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# SHAUGER PROPERTY SERVICES, INC.

CONTRACT NO. B089-1

PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSION 600 WILSON AVENUE NEWARK, NEW JERSEY 07105

CONTRACT AND SPECIFICATIONS

**FOR** 

CONCRETE REPAIRS AND RESTORATION ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS FOR A TWO (2) YEAR PERIOD

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# CONTRACT NO. B089-1 PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSION 600 WILSON AVENUE NEWARK, NEW JERSEY 07105

# CONTRACT AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR

# CONCRETE REPAIRS AND RESTORATION ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS FOR A TWO (2) YEAR PERIOD

THIS AGREEMENT, made and executed this							
individual with principals offices at	429 Dodd Street, East	Orange, New Jersey	07017				
hereinafter called the "Contractor."							

WITNESSETH: That the said Contractor has agreed and by these presents does agree with the Commission, for the Prices bid and stipulated in the Proposal herein contained or hereunto annexed and under the terms and conditions expressed in Bonds bearing even date with these presents, and herein contained or hereunto annexed, to furnish at his own cost and expense all the necessary materials, labor, superintendence, tools, and appliances and shall execute, construct, and finish and test in an expeditious and workmanlike manner all the work as described in the contract specifications commencing the work within ten (10) days from the date of Notice to Proceed and executing the same within the time and proceed in the manner specified and in conformity with the requirements set forth in the Contract Documents herein contained or hereunto attached and in accordance with the Contract Specifications of said Work.

In the event that the contract documents, exclusive of the Contractor's Bid Form, are in conflict with the Contractor's Bid or Bid Form, the provisions, terms and conditions of the Commission Contract Documents and specifications shall bind the parties.

The Contractor shall proceed with the said Work in a prompt and diligent manner and shall do all parts thereof at such times in such order as the Commission may approve.

The Commission shall not be liable to the Contractor for any neglect, default, delay or interference of or by another other contractor, nor shall any such neglect, default, delay or interference of any other contractor, or alteration which may be required in said Work, release the Contractor from the obligation to finish the said Work within the time aforesaid or from the damages to be paid in default thereof.

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Name and addresses of each pe	rson or company interested in the Contract:
Lisa Shauger (100%)	
bid (less retainage, if any) as compensation for furnishing all m	the Commission are to pay and the Contractor is to receive the amount stipulated in the proposal herein contained or hereto annexed, as full naterial and labor and in all respects completing the herein described work conditions herein specified, and for fully complying with the terms and
date when a fully executed and a set forth above and shall remain	ons of law, the Contract shall be in full force and effect from and after the approved counterpart hereof is delivered to the Contractor at the address and continue in full force and effect until after the expiration of the warranty e sureties are finally released by the Commission.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF: The prentioned.	parties hereto have executed this agreement the day and year first above
	PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSION
(SEAL)	BY: THOMAS TUCCI, JR., CHAIRMAN
	PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSION JOSEPH F. KELLY, CLERK
	Shauger Property Services, Inc. CONTRACTOR NAME
	CONTRACTOR SIGNATURE Lisa Shauger, President
(SEAL)	ATTEST BY: July M. Spalle CONTRACTOR
	Linda M. Spahle, Acting Secretary

#### 00305

#### (Including Terms and Conditions Applicable to the Proposal)

# Contract No. B089 CONCRETE REPAIRS AND RESTORATION ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS FOR A TWO (2) YEAR PERIOD

Name of Contractor:	Shauger Property	Services, Inc.	
Business Name:	Same as Above		
Mailing Address:	429 Dodd Street (Mailing Ad	dress must include Street Address)	
	East Orange, Ne	w Jersey 07017	
Telephone No. <u>973</u> -	-676-2100	Fax No	***************************************
Contact Person:	Lisa Shau	ger, President	

A. Work to be performed under Contract **B089** includes, but is not limited to, the furnishing of all safety, supervision, labor, materials, supplies, equipment and all other facilities required to perform miscellaneous concrete repairs or restoration work on an as needed basis for a two (2) year period.

