Owner's Project Manager within 30 days of the Owner's approval of the invoice, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed.
- 7.2 The Fee for Basic Services shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, all labor, overhead, profit, insurance, legal services, transportation, communication expenses, reasonable printing and copying necessary for completion of the Project. The fee for Basic Services also shall include (a) the costs of rebidding and re-solicitation of proposals, bids, or qualifications if due to the fault of the Owner's Project Manager, and (b) assisting the Owner in litigation or resolution of claims or other administrative proceedings associated with a bid protest arising out of the Designer contract or the construction contract and for assistance if such litigation or claims are due to the fault of the Owner's Project Manager.
- 7.3 When the Owner's Project Manager receives payment from the Owner, the Owner's Project Manager shall promptly make payment to each Subconsultant whose work was included in the work for which such payment was received. The Owner shall have the contractual right to investigate any breach of performance of a Subconsultant and to initiate corrective measures it determines are necessary and in the best interest of the Owner. All contracts between the Owner's Project Manager and its Subconsultants shall include a provision in which the Owner's rights to initiate corrective action shall be stipulated.
- 7.4 The Owner's Project Manager shall be paid the remainder of the Fee for Basic Services, less previous payments, upon acceptance by the Owner of the Certificate of Final Completion and submission of evaluations.

## **ARTICLE 8: BASIC SERVICES**

The Owner's Project Manager shall perform the following Basic Services:

### 8.1 Project Management (For All Phases)

8.1.1 The Owner's Project Manager shall prepare a communication and document control procedure during the Schematic Design Phase and continue to update it as specified for the duration of the Project. This procedure shall detail the responsibilities and lines of communication among all Project participants (Owner, Owner's Project Manager, Designer, Contractor or CM at Risk, Subcontractors, Trade Contractors, Non-Trade Contractors and other consultants, vendors or suppliers) and establish the procedure for correspondence, document control, designer and contractor or CM at Risk submittal logs, change order reporting logs and other tracking logs, as needed. The Owner's Project Manager shall include the Designer in its distribution of the Project Budget, Schedule, Monthly Progress Report and other reports as appropriate and as outlined in the Communications Plan.

8.1.1.2 The Owner's Project Manager shall review all applications for payments, requisitions and invoices relating to the Project as submitted by the Designer, equipment vendors and all other contractors and suppliers and make recommendations to the Owner relative to amounts due.

#### 8.1.2 MBE/WBE Compliance Monitoring (All Phases)

The Owner's Project Manager shall monitor and report on the Designer's and Contractor's or CM at Risk's compliance with MBE/WBE requirements.

#### 8.1.3 Project Records and Reports (All Phases)

The Owner's Project Manager shall maintain a complete Project file including, but not necessarily limited to, a copy of the executed agreements of the Owner-Owner's Project Manager, Owner-Architect/Engineer and the Owner-Contractor or Owner-CM at Risk, including copies of performance and payment bonds, a master list of permits, certificates of insurance, licenses and approvals for the Project, correspondence, daily reports, payment records, shop drawings, submittals, project schedules, requests for information, change orders/amendments, change directives and meeting minutes. The Owner's Project Manager shall assist the Owner in responding to any public records request received by the Owner.

## 8.2 Schematic Design Phase

### 8.2.1 Designer Selection

The Owner's Project Manager shall coordinate the designer selection process for the Owner. Services shall include:

- 8.2.1.1 The Owner's Project Manager shall assist the Owner in preparing the schedule for designer selection, advertisement, request for services, selection criteria and other materials required for the application package.
- 8.2.1.2 The Owner's Project Manager shall record the names and addresses of all designers who request an application package, shall notify all interested designers of any changes to the request for services or application package and shall respond to project specific questions. The Owner's Project Manager shall complete reference checks on all applicants and provide the Owner with a report on the references.
- 8.2.1.3 The Owner's Project Manager shall assist the Owner in the negotiation of the design contract with the first-ranked firm.

### 8.2.2 Schematic Design

The Owner's Project Manager shall monitor the activities and responsibilities of the Designer during this phase and assist the Owner in the review of the proposed scope, schedule and budget, developed by the Designer, including the review of the Designer's preliminary drawings.

- 8.2.2.1 The Owner's Project Manager shall review the schematic design to recommend Value Engineering Changes (VEC) to the Owner. A Value Engineering Change shall include an analysis of the constructability, cost, quality and schedule impact. The Designer will be responsible for a thorough review and recommendation on the technical merit of any VEC.
- 8.2.2.2 The Owner's Project Manager shall lead design coordination meetings every two weeks, between the Designer and the Owner and to provide for review and discussion of design/engineering related issues. The Owner's Project Manager shall provide technical assistance to the Owner. The Owner's Project Manager shall take and distribute minutes of these meetings to the Owner.

- 8.2.2.3 The Owner's Project Manager shall assist in the implementation of additional site evaluation and testing as required by the Designer, including, but not necessarily limited to, site surveys, wetlands evaluation, environmental evaluations, hazardous materials evaluation, subsurface testing (percolation tests, test pits, borings, etc.), destructive testing and other investigative work in the case of renovation projects.
- 8.2.2.4 The Owner's Project Manager shall monitor the status of the Designer contract including monitoring the schedule of the Designer, provide review and comment of Designer's work product and make recommendations to the Owner when, in the opinion of the Owner's Project Manager, requirements of the Designer's contract with the Owner are not being fulfilled.
- 8.2.2.5 The Owner's Project Manager shall meet with the Owner, Designer and other project participants as necessary.
- 8.2.2.6 The Owner's Project Manager shall assist the Owner in determining the appropriate construction delivery methodology for the Proposed Project. In providing such assistance, the Owner's Project Manager, in conjunction with the Designer, shall advise the Owner on the relative advantages and disadvantages associated with each of the construction delivery methods provided in M.G.L. Chapters 149 and 149A. The services provided by the Owner's Project Manager in assisting and advising the Owner in its determination of the appropriate construction delivery methodology shall be included in Basic Services.

If the Owner elects to proceed with the CM at Risk construction delivery method when directed by the Owner, the Owner's Project Manager shall, in a timely manner, assist and advise the Owner in properly preparing and submitting to the Office of the Inspector General, the application to proceed with the CM at Risk construction delivery method and in obtaining a notice to proceed, in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. c. 149A, § 4, and the applicable regulations and procedures promulgated by the Inspector General. The Owner's Project Manager shall assist the Owner in correcting and resubmitting the application to proceed, as necessary, and in responding to any requests for additional information from the office of the Inspector General.. The services provided by the Owner's Project Manager in assisting and advising the Owner with the preparation and submission of the application to proceed with the CM at Risk construction delivery method shall be included in Basic Services.

If the Inspector General issues a notice to proceed with the CM at Risk delivery method, and if the Owner, at its option, authorizes the Owner's Project Manager to perform services for subsequent design phases and/or the Construction Phases and Completion Phase, the Parties will enter into a mutually agreed upon amendment to this Contract using the amended Contract language for CM at Risk delivery method prescribed by the Authority. In the event that the Inspector General does not issue a notice to proceed with the CM at Risk delivery method, the Owner, at its option, may elect to construct the project in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. c. 149.

## **ARTICLE 9: EXTRA SERVICES**

### 9.1 General

- 9.1.1 Extra Services are those services requested by the Owner to be performed by the Owner's Project Manager but which are additional (or "extra") to the services performed as Basic Services. Such services are not included in the Fee for Basic Services and shall be invoiced and paid for separately. Extra services shall not be deemed authorized until a written Approval is received from the Owner.
  - 9.1.2 The proposed cost, scope and schedule of all Extra Services shall be presented to and approved by the Owner in writing prior to the performance of any Extra Services.
  - 9.1.3 Cost proposals for Extra Services shall be computed in accordance with the Hourly Rate Schedule established in Attachment A.
- 9.2 Unless specifically prohibited elsewhere and with the prior written Approval of the Owner, the Owner's Project Manager shall perform any of the following services as Extra Services:
- 9.2.1 Preparing special studies, reports, or applications at the written direction of the Owner, other than those specifically required herein as part of Basic Services;
  - 9.2.2 Assisting in the appeals process of permitting boards or commissions;
  - 9.2.3 Rebidding, re-solicitation, or re-advertising for bids, proposals, or qualifications unless made necessary by the fault of the Owner's Project Manager, in which events such rebidding shall be deemed part of Basic Services;
  - 9.2.4 Furnishing services in connection with a bid protest filed in court or with the Office of the Attorney General, provided such activities did not arise due to the fault of the Owner's Project Manager;
  - 9.2.5 Furnishing services in excess of Basic Services made necessary by the termination of the General Contractor or CM at Risk;



- 9.2.6 Providing consultation with respect to replacement of work damaged by fire or other casualty during construction;
  - 9.2.7 Assisting the Owner in litigation, claims resolution or non-binding mediation arising out of the Designer contract or the construction contract, provided such litigation or claims did not arise due to the fault of the Owner's Project Manager; and
  - 9.2.8 Providing other services requested by the Owner that are not included as Basic Services pursuant to this Contract.
- 9.3 Invoices for Extra Services shall be accompanied by a complete breakdown listing the name, payroll title, date, number of hours by day, hourly rate and extended amount, per specified task of Extra Services performed. Hourly rates shall be in accordance with the Hourly Rate Schedule in Attachment A.

#### **ARTICLE 10: REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES**

- 10.1 For coordination and responsibility for the work described in the following paragraphs 10.1.1 and 10.1.2, the Owner's Project Manager shall be reimbursed its actual costs and those of its Subconsultants, supported by invoices or receipts, plus 10%. The following are reimbursable expenses:
- 10.1.1 Certain out of pocket expenses paid by the Owner's Project Manager such as filing fees, and permit fees that are normally paid by the Owner; travel to fabrication or manufacturing locations to identify completed, identified, and stored materials or equipment specifically for the Project; field office furnishings.
  - 10.1.2 Any other specially authorized reimbursement deemed essential by the Owner, in the Owner's sole discretion, in writing.
- 10.2 Non-Reimbursable Items: The Owner shall not reimburse the Owner's Project Manager or its Subconsultants for travel expenses, sustenance, telephone, facsimiles, electronic mails, postage and delivery expenses, unless specifically required elsewhere in this Contract.
- 10.3 The Owner's Project Manager shall not be entitled to compensation under this Article for the services of Subconsultants hired to perform Basic Services under this Contract. If a Subconsultant hired to perform Basic Services performs Extra Services approved by the Owner, compensation for such Extra Services shall be made under Article 9

## **ARTICLE 11: RELEASE AND DISCHARGE**

11.1 The acceptance by the Owner's Project Manager of the last payment under the provisions of Article 7 or Article 12 in the event of termination of the Contract, shall in each instance, operate as and be a release to the Owner and the Authority and their employees and agents, from all claims of the Owner's Project Manager and its Subconsultants for payment for services performed and/or furnished, except for those written claims submitted by the Owner's Project Manager to the Owner and Authority with, or prior to, the last invoice.

## **ARTICLE 12: ASSIGNMENT, SUSPENSION, TERMINATION**

### 12.1 Assignment:

12.1.1 The Owner's Project Manager shall not assign or transfer any part of its services or obligations under this Contract (other than as specified in Article 5), without the prior written approval of the Owner. Likewise, any successor to the Owner's Project Manager must first be approved by the Owner before performing any services under this Contract. Such written consent shall not in any way relieve the Owner's Project Manager or its assignee from its responsibilities under this Contract.

### 12.2 Suspension

12.2.1 The Owner may, at any time, upon seven (7) days written notice to the Owner's Project Manager, suspend this Contract. If the Owner provides such written notice, the Owner's Project Manager shall be compensated for work satisfactorily performed in accordance with the Contract terms prior to the effective date of such suspension for which invoices have been properly submitted.

### 12.3 Termination

12.3.1 By written notice to the Owner's Project Manager, the Owner may terminate this Contract at any time with or without cause. If such termination shall occur through no fault of the Owner's Project Manager, all compensation and reimbursement due to the Owner's Project Manager in accordance with the Contract terms, for work satisfactorily performed up to the date of termination, including proportionate payment for portions of the work started but incomplete at the time of termination, shall be paid to the Owner's Project Manager, provided no payment shall be made for work not yet performed or for anticipated profit on unperformed work. If such termination is for cause then no further payment shall be due to the Owner's Project Manager beyond the date of termination.

12.3.2 By written notice to the Owner the Owner's Project Manager may terminate this Contract:

- (a) if the Owner, within thirty (30) days following written notice from the Owner's Project Manager of any material default by the Owner under the Contract, shall have failed to cure such default; or
- (b) if, after the Owner's Project Manager has performed all services required during any phase prior to construction, at least six (6) months have elapsed without receipt by the Owner's Project Manager of Approval to proceed with the next Phase of the Project, provided the delay was not the fault of the Owner's Project Manager. This provision shall not apply to an Owner's Project Manager who has received a notice of suspension pursuant to Article 12.2.
- (c) Upon a proper termination by the Owner's Project Manager, the Owner's Project Manager shall be compensated as provided in 12.3.1 above regarding termination without cause.

#### **ARTICLE 13: NOTICES**

13.1 Any notice required to be given by the Owner to the Owner's Project Manager, or by the Owner's Project Manager to the Owner, shall be deemed to have been so given, whether or not received, if mailed by certified or registered mail to the Owner's Project Manager or the Owner at the addresses indicated on page one.

#### **ARTICLE 14: INDEMNIFICATION OF OWNER**

14.1 With respect to professional services rendered by Owner's Project Manager, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Owner's Project Manager shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Owner, and its officers and employees from and against all claims, damages, liabilities, injuries, costs, fees, expenses, or losses, including, without limitation, reasonable attorney's fees and costs of investigation and litigation, whatsoever which may be incurred by the Owner to the extent caused by the negligence of or the breach of any of the provisions of this Contract by the Owner's Project Manager, a person employed by the Owner's Project Manager, or any of its Subconsultants.

14.2 With respect to non-professional services rendered by Owner's Project Manager, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Owner's Project Manager shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Owner and their officers and employees from and against all claims, damages, liabilities, injuries, costs, fees, expenses, or losses, including, without limitation, reasonable attorney's fees and costs of investigation and litigation, whatsoever which may be incurred by the

Owner arising out of or resulting from the performance of its services provided that such claims, damages, liabilities, injuries, costs, fees, expenses, or losses are attributable to bodily injury or death or injury to or destruction of tangible property and to the extent caused by an act or omission of the Owner's Project Manager, a person employed by the Owner's Project Manager, or any of its Subconsultants.

- 14.3 The indemnification obligation in this Article shall be in addition to, and not a limitation of, any other rights and remedies available to the Owner under this Contract or at law.

#### **ARTICLE 15: INSURANCE**

- 15.1 The Owner's Project Manager shall obtain and maintain at its sole expense all insurance required by law and as may be required by the Owner under the terms of this Contract. The insurance required hereunder shall be provided at the sole expense of the Owner's Project Manager or its Subconsultant, as the case may be, and shall be in full force and effect for the full term of this Contract between the Owner and the Owner's Project Manager or for such longer period as otherwise required under this Contract.
- 15.2 All policies shall be issued by companies lawfully authorized to write that type of insurance under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with a financial strength rating of "A" or better as assigned by A.M. Best Company, or an equivalent rating assigned by a similar rating agency acceptable to the Owner.
- 15.3 The Owner's Project Manager and its Subconsultants, shall submit to the Owner original certificates of insurance evidencing the coverage required hereunder, together with evidence that all premiums for such insurance have been fully paid simultaneously with the execution of this Contract. Certificates shall show each type of insurance, insurance company, policy number, amount of insurance, deductibles/self-insured retentions, and policy effective and expiration dates. The Owner's Project Manager shall submit updated certificates to the Owner prior to the expiration of any of the policies referenced in the certificates so that the Owner shall at all times possess certificates indicating current coverage. Failure by the Owner's Project Manager to obtain and maintain the insurance required by this Section, to obtain all policy renewals, or to provide the respective insurance certificates as required shall constitute a material breach of the Contract and shall be just cause for termination of the services of the Owner's Project Manager under this Contract.
- 15.4 Termination, cancellation, or material modification of any insurance required by this Contract, whether by the insurer or the insured, shall not be valid unless written notice thereof is given to the Owner at least thirty days prior to the effective date thereof, which shall be expressed in said notice.
- 15.5 The Owner's Project Manager shall require by contractual obligation, and shall ensure by the exercise of due diligence, that any Subconsultant hired in connection with the services to be provided under this Contract shall obtain and maintain all insurance required by law and as may be required by the Owner under the terms of this Contract.

15.6 The Owner's Project Manager or its Subconsultant, as the case may be, is responsible for the payment of any and all deductibles under all of the insurance required by this Contract. Neither the Owner nor the Authority shall be responsible for the payment of deductibles, self-insured retentions or any portion thereof.

15.7 Workers' Compensation, Commercial General Liability, Automobile Liability, and Valuable Papers

The Owner's Project Manager shall purchase and maintain at its own expense during the life of this Contract, or such other time period as provided herein, the following types and amounts of insurance, at a minimum:

15.7.1 Workers' Compensation Insurance in accordance with General Laws Chapter 152. The policy shall be endorsed to waive the insurer's rights of subrogation against the Owner.

15.7.2 Commercial General Liability Insurance (including Premises/Operations; Products/ Completed Operations; Contractual; Independent Contractors; Broad Form Property Damage; and Personal Injury) with a minimum limit of \$1,000,000 per occurrence, \$2,000,000 aggregate. The Owner's Project Manager shall maintain such insurance in full force and effect for a minimum period of one year after final payment and shall continue to provide evidence of such coverage to the Owner. The Owner shall be added as an additional insured on this policy. The policy shall be endorsed to waive the insurer's rights of subrogation against the Owner.

15.7.3 Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance (including owned, non-owned and hired vehicles) at limits of not less than:

- a. \$1,000,000 Each Person for Bodily Injury;
- b. \$1,000,000 Each Accident for Bodily Injury; and
- c. \$1,000,000 Each Accident for Property Damage.

15.7.4 Valuable Papers insurance in an amount sufficient to assure the restoration of any plans, drawings, computations, field notes, or other similar data relating to the work covered by this Contract or by the Agreement between the Owner and the Designer in the event of loss or destruction while in the custody of the Owner's Project Manager until the final fee payment is made or all data is turned over to the Owner, and this coverage shall include coverage for relevant electronic media, including, but not limited to, documents stored in computer-aided design drafting (CADD) systems.

15.8 Professional Liability

The Owner's Project Manager shall maintain professional liability insurance covering errors and omissions and negligent acts of the Owner's Project Manager and of any person or entity for whose performance the Owner's Project Manager is legally liable at all times while services are being performed under this Contract. Certificates of professional liability insurance evidencing such coverage shall be provided to the Owner on or before the effective date of this Contract and for a period of at least six years after

the earlier of: (1) the date of official acceptance of the completed Project by the Owner; (2) the date of the opening of the Project to public use; (3) the date of the acceptance by the general contractor of a final pay estimate prepared by the Owner pursuant to M.G.L. chapter 30; or (4) the date of substantial completion of the Construction Contract and the taking of possession of the Project for occupancy by the Owner. The certificates shall indicate a retroactive date that is no later than the effective date of this Contract and a limit of not less than \$1,000,000.

15.9 Liability of the Owner's Project Manager

Insufficient insurance shall not release the Owner's Project Manager from any liability for breach of its obligations under this Contract. Without limitation, the Owner's Project Manager shall bear the risk of any loss if its valuable papers insurance coverage is insufficient to cover the loss of any work product covered by this Contract.

15.10 Waiver of Subrogation

To the extent damages are covered by property insurance, the Owner and the Owner's Project Manager waive all rights against each other and against the General Contractor or CM at Risk, Subcontractors, Trade Contractors, Non-Trade Contractors, consultants, agents, and employees of the other for damages caused by fire or other causes of loss, except such rights as they may have to the proceeds of such insurance as set forth in the Owner-Contractor Agreement or the Owner-CM at Risk Agreement. The Owner shall require of the General Contractor or CM at Risk, Subcontractors, Trade Contractors, Non-Trade Contractors Owner's Project Manager, consultants, Subconsultants, and agents and employees, by appropriate agreements, written where legally required for validity, similar waivers each in favor of other parties enumerated herein. The policies shall provide such waivers of subrogation by endorsement or otherwise. A waiver of subrogation shall be effective as to a person or entity even though that person or entity would otherwise have a duty of indemnification, contractual or otherwise, did not pay the insurance premium directly or indirectly, and whether or not the person or entity had an insurable interest in the property damaged.

**ARTICLE 16: OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS**

16.1 Unless provided otherwise by law, ownership and possession of all information, data, reports, studies, designs, drawings, specifications, materials, documents, models, and any other documentation, product or tangible materials authored or prepared, in whole or in

part, or purchased, obtained, created by the Owner's Project Manager pursuant to this Contract (collectively, the "Materials"), other than the Owner's Project Manager's administrative communications, records, and files relating to this Contract, shall be the sole property of, and shall vest in, the Owner as "works made for hire" or otherwise. The Owner will own the exclusive rights, worldwide and royalty-free, to and in all Materials prepared and produced by the Owner's Project Manager pursuant to this Contract, including, but not limited to, United States and International patents, copyrights, trade secrets, know-how and any other intellectual property rights, and the Owner shall have the exclusive, unlimited and unrestricted right, worldwide and royalty-free, to publish, reproduce, distribute, transmit and publicly display all Materials prepared by the Owner's Project Manager. At the completion or termination of the Owner's Project Manager's services, all original Materials shall be promptly turned over to the Owner.

#### **ARTICLE 17: REGULATORY AND STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS**

17.1 Truth-in-Negotiations Certificate: If the Owner's Project Manager's fee is negotiated, by signing this Contract, the Owner's Project Manager hereby certifies to the following:

17.1.1 Wage rates and other costs used to support the Owner's Project Manager's compensation are accurate, complete, and current at the time of contracting; and

17.1.2 The Contract price and any additions to the Contract may be adjusted within one year of completion of the Contract to exclude any significant amounts if the Owner determines that the fee was increased by such amounts due to inaccurate, incomplete or non-current wage rates or other costs.

17.2 The person signing this Contract certifies, as a principal or director of the Owner's Project Manager, that the Owner's Project Manager has not given, offered or agreed to give any person, corporation, or other entity any gift, contribution or offer of employment as an inducement for, or in connection with, the award of this Contract; no consultant to or Subconsultant for the Owner's Project Manager has given, offered or agreed to give any gift, contribution or offer of employment to the Owner's Project Manager, or to any other person, corporation, or entity as an inducement for, or in connection with, the award to the Owner's Project Manager or Subconsultant of a contract by the Owner's Project Manager; and no person, corporation or other entity, other than a bona fide full-time employee of the Owner's Project Manager, has been retained or hired by the Owner's Project Manager to solicit for or in any way assist the Owner's Project Manager in obtaining this Contract upon an agreement or understanding that such person, corporation or other entity be paid a fee or other consideration contingent upon the award of this Contract .

17.3 Revenue Enforcement and Protection Program (REAP): Pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 62C, Section 49A, the undersigned certifies under the penalties of perjury that to the best of his/her knowledge and belief that the Owner's Project Manager and the principals thereof are in compliance with all laws of the commonwealth relating to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting child support.

17.4 Interest of Owner's Project Manager: The Owner's Project Manager hereby certifies that it is in compliance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 268A whenever

applicable. The Owner's Project Manager covenants that 1) he/she presently has no financial interest and shall not acquire any such interest direct or indirect, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the services required to be performed under this Contract or which would violate M.G.L. Chapter 268A, as amended from time-to-time; 2) in the performance of this Contract, no person having any such interest shall be employed by the Owner's Project Manager; and 3) no partner or employee of the firm is related by blood or marriage to any officer, official, or employee of the Owner, unless approved by the State Ethics Commission.

- 17.5 Equal Opportunity: The Owner's Project Manager shall not discriminate in employment against any person on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age, ancestry, disability, marital status, veteran status, membership in the armed forces, presence of children, or political beliefs. The Owner's Project Manager shall comply with all provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and M.G.L. c.151B.
- 17.6 Certification of Non-Collusion: The Owner's Project Manager certifies under penalties of perjury that its proposal has been made in and submitted in good faith and without collusion or fraud with any other person. As used in this certification, the word "person" shall mean any natural person, business, partnership, corporation, union, committee, club, or other organization, entity, or group of individuals.
- 17.7 Governing Law: This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
- 17.8 Dispute Resolution: If a dispute arises between the parties related to this Contract, the parties agree to use the following procedures to resolve the dispute: (a) Negotiation. A meeting shall be held between representatives of the parties with decision-making authority regarding the dispute to attempt in good faith to negotiate a resolution of the dispute; such meeting shall be held within fourteen calendar days of a party's written request for such a meeting; (b) Mediation. If the parties fail to negotiate a resolution of the dispute, they shall submit the dispute to mediation as a condition precedent to litigation and shall bear equally the costs of the mediation. The parties shall jointly appoint a mutually acceptable mediator; they shall seek assistance from an independent third party in such appointment if they have been unable to agree upon such appointment within 30 days of the meeting just noted in (a) above; (c) Litigation. If the parties fail to resolve the dispute through mediation, or are unable to convene mediation within 90 days of first attempting to do so, then either party may file suit in accordance with Article 17.9; and (d) This paragraph of dispute resolution provisions shall survive termination of this Contract.
- 17.9 Venue: Any suit by either party arising under this Contract shall be brought only in the a court of competent jurisdiction in the county where the Project is located. The parties hereto waive any argument that this venue is improper or that the forum is inconvenient.



**ATTACHMENT A**

**PAYMENT SCHEDULE**

In consideration of Owner's Project Manager's delivery of Basic Services, the Owner shall pay the Owner's Project Manager on an hourly basis, up to a total fee that shall not exceed \$[insert total fee amount]. The \$[insert total fee amount] fee is a cap for Basic Services related to this Contract, and the actual amount paid by the Owner for Basic Services required during the duration of this Contract may be an amount less than \$[insert total fee amount]. The Owner's Project Manager shall invoice the Owner based on hours worked pursuant to this Contract, according to the hourly rates below and the schedule set forth below. During the course of this Contract, the rates in effect shall not be increased above those delineated in the following table:

**Hourly Rate Schedule**

<b><u>Title</u></b>	<b><u>Rate/Hr.</u></b>
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The Owner's Project Manager shall perform the Services in accordance with the following Schedule:

<b><u>Project Phase/Item of Work</u></b>	<b><u>Not-to-Exceed Fee</u></b>	<b><u>Completion Date</u></b>
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Design Development/Construction  
Document/Bidding Phase

Construction Phase/Final Completion

Extra Services  
(Identify by Category)

Reimbursable Services (Identify by  
Category)

**Independent Cost Estimates**

Task 8.2.2 – Up to two estimates	\$X/per estimate	N/A
Task 8.4.2 – One Estimate	\$X/per estimate	N/A