



BEFORE THE CITY COMMISSION CITY OF STUART, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NUMBER 01-2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF STUART, FLORIDA APPROVES THE AWARD OF RFP #2023-207, TEMPORARY PERSONNEL SERVICES THE FOUR TOP RANKED FIRMS TO EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT PROFESSIONALS. OF PORT SAINT LUCIE, FLORIDA, MANPOWER OF STUART, FLORIDA, BLUE ARBOR, INC., OF PLANTATION, FORIDA AND TMDA, LLC OF ST. PETERSBURG, FL ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS, PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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WHEREAS, the City entered into the competitive Request for Proposal process in order to solicit licensed firms or individuals to provide Professional Temporary Personnel Services on an as needed basis.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF STUART, FLORIDA that:

SECTION 1: The City Commission of the City of Stuart hereby approves the award of RFP #2023-207: Temporary Personnel Services to the four top ranked firms, Express Employment Professionals, Manpower, Blue Arbor, Inc. and TMDA LLC. with authorization to execute final agreements subsequent to review and approval by the City Attorney.

SECTION 2: This resolution shall take effect upon adoption.

Resolution No. 01-2024; Approve Award of RFP #2023-207: Professional Temporary Personnel Services

Commissioner MCDONALD offered the foregoing resolution and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner CLARKE and upon being put to a roll call vote, the vote was as follows:

REBECCA S. BRUNER, MAYOR
CAMPBELL RICH, VICE MAYOR
EULA R. CLARKE, COMMISSIONER
CHRISTOPHER COLLINS, COMMISSIONER
TROY MCDONALD, COMMISSIONER

YES	NO	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Y			
Y			
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Y			
Y			

ADOPTED this 8th day of January, 2024.

ATTEST:

MARY R. KINDEL

CITY CLERK

REBECCA S. BRUNER

MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:

LEE J. BAGGETT

CITY ATTORNE



"CONTRACT"

CONTRACTOR:

E.L.M STAFFING, LLC DBA EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT

PROFESSIONALS

900 E. PRIMA VISTA BLVD., SUITE 100 PORT SAINT LUCIE, FLORIDA 34952

PROJECT: RFP# 2023-207: Temporary Personnel Services

THIS CONTRACT (hereinafter referred to as "Contract"), made and entered into on this _____ day of January, 2024 by and between E.L.M Staffing, LLC DBA Express Employment Professionals, a Florida for profit corporation, 900 E. Prima Vista Blvd., Suite 100 Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34952 (hereinafter referred to as "Contractor"), and the City of Stuart, Florida, a municipal corporation, 121 SW Flagler Avenue, Stuart, Florida 34994, (hereinafter referred to as "City").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Contractor is a licensed corporation doing business in Florida which provides temporary staffing for employers; and

WHEREAS, City desires to hire Contractor to fill temporary staffing needs for the City; and

WHEREAS, Contractor is willing and able to provide temporary staff to perform the Work for the City on the terms and conditions set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, City desires to enter into this Contract with Contractor to perform the Work for the agreed amount as set forth herein.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and the mutual covenants set forth herein, the parties agree as follows:

The recitals set forth above are hereby incorporated into this Contract and made a part hereof for reference.

I. PURPOSE OF CONTRACT

City intends to enter into a contract with Contractor for provision of Temporary Personnel Services by the Contractor and the payment for those services by City as set forth below.

II. STATEMENT OF WORK

The Contractor shall provide Temporary Personnel Services pursuant to this Contract as hereinafter provided. These services will include taxes on labor, insurance benefits, vacations, holidays, and all manner of other charges, levies or fees of every description are included as components of the Markup Rates as provided on the approved schedule.

Section 1. Statement of Work

Contractor shall provide temporary employees who are qualified and able bodied personnel on an as-needed basis for various City departments to perform the services as outlined in the job descriptions, including but not limited to job descriptions as described in Exhibit A (Contractor's response to RFP 2023-207 as accepted by the City) and Exhibit B (City's original Request For Proposals) incorporated herein. The City at its discretion may modify, add, or delete job descriptions at any time during the term of this Contract.

III. CONTRACT PROVISIONS

Section 1. Term of Contract

Upon award of this Contract, the effective date of this Contract shall be the date of execution of this Contract by both City and Contractor. Term of this contract shall be for an initial period of one (1) year with the option of four (4) additional one-year renewal periods, upon the mutual written agreement of the parties.

Section 2. Compensation and Method of Payment

2.1 Fee Schedule

City will compensate Contractor for services in accordance with Contractor's pricing schedule formalized in "Exhibit C-Price Proposal Form" to this Contract. Contractor's pricing schedule may be updated annually prior to each optional renewal period with submission of justification for any increases in pricing and prior written approval by the City.

2.2 Invoices

Contractor shall provide to City a weekly invoice containing the following information for each temporary personnel: (a) type of position, (b) date(s) worked, (c) hourly amount paid to employee by the Contractor, (d) hourly billable labor rate charged to City, (e) hours worked by temporary personnel, and (f) identity of City's supervisor over temporary personnel. In addition, Contractor shall provide a copy of the approved time sheet signed by the City with the invoice.

2.3 Payment

After completion of work and receipt of invoice, the City shall pay Contractor within forty-five (45) days. If the City receives any invoice which is incomplete or inaccurate, the City shall notify Contractor of said incompleteness or inaccuracies within a reasonable period of time. The deadline for any

payment shall be tolled during the period of time that it takes Contractor to provide a cured invoice. The City has the option of making payments by check, preferred method is Automated Clearing House (ACH) electronic network for financial transactions with authorization.

Section 3. Contractor Responsibility

3.1 Independent Contractor

The Contractor is an independent contractor and is not an employee or agent of the City. Nothing in this Agreement shall be interpreted to establish any relationship other than that of an independent contractor, between the City and the Contractor, its employees, agents, subcontractors, or assigns, during or after the performance of this Agreement.

3.2 Standards/Regulations

Contractor's compliance with standards and regulations to include, but not be limited to: OSHA, required employee safety & health training, written safety and health programs, provision of required personal protective equipment (PPE), minimum wage requirements, and United States citizenship. Contractor services shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local requirements, including but not limited to, Federal regulations related to temporary employee leasing.

3.2 Responsibility for Work

All of the Contractor's personnel assigned to the City must be qualified to perform the work as outlined in the job description(s) provided herein. The City reserves the right to request immediate replacements for personnel in the event that any personnel assigned to the City is found to be unqualified for any specific assignment, the City has the right to return such employee at no cost to the City. The City shall be the sole judge of qualification and its decision shall be final.

The Contractor will be the legally responsible employer for the temporary personnel during the time they are assigned to work at the City. All employees of the Contractor shall be considered to be, at all times, the sole employees of the Contractor under its sole direction and not an employee or agent of the City. The Contractor shall supply competent and physically capable employees. The City may require the Contractor to remove an employee it deems careless, incompetent, insubordinate or otherwise objectionable and whose continued employment on the City's property is not in the best interest of the City. Each employee shall have and wear proper identification. The Contractor's personnel utilized under this agreement will be provided with and shall follow all policies and procedures of the City.

The Contractor shall assign a dedicated account manager to the City's account. Said account manager shall be readily available to administer the terms of this Agreement for Contractor on a day-to-day basis. Contractor's account manager is responsible to keep the City informed of the Contractor's personnel's activities, oversee all work performance, process placement requests, issue resolution and coordination of services.

If at any time the assigned account manager is replaced during the term of this Contract, the Contractor must provide all updated information and details as requested and must be approved by the City.

Contractor shall be responsible for withholding, deductions, and payment of all tax obligations, including federal income tax, Social Security, Medicare, Worker's Compensation and unemployment

compensation, in connection with assigning individuals to the City as temporary staffing under this Contract. The Contractor shall strictly comply with immigration and Naturalization Service reporting by processing the form I-9's as required by federal law; supply State unemployment insurance and workers compensation insurance for all temporary employees provided to the City pursuant to this Contract; and maintain a pool of temporary personnel/employees to provide for the City's temporary employment staffing needs.

3.3 Non-Compete

There shall be no restrictions, time limitation, fees or penalties placed upon the City or its personnel assigned to the City in regards to the City's direct hiring of any of Contractor's personnel assigned to the City under this Contract.

Section 4. Contractor's Records

4.1 Claims

As a condition precedent to Contractor filing any claim against City, Contractor shall make available to City all of Contractor's books and records (directly or indirectly related to the claim of Contractor's business) requested by City with five business days of the City's request. Refusal to do so shall constitute a material breach of this Contract and cause for dismissal of any litigation.

4.2 Documentation

Contractor shall electronically transmit all documentation to the Human Resources Department for City prior approval for all temporary personnel/employees at the Contractor's expense for Pre-employment drug screening, Authorization to work in the U.S., Statewide criminal check (minimal of 7 years), Nationwide criminal/Discover (check state criminal records and sexual predator databases for all states, and positions associated with children services requiring fingerprinting and criminal records search, and education verification.

Section 5. Termination

5.1 Termination for Convenience

Either party upon a thirty (30) day written notice to the other party may terminate this Contract. In the event of any termination, Contractor shall be paid for all services rendered to the date of termination including all authorized reimbursable expenses.

5.2 Termination for Cause

The performance of the Contract may be terminated by the City in accordance with this clause, in whole or in part, in writing, whenever the City shall determine that the Contractor has failed to meet any performance requirement(s) under this Contract. If the Contractor should be adjudged bankrupt, or if Contractor should make a general assignment for the benefit of its creditors, or if a receiver should be appointed on account of its insolvency, or if hit should fail to provide properly skilled personnel or proper service in the sole discretion of the City, then the City can, after giving the Contractor seven (7) days written notice, and without prejudice to any other right or remedy, terminate this Contract.

5.3 Default

In the event that the Contractor cannot respond adequately to the needs of the City, the Contractor shall advise the City, as soon as possible, and further advise as to the length of said inability or replacement

of personnel. If inability of placement of personnel in a timely manner is frequent, the City may then consider said inability to be a breach of this Contract and may undertake the necessary work through its own services or those of another Contractor. The City shall have the right to deduct the cost incurred in having to provide said services from the payments to be made to the Contractor under this Contract.

Section 6. Temporary to Permanent Fees

In the event that the City employs a temporary employee, temporary to permanent charge shall not be accessed if the temporary employee has worked for the City a minimum of 160 hours. In the event the City employs a temporary employee that has worked less than 160 hours, the fee will not exceed one value of one (1) week payment to the Contractor for the employee. A negative cotinine test must be acquired prior to permanent employment at the City's expense.

<u>Section 7</u>. Persons Bound by Contract

7.1 Parties to the Contract

The persons bound by this Contract are the Contractor and the City and their respective partners, successors, heirs, executors, administrators, assigns and other legal representative.

7.2 Assignment of Interest in Contract

This Contract and any interest or services associated with this Contract may not be assigned, sublet or transferred to another by either party without the prior written consent of the other party. Contractor will not be permitted to subcontract any of the work requirements to be performed of the services hereunder.

7.3 Other Entity Use

The Contractor may be requested to convey its proposal prices, contract terms and conditions, to municipalities or other governmental agencies.

7.4 Rights and Benefits

Nothing herein shall be construed to give any rights or benefits arising from this Contract to anyone other than Contractor and the City.

Section 8. Indemnification of City

Contractor assumes the entire responsibility and liability for all damages or injury to all persons, and to all property, caused by the Contractor or Contractor's Affiliates and their officers, directors, employees, personnel, agents, consultants or sub-contractors, and Contractor shall to the fullest extent allowed by law, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the City, and its officers and employees, from any and all claims, actions, liabilities, damages, losses, and expenses/costs, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees for personal, economic, bodily injury, wrongful death, loss of or damage to property, at law or in equity, which may arise or may be alleged to have risen from the negligence, omission, wrongful or intentional conduct of the Contractor and other persons employed or utilized by the Contractor in the performance of the Contract or from and against any claims and losses and shall pay such costs and judgments which may issue from any lawsuit arising from such claims and losses including wrongful termination or allegations of discrimination

or harassment, unpaid wage claims or in any way arising from or related to a failure to offer health coverage to Personnel which failure results in the assessment of a penalty against Employer, and shall pay costs and attorney's fees expended by City in defense of such claims and losses including appeals.

Contractor shall obtain, maintain and pay for general liability insurance coverage to insure the provisions of this paragraph.

Section 9. Insurance.

9.1. Requirements

Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance, in the amounts noted in Item 4.9 of the Request for Proposal which is attached hereto as Exhibit "B". Such certificate must contain a provision for notification of the City thirty (30) days in advance of any material change or cancellation. The City by and through its Risk Manager, reserves the right to review, modify, reject or accept any required policies of insurance, including limits coverages or endorsements, herein from time to time throughout the term of this contract. All insurance carriers must have an A.M. Best Rating of at least A:VII or better. When a self-insured retention or deductible exceeds \$5,000, the City reserves the right, but not the obligation, to review and request a copy of contractor's most recent annual report or audited financial statement. All contractors, including any independent contractors and subcontractors utilized, must comply with the insurance requirements as set forth in the documents identified.

9.2 Certificate of Insurance

Certificates of all insurance required from the Contractor shall be attached to this agreement and shall be subject to the City's approval for adequacy.

Section 10. Professional Standards

All work performed by Contractor will be in accordance with the highest professional standards and in accordance with all applicable governmental regulations.

Section 11. Non-Appropriation

This Contract is deemed effective only to the extent of the annual appropriations available.

Section 12. General Conditions

12.1 Venue in Martin County

Jurisdiction and venue for any lawsuit to enforce the terms and obligations of this Contract shall lie exclusively in the County Court or the Circuit Court in and for Martin County, Florida.

12.2 Laws of Florida

The validity, interpretation, construction, and effect of this Contract shall be in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Florida.

12.3 Attorney's Fees and Costs

In the event the Contractor breaches or defaults in the performance of any of the terms, covenants and conditions of this Contract, the Contractor agrees to pay all damages and costs incurred by the City in the enforcement of this Contract, including reasonable attorney's fees, court costs and all expenses, even if not taxable as court costs, including, without limitation, all such fees, costs and expenses incident to appeals incurred in such action or proceeding.

12.4 Mediation as Condition Precedent to Litigation

Prior to the initiation of any litigation by the parties concerning this Contract, and as a condition precedent to initiating any litigation, the parties agree to first seek resolution of the dispute through non-binding mediation. Mediation shall be initiated by any party by serving a written request for same on the other party. The parties shall, by mutual agreement, select a mediator within 15 days of the date of the request for mediation. If the parties cannot agree on the selection of a mediator then the City shall select the mediator who, if selected solely by the City, shall be a mediator certified by the Supreme Court of Florida. The mediator's fee shall be paid in equal shares by each party to the mediation.

12.5 Contract Amendment

The City may require additional positions not specifically identified in the contract. The Contractor agrees to provide such services, and shall provide the City prices on such additional services based upon a formula or method which is the same or similar to that used in establishing the prices in this proposal. If the price(s) offered are not acceptable to the City, and the situation cannot be resolved to the satisfaction of the City, the City reserves the right to procure those services from other vendors or to cancel the contract. Furthermore, the City reserves the right to delete or revise items and services under this bid at any time during the contract period when and where deemed necessary. Deletions may be made at the sole discretion of the City at any time during the contract period. Items revised must be mutually agreed upon in writing by the Contractor.

No modification, amendment or alteration in the terms or conditions contained in this Contract shall be effective unless contained in a written documents executed with the same formality and of equal dignity herewith. This Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the parties, and no prior, or contemporaneous oral agreement shall be binding on either party. If either party fails to enforce a portion or any of this Contract, it shall not constitute a waiver of the same.

12.6 Contractual Authority

By signing this Contract, the Contractor swears or affirms, under penalty of perjury, that this is a valid act of the Contractor, and that no later claim shall be made by the CONTRACTOR that the Contract is invalid or an *ultra vires* act, by reason of a failure to have the proper authority to execute the Contract. In the event that a court of competent jurisdiction later determines that the Contract is or would be null and void for failure of the signatory to have proper or complete authority, this Contract shall nonetheless be deemed valid under the theory of "apparent authority," or in the sole alternative of the City, shall be deemed to be the act of the signatory, as an individual, who shall be fully responsible for its complete performance.

12.7 Sovereign Immunity

Nothing contained in this Contract shall be construed or interpreted as a waiver of the City's sovereign immunity protections existing under Section 768.28, Florida Statutes,.

Section 13. Public Records

If the Contractor has questions regarding the application of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, to the Contractor's duty to provide public records relating to this contract, contact the office of the City Clerk as the custodian of Public Records for the City of Stuart, and all the respective departments at 772-288-5306 or mkindel@ci.stuart.fl.us, City of Stuart, City Clerk 121 SW Flagler Avenue, Stuart, Fl. 34994 per F.S. 119.12.

In compliance with F.S. 119.0701 the Contractor shall:

- a) Keep and maintain public records required by the public agency to perform the service.
- b) Upon request from the public agency's custodian of public records, provide the public agency with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in this chapter or as otherwise provided by law.
- c) Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the contract term and following completion of the Contract if the Contractor does not transfer the records to the public agency.
- d) Upon completion of the Contract, transfer, at no cost, to the public agency all public records in possession of the Contractor or keep and maintain public records required by the public agency to perform the service. If the Contractor transfers all public records to the public agency upon completion of the contract, the Contractor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Contractor keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the Contract, the Contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the public agency, upon request from the public agency's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the public agency.

A request to inspect or copy public records relating to a public agency's contract for services must be made directly to the public agency. If the public agency does not possess the requested records, the public agency shall immediately notify the Contractor of the request, and the Contractor must provide the records to the public agency or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time.

If a Contractor does not comply with the public agency's request for records, the public agency shall enforce the contract provisions in accordance with the Contract.

A Contractor who fails to provide the public records to the public agency within a reasonable time may be subject to penalties under Florida Statutes § 119.10.

If a civil action is filed against a Contractor to compel production of public records relating to a public agency's contract for services, the court shall assess and award against the Contractor the reasonable costs of enforcement, including reasonable attorney fees, if:

1. The court determines that the Contractor unlawfully refused to comply with the public records

request within a reasonable time; and

2. At least 8 business days before filing the action, the plaintiff provided written notice of the public records request, including a statement that the Contractor has not complied with the request, to the public agency and to the Contractor.

A notice complies with subparagraph 2 above, if it is sent to the public agency's custodian of public records and to the Contractor at the Contractor's address listed on its contract with the public agency or to the Contractor's registered agent. Such notices must be sent by common carrier delivery service or by registered, Global Express Guaranteed, or certified mail, with postage or shipping paid by the sender and with evidence of delivery, which may be in an electronic format.

A Contractor who complies with a public records request within eight (8) business days after the notice is sent is not liable for the reasonable costs of enforcement.

IV. EXHIBITS INCLUDED IN AGREEMENT

Exhibit A - Proposal as Submitted by Contractor and Accepted by City

Exhibit B - Original Request for Proposal as Issued by City, including all Addenda.

Exhibit C - Price Proposal Form

Exhibit D - Certificate of Insurance

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City has hereunto subscribed and the Contractor has signed his, its, or their name, or names the date aforesaid.

CITY OF STUART, FLORIDA

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MARY R. KINDEL CITY CLERK

ATTEST:

MICHAEL J. MORTELL CITY MANAGER

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:

LEE J. BAGGETTÉS CITY ATTORNEY

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CONTRACTOR

(Signature)

Mike England

Printed Name

Owner, Treasure Coast

Title



September 26, 2023

City of Stuart 121 SW Flagler Avenue Stuart, FL 34994 Attn: Alaina Knofla

On behalf of Express Employment Professionals, I am pleased to present the City of Stuart with our response to the Temporary Personnel Services Request For Proposal (RFP) for 2023 to 2027.

ELM Staffing dba Express Employment Professionals is a locally owned Franchise dedicated to the temporary and direct hire requirements for the Treasure Coast since 2017. With Express, over 800 offices serve clients throughout the United States, but the City of Stuart gets the dedicated support of both local ownership and team to respond timely and are well equipped to support all the temporary requirements outlined in the RFP. Specifically, our Book of Business over the past 3+ years, is 60% Light Industrial, which represents the 5 of the 6 roles outlined in this Proposal. 30% is Office Services which makes up that 6th role outlined, and the last 10% is Professional and Skilled Trades.

Express has enjoyed the opportunity to serve the City of Stuart over the past RFP cycle with a primary emphasis on the Sanitation Department. However, Express has also provided Custodians and Laborers/Ditch Diggers. We look forward to continuing to partner with the City of Stuart for all the identified roles in this RFP bid.

It is our objective to provide the City of Stuart with cost-effective Temporary Service solutions that will continue to support the talent required in your workforce. We have demonstrated a record of delivering the quality talent and reliable services that stay within budgetary requirements. We have a history of managing large numbers of talent, processing payroll in a timely manner, supplying the reports needed for City records, and managing the employee relations of our workforce. We remain confident

that our solution has met and will continue to meet or exceed the City of Stuart's requirements.

Express will carry out all contract responsibilities in a highly professional and successful manner to which all our clients have become accustomed. Please contact me should you have any questions or need additional information.

Respectfully,

Mike England

Owner, Treasure Coast

Express Employment Professionals



Tab 1 - Experience/Knowledge/Qualifications

Express Employment Professionals has a full understanding of the commitment needed to fulfill the services requested by the City of Stuart in this Request For Proposal (RFP). We have a strong and current history supporting our local municipalities, to include the City of Stuart, and look forward to continuing to serve the city. We will call upon our highly skilled inventory of talent to address the outlined temporary staffing requirements outlined in this RFP.

In preparing this Proposal, our team has carefully reviewed the RFP requirements and has determined that our current processes support and can adapt to any customization. It is through this review that we have established a solid understanding of the requirements and objectives of the City of Stuart. Some of the core values of the Express Employment Professionals team include accountability, integrity, innovation, and commitment to community. We have witnessed the workforce retention outcomes of our services and have seen how they positively affect the Treasure Coast economy, community, and of course people's lives.

Express Employment Professionals, headquartered in Oklahoma, is celebrating its 40th year with well over 800 offices in the United States, and even more offices in Canada, several countries internationally. With Express, there is the power and leverage of robust corporate technology and investment, but with local ownership making specific investments dedicated to the Treasure Coast region.

Express Employment Professionals, Treasure Coast owners Mike and Lee England have been actively involved with the growth and success of the Franchise since 2017, with prior extensive experience in the investment industry. Much of that experience focused on sourcing, recruiting, and training star talent to perform within the investment industry. In addition, Mike is also actively involved in the Treasure Coast Community, serving on the Board of the Martin County Habitat for Humanity, the Board of the Treasure Coast Manufacturer's Association, and an active participant with the Treasure Coast Builders Association. Mike and Lee are very engaged in many Martin County philanthropic efforts.

In addition, the Franchise has grown and has now assembled a strong team of 9 additional team members with the skills, talent, dedication, and experience required to operate a customer focused Staffing Company supporting our clients on the Treasure Coast. In addition, while our primary office is centrally located in the Treasure Coast in Port St. Lucie, we have added an office in Martin County that allows for a more convenient talent interview option for Martin County applicants.

Karen Reeves has been with the Express Treasure Coast office since Mike and Lee opened the Franchise in 2017. Karen will continue to be your dedicated Payroll Operations professional.

Curt Jordan is our Office Manager, responsible for daily franchise operations. Prior to joining Express, Curt led Talent Acquisition and Contingent Labor (Temporary/Contract) as part of a 30+ year career leading Human Resource departments and professionals.

Rachael Oliver reports to Curt and will continue to serve as the dedicated Employment Specialist for the City of Stuart. Rachael has served in this capacity for the past 2 years. Prior to joining the Express team, Rachael spent 12 years in a management capacity at a medical center responsible for interviewing, hiring, and onboarding a team of 20+ ongoing staff members.

Express Employment Professionals is engaged in most National and Regional Staffing Associations.

In summary, Express Employment Professionals will carry out all contract responsibilities with the City of Stuart in the same highly professional, successful manner to which our clients have become accustomed. We will draw on the successful working relationships we have built on the Treasure Coast to deliver the City of Stuart unparalleled service and support. We offer the City of Stuart a truly best-in-class solution designed to meet your needs now and into the future. Or team stands ready to serve and continue to be your solution for unsurpassed customer service.



Tab 2 - Servicing Procedures

Express Employment Professionals offers strengths that make us uniquely positioned to fil the Temporary needs of the City of Stuart:

- 1. Express is transparent and a neutral vendor. All aspects of our services, including pricing data, is presented to, and controlled by, our local Treasure Coast office,
- 2. A focus on quality control that includes producing management reports and conducting regular workforce quality checks by phone and in person with leadership on-site,
- 3. We are an experienced Temporary Employee vendor with proven local results; and
- 4. Express Employment Professionals is a service-oriented company, offering a package that is capable of expanding services when additional workforce is required.

Contractor Obligation:

- Respond within four (4) hours after initial request to review the requirement and develop a time for placement.
- Pre-employment 10-panel drug screening
- Authorization to work in the United States (I-9 and e-Verify)
- Statewide criminal check (7-year) / background check (able to customize)
- Nationwide Criminal/Discover (check state criminal records and sexual predator databases for all states)
- Positions associated with children services require finger printing and criminal records search (recreation aide, recreation leaders)
- Education verification when required
- Assessment of skills and tutorial offering to associates
- Resume writing assistance (as needed)
- Weekly payroll and time sheet verification
- Worker's Compensation coverage
- Benefits offering of medical, dental, vision, STD and life insurance
- · Sourcing, interviewing, maintaining talent pool and placement

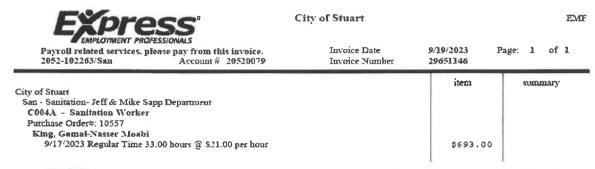
We value all lines of communication, and our team is readily available to respond to inquiries whether by phone, email, text, or in-person. Upon conception of job orders, Express will communicate an agreeable expected time to fill and then inquire, interview, or follow placement procedures. In the event, an associate does not perform satisfactorily, we will replace within a 4-hour window providing the City of Stuart advises us as soon as possible.

Timesheets, Invoicing and Payment:

Time is recorded weekly starting Monday through Sunday. Timecards are processed on Monday and associates paid the following Friday. Associates have the option of direct deposit, debit card, or a live check.

A weekly invoice will reflect the type of position, date(s) worked, hours worked, hourly bill rate, and a copy of the approved time sheet signed by a City Supervisor will accompany each invoice. For your convenience, you may also remit payment on our site at https://www.expresspros.com/FranchiseSite/Employers/Workforce-Management-Tools/Default.aspx

For your convenience, her is condensed example of what we supply to you today:



Express PROVESTIONALS

City of Stuart / Sanitation- Jeff & Mike Sapp San

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Wed-9/13/2023	6 30 AM	12 00 PM - 12 30 PM	4 30 PM	9 50	0.00	0.00
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Sat-9/16/2023	-			0.00	0.00	0.00
Sun-9/17/2023				0.00	0.00	0.00
Approved On: 09-18-2023			Weekly Totals	33.00	0.00	0.00

All the previously mentioned services are configured or customized to meet the individual needs of our clients; for some clients, we constructed new programs, processes, and system solutions from the ground up within very tight timeframes. Express Employment Professionals is continuously looking to improve and expand the services we offer and provide maximum value and expertise to our clients.

PRICE PROPOSAL FORM

Respondents are to make no changes to the table below and are to <u>fill the table out completely.</u> Proposer's costs for taxes on labor, insurance benefits, vacations, holidays, and all manner of other charges, levies or fees of every description are included as components of the markup rate.

Item #	Position Descriptions	% of Markup over the hourly rate
1	Groundskeeper	% 35
2	Laborer I	% 30
3	Laborer II	% 30
4	Custodian	% 35
5	Sanitation Worker	% 40
6	Office Assistant	% 38

	ELM Staffing dba Express Employment Professionals
Company Name	

The Respondent certifies that as a condition of submitting, firm will hold good his proposal prices for a minimum period of sixty (60) calendar days from the date proposals are opened.

The undersigned Respondent hereby certifies that the terms and conditions, including but not limited to, the statement of work have not been altered or modified in any manner. Any modification to this solicitation by the proposer will result in Proposer's response being found non-responsive and thereby disqualified.

I certify that this Proposal is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, or person submitting a Proposal for the same materials, supplies, or equipment, and is in all respects fair and made without collusion or fraud. I agree to abide by all conditions of this Proposal and certify that I am authorized to sign this Proposal for the Proposer.



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) 10/1/2024

9/21/2023

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on

this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate floider in the	CONTACT	
PRODUCER Lockton Companies 444 W. 47th Street, Suite 900 Kansas City MO 64112-1906 (816) 960-9000 kcasu@lockton.com	PHONE (A/C, No. Ext): FAX (A/G, No.):	
	E-MAIL ADDRESS:	
	INSURER(8) AFFORDING COVERAGE	NAIC#
	INSURER A: National Union Fire Ins Co Pitts. PA	19445
INSURED 1352730 EXPRESS SERVICES, INC. DBA: EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT PROFESSIONALS 9701 BOARDWALK BLVD.	INSURER B : SEE ATTACHMENT	
	INSURER C : AIG Specialty Insurance Company	26883
	INSURER D : ACE American Insurance Company	22667
OKLAHOMA CITY OK 73162	INSURER E :	
	INSURER F:	

COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 15808114 **REVISION NUMBER:** XXXXXX THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

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	x	STAFFING SERVICE						MED EXP (Any one person) PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$ 20,000 \$ 5,000,000
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	-	POLICY PRO-						PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$ 10,000,000 \$
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		ANY AUTO						BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$ XXXXXXX
		OWNED SCHEDULED AUTOS ONLY						PROPERTY DAMAGE	\$ XXXXXXX
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		DED RETENTION\$							s XXXXXXX
В		EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY		N	SEE ATTACHED POLICY #'S	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	X PER OTH-	
	ANY	PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE N	N/A					E.L. EACH ACCIDENT	\$ 1.000,000
	(Man	idatory in NH)						E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	\$ 1,000,000
	If yes	s, describe under CRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below						E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	
A	CRI	IME/FIDELITY	N	N	14680029	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	CRIME/FIDELITY: \$5,00 PER CLAIM	0,000
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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

ALL INSURANCE CARRIERS SHOWN ON THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE AN A.M. BEST RATING OF A XV OR BETTER UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. LOCATION: 2052 - PORT SAINT
LUCIE FL / TYPE OF COMPANY: MUNICIPALITY / JOB DESCRIPTION: FILLE CLERK, SANITATION, IANITORS.
CITY OF STUART IS LISTED AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED AS RESPECTS TO WORK PERFORMED BY TEMPORARY ASSOCIATES, AS PER WRITTEN CONTRACT AND/OR
STAFFING AGREEMENT, EXCEPT FOR NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT OF CITY OF STUART. ADDITIONAL INSURED DOES NOT APPLY TO WC, E&O OR FIDELITY.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER	CANCELLATION See Attachment
15808114 CITY OF STUART	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
ATTN ALAINA KNOFLA 121 SW FLAGLER AVE STUART FL 34994	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES JOHN M Agnella

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Express Services, Inc.
Workers Compensation Policy Schedule: Policy periods: 10/1/2023 - 10/1/2024

AlU Insurance Company Policy No. WC049154383 NAIC# 19399

States Covered: AK, AL, AR, AZ, CO, CT, DC, DE, FL, GA, HI, IA, ID, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, MS, MT, NC, ND, NE, NH, NJ, NM, NV, NY, OK, OR, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VA, VT, WV, WY

AIU Insurance Company Policy No. WC049154384

NAIC# 19399

States Covered: CA

AIU Insurance Company Policy No. WC049154385

NAIC# 19399

States Covered: WI

AIU Insurance Company

Policy No. WC049154386

NAIC# 19399

States Covered: PA

National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Policy No. XWC1647743

NAIC# 19445

States Covered: OH

National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Policy No. XWC1647444

NAIC# 19445

States Covered: WA

Tab 5 - References for Express Employment Professionals





REFERENCE FORM

Provide three (3) satisfactory references within the past five (5) years of similar complexity, nature, and size of this project.

#1 REFERENCE

Company/Entity Name: City of Fort	Pierce				
Address 100 North US Highway 1					
City Fort Pierce ,	State	FL	Zip Code	34954	
Contact Name: Karen Logue		Title: 0	Chief Accountant		
Phone No: 772-467-3764 Fax:		En	nail: klogue@city	/-ftpierce.c	om
Date of Service or Contract Period:	Current	Lo	cation Fort Piero	е	
Summary of Services Performed v	arious / ma	any	Governmental	or Private	Gov't

#2 REFERENCES

Company/Entity Name.	onstruction				
Address 1680 SW Bayshore Blvd	d, Suite 226				
City Port St. Lucie	State	FL	Zip Code_	34986	_
Contact Name: Jackie Kerns		Title: CFC			
Phone No:772-529-1734 Fax:		Email:_	jkerns@l	cernsconstruc	tion.net
Date of Service or Contract Period	Currer	nt	Location_	Port St. Luc	ie
Summary of Services Performed _	Skilled Labor	G	overnmenta	al or Private_	Private

#3 REFERENCES

Company/Entity Name: Electrical C	Connection	S			
Address 1205 SE Dixie Cutoff Roa					
City Stuart	State_	FL	Zip Code	34994	
Contact Name: Mike Pettengill		Title: Ow	ner		
Phone No: 772-283-5792 Fax:		Email:	Mike@el	econnections	s.com
Date of Service or Contract Period:	Current		Location_	Stuart	
	Skilled La	bor G	overnment	al or Private	<u>Private</u>

Company Name	Express Employment Professionals	



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Florida Limited Liability Company

E.L.M. STAFFING, LLC

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81-3640288

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900 E. PRIMA VISTA BLVD

SUITE 100

PORT ST LUCIE, FL 34952

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PORT ST LUCIE, FL 34952

Changed: 04/04/2017

Registered Agent Name & Address

LOZEAU, LOUIS E, JR.

1002 SE MONTEREY COMMONS BLVD

100

STUART, FL 34996

Authorized Person(s) Detail

Name & Address

Title MGR

ENGLAND, THOMAS M 1670 SW PROSPERITY WAY PALM CITY, FL 34990

Title MGR

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2023 - 2024

St. Lucie County Local Business Tax Receipt

Facilities or machines #

Rooms #

Employees #5 Seats #

Receipt #1021256

Type of business 7361 EMPLOYMENT (Employment Agency)

Expires SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

DBA name Express Employment Services

Mailing address: E.L.M. Staffing LLC

900 E. Prima Vista Ste 100 Port St. Lucie, Fl 34952

Business E.L.M. Staffing LLC

Business location: 900 E. Prima Vista Ste 100

Port St. Lucie, Fl 34952

RENEWAL

St Lucie County

116000174668

Original tax:

Penalty:

\$15.10

Collection cost:

Total:

\$15.10

Paid 07/13/2023 15.10

0025-20230713-044343

Law requires this Local Business Tax Receipt to be displayed conspicuously at the place of business in such a manner that it can be open to the view of the public and subject to inspection by all duly authorized officers of the county. Upon failure to do so, the local business taxpayer shall be subject to the payment of another Local Business Tax for the same business, profession or occupation.

Pursuant to Florida law, all Local Business Tax Receipts shall be sold by the Tax Collector beginning July 1 of each year and shall expire on September 30 of the succeeding year. Those Local Business Tax Receipts renewed beginning October 1 shall be delinquent and subject to a delinquency penalty of 10 percent for the month of October. An additional 5 percent penalty for each month of delinquency is added until paid, provided that the total delinquency penalty shall not exceed 25 percent of the Local Business Tax for the delinquent establishment.

In addition to the penalty, the Tax Collector is entitled to a collection fee of \$1 to \$5. This fee is based on the amount of Local Business Tax, which will be collected from delinquent taxpayers after September 30 of the business year.

This receipt is a Local Business Tax only. It does not permit the local business taxpayer to violate any existing regulatory or zoning laws of the state, county or city. It also does not exempt the local business taxpayer from any other taxes, licenses or permits that may be required by law.

Pursuant to Florida law, Local Business Taxes are subject to change.

E.L.M. Staffing LLC 900 E. Prima Vista Ste 100 Port St. Lucie, Fl 34952

State of Florida Department of State

I certify from the records of this office that E.L.M. STAFFING, LLC is a limited liability company organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on September 19, 2016.

The document number of this limited liability company is L16000174668.

I further certify that said limited liability company has paid all fees due this office through December 31, 2023, that its most recent annual report was filed on March 29, 2023, and that its status is active.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida at Tallahassee, the Capital, this the Twenty-ninth day of March, 2023



Secretary of State

Tracking Number: 5352521394CC

To authenticate this certificate, visit the following site, enter this number, and then follow the instructions displayed.

https://services.sunbiz.org/Filings/CertificateOfStatus/CertificateAuthentication



REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL 2023-207 TEMPORARY PERSONNEL SERVICES

City of Stuart 121 SW Flagler Avenue Stuart, FL 34994

RELEASE DATE: August 30, 2023

DEADLINE FOR QUESTIONS: September 15, 2023

RESPONSE DEADLINE: September 27, 2023, 2:30 pm

RESPONSES MUST BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY TO:

https://secure.procurenow.com/portal/stuartfl

City of Stuart REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Temporary Personnel Services

	Advertisement
11.	Introduction
III.	
IV.	General Information
V.	ARPA Terms and Conditions
V. VI.	Scope of Work
VII.	Evaluation Phases
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VIII.	Vendor Questionnaire

Attachments:

- A Price propsal form
- B FEMA_TERMS_AND_CONDITIONS_-1

1. ADVERTISEMENT

Proposals for Temporary Personnel Services will be received by the City of Stuart at the https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/stuartfl until Wednesday, September 27, 2023 at 2:30 pm.

The City encourages E-bidding via the City's e-procurement portal hosted by OpenGov at https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/stuartfl. If not submitting electronically then an original, three (3) copies and one (1) electronic (PDF format preferred) on a CD or Flash Drive must be submitted in a sealed envelopes/package addressed to Procurement Division, City of Stuart, and marked RFP 2023-207. Submittals received after that date and time will not be accepted or considered and will be retained in the Procurement Office unopened. Submittals received after that date and time will not be accepted or considered and will be retained in the Procurement Office unopened.

A complete bid package can be obtained from the City's e-procurement portal https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/stuartfl or by contacting the Procurement Office at 772-288-5320, purchasing@ci.stuart.fl.us. The City of Stuart is not responsible for the content of any bid package received through any 3rd party bid service or any source.

Mail/Overnight/Hand Deliver Submittal Responses to:

Stuart City Hall

Procurement Office

301 SE Ocean Blvd, Suite 204

Stuart, Florida 34994

Mark outside of envelope: RFP2023-207:Temporary Personnel Services

Published: Wednesday, August 30, 2023

2. INTRODUCTION

2.1. Summary

This Request for Proposal (RFP) provides guidelines for the submission of proposals in response to the City of Stuart's solicitation for firms and individuals to provide temporary personnel services as described herein.

2.2. Contact Information

Alaina Knofla

Procurement Coordinator 301 SE Ocean Blvd, Suite 204 Stuart, FL 34994-2172

Email: aknofla@ci.stuart.fl.us Phone: (772) 288-5320

Department:

Procurement & Contracting Services Division

2.3. <u>Timeline</u>

Release Project Date	August 30, 2023
Question Submission Deadline	September 15, 2023, 4:00pm

Proposal Submission Deadline

September 27, 2023, 2:30pm Microsoft Teams meeting

Join on your computer, mobile app or room device

Click here to join the meeting

Meeting ID: 262 965 217 947

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3. INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

3.1. RULES FOR SUBMISSIONS

The City encourages e-bidding, however if not submitting electronically please provide the following marked in a sealed envelope with RFP name notated including one (1) original, three (3) copies and one (1) electronic copy (PDF format preferred) on a CD or flash drive of their proposal. Please tab all support documents or attachments according to the order established in the following paragraph.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

To expedite the evaluation of responses, it is mandatory that all respondents follow the format and instructions contained herein. The City retains the option to reject any response that does not conform to the stated requirements.

3.2. PROPOSAL FORMAT

Proposers should prepare their proposals using the following format. Proposers shall label, tab and organize proposal submittal documents utilizing the following format as outlined below. All attachments as requested shall be inserted in the back of each corresponding section.

In preparing your proposal, proposer should assume that the City has no previous knowledge of their product or capabilities. Proposals should clearly describe the services, specifying where it meets, exceeds or does not comply with the general specifications.

<u>Letter of Transmittal:</u> The response format shall contain a letter of transmittal. The Letter of Transmittal will summarize in a brief and concise manner the Proposer's understanding of the scope of work and make a positive commitment to timely perform the work within budgetary requirements. An agent authorized to contractually bind Proposer must sign the Letter of Transmittal indicating the agent's title or authority. The transmittal letter shall not exceed two pages in length.

Tab 1 ~ Experience/Knowledge/Qualifications

Provide a statement indicating the respondent's interest in, knowledge of, and resources necessary to provide the services described in this RFP. Proposer must provide details of comparable experience within the past five years, specializing in employment/staffing services. Detail practical experience, including relevant dates. Firms shall provide a brief profile of their company, which should include their history, locations of their corporate and satellite offices and estimated response time for placement of service, location of their project team, corporate structure, ownership interest, and the length of company's existence. Describe how the firm shall provide competent able bodied personnel sufficient to effectively carry out its responsibilities under the Contract. The firm shall utilize only competent personnel who are qualified by experience, skill and education that must be 18 years or older.

The firm must assign a Supervisor and shall identify assigned personnel (to the City account) with a minimum of five (5) years' experience in similar work and provide details of the qualifications and technical experience, including job skills, license, and years with firm, to perform the work Any change in Firm's assigned staff must have prior approval by the City. Proposers may submit such additional

information as to their qualifications, experience and expertise as they may feel necessary to establish their level of proficiency in this area. The successful proposer will not be permitted to assign its contract with the City, or to subcontract any of the work requirements to be performed.

Tab 2 ~ Servicing Procedures

Describe, in detail, the proposed plan for providing the services identified in this RFP. Describe the communication procedures and coordination of services to be employed throughout the contract term and the plan to establish and maintain clear lines of communication with City staff. Provide details of availability of qualified personnel to perform services, replacement procedures, verification documents, and the handling of payroll processes.

Tab 3 ~ Attachment A- Price Proposal Form

Insert all requested pricing in the attached Price Proposal Form.

Tab 4 ~ Insurance

Provide a statement agreeing to obtain (prior to award) Insurance with coverages as detailed in the RFP. A certificate of insurance indicating that the firm has coverage in accordance with the requirements herein set forth may be furnished by the firm to the City along with their qualification data. A properly completed Accord Form is preferable. The City of Stuart must be named as an additional insured for all General Liability prior to entering into a contract. The Firm shall either cover any sub-contractors on its policy or require the sub-contractors and employee leasing firms to conform to all requirements for insurance contained herein.

Tab 5 ~ References

Provide a minimum of three (3) satisfactory references of similar accounts and size within the past three (3) years and provide details of the following: scope of work, location, dates of service, names, addresses and phone numbers of owners.

Tab 6 ~ Optional Information

Provide any information pertinent to this project that will provide insight to the evaluators about the qualifications, fitness and abilities of the Respondent (please limit this information to two pages).

Tab 7 ~ Addenda (if applicable)

All addenda issued pursuant to this solicitation must be acknowledged and submitted as part of the proposal package.

4. GENERAL INFORMATION

4.1. OVERVIEW

This Request for Proposal (RFP) provides guidelines for the submission of proposals in response to the City of Stuart's solicitation for firms and individuals to provide temporary personnel services as described herein.

4.2. PROPOSERS' COSTS

The City shall not be liable for any costs incurred by Proposers in connection with preparation of a response to this RFP.

4.3. INQUIRIES

The City will not respond to oral inquiries. Bidders shall submit all inquiries regarding this bid via the City's e-Procurement Portal, located at https://secure.procurenow.com/portal/stuartfl. Please note the deadline for submitting inquiries. All answers to inquiries will be posted on the City's e-Procurement Portal. Bidders may also click "Follow" on this bid to receive an email notification when answers are posted. It is the responsibility of the bidder to check the website for answers to inquiries.

All proposers are expected to carefully examine the proposal documents. Any ambiguities or inconsistencies should be brought to the attention of the City through written communication with the City prior to opening of the proposals.

Respondents may not contact any member of the selection committee, City employee or City elected official during this solicitation process. All questions or requests for clarification must be routed through the e-procurement portal.

4.4. DELAYS

The City may delay scheduled due dates, if it is to the advantage of the City to do so. The City will notify proposers of all changes in scheduled due dates by written addenda submitted to the City.

4.5. QUALIFICATION SUBMISSION AND WITHDRAWAL

The City prefers electronic submission of bids and proposals. Please submit electronic responses via the Cities e-Procurement Portal

https://secure.procurenow.com/portal/stuartfl. By way of the e-Procurement Portal, responses will be locked and digitally encrypted until the submission deadline passes.

If you would like to submit a paper proposal please submit to the following address:

City of Stuart City Hall Procurement Division 121 S.W. Flagler Avenue Stuart, Florida 34994

The City encourages e-bidding, however if you are not submitting electronically, please mark the outside

of the envelope as follows: RFP 2023-207: Temporary Personnel Services. The envelope shall also include the proposer's return address. Respondents shall submit one (1) original, six (6) copies and one (1) electronic copy (PDF format preferred) on a CD or flash drive of their proposal submittal in a sealed envelope marked as noted above. A proposer may submit the proposal by personal delivery, mail, or express shipping service.

THE CITY MUST RECEIVE ALL PROPOSALS BY 2:30 pm ON Wednesday, September 27, 2023

Due to the irregularity of mail service, the City cautions proposers to assure actual delivery of mailed or hand-delivered proposals directly to the City's Procurement Office, as specified above, prior to the deadline set for receiving proposals. A proposal received by the City Procurement Office after the established deadline will be returned unopened to the proposer.

Electronic Submittal Withdrawal:

Proposers may withdraw their proposal by clicking the un-submit button up until the due date and time.

Paper Submittal Withdrawal:

Proposers may withdraw their proposal submissions by notifying the City in writing at any time prior to the deadline for proposal submittal. Proposers may withdraw their submissions in person or by an authorized representative. Proposers and authorized representatives must provide the letter of withdrawal, picture identification, proof of authorization (in the case of authorized representatives) and provide the City with a signed receipt for the withdrawn proposal. After the deadline, proposals once opened, become a public record of the City and are subject to the provisions of the Florida Public Records Law. As such they are subject to public disclosure in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes.

4.6. ADDENDA

If revisions become necessary, the City will provide written addenda. It is the responsibility of the proposer to obtain any addenda issued. The City will make every effort to notify registered Proposers by email that an addendum has been made to the RFP. The City shall not be responsible for providing notice of addenda to potential proposers who receive an RFP package from sources other than the City or OpenGov. All addenda issued by the City must be acknowledged within the proposal at the time it is submitted to the City. Failure to acknowledge all addenda may result in disqualification.

Addenda Notification: Bidders are required to register for an account via the City's e-Procurement Portal hosted by OpenGov. Once bidder has completed registration, you will receive addenda notifications to your email by clicking "Follow" on this project. Ultimately, it is sole responsibility of each bidder to periodically check the site for any addenda at https://secure.procurenow.com/portal/stuartfl

4.7. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

The City recognizes fair and open competition as a basic tenet of public procurement and encourages participation by minority and women owned business enterprises.

4.8. DEVELOPMENT COSTS

Neither the City nor their representatives shall be liable for any expenses incurred in connection with the preparation of a response to this RFP. Respondents should prepare their submittals simply and economically, providing a straightforward and concise description of the respondent's ability to meet the requirements of the RFP.

4.9. INSURANCE

Proof of the following insurance will be furnished by the successful bidder by certificate of insurance, which name the City of Stuart its offices, board members, employees, and agents as additional insured on general liability & automobile liability insurance policies. The policies must be specifically endorsed to grant the City the same notification rights that it provides to the first named insured as respects cancellation and nonrenewal. The City by and through risk management department and in cooperation with the contracting department, reserves the rights to review, modify, reject or accept any required policies of insurance, including limits, coverages, or endorsements, herein from time to time throughout the term of this contract. All insurance carriers must have an AM Best rating of at least A:VII or better. When a self-insured retention or deductible exceeds \$5,000, the City reserves the right, but not obligation, to review and request an audited financial statement.

All contractors, including any independent contractors and subcontractors utilized must comply with the following insurance requirements:

Loss Deductible Clause: The City shall be exempt from, and in no way liable for, any sums of money which may represent a deductible in any insurance policy. The payment of such deductible shall be the sole responsibility of the professional and/or subcontractor providing such insurance.

The insurance required by paragraph 5.04A of the General Conditions shall provide coverage for not less than the following amounts or greater where required by Laws and Regulations:

Workers' Compensation: With limits equal to Florida statutory requirements. Employers' liability must include limits of at least \$100,000 each accident, \$100,000 each disease/employee, \$500,000 each disease/maximum. A waiver of subrogation must be provided. Coverage should apply on a primary basis. Should scope of work performed by contractor qualify its employee for benefits under federal workers compensation statute (example, U.S. Longshore & Harbor Workers Act or Merchant Marine act), proof of appropriate federal act coverage must be provided.

If the contractor maintains higher limits than the minimums shown above, the City of Stuart requires and shall be entitled to coverage for the higher limits maintained by the contractor.

Any insurance provided which does not meet the above requirements will not be deemed acceptable under the terms of this contract unless accepted in writing by the City's Risk Management department.

Commercial General Liability: Insurance, Occurrence Form – ISO CG 0001 or equivalent, including Contractual Liability, to cover the hold harmless agreement set forth herein, with limits of not less than:

Each occurrence \$2,000,000
Personal/advertising injury \$1,000,000
Products/completed operations aggregate \$1,000,000
General aggregate \$3,000,00
Fire damage \$100,000 Any 1 fire
Medical expense \$10,000 Any 1 person

The policy shall be endorsed to include the following additional insured language: "The City of Stuart shall be named as an additional insured with respect to Liability arising out of the activities performed by, or on behalf of the Contractor." is to be included. Any cross-liability exclusion should not extend to Additional Insured's. Any subcontractors or independent contractors utilized must list the City of Stuart as additional insured including completed operations.

Business Auto Liability: Must cover any auto (all owned, hired, and non-owned autos) with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per accident. In the event bidder does not own any automobiles, the City of Stuart will accept proof of hired and non-owned auto liability only. Certificate holder must be listed as additional insured. A waiver of subrogation must be provided. Coverage should apply on a primary basis.

Insurance Requirements: Fifteen (15) days prior to the commencement of any Work under the Contract Documents, a certificate of insurance shall be provided to the City of Stuart for review and approval. The certificate shall provide that: (a) City of Stuart as Owner be named as an additional insured on the commercial general liability, auto liability, and Contractor's Builders' Risk "All Risk" insurance policies; (b) the Contractor's insurance coverage shall be primary; and (c) City of Stuart as Owner and will be given thirty (30) days' notice prior to cancellation or modification of any required insurance and such notice shall be in writing by registered mail, return receipt requested and addressed to the City of Stuart. The Contractor shall be responsible to ensure that all subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements of the Contract Documents.

All coverage shall be maintained without interruption from the date of commencement of the Work and remain in effect at least until final payment and at all times thereafter when Contractor may be correcting, removing, or replacing defective Work in accordance with Paragraph 13.07 of the General Conditions. In addition, with respect to completed operations insurance, and any insurance coverage written on a claims-made basis, such insurance shall remain in effect for at least two (2) years after final payment. Contractor shall furnish Owner and Engineer with evidence satisfactory to Owner of the continuation of such insurance at final payment and again one (1) year thereafter, so that Owner is assured of such continuing coverage.

All insurers must be authorized to do business in Florida and have a Best Key Rating of A- VII.

Certificates of Insurance: The Proposer, upon notice of award, will furnish Certificate of Insurance Forms. These shall be completed by the authorized Resident Agent and returned to the Purchasing Office. This certificate shall be dated and show:

- A. The name of the insured contractor, the specified job by name and job number, the name of insurer, the number of the policy, its effective date, and its termination date.
- B. Statement that the Insurer will mail notice to the City at least thirty (30) days prior to any material changes in provisions or cancellation of the policy.
- C. The City of Stuart and Consultant is to be specifically included as an ADDITIONAL INSURED on General Liability Insurance, Business Automobile Liability Insurance, and Contractor's Builders Risk "All Risk" insurance policies.
- D. The City of Stuart shall be named as Certificate Holder. Please Note that the Certificate Holder should read as follows:

City of Stuart

121 S.W. Flagler Avenue

Stuart, FL 34994

- E. No City Division, Department, or individual name should appear on the certificate. NO OTHER FORMAT WILL BE ACCEPTABLE.
- F. The "Acord" certification of insurance form should be used.

4.10. PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES

A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit proposals or contract with the City for construction of a public building or public works; may not submit bids for leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided for in s. 287 for CATEGORY TWO for a period of thirty-six (36) months from the date being placed on the convicted vendor list. Questions regarding this statement should be directed to the State of Florida, Bureau of State Procurement (850) 488-8440.

4.11. SUSPENDED VENDOR

An entity or affiliate who has been placed on the State of Florida Suspended Vendor List will not be considered for award. The Suspended Vendor List is available on the State's website at:

http://dms.myflorida.com/business operations/state purchasing/vendor information

4.12. ASSIGNMENT & SUBCONTRACTING

The successful proposer will not be permitted to assign its contract with the City or to subcontract any of the work requirements to be performed.

4.13. PUBLIC RECORDS

Proposals become "public records" and shall be subject to public disclosure consistent with Chapter 119.07 Florida Statutes. Document files may be examined, during normal working hours by appointment. Requested information in this RFP will not be considered confidential and/or proprietary.

All documents and other materials made or received in conjunction with this project will be subject to public disclosure requirements of chapter 119, Florida Statutes. The proposal will become part of the public domain upon opening. Vendors shall not submit pages marked "proprietary" or otherwise "restricted".

4.14. PUBLIC RECORDS LAW: Public Records Relating to Compliance, Request for Records; Noncompliance, & Civil Action

Note: If the Proposer has questions regarding the application of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, to the Proposer's duty to provide public records relating to this contract, contact the office of the City Clerk as the custodian of Public Records for the City of Stuart, and all the respective departments at 772-288-5306 or mkindel@ci.stuart.fl.us, City of Stuart, City Clerk 121 SW Flagler Avenue, Stuart, Fl. 34994 per F.S. 119.12.

In compliance with F.S. 119.0701 the Proposer shall:

- A. Keep and maintain public records required by the public agency to perform the service.
- B. Upon request from the public agency's custodian of public records, provide the public agency with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in this chapter or as otherwise provided by law.
- C. Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the contract term and following completion of the contract if the Proposer does not transfer the records to the public agency.
- D. Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost, to the public agency all public records in possession of the Proposer or keep and maintain public records required by the public agency to perform the service. If the Proposer transfers all public records to the public agency upon completion of the contract, the Proposer shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Proposer keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the contract, the Proposer shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the public agency, upon request from the public agency's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the public agency.
- E. A request to inspect or copy public records relating to a public agency's contract for services must be made directly to the public agency. If the public agency does not possess the requested records, the public agency shall immediately notify the Proposer of the request, and the Proposer must provide the records to the public agency or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time.

- 1. If a Proposer does not comply with the public agency's request for records, the public agency shall enforce the contract provisions in accordance with the contract.
- 2. A Proposer who fails to provide the public records to the public agency within a reasonable time may be subject to penalties under F.S. 119.10.
- 3. If a civil action is filed against a Proposer to compel production of public records relating to a public agency's contract for services, the court shall assess and award against the Proposer the reasonable costs of enforcement, including reasonable attorney fees, if:
 - a. The court determines that the Proposer unlawfully refused to comply with the public records request within a reasonable time; and
 - b. At least eight (8) business days before filing the action, the plaintiff provided written notice of the public records request, including a statement that the Proposer has not complied with the request, to the public agency and to the Proposer.
 - c. A notice complies with subparagraph 2 above, if it is sent to the public agency's custodian of public records and to the Proposer at the Proposer's address listed on its contract with the public agency or to the Proposer's registered agent. Such notices must be sent by common carrier delivery service or by registered, Global Express Guaranteed, or certified mail, with postage or shipping paid by the sender and with evidence of delivery, which may be in an electronic format.
 - d. A Proposer who complies with a public records request within eight (8) business days after the notice is sent is not liable for the reasonable costs of enforcement.

4.15. TAXES & LICENSES

Proposer shall, at his own expense, pay all licenses, fees and taxes on labor, insurance benefits, vacations, holidays, and all manner of other charges, levies or fees of every description, and comply with all local ordinances, state and federal laws, rules and regulations applicable to business to be carried on under this contract.

- A. Licenses: Firms utilizing employee leasing companies, Proposers, both corporate and individual, must be fully licensed and certified for the type of work to be performed in the State of Florida at the time of receipt. The submittal of any Proposer that is not fully licensed and/or certified shall be rejected.
- B. Sunbiz: Proposers, both corporate and individual, must provide proof that their firm is registered with the Division of Corporations for the State of Florida.
- C. Business Tax Receipt: Proposer shall comply with Business Tax Receipt requirements for their business location. A copy of the business tax receipt or proof of exemption must be included with the submittal package, if applicable. The successful company will be required to register with the City of Stuart business tax division.

4.16. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

As part of the evaluation process, the City reserves the right, to require a Proposer to submit such evidence of his/her qualifications as it may deem necessary, and may consider any evidence available to it as to the qualifications and abilities of the Proposer, including past performance (experience) with the City by the Proposer or any of their Owners.

4.17 REFERENCES/RECORD CHECK

As part of the evaluation process, the City may conduct an investigation of references, including but not limited to, a record check of consumer affairs complaints. Proposer's submission of their RFP constitutes acknowledgment of the process and consent to investigate. City is the sole judge in determining Proposer's qualifications.

4.18. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE

Preference shall be given to businesses with Drug-Free Work Place (DFW) programs. Whenever two or more proposals which are equal with respect to price, quality, and service are received by the Ctiy for the procurement of commodities or contractual services, a proposal received from a business that completes the attached DFW form certifying that it is a DFW shall be given preference in the award process.

4.19. COMPETENCY OF RESPONDENTS

Proposals will be considered only from firms which are regularly engaged in the business of providing the goods and/or services as described in this RFP and who can provide evidence that they have established a satisfactory record of performance to insure that they can satisfactorily execute the services under the terms and conditions stated herein. The term "equipment and organization" as used herein shall be construed to mean a fully equipped and well established company in line with the best business practices in the industry and as determined by the proper authorities of the City.

4.20. PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

Throughout the contract period the vendor(s) performance will be monitored by City staff. If vendor performance fails to meet the standards specified and receives an unacceptable rating, the City may without cause and without prejudice to any other right or remedy, terminate the contract whenever the City determines that such termination is in the best interest of the City. Vendor's receiving an unacceptable rating will be notified by certified mail. Contract termination shall be served by written notice by the Procurement Division.

4.21. REJECTION OF PROPOSALS

The CITY reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, part of proposals, and to waive minor irregularities or variations to specifications contained in proposals, and minor irregularities in the proposal process.

4.22. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The Proposer covenants that they presently have no interest and shall not acquire any interest, directly or indirectly, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services

hereunder. The Proposer further covenants that no person having any such known interest shall be employed or conveyed an interest, directly or indirectly, in the contract.

4.23. CONE OF SILENCE

A Cone of Silence shall be in effect during the Competitive Solicitation beginning upon the advertisement for requests for proposals, requests for qualifications and competitive bids. The Cone of Silence shall continue through the negotiation phase for requests for proposals and requests for qualifications. The Cone of Silence shall terminate at the time the City Commission or City Manager makes final award of a bid or gives final approval of a contract or contract amendment, rejects all bids or responses to the Competitive Solicitation, or takes other action in the Competitive Solicitation. Any person or entity that seeks a contract, contract amendment, award, recommendation, or approval related to a Competitive Solicitation or that is subject to being evaluated or having its response evaluated in connection with a Competitive Solicitation, including a person or entity's representative shall not have any communication with any City Commissioner, the City Manager and their respective support staff or any person or group of persons appointed or designated by the City Commission or the City Manager to evaluate, select, or make a recommendation to the City Commission or the City Manager regarding a Competitive Solicitation. Any action in violation of this section shall be cause for disqualification of the bid or the proposal. The determination of a violation shall be made by the City Manager.

4.24. CONTRACT AWARD

All responsive proposals submitted in response to this solicitation will be evaluated and considered. The recommendation for award by the Selection Committee will be presented to the City Commission at a regularly scheduled open meeting. The City expects to award to multiple vendors. Proposers do not have to bid all categories in order to be considered. They may submit for positions they staff.

The proposer understands that this RFP does not constitute an offer or a contract with the City. A contract shall not be deemed to exist, and is not binding, until proposals are reviewed and accepted by the City and executed by all parties. A sample Contract is attached to this RFP. The City anticipates that the final contract will be in substantial conformance with the Sample Contract; nevertheless, proposers are advised that any contract which may result from the RFP is subject to negotiation and may deviate from the Sample Contract, if in the City's opinion, such deviation is reasonable, justifiable, and serves the best interest of this procurement and the City.

The City reserves the right to reject all proposals, to waive non-material, technical variances in the proposal, to abandon the project or to solicit and re-advertise for other proposals. The City may in its discretion waive any informalities and irregularities contained in a proposal or in the manner of its submittal and award a contract thereafter.

4.25. CONTRACT TERM

At all times during the term of the contract, the successful Proposer shall act as an independent Contractor and at no time shall be considered an agent or partner of the City.

Contract Period: This contract shall be awarded for an initial term of one (1) year subsequent to approval by the proper City authorities. The contract may be renewed for four (4) additional one year periods provided both the successful proposer and the City agree and all terms and conditions remain the same as specified below. Any contract or amendment resulting from this solicitation shall be subject to fund availability and mutual written agreement between the City and the successful proposer. Extension of the contract for additional thirty (30) day periods for the convenience of either party shall be permissible at the mutual consent of both parties.

Option to Extend: The performance period of any contract resulting from this solicitation may be extended upon mutual agreement between the Proposer and the City of Stuart with no change in terms or conditions. Any extension of performance period under this provision shall be in one-year increments. The contract may be renewed for four (4) additional one-year periods, provided both parties are in agreement. Total contract length, including individual one-year extensions, shall not exceed five (5) years. Consideration of price increases at each renewal period will be given provided such escalations are justified, reasonable and acceptable to the City. Any price increases must be documented and submitted for approval by the City of Stuart at least 90 days prior to renewal date. It is also expected that deescalation of prices will be extended to the City if the market so reflects.

Non Exclusive Contract: Proposer agrees and understands that the contract shall not be construed as an exclusive arrangement and further agrees that the City may, at any time, secure similar or identical services at its sole option.

4.26. CONTRACT AMENDMENT

The City may require additional positions not specifically identified in the contract. The Proposer agrees to provide such services, and shall provide the City prices on such additional services based upon a formula or method which is the same or similar to that used in establishing the prices in this proposal. If the price(s) offered are not acceptable to the City, and the situation cannot be resolved to the satisfaction of the City, the City reserves the right to procure those services from other vendors or to cancel the contract. Furthermore, the City reserves the right to delete or revise items and services under this proposal at any time during the contract period when and where deemed necessary. Deletions may be made at the sole discretion of the City at any time during the contract period. Items revised must be mutually agreed upon in writing by the Proposer.

4.27. STANDARDS/REGULATIONS

The City reserves the right to request documentation of Proposer's compliance with standards and regulations to include, but not be limited to: OSHA, required employee safety & health training, written safety and health programs, provision of required personal protective equipment (PPE), minimum wage requirements, and United States citizenship. Proposer services shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local requirements, including but not limited to, Federal regulations related to temporary employee leasing.

4.28. DELAYS

The City may delay scheduled due dates, if it is to the advantage of the City to do so. The City will notify proposers of all changes in scheduled due dates by written addenda submitted to the City.

4.29. TAXES & LICENSES

Proposer shall, at his own expense, pay all licenses, fees and taxes on labor, insurance benefits, vacations, holidays, and all manner of other charges, levies or fees of every description, and comply with all local ordinances, state and federal laws, rules and regulations applicable to business to be Firms utilizing employee leasing companies, Proposers, both corporate and individual, must be fully licensed and certified for the type of work to be performed in the State of Florida at the time of receipt. The submittal of any Proposer that is not fully licensed and/or certified shall be rejected.

- A. Sunbiz: Proposers, both corporate and individual, must provide proof that their firm is registered with the Division of Corporations for the State of Florida.
- B. Business Tax Receipt Proposer shall comply with Business Tax Receipt requirements for their business location. A copy of the business tax receipt or proof of exemption must be included with the submittal package, if applicable.

4.30. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

The City recognizes fair and open competition as a basic tenet of public procurement and encourages participation by minority and women owned business enterprises.

4.31. DEFAULT

In the event that the Proposer cannot respond adequately to the needs of the City, the Proposer shall advise the City, as soon as possible, and further advise as to the length of said inability or replacement of personnel. If inability of placement of personnel in a timely manner is frequent, the City may then consider said inability to be a breach of this Contract and may undertake the necessary work through its own services or those of another Proposer. The City shall have the right to deduct the cost incurred in having to provide said services from the payments to be made to the Proposer under this Contract.

4.32. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

As part of the evaluation process, the City reserves the right, to require a Proposer to submit such evidence of his/her qualifications as it may deem necessary, and may consider any evidence available to it as to the qualifications and abilities of the Proposer, including past performance (experience) with the City by the Proposer or any of their Owners.

4.33. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

This RFP shall be awarded only to a responsive and responsible proposers, qualified to provide the work specified. The proposer should submit the following information with their proposal response package to be considered responsive in order for the City to fully evaluate the firm's qualifications. Failure to fully submit the requested information may result in the proposal response being considered non-responsive.

- A. Proposers firm must have a minimum of three years comparable experience, specializing in employment/staffing services.
- B. Proposer must provide trained personnel with adequate experience and skills to perform the work and provide information related to non-technical, technical, and skilled positions. All temporary personnel must be age 18 years or older.

- C. Proposer must provide a minimum of three (3) satisfactory references of similar accounts and size within the past five (5) years and provide details of the following: scope of work, location, date of service, names, addresses and phone numbers of owners.
- D. Proposer must provide an assigned Supervisor (to the City account) with a minimum of three (3) years' experience in similar work and provide details of their qualifications. This assigned Supervisor will be responsible for overseeing all work performed, including coordination of services.
- E. Firms using employee leasing companies must be in compliance with Chapter 468, Part XI, Florida Statutes and Rule 61G7, Florida Administrative Code; and must provide proof of license from regulating authority.

4.34 CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS

Qualified Employees: All temporary employees provided by the proposer shall be qualified to perform the work as outlined in the job description provided herein. The City reserves the right to request immediate replacements for personnel in the event that any personnel from the successful proposer(s) assigned to the City is found to be unqualified for any specific assignment, the City has the right to return such employee at no cost to the City. The City shall be the sole judge of qualification and its decision shall be final.

<u>Employees are Responsibility of Proposer:</u> Proposers will be the legally responsibly employer for the temporary personnel during the time they are assigned to work at the City. All employees of the proposer shall be considered to be, at all times, the sole employees of the proposer under its sole direction and not an employee or agent of the City. The proposer shall supply competent and physically capable employees. The City may require the proposer to remove an employee it deems careless, incompetent, insubordinate or otherwise objectionable and whose continued employment on the City's property is not in the best interest of the City. Each employee shall have and wear proper identification. The employees utilized under the resulting contract will be provided with and shall follow all policies and procedures of the City.

Proposer shall;

- A. Make necessary payroll deduction and corresponding tax insurance payments.
- B. Strictly comply with immigration and Naturalization Service reporting by processing the form I-9's as required by federal law.
- C. Supply State Unemployment insurance and Workers Compensation insurance for all temporary employees provided to the City pursuant to this Contract.
- Maintain a pool of temporary employees to provide City's temporary employment staffing needs.

Proposer shall provide the following documents to the City's Human Resources Department for prior approval for all temporary employees at the **proposers** expense to include the following:

- A. Results of 10 panel test for pre-employment drug screening
- B. Authorization to work in the US
- C. Statewide criminal check (minimal of 7 years) / background check
- D. Nationwide criminal/Discover (check state criminal records and sexual predator databases for all states)
- E. Positions associated with children services require fingerprinting and criminal records search (recreation aide, recreation leaders)
- F. Education verification

4.35. SERVICING PROCEDURES

All work must be established in advance and with prior approval. The City will contact the awarded Proposer to determine the type of work to be performed. All schedules and the necessary arrangements to implement the scope of work must be made with the review and approval of the supervisor needing the temporary personnel.

Proposer shall respond within four (4) hours after the initial request to review the requirement and develop a time for placement. Prior to order placement, Proposer shall electronically transmit all verification documents as specified in Item 2.6 to the Human Resources Department for prior approval. The Proposer shall endeavor to assign all requested services during standard work week hours and without the necessity of overtime labor. City department will convey the work schedule at time of order placement. Should it be determined that work cannot be completed during the course of standard work week hours, the Proposer shall provide such information to City Project Manager or designee with a request to authorize such overtime labor. Authorization must be received prior to commencement of such work.

Upon completion of services, the City reserves the right to request the Proposer's assigned supervisor to review and provide written acknowledgement/documentation that work performed by their staff has been completed. Supervisors review to be at no additional charge to the City and considered part of the contract award. Supervisor shall document any areas of concern that are above and beyond on their report. The report shall be signed by the Supervisor or their designee and submitted to the City.

4.36. TIMESHEETS, INVOICING AND PAYMENT

<u>Timesheets:</u> The proposer shall provide their employees with time sheets to record work hours. Time sheets will be submitted weekly to the employee's designated supervisor at the City for signature and approval. The City shall approve Proposer's employee time sheets, the City Supervisor must write their name as well as sign the timesheet. A copy of the approved time sheets shall be attached and submitted with Proposer's related invoice. The City will not be responsible for researching, correcting, or completing inaccurate invoices to otherwise render them acceptable.

<u>Invoicing:</u> A weekly invoice shall reflect the type of position, date worked, hourly paid to employee by the Proposer, hourly billable labor rate, hours worked, and City Supervisor. A copy of the approved time sheet signed by the City must accompany invoice.

<u>Payment:</u> Payment will be paid upon completion and acceptance of the work, net 45 days. Invoices will be checked to confirm compliance with timesheet. Payments may also be paid by the Visa Purchasing Card or Automated Clearing House (ACH) electronic network for financial transactions with authorization.

4.37. TEMPORARY TO PERMANENT FEES

In the event that the City employs a temporary employee, temporary to permanent charge shall not be assessed if the temporary employee has worked for the City a minimum of 160 hours. In the event the City employs a temporary employee that has worked less than 160 hours, the fee will not exceed one (1) weeks payment to the successful proposer for the employee. A negative cotinine test must be acquired prior to permanent employment at the City's expense.

4.38. EVALUATION METHOD AND CRITERIA

The City reserves the right to evaluate each response on a separate and individual basis. The City further reserves the right to reject any and all responses submitted, or accept a response deemed most advantageous to the City. While the City desires to achieve a cost effective analysis, the emphasis is on quality, not necessarily the lowest cost. The City's selection committee will evaluate proposals and will select the proposer which meets the best interests of the City. The City shall be the sole judge of its own best interests, the proposals, and the resulting negotiated agreement.

An Evaluation Committee composed of five (5) City staff shall meet to evaluate each response in accordance with the requirements of this solicitation. Each Committee member will rank all proposals based on the criteria below. The top ranked firms may be required to provide a presentation to the selection committee. The selection committee will recommend award to the top ranked firm.

The City's decisions will be final. This criterion shall be utilized in the evaluation of the proposals. The City's evaluation criteria will include, but not be limited to the following:

Evaluation Phases

Selection: Proposals will be evaluated using the above criteria. The City will assign this task to a Selection Committee. The City of Stuart reserves the right to select the most qualified individuals/firms from review of the packages submitted or to interview the most qualified Respondents prior to requesting authorization to negotiate an agreement with the highest ranked respondents. Individuals/firms will be notified in writing if they are selected for interview. Notices for interviews will contain explicit instructions concerning location, date, time and length of interviews.

Terms and Conditions: Any actual or prospective Proposer who disputes the reasonableness, necessity or competitiveness of the terms and conditions of this request for proposals; selection or award recommendation shall file such dispute in writing with the City Manager, not later than close of business on the proposal opening date, as to the terms and conditions, and within ten (10) days of award recommendation. The City reserves the right to reject any or all proposals without recourse, to waive technicalities and informalities or to accept the proposal which in its sole judgment best serves the interest of the City.

5. ARPA TERMS AND CONDITIONS

5.1. ARPA Definitions

The term "Professional", as used throughout this document shall mean the Professional, Provider, Consultant, SubProfessional, etc., as applicable with respect to the Contract or Agreement.

The term "Contract" as used throughout this document shall mean the underlying contract or agreement, as applicable.

5.2. Compliance with Applicable Law and Regulations

Professional provides services that the City may apply to the State of Florida or the federal government for funds which will be used to pay Professional or reimburse the City for payments made to Professional. This amendment is in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations Section 2 CFR 200. The City and Professional agree that with respect to any services or work performed or provided by, Consultant, Professional or its Subprofessional's under the Contract arising from or related to the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), the provisions set forth in this amendment (including requirements of registering on SAM.gov) (collectively, the "2CRF 200 Requirements") shall apply. The ARPA Requirements shall only modify the Contract upon the provision by Professional of work or services required as a result of utilizing funds given from American Rescue Plan Act. The terms and conditions of the Contract and the ARPA Requirements should be read to operate in concert, except where directly in conflict. In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract and the ARPA Requirements, the ARPA Requirements shall govern and prevail.

Compliance with Applicable Law and Regulations

- A. A non-Federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 CFR part 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.
- B. Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352) (Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code prohibits recipients of federal funds--whether grants, contracts, cooperative agreements--from using those funds to lobby to obtain, extend, or modify a federal award.) Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a

member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

- C. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act 40 U.S.C. 3701-3708. Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-Federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5. Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.
- D. Clean Air Act 42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
- E. Contracts for more than the simplified acquisition threshold, which is the inflation adjusted amount determined by the Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council (Councils) as authorized by 41 U.S.C. 1908, must address administrative, contractual, or legal remedies in instances where contractors violate or breach contract terms, and provide for such sanctions and penalties as appropriate.
- F. All contracts in excess of \$10,000 must address termination for cause and for convenience by the non-Federal entity including the manner by which it will be effected and the basis for settlement.
- G. Equal Employment Opportunity. Except as otherwise provided under 41 CFR Part 60, all contracts that meet the definition of "federally assisted construction contract" in 41 CFR Part 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 CFR 60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity" (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 CFR Part, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," and implementing regulations at 41 CFR part 60, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor."

- H. Davis-Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 3141-3148). When required by Federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-Federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5, "Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction"). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-Federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (40 U.S.C. 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 3, "Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States"). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency.
- I. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-Federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5). Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.
- J. Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement. If the Federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 CFR § 401.2 (a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement," the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 CFR Part 401, "Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations

- and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements," and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency.
- K. Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387), as amended Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 must contain a provision that requires the non-Federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).
- L. Debarment and Suspension (Executive Orders 12549 and 12689) A contract award (see 2 CFR 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the governmentwide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR part 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.
- M. Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352) Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.
- N. Subpart C 200.116 Prohibition on certain telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment.
 - 1. Recipients and sub recipients are prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to:
 - a. Procure or obtain;
 - b. Extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain; or
 - c. Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system. As described in Public Law 115-232, section 889, covered telecommunications

equipment is telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

- For the purpose of public safety, security of government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).
- ii. Telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment.
- iii. Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a covered foreign country.
- 2. In implementing the prohibition under Public Law 115-232, section 889, subsection (f), paragraph (1), heads of executive agencies administering loan, grant, or subsidy programs shall prioritize available funding and technical support to assist affected businesses, institutions and organizations as is reasonably necessary for those affected entities to transition from covered communications equipment and services, to procure replacement equipment and services, and to ensure that communications service to users and customers is sustained.
- 3. See Public Law 115-232, section 889 for additional information.
- 4. See also § 200.471.

O. Domestic preferences for procurements

- As appropriate and to the extent consistent with law, the non-Federal entity should, to the
 greatest extent practicable under a Federal award, provide a preference for the purchase,
 acquisition, or use of goods, products, or materials produced in the United States (including
 but not limited to iron, aluminum, steel, cement, and other manufactured products). The
 requirements of this section must be included in all subawards including all contracts and
 purchase orders for work or products under this award.
- 2. For purposes of this section:
 - a. "Produced in the United States" means, for iron and steel products, that all
 manufacturing processes, from the initial melting stage through the application of
 coatings, occurred in the United States.

- b. "Manufactured products" means items and construction materials composed in whole or in part of non-ferrous metals such as aluminum; plastics and polymer-based products such as polyvinyl chloride pipe; aggregates such as concrete; glass, including optical fiber; and lumber.
- P. 200.321 Contracting with small and minority business, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms.
 - The non-Federal entity must take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible.
 - 2. Affirmative steps must include:
 - a. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
 - b. Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
 - Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises;
 - d. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises; Using the services and assistance, as appropriate, of such organizations as the Small Business Administration and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce; and
 - e. Requiring the prime contractor, if subcontracts are to be let, to take the affirmative steps listed in paragraphs (2)(a) through (e) of this section.

6. SCOPE OF WORK

6.1. Temporary Personnel Services

The City of Stuart solicits qualified and experienced staffing firms to provide the most qualified and able bodied workers to fill the job positions as specified herein. These services are on an as needed basis.

7. EVALUATION PHASES

The City reserves the right to evaluate each response on a separate and individual basis. The City further reserves the right to reject any and all responses submitted, or accept a response deemed most advantageous to the City. While the City desires to achieve a cost effective analysis, the emphasis is on quality, not necessarily the lowest cost. The City's selection committee will evaluate proposals and will select the proposer which meets the best interests of the City. The City shall be the sole judge of its own best interests, the proposals, and the resulting negotiated agreement.

No.	Evaluation Criteria	Scoring Method	Weight (Points)
1.	Experience, knowledge and qualifications Expertise of human resources Qualifications & experience of the firm relevant to the Scope of Work Availability of qualified personnel Ability to meet set standards Previous contracting experience with the City and other governmental agencies	Points Based	30 (30% of Total)
2.	The ability to satisfactorily convey, via the completeness and responsiveness of their Proposal, a depth of understanding of the Scope of Work and the firm's capacity to accomplish it successfully High quality level of services to be provided to City	Points Based	30 (30% of Total)
3.	References	Points Based	10 (10% of Total)
4.	Percentage of Markup over hourly rate Any other Costs	Points Based	30 (30% of Total)

8. VENDOR QUESTIONNAIRE

8.1. Certification*

The Respondent certifies that as a condition of bidding he will hold good his proposal prices for a minimum period of ninety (90) calendar days from the date proposals are opened.

The undersigned Respondent hereby certifies that the terms and conditions, including but not limited to, the scope of work have not been altered or modified in any manner. Any modification to this solicitation by the proposer will result in Proposer's response being found non-responsive and thereby disqualified.

The undersigned Respondent hereby certifies that he has received all the Addenda listed below and has incorporated them into his proposal listed herein. Failure to acknowledge any and all addenda may render the proposal non-responsive, and no further evaluation of the proposal will occur.

I do herby confirm the above information as valid and true:

☐ Please confirm

*Response required

8.2. Safety Standards Certification*

Please download the below documents, complete and have notarized. An online notarization option will be provided for you when responding.

• Safety Standards Certificat...

8.3. References Form*

Please download the below documents, complete, and upload.

References Form.pdf

8.4. Schedule of Subcontractors Participation *

Please download the below documents, complete, and upload.

• Schedule of Subcontractors ...

8.5. Sworn Statement Pursuant to Section 287.133(3)(a)*

Please download the below documents, complete, and upload.

Sworn Statement Pursuant to...

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8.6. Drug-Free Workplace Certification*

Please download the below documents, complete, and upload.

Drug Free Work Cert.pdf

8.7 Public Entity Crimes*

Please download the below documents, complete, and upload.

Public Entitiv Crimes .pdf

8.8. Suspended Vendor List*

City of Stuart, FL will verify that your company name is not on this list:

https://www.dms.myflorida.com/business operations/state purchasing/state agency resources/vend or registration and vendor lists/suspended vendor list

Please identify your legal company name here:

8.9. Scrutinized List of Prohibited Companies List*

City of Stuart, FL will verify that your company name is not on this list:

https://www.dms.myflorida.com/business operations/state purchasing/state agency resources/vend or registration and vendor lists/suspended vendor list

Please identify your legal company name here:

8.10. Upload Proposal*

Upload your proposal

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PRICE PROPOSAL FORM

Respondents are to make no changes to the table below and are to <u>fill the table out completely.</u>
Proposer's costs for taxes on labor, insurance benefits, vacations, holidays, and all manner of other charges, levies or fees of every description are included as components of the markup rate.

Item # Position Descriptions		% of Markup over the hourly rate		
1	Groundskeeper	%		
2	Laborer I	%		
3	Laborer II	%		
4	Custodian	%		
Sanitation Worker		%		
6	Office Assistant	%		

Company Name			

The Respondent certifies that as a condition of submitting, firm will hold good his proposal prices for a minimum period of sixty (60) calendar days from the date proposals are opened.

The undersigned Respondent hereby certifies that the terms and conditions, including but not limited to, the statement of work have not been altered or modified in any manner. Any modification to this solicitation by the proposer will result in Proposer's response being found non-responsive and thereby disqualified.

I certify that this Proposal is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, or person submitting a Proposal for the same materials, supplies, or equipment, and is in all respects fair and made without collusion or fraud. I agree to abide by all conditions of this Proposal and certify that I am authorized to sign this Proposal for the Proposer.

These FEMA Contract Terms are made a part of your Contract with the City:

The term "Contractor", as used throughout this document shall mean the Contractor, Provider, Consultant, etc., as applicable with respect to the Contract or Agreement.

The term "Contract" as used throughout this document shall mean the underlying contract or agreement, as applicable.

Contractor provides services that the City may require in the event of a hurricane or other disaster. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that in such event, the City may apply to the State of Florida or the federal government for funds which will be used to pay Contractor or reimburse the City for payments made to Contractor. FEMA will only consider reimbursing contracts which contain the requisite FEMA provisions. Contractor desires to be eligible to be awarded disaster work and be compensated through federal funds. The City and Contractor agree that with respect to any services or work performed or provided by Contractor or its subcontractors under the Contract arising or related to a disaster event, the provisions set forth in this Addendum (including Form FHWA-1273) (collectively, the "FEMA Requirements") shall apply. The FEMA Requirements shall only modify the Contract upon the provision by Contractor of work or services required as a result of a disaster. The terms and conditions of the Contract and the FEMA Requirements should be read to operate in concert, except where directly in conflict. In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract and the FEMA Requirements, the FEMA Requirements shall govern and prevail.

- A. Contracts to received funding derived from federal grants must comply with federal guidelines. The federal funds appropriated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) will be administered through the State of Florida.
- B. In the event of a conflict between the FEMA Requirements listed in this Addendum and other provisions of the Contract, the FEMA Requirements will govern and prevail.
- C. Payment. Payment shall be based on the unit rates/prices pursuant to the Contract Fee Schedule. Contractor shall submit invoices covering no more than a 30-day period.
- D. Additional Remedies. In addition to any other remedies provided for in the Contract or to which the City may be entitled at law or in equity, in the event of a breach or violation of the Contract by Contractor, Contractor shall be subject to debarment or suspension from consideration for the award of additional contracts from the City, including but not limited to contracts related to disaster relief or recovery, pursuant to the terms and procedures set forth in the City Code.
- E. Termination for Convenience. The City may terminate this Contract at its convenience with or without cause upon written notice of termination to Contractor. In the event of such a termination by the City, the City shall be liable for the payment of all Work properly performed prior to the effective date of termination and for all portions of materials, supplies, services, and facility orders which cannot be cancelled and were placed prior to the effective date of termination and other reasonable costs associated with the termination. Notwithstanding the preceding, under no

circumstances shall the City be liable to Contractor for lost profits or overhead for work, materials or services not performed or delivered to the City.

F. Compliance with State and Federal Reporting Requirements. Contractor and its subcontractors shall comply with and the Contract is subject to the requirements and regulations of the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the State of Florida Division of Emergency Management pertaining to reporting.

G. Civil Rights

(Applicable to All FEMA Contracts)

The following requirements will apply to the Contract and any sub-contracts:

- (1) Age. In accordance with section 4 of the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended, 29 U.S.C. §623, the Contractor agrees to refrain from discrimination against present and prospective employees for reason of age.
- (2) Disabilities. In accordance with section 102 of the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §12112, the Contractor agrees that it will comply with the requirements of U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, "Regulations to Implement the Equal Employment Provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act," 29 C.F.R. Part 1630, pertaining to employment of persons with disabilities, and which prohibits discrimination in the areas of employment, public accommodations, transportation, telecommunications and government services.
- H. No Obligation by the Federal Government

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

- (1) Absent the express written consent by the Federal Government, the Federal Government or FEMA is not a party to the Contract and shall not be subject to any obligations or liabilities to the City, Contractor, or any other party (whether or not a party to that contract) pertaining to any matter resulting from the underlying contract.
- (2) The Contractor agrees to include the above clause in each subcontract financed in whole or in part with Federal assistance provided by FEMA. It is further agreed that the clause shall not be modified, except to identify the subcontractor who will be subject to its provisions.
- I. Access to Records

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts; DHS Standard Terms and Conditions, v. 3.0 XXV)

(1) The Contractor agrees to provide the City, State, FEMA, the Comptroller General of the United States or any of their authorized representatives access to any books, documents, papers

and records of the Contractor which are directly pertinent to the contract for the purposes of making audits, examinations, excerpts and transcriptions.

- (2) The Contractor agrees to permit any of the foregoing parties to reproduce by any means whatsoever or to copy excerpts and transcriptions as reasonably needed.
- (3) The Contractor agrees to provide the FEMA Administrator or his authorized representatives access to construction or other work sites pertaining to the work being completed under the contract.
- (4) The Contractor agrees to maintain all books, records, accounts and reports required under the Contract for a period of not less than three (3) years after the date of termination or expiration of the Contract, except in the event of litigation or settlement of claims arising from the performance of the Contract, in which case Contractor agrees to maintain same until the City, the State, FEMA, the Comptroller General, or any of their duly authorized representatives, have disposed of all such litigation, appeals, claims or exceptions related thereto.
- J. Procurement of Recovered Materials

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts, 42 USC s. 6962; 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II, K; 2 CFR s.

200.322)

- (1) In the performance of this Contract, the Contractor shall make maximum use of products containing recovered materials that are EPA-designated items unless the product cannot be acquired—
- (i) Competitively within a timeframe providing for compliance with the contract performance schedule;
- (ii) Meeting contract performance requirements; or (iii) At a reasonable price.
- (2) Information about this requirement is available at EPA's Comprehensive Procurement Guidelines web site, http://www.epa.gov/cpg/. The list of EPA-designate items is available at http://www.epa.gov/cpg/products.htm.

K. DHS Seal, Logo and Flags

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts; DHS Standard Terms and Conditions, v. 3.0 XXV)

The Contractor shall not use the DHS seal(s), logos, crests or reproductions of flags or likenesses of DHS agency officials without specific FEMA approval.

L. Compliance with Federal Law, Regulations, and Executive Orders

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

This is an acknowledgement that FEMA financial assistance will be used to fund the Contract only. The Contractor will comply will all applicable federal law, regulations, executive orders, FEMA policies, procedures, and directives as applicable, including but not limited to:

- 1. The Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended, 42 USC Sec. 5121, et. seq.
- 2. Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
- 3. National Historic Preservation Act
- 4. Mandatory Standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act
- M. Immigration and Naturalization Act.

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

Contractor shall not knowingly employ unauthorized alien workers in violation of 8 USC §1324a(e) [§74A(e) of the Immigration and Nationality Act] and such employment of unauthorized aliens shall be grounds for unilateral termination of the Contract/Agreement.

N. Fraud and False or Fraudulent or Related Acts

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

The Contractor acknowledges that 31 USC Chap. 38 (Administrative Remedies for False Claims and Statements) applies to the Contractor's actions pertaining to this Contract.

O. Indemnity of Funding Entities.

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

Contractor hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the State of Florida, the Government of the United States of America (including but not limited to the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Highway Administration) and the City and their officers, agents, employees and elected officials from and against any and all liability, claims, damages, demands, expenses, fees, fines, penalties, suits, proceedings, actions and cost of actions, including attorneys' fees for trial and appeal, and for the preparation of same arising out of Contractor's, its officers, agents, employees and subcontractors' acts or omissions associated with this Contract.

P. Performance and Payment Bonds.

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

If not already required under the Contract, and if requested by the City, the Contractor shall, prior to the commencement of operations, furnish a Performance and Payment Bond, executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Florida, in the amount of the estimated contract value, which bond shall be conditioned upon the successful completion of all work, labor, services and materials to be provided and furnished under the contract and the payment of all subcontractors, materials and laborers. Said bonds shall be subject to the approval by the City.

Q. Equal Employment Opportunity

(Applicable to All FEMA Construction Contracts)

During the performance of this Contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

- (1) The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: Employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
- (2) The Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive considerations for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.
- (3) The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers' representatives of the Contractor's commitments under this section, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- (4) The Contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.
- (5) The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
- (6) In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this Contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this Contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for

further Government contracts or federally assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions as may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.

- (7) The Contractor will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance: Provided, however, That in the event a Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the administering agency the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.
- R. Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion

(Applicable to All FEMA Contracts and Subcontracts; Executive Order 12549, Executive Order

12689, 2 CFR Part 180; 2 CFR Part 3000)

- a. By signing this Addendum, the Contractor is providing the certification set out below.
- b. The inability of a person to provide the certification set out below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this covered transaction. The Contractor shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification set out below. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the department or agency's determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the Contractor to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such a person from participation in this transaction.
- c. The Contractor shall provide immediate written notice to the department or agency to whom this proposal is submitted if any time the prospective primary participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- d. This Contract is a covered transaction for purposes of 2 C.F.R. pt. 180 and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000. As such the Contractor is required to verify that none of the Contractor, its principals (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.995), or its affiliates (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.905) are excluded (defined at 2 C.F.R. § 180.935).
- (2) The Contractor must comply with 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C and must include a requirement to comply with these regulations in any lower tier covered transaction it enters into.

- (3) This certification is a material representation of fact relied upon by the City. If it is later determined that the Contractor did not comply with 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C, in addition to remedies available to the State, and the City, the Federal Government may pursue available remedies, including but not limited to suspension and/or debarment.
- (4) The Contractor agrees to comply with the requirements of 2 C.F.R. pt. 180, subpart C and 2 C.F.R. pt. 3000, subpart C while this offer is valid and throughout the period of the Contract. The Contractor further agrees to include a provision requiring such compliance in its lower tier covered transactions."
- S. Materials and Supplies.

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

All manufactured and unmanufactured articles, materials and supplies which are acquired for public use under this Contract have been produced in the United States as required by 41 USC \$10a, unless it would not be in the public interest or unreasonable in cost.

T. Clean Air Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act

(Applicable to Contracts in Excess of \$150,000)

Clean Air Act

- (1) The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq.
- (2) The Contractor agrees to report each violation to the City and understands and agrees that the City will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the State, Federal Emergency Management Agency, and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office.
- (3) The Contractor agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract exceeding \$100,000 financed in whole or in part with Federal assistance provided by FEMA.

Federal Water Pollution Control Act

- (1) The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.
- (2) The Contractor agrees to report each violation to the City and understands and agrees that the City will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the State, Federal Emergency Management Agency, and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office.

- (3) The Contractor agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract exceeding \$100,000 financed in whole or in part with Federal assistance provided by FEMA.
- U. Certification Regarding Use of Contract Funds for Lobbying

(Byrd Anti-Lobbying (31 USC s. 1352)--Applicable to contracts in excess of \$100,000. 2 CFR

Part 200, Appendix II)(1)

The Contractor certifies, by signing this Addendum, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- a. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- b. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress,
- or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- (2) This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.
- (3) The Contractor also agrees that he or she shall require that the language of this certification be included in all lower tier subcontracts, which exceed \$100,000 and that all such recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- V. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers; 29 CFR Part 5; 2 CFR Part 22, Appendix II, E)

(1) Overtime requirements. No contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic in any workweek in which he or she is employed

on such work to work in excess of forty hours in such workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in such workweek.

- (2) Violation; liability for unpaid wages; liquidated damages. In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section the contractor and any subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable for the unpaid wages. In addition, such contractor and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory), for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, employed in violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section, in the sum of \$10 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard workweek of forty hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section.
- (3) Withholding for unpaid wages and liquidated damages. The City shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the contractor or subcontractor under any such contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federally-assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, which is held by the same prime contractor, such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such contractor or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in paragraph (2) of this section.
- (4) Subcontracts. The contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in paragraph (1) through (4) of this section and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) of this section."
- W. Davis Bacon Act and Copeland Anti-Kickback Act

(Applicable to Emergency Management Preparedness Grant Program, Homeland Security Grant Program, Nonprofit Security Grant Program, Tribal Homeland Security Grant Program, Port

Security Grant Program, and Transit Security Grant Program construction contracts in excess of \$2,000. Not applicable to other FEMA grant and cooperative agreement programs, including the Public Assistance Program; Davis Bacon Act--40 USC s. 3141-3144 and 3146-3148, 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II; Copeland Anti-Kickback Act—40 USC s. 3145)

In situations where the Davis-Bacon Act does not apply, neither does the Copeland Anti-Kickback Act.

Compliance with Davis Bacon Act

- (1) The Contractor agrees to comply with the requirements of the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act as amended, and all other applicable Federal, state and local laws and regulations pertaining to labor standards insofar as those acts apply to the performance of this Contract. The Contractor shall maintain documentation that demonstrates compliance with hour and wage requirements of this part. Such documentation shall be made available to the City for review upon request. Current applicable wage rates will be attached to the Contract if applicable.
- (2) The Contractor agrees that all contractors engaged under contracts in excess of \$2,000.00 for construction, renovation or repair work financed in whole or in part with assistance provided under this Contract, shall comply with Federal requirements adopted by the City pertaining to such contracts and with the applicable requirements of the regulations of the Department of Labor, under 29 CFR Parts 1, 3, 5 and 7 governing the payment of wages and ratio of apprentices and trainees to journey workers; provided that, if wage rates higher than those required under the regulations are imposed by state or local law, nothing hereunder is intended to relieve the Contractor of its obligation, if any, to require payment of the higher wage. The Contractor shall cause or require to be inserted in full, in all such contracts subject to such regulations, provisions meeting the requirements of this paragraph.

Compliance with Copeland Anti-Kickback Act

- (1) Contractor. The Contractor shall comply with 18 U.S.C. § 874, 40 U.S.C. § 3145, and the requirements of 29 C.F.R. pt. 3 as may be applicable, which are incorporated by reference into this contract.
- (2) Subcontracts. The Contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clause above and such other clauses as the FEMA may by appropriate instructions require, and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for the compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with all of these contract clauses.
- (3) Breach. A breach of the contract clauses above may be grounds for termination of the contract, and for debarment as a contractor and subcontractor as provided in 29 C.F.R. § 5.12.

X. Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement

(Applicable if FEMA award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the non-Federal entity wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement". Does not apply to the Public Assistance, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, Fire Management Assistance Grant Program, Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training Grant Program, Disaster Case Management Grant Program, and Federal Assistance to Individuals and Households – Other Needs Assistance Grant Program. 37 CFR Part 401; 2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II, F).

The contractor acknowledges that it must comply with the requirements of 37 CFR Part 401 and any implementing regulations issued by FEMA.

Y. Subcontracts.

(Applicable to all FEMA contracts)

FEMA CONTRACT TERMS

PRICE PROPOSAL FORM

Respondents are to make no changes to the table below and are to <u>fill the table out completely.</u> Proposer's costs for taxes on labor, insurance benefits, vacations, holidays, and all manner of other charges, levies or fees of every description are included as components of the markup rate.

Item #	Position Descriptions	% of Markup over the hourly rate
1	Groundskeeper	% 35
2	Laborer I	% 30
3	Laborer II	% 30
4	Custodian	% 35
5	Sanitation Worker	% 40
6	Office Assistant	% 38

Company Name	ELM Staffing dba Express Employment Professionals

The Respondent certifies that as a condition of submitting, firm will hold good his proposal prices for a minimum period of sixty (60) calendar days from the date proposals are opened.

The undersigned Respondent hereby certifies that the terms and conditions, including but not limited to, the statement of work have not been altered or modified in any manner. Any modification to this solicitation by the proposer will result in Proposer's response being found non-responsive and thereby disqualified.

I certify that this Proposal is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, or person submitting a Proposal for the same materials, supplies, or equipment, and is in all respects fair and made without collusion or fraud. I agree to abide by all conditions of this Proposal and certify that I am authorized to sign this Proposal for the Proposer.



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

10/1/2024

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) 11/13/2023

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s)

PRODUCER	Lockton Companies 444 W. 47th Street, Suite 900 Kansas City MO 64112-1906 (816) 960-9000	CONTACT NAME: PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): E-MAIL ADDRESS: CONTACT (A/C, No): (A/C, No):				
	kcasu@lockton.com	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	NAIC#			
INSURED 1352730		INSURER A: National Union Fire Ins Co Pitts. PA				
	EXPRESS SERVICES, INC.	INSURER B: SEE ATTACHMENT				
	DBA: EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT PROFESSIONALS	INSURER C: AIG Specialty Insurance Company	26883			
	9701 BOARDWALK BLVD. OKLAHOMA CITY OK 73162	INSURER D: ACE American Insurance Company	22667			
	OKLAHOWA CITT OK /3162	INSURER E :				
		INSURER F:				
COVERA	GES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 15808	14 REVISION NUMBER: XX	YYYYY			

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR		TYPE OF INSURANCE		SUBR	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP	LIMIT	rs
Α	X	CLAIMS-MADE X OCCUR	Y	N	GL 9575241	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	EACH OCCURRENCE DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence)	\$ 5,000,000 \$ 1,000,000
	X	STAFFING SERVICE						MED EXP (Any one person)	\$ 20,000
								PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$ 5,000,000
		VL AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:						GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$ 10,000,000
	X	POLICY PRO- JECT LOC						PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$ 10,000,000 \$
A	AUT	OMOBILE LIABILITY ANY AUTO	Y	N	CA 7281033	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	\$ 5,000,000
-	-	OWNED SCHEDULED					1	BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$ XXXXXXX
-		AUTOS ONLY AUTOS						BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$ XXXXXXX
1	X AUTOS ONLY X NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY						PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	\$ XXXXXXX	
									\$ XXXXXXX
С	X	UMBRELLA LIAB X OCCUR	Y	N	38178823	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	EACH OCCURRENCE	\$ 10,000,000
-		EXCESS LIAB CLAIMS-MADE	1 1					AGGREGATE	\$ 10,000,000
	_	DED RETENTION \$							\$ XXXXXXX
В	AND.	KERS COMPENSATION EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY Y / N		N	SEE ATTACHED POLICY #'S	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	X PER OTH-	
- 116	OFFIC	PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE N	N/A			1		E.L. EACH ACCIDENT	\$ 1,000,000
10	If ves.	datory in NH) . describe under						E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	\$ 1,000,000
	DÉSC	CRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below						E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$ 1,000,000
	CRIME/FIDELITY		N	N	14680029	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	CRIME/FIDELITY: \$5,000 PER CLAIM	
	STAFFING E&O COVERAGE				D01853211	10/1/2023	10/1/2024	E&O OCC/AGG: \$10,000,	000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
THIS CERTIFICATE SUPERSEDES ALL PREVIOUSLY ISSUED CERTIFICATES FOR THIS HOLDER, APPLICABLE TO THE CARRIERS LISTED AND THE POLICY TERM(S) REFERENCED.
ALL INSURANCE CARRIERS SHOWN ON THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE AN A.M. BEST RATING OF A XV OR BETTER UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. PROJECT: RFP# 2023-207
LOCATION: 2052 - PORT SAINT LUCIE FL / TYPE OF COMPANY: MUNICIPALITY / JOB DESCRIPTION: GROUNDSKEEPER, LABORER I, LABORER II, CUSTODIAN, SANITATION,
AND OFFICE ASSISTANT. THE CITY OF STUART AND TEMPORARY PERSONNEL SERVICES ARE LISTED AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED AS RESPECTS TO WORK PERFORMED
BY TEMPORARY ASSOCIATES, AS PER WRITTEN CONTRACT AND/OR STAFFING AGREEMENT, EXCEPT FOR NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT OF THE CITY OF
STUART AND TEMPORARY PERSONNEL SERVICES. ADDITIONAL INSURED DOES NOT APPLY TO WC, E&O OR FIDELITY.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER	CANCELLATION See Attachment
15808114 CITY OF STUART 121 SW FLAGER AVE	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES JOHN M Amello

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Workers Compensation Policy Schedule: Policy periods: 10/1/2023 - 10/1/2024

AIU Insurance Company

Policy No. WC049154383

NAIC# 19399

States Covered: AK, AL, AR, AZ, CO, CT, DC, DE, FL, GA, HI, IA, ID, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, MS, MT, NC, ND, NE, NH, NJ, NM, NV, NY, OK, OR, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VA, VT, WV, WY

AIU Insurance Company Policy No. WC049154384 NAIC# 19399

States Covered: CA

AlU Insurance Company Policy No. WC049154385 NAIC# 19399 States Covered: WI

AIU Insurance Company

Policy No. WC049154386 NAIC# 19399 States Covered: PA

National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Policy No. XWC1647743

NAIC# 19445 States Covered: OH

National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Policy No. XWC1647444

NAIC# 19445 States Covered: WA