It is the intent of this contract to provide for supplementary repair work and related services with concrete repairs and concrete restoration which are provided on an as needed "Time and Material" basis for various tasks including but not limited to emergency services, unscheduled repairs and system modification tasks. Each repair task will require a specific repair methodology developed by PVSC in conjunction with the Contractor.

All work shall be performed on a time and material (T&M) basis. Labor cost shall be in accordance with the Contractor's labor rates provided in the T&M Schedule (Section 00400) which shall be submitted with the bid and will become part of this contract.

The work required under this contract is indeterminate; consequently there is no fixed contract amount. When a specific task is required, a "not to exceed" price and a time frame will be established.

Costs for supervision and labor shall include all cost factors, such as wages, benefits, travel time, fuel, insurance, overhead and profit, general and administrative (G&A) and all other additional expenses. Billing time for all services performed is to begin at the start of work at PVSC and end at the time leaving PVSC. The minimum billable time for a call in will be four (4) hours. Wage Rates shall comply with the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25 et seq.)

The contractor hourly rate submitted for straight time will cover PVSC's normal working hours of 7:45AM to 4:15PM Monday through Friday in accordance with Division 1, Section 01046 - Working Hours. The overtime hourly rate will be used during weekdays after 40 hours per week or for services provided on weekends, Holidays or when being requested to work during PVSC nonnormal working hours. Overtime hourly work (if approved) will be billed at a cost of 1.5 times the T&M schedule rate.

The contractor shall be available 7 days a week for 24 hour notice on-call and emergency service work during the life of this contract and will be compensated at the respective hourly rates.

The Contractor shall have experience in all areas of concrete repairs and restoration work.

The contractor shall insure that all requested concrete repairs, concrete restoration work, etc. shall be performed by personnel who are trained to provide the type of service specified, and as outlined in Section 01710 Qualifications of Contractor.

The contractor shall be reimbursed for materials based on invoice price plus a fixed fee in accordance with the fixed fee schedule provided in Section 01025.

Costs for the Contractor to supply rental equipment that is not included within this contract shall be based on documented invoices. Plus a fixed fee in accordance with a fee schedule provided in Section 01025

For purposes of evaluating and comparing bids only, the contractor shall provide Labor Rates for the identified labor categories on the T&M Schedule (see Section 00400) to maintain a hypothetical work crew at a PVSC facility, for a period of one forty (40) hour work week per year. The Contractor hourly rates for labor shall commence from the actual time the Contractor reports at the PVSC Facility requiring service until the time leaving PVSC. PVSC will maintain appropriated records showing the actual time the contractor spent on the job. The contractor will **not be** compensated for any traveling time between place of business and the PVSC Facility where work is to be performed.

All hourly labor rate(s) listed in the T&M Schedule (see Section 00400) shall be filled out. Failure to do so may be considered a non-responsive bid and may be cause for the bid to be rejected. The hypothetical work crew described is for bid evaluation purposes only. Actual crews, equipment and duration will vary, depending on the specific task to be done.

The work required under this contract is indeterminate. There shall be no fixed contract amount. Work will be performed on a "Time and Material" basis. Individual Task Orders will be issued to the contractor based on an agreed upon detailed scope of work and cost. Each Task Order shall establish a "not to exceed" cost limit. Contractor's time required to develop a cost proposal for any given task or project and the time spent in pre-construction meeting(s) shall not be compensable.

The term of this contract is for a two (2) year period, beginning from the Notice to Proceed date. All prices shall hold firm and not be subject to increase during the term of the contract.

The work shall proceed in the manner specified and in conformity with the requirements set forth in the Contract Documents herein contained or hereunto attached and in accordance with the Contract Specifications.

In the event of a conflict between the bid specifications (request for proposal, invitation to bid, etc.) and the contractors bid submission (proposal, response, etc.) the terms of the specifications (or otherwise as referenced) shall govern the agreement between PVSC and the contractor.

- B. All prices are exclusive of N. J. State and Federal Taxes. The Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission is exempt from the New Jersey Sales and Use Taxes, pursuant to Section 9(a)(1) of the New Jersey Sales and Use Tax Act (N.J.S.A. 54:32B-1 et seq.).
- C. The cost of all Warrantees shall be included in each of the total bid item prices.
- The bid item prices shall be net, including all transportation charges fully prepaid by vendor, F.O.B. Destination.
- **E.** Prices shall also include all transportation charges on materials removed from site and charges pertaining to disposal and other costs pertaining to the execution of the work.
- F. Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to accept any bid should they deem it to be in their interest to do so, pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law ("LPCL"). Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission also reserves the right to waive any informality in any bid should they deem it to be in their interest to do so pursuant to N.J.S.A. 58:14 et seq.
- G. Contract Period and Extension Option: Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission reserves the right to extend this contract should they deem it to be in their interest to do so, pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law ("LPCL"). The Contractor will be so notified of the Commission's intent at least thirty (30) days prior to the expiration date of the existing contract. The Contractor shall have fifteen (15)

calendar days to respond to the Commission's request to extend the contract. If the Contractor agrees to the extension, all terms and conditions of the original contract, including all prices, will be applicable.

- H. The successful Bidder shall maintain for the duration of the work to be done under this contract, Liability Insurance in the amounts specified in the General Conditions, Section 00727. Upon execution of the contract, the contractor shall furnish the PVSC with all certificates of insurance as required and set forth herein.
- It is the bidder's responsibility to visit the PVSC facilities to inspect and to verify all locations, dimensions, conditions and access as needed to perform the contract work. Arrangements for the site visit can be made by contacting Mr. Michael Donne, Mechanical Engineer at (973) 817-5801.
- J. No variations will be permitted to the terms and conditions of the contract. Terms and conditions are in accordance with N.J. Laws for Public Bidding and the policies of the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission. Any bids that include variations to the terms and conditions will be considered nonresponsive and will be rejected.
- K. If the Bidder intends to offer alternatives to the materials, equipment and/or services specified, then it is mandatory that the Bidders list and explain in detail any and all such exceptions to the specifications on the attached "Bidders Exception" sheet, and shall submit the sheet with his bid. If the exception involves material or equipment, the Bidder shall also include technical data to show that the exception is equal to or better than those specified. It is understood that if no exception is listed on the "Bidders Exceptions" sheet, the Bidder shall supply all the materials, equipment and/or services exactly as prescribed and shall return the "Bidders Exception" sheet marked "NONE".
- L. Only Bidders with experience with a similar type of work will be considered. Certification of this experience, and the names and addresses of at least three (3) customers from whom similar work was performed within the last two (2) years, shall be supplied with the bid. A certification questionnaire form is included for the Contractor's convenience.
- M. Notice of Executive Order 125 Requirement for Posting of Winning Proposal and Contract Documents

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 125, signed by Governor Christie on February 8, 2013, the Office of the State Comptroller ("OSC") is required to make all approved State contracts for the allocation and expenditure of federal reconstruction resources available to the public by posting such contracts on an appropriate State website. Such contracts are posted on the New Jersey Sandy Transparency website located at:

# http://nj.gov/comptroller/sandytransparency/contracts/sandy/.

The contract resulting from this bid is subject to the requirements of Executive Order No. 125. Accordingly, the OSC will post a copy of the contract, including the bid document, the winning bidder's proposal and other related contract documents for the above contract on the Sandy Transparency website.

In submitting its proposal, a bidder may designate specific information as not subject to disclosure. However, such bidder must have a good faith legal and/ or factual basis to assert that such designated portions of its proposal (i) are proprietary and confidential financial or commercial information or trade secrets or (ii) must not be disclosed to protect the personal privacy of an identified individual. The location in the proposal of any such designation should be clearly stated in a cover letter, and a redacted copy of the proposal should be provided.

The State reserves the right to make the determination as to what is proprietary or confidential, and will advise the winning bidder accordingly. The State will not honor any attempt by a winning bidder to designate its entire proposal as proprietary, confidential and/or to claim copyright protection for its entire proposal. In the event of any challenge to the winning bidder's assertion of confidentiality with which the State does not concur, the bidder shall be solely responsible for defending its designation.

N. Unless prevented by strike or strikers which prevent construction or delivery of equipment or supplies from the manufacturer, failure to complete the work within the specified time shall be considered an abandonment of the contract and the Commission may seek redress for damages.O. Proposals shall be enclosed in opaque sealed envelopes, addressed to Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission, 600 Wilson Avenue, Newark, New Jersey 07105, with the name and address of the bidder plainly marked upon the outside thereof. (If forwarded by preferably registered mail, the sealed envelope containing the proposal, marked as directed above must be enclosed in another envelope addressed as specified in the Proposal.) The outside envelope containing the bids must clearly identify the bid number, contract name and bid opening date. Failure to properly identify the contents may result in the bid being rejected.

To the extent that N.J.S.A. 2A:30A-2 et seq. applies to the project and its related work and/or any agreement between PVSC and the Contractor, all exceptions contained in N.J.S.A. 2A:30A-2(a) et seq. shall apply solely for the benefit of PVSC.

- O. The work must be completed without interrupting the operation of the PVSC Treatment Plant. The contractor must schedule his operations in detail with PVSC as noted in Div. 1, Section 01310 of Contract Specifications.
- P. Payment will be made in accordance with the Schedule as specified in Division 1, Section 01025.
- Q. Proposals shall be enclosed in opaque sealed envelopes, addressed to Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission, 600 Wilson Avenue, Newark, New Jersey 07105, with the name and address of the bidder plainly marked upon the outside thereof. (If forwarded by preferably registered mail, the sealed envelope containing the proposal, marked as directed above must be enclosed in another envelope addressed as specified in the Proposal.) The outside envelope containing the bids must clearly identify the bid number, contract name and bid opening date. Failure to properly identify the contents may result in the bid being rejected.

To the extent that <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 2A:30A-2 et seq. applies to the project and its related work and/or any agreement between PVSC and the Contractor, all exceptions contained in <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 2A:30A-2(a) et seq. shall apply solely for the benefit of PVSC.

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CONTRACTOR MUST COMPLETE ALL BID ITEMS OR BID SHALL BE CONSIDERED NON RESPONSIVE
(If your firm does not employ Apprentice Labor, insert zero dollars (\$0) per hour in Line Item 13 column 5 and column 7 below.)
For purposes of evaluating and comparing bids, the Bidder shall provide the following cost to maintain a hypothetical work crew at PVSC Facility, for the period of time outlined below, including a hypothetical material costs and contractor owned or rented equipment costs.

Hourly Rate per Person shall include all wages, labor, travel, taxes, insurance (including Liability Insurance), overhead, licenses, qualifications, profit and all other mark-ups and costs.

if your firm does not employee Apprentice Labor, then enter \$0 per hour

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7	Column 8
ITEM	Labor Classification	Units	Number of Hours	Rate Per Hour Year One	Total Cost Year One No. of Hours x Rate per Hour	Rate Per Hour Year Two	Total Cost Year Two No. of Hours x Rate per Hour
1.	Stone Mason Forman Straight Time	Per Hour	160	\$140.00	\$22,400.00	\$140.00	\$22,400.00
2.	Stone Mason Forman Over Time	Per Hour	40	\$210.00	\$8,400.00	\$210.00	\$8,400.00
3.	Stone Mason Forman Premium Time	Per Hour	16	\$290.00	\$4,640.00	\$ 290.00	94,640.00
4.	Stone Mason Journeyman Straight Time	Per Hour	160	\$130.00	\$20,800.00	<b>A</b>	\$20,800.80
5.	Stone Mason Journeyman Over Time	Per Hour	40	\$195.00	47,800.00	\$195.00	47,800.00
6.	Stone Mason Journeyman Premium Time	Per Hour	16	\$ 260.00	\$4,160.00	\$260.00	\$4,160.00
7.	Labor Forman Straight Time	Per Hour	160	\$71.00	\$11,360.00	\$ 71.00	911,360.00
8.	Labor Forman Over Time	Per Hour	40	\$71.00	\$2,840.00	\$71.00	\$2,840.00
9.	Labor Forman Premium Time	Per Hour	16	\$210.00	\$3,360.00	\$210.00	\$3,360.00
10.	Laborer Straight Time	Per Hour	160	\$120.00	719,200.00	\$120.00	\$19,200.00
11. 12.	Laborer Over Time Laborer Premium Time	Per Hour Per Hour	40 16	\$170.00	\$ 3,200.00	\$120.00 \$200.00	13,200.00
13.	Apprentice* Straight Time	Per Hour	-	0	NOT APPLICABLE	0	NOT APPLICABLE
14.	Equipment Operator Straight Time	Per Hour	160	4140.00	\$22,400.00	\$140.00	\$22,400.00
15.	Equipment Operator Over Time	Per Hour	40	\$200.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$200.00	\$8,000.00
16.	Equipment Operator Premium Time	Per Hour	16	\$240.00	\$3,840.00	5240.00	\$3,840.00
			00 LL 100 Marie	Total Year One	61976N	Total Year Two	149 500 0

LABOR TOTAL (SUM YEAR ONE AND YEAR TWO)
(Sum of Column 6 + Column 8)

1491,200

Sum Column 6

Overtime and Premium Time will be allowed when approved in advance by PVSC. The overtime hourly rate will be used for more than 8 hours in a day, and all Saturday hours. Premium rate will be used for Sundays and Holidays.

#### Note:

\*Item No. 13, Apprentice Straight Time Labor Costs for Year 1 and Year 2 shall <u>not</u> be included in the hypothetical total bid price. The hourly rate for ALL Apprentice's shall be provided for future work if necessary. If your firm does not employ Apprentice Labor, insert zero dollars (\$0) per hour in Line Item 13 column 5 and column 7 above.

# Item 17 Materials

Contractor will be paid for actual cost of materials plus a fixed fee in accordance with a fee schedule provided in Section 01025. Estimated Cost is Actual Cost plus Markup.

ITEM	ITEM	UNIT	EST.	BID UNIT	ESTIMATED
17.	Materials	Actual Cost	1	\$30,000.00	\$33,750.00

# **Item 18 Equipment Contractor Owned or Rental**

Contractor will be paid for the cost of Contractor owned equipment ONLY as specified in footnotes for Item 18, plus a fixed fee in accordance with a fee schedule provided in Section 01025. Contractor will be paid the cost of rented equipment plus a fixed fee in accordance with a fee schedule provided in Section 01025. Estimated Cost is Actual Cost plus Markup.

ITEM	ITEM	UNIT	EST.	BID UNIT	ESTIMATED
	Equipment Rented or	Actual	1	\$30,000.00	\$33,750.00
18.	Contractor Owned	Cost			·

# <u>Item 19 Unforeseen Contingency</u>

The "Unforeseen Contingency" allowance is intended to provide for work that may later be determined to be necessary for the completion of the project but is not covered in the bid specifications. Written authorization by the OWNER for utilization of any part of the contingency allowance for any such work shall be required.

ITEM	ITEM	UNIT	EST	BID UNIT	TOTAL
19.	Unforeseen Contingency	Actual	1	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
		Cost			•

NOTE: CONTRACTOR MUST COMPLETE ALL BID ITEMS OR BID SHALL BE CONSIDERED NON RESPONSIVE

NOTE: THE TOTAL AMOUNT BID IS THE CORRECT SUM OF THE UNIT PRICES BID MULTIPLIES BY THE LISTED QUANTITIES.

#### TOTAL BID PRICE

Labor Total of Year One and Year Two (Sum of Column 6 + Column 8)
PLUS

Items #17 Materials; #18 Equipment Contractor Owned or Rental and #19 Unforeseen Contingency

\$ 385,900.00

Amount Written

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ZERO Cents

#### Begin Footnotes for Item 18

# Compensation for Contractor Owned Equipment ONLY

Compensation cost for construction equipment shall be based upon the most current costs established in Rental Rates for Construction Equipment (Blue Book) published by:

Equipment Watch
6151 Powers Ferry Rd
Suite 200
Atlanta, GA 30339
<a href="http://www.equipmentwatch.com">http://www.equipmentwatch.com</a>

The hourly charge for each piece of equipment will be the applicable monthly cost divided by 176 whether owned by the Contractor or rented from an outside source. Regional adjustments and hourly cost to run equipment may be included. Overhead and Profit are to be excluded. Equipment Operator is be excluded. This item is covered in Bid Items 14, 15 &16. Payment will only be allowed actual equipment used on the Project work site. Equipment that is on the job-site but idle or unused will not be included in the cost of the work.

End Footnotes for Item 18

# STATE OF NEW JERSEY

COUN	ITY OF	Essex			
	l,	Lisa Shauger	of the	Borough of Roseland	in the County
of	Essex	and State of _	New Jersey	, of full age, being	duly sworn according to
law, o	n my oat	th depose and say that:			
	I am _	President	of Shauger F	Property Services, Inc. the I	Bidder making the Bid for
this Pr	oject.				
	l exec	ute the said Bid with full	authority to do so.		
	I, and	to the best of my kno	wledge, the Bidde	r, and any officer, dire	ctor, employee or other
repres	entative	of the bidder, have not,	directly or indirectly	, entered into any agree	ement, participated in any
collusi	on, or otl	herwise taken any action	in restraint of free,	competitive bidding in co	onnection with the above-
named	l Project				
	All stat	tements contained in sa	id Bid and all Cont	ract Documents and in t	this affidavit are true and
correct	, and ma	ade with full knowledge t	hat the Passaic Va	lley Sewerage Commiss	sion rely upon the truth of
the sta	tements	contained in said Bid	and Contract Docu	iments, and in the state	ements contained in this
Affidav	it, in awa	arding the Contract for s	aid Project.		
	I furthe	r warrant that no person	or selling agency h	as been employed or re	tained to solicit or secure
such c	ontract	agreement or understa	nding for a commi	ssion, percentage, brok	erage or contingent fee
except	bona fi	de employees or bona t	fide established co	mmercial or selling age	encies maintained by the
Bidder.			\$	Sworn on Behalf of:	Shauger, President
			Name of Bidder:	Shauger Property Service	
	me this	scribed to <sub>6th</sub> day , 20_ <u>17</u> .			

Notary Public of New Jersey

LINDA M. SPAHLE **NOTARY PUBLIC** STATE OF NEW JERSEY MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 9

00403 (To be used if the contract value is expected to exceed \$100,000.00)

# PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSION

#### CONTRACT NO. <u>B089</u> - SUBCONTRACTOR LISTING

The undersigned proposes to use the following subcontractors to perform the work indicated (use additional sheets as required).

Work to be Performed		Name(s) and Address of Subcontractor(s)**	License Number(s)				
1.	Plumbing & Gas Fitting and all Kindred Work	None					
2.	Heating and Ventilation and all Kindred Work	None					
3.	Electrical Work	None					
4.	Structural Steel and Ornamental Iron Work	None					
Lisa Shauger, President							
	Name and Title of Authoriz	zed Representative					
	Signature of Authorized	Representative					
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\*\*IMPORTANT NOTE: Whenever a Bid sets forth more than one subcontractor for any of the specialty trade categories (1) through (4) specified hereinabove in this section, the Bidder shall submit to PVSC a certificate signed by the bidder listing each subcontractor named in the Bid for that category. The certificate shall set forth the scope of work for which the subcontractor has submitted a price quote and which the Bidder has agreed to award to each subcontractor should the Bidder be awarded the contract. The certificate shall be submitted to PVSC simultaneously with the list of subcontractors. The certificate may take the form of a single certificate listing all subcontractors or, alternatively, a separate certificate may be submitted for each subcontractor.

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#### 00700 GENERAL CONDITIONS

- The Contractor enters into this agreement with the full knowledge of the conditions and requirements of the specifications, including the physical characteristics above, on and below the surface of the ground where applicable.
- The Contractor will, simultaneously with the execution of this contract, deliver to PVSC a surety bond of a surety company qualified to do business in New Jersey, and shall be listed in the current Federal Register, Department of the Treasury Circular 570. "Surety Companies acceptable on Federal Bonds." The said surety bond will provide that the surety company will become surety for the faithful performance of the work and shall be in an amount equal to the contract price, and shall be so conditioned as to indemnity PVSC against any losses due to the failure of the Contractor to conform to the requirements.

The form of the surety bond shall be subject to the approval of the Chief Counsel of PVSC and shall be in accordance with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 2A:44-143 to 147.

- The Contractor agrees that during the entire term of the contract it will pursue the work faithfully and diligently and will, at all times, have the necessary sources of supply, labor, material and machinery necessary to complete the contract in accordance with the terms of the specifications.
- All work done under this contract shall be done to the satisfaction of the Engineer of PVSC, who shall in all cases determine the amount, quality, acceptability and fitness of the material and work which are to be paid for hereunder and shall decide any questions which may arise as to the fulfillment of this decision thereon shall be final and conclusive. The word "Engineer" shall mean the person holding the position of Manager of Plant Engineering of the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission, or his duly authorized representative.
- 00705 If the Contractor should be adjudged a bankrupt, or if it 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 it should persistently or repeatedly refuse or should fail to supply enough skilled workmen or proper materials, or if it should fail to make prompt payment to subcontractors for material, labor, or equipment rental, or persistently disregard laws, ordinances, or other instructions of the Engineer, or this contract, then PVSC, upon the certificate of the Engineer that sufficient cause exists to justify such action, may without prejudice to any other right or remedy and after giving the Contractor thirty (30) days written notice, terminate the employment of the Contractor. The termination of the employment of the Contractor under the provisions of this paragraph shall not relieve the surety of its responsibility.
- The Contractor shall be responsible for all parts of its work, either temporary or permanent, until the contract is accepted by PVSC and it shall thoroughly protect all work, finished or unfinished, against damage from any cause. Risk of loss shall remain with the Contractor until the work has been accepted by a resolution duly adopted by PVSC. The use of part or all of the work by PVSC shall not relieve the Contractor of its responsibility until such time as the work has been formally accepted by resolution. The Contractor shall conduct its operations in such a manner as to provide maximum safety for all employees on the work and the public as well, and shall comply with the requirements of all New Jersey and Federal Statutes governing safety requirements for employees.
- All notices, demands, requests, instructions, approvals and claims shall be in writing. Any notice to or demand upon the Contractor shall be sufficiently given if delivered at the office of the Contractor specified in the bid (or at such other offices as the Contractor may from time to time designate to the Engineer in writing) or if deposited in the United States mail in a sealed, postage prepaid envelope, or delivered by telephone electronic/facsimile (FAX) transmission system. All papers required to be delivered to PVSC shall, unless otherwise specified to the Contractor in writing, be delivered to the office of PVSC AT 600 Wilson Avenue, Newark, New Jersey and any notice to or demand upon PVSC shall be sufficiently given if delivered to the said office, or if deposited in the United States mail in a sealed, postage-prepaid envelope, certified mail, return receipt requested.

- No final payment shall be made until the Engineer has certified to PVSC that the work has been completed by the Contractor in accordance with the requirements of the plans, specifications and contract.
- The Contractor shall not assign the contract or sublet it in whole or in part without the prior written consent of PVSC, nor shall the Contractor assign any monies due or becoming due to it without the prior written consent of PVSC.
- This contract, and all incorporations by reference together with the plans, specifications and bid documents, constitutes the entire agreement and understanding between the parties. This contract may not be modified, altered, abridged, amended or supplemented, except by written agreement executed by the parties.
- Neither the inspection by the Engineer or any agent or employee of PVSC, nor any order by PVSC for the payment of money, nor any payment for, or acceptance of, the whole or any part of the work, by PVSC or the Engineer, nor any possession taken by PVSC or their employees, shall operate as a waiver of any provisions of this contract, or of any right to damage herein provided, nor shall any waiver of any breach of the contract be held to be a waiver of any or subsequent breach. Any remedy provided in this Contract shall be taken and construed as cumulative, that is, in addition to each and every other remedy herein provided, and PVSC shall also be entitled as of right to a writ of injunction against any breach of any of the provisions of this contract.
- The Contractor covenants and agrees that anything in this contract or in the contract documents to the contrary notwithstanding, or regardless of any matter, thing, contingency or condition unforeseen or otherwise, present or future, the Contractor shall not be entitled to receive any additional or further sums of money than the amounts in said contract documents provided, except pursuant to a written change order duly authorized by a resolution of PVSC; and the failure of PVSC to insist upon strict performance of any of the terms, covenants, agreements, provisions or conditions in this contract or in the contract documents or any one or more instances, shall not be construed as a waiver of relinquishment for the future of any such terms, covenants, agreements, provisions and conditions, but the same shall be and remain in full force and effect with power and authority on the part of PVSC to enforce the same or cause the same to be enforced at any time, without prejudice to any other rights which PVSC may have against the Contractor under this contract or the contract documents.
- **00713** Plans, specifications and the within contract shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey.
- The Contractor shall commence with the work on the project within ten (10) days after notice to proceed unless stated otherwise herein.
- The Contractor has agreed that is has carefully examined the site of the work, the form of the contract and specifications and the drawings referred to therein, and will provide all necessary machinery, tools, apparatus, and other means for construction and do all the work and furnish all the materials called for by the within contract and the specifications and the requirements under them of the Engineer and in accordance with the bidders notice, information for bidders, plans, general requirements, specifications, etc., all of which are incorporated herein as though fully set forth and form a part of this contract.
- The Contractor is held to have visited the site prior to the time of submitting bids and to have apprised and informed itself of all conditions at the site. Any information furnished by a representative of PVSC upon such matters shall in no way relieve the Contractor from risk or responsibility in fulfilling all of the terms of the contract; nor shall PVSC assume any responsibility or incur any liability as the result of furnishing of information by any representative.
- O0717 Any information as to the location of existing substructures and utilities shown on the contract drawings is not guaranteed as to accuracy by PVSC and PVSC incurs no responsibility or obligation to the Contractor or others in connection therewith.
- O0718 The Contractor shall not employ any subcontractor that PVSC may object to as incompetent or unfit; nor shall the Contractor subcontract to any person that has submitted a bid proposal for the

award of the contract. Additionally, the Contractor shall not enter into any joint venture of any kind whatsoever relating to the within construction. PVSC may waive the provisions of this paragraph in its sole and absolute discretion, upon submission of a written request by the Contractor for a waiver supported by a disclosure of all of the facts and circumstances accompanied by a copy of the joint venture contract agreement or understanding.

PVSC requests that the contractor provide proof of its business registration with the New Jersey Department of Treasury required at, or before, time of award.

The Contractor shall list all subcontractors that it intends to employ in its bid proposal, the subcontractor's State license number and business registration certificate from the NJ Department of Treasury (required at, or before, time of award).

- O0719 The Contractor agrees that it is as fully responsible to PVSC for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by it.
- The Contractor will be required to comply with the requirements of Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.) and all New Jersey Statutes affecting public contracts; more particularly, but not limited to, the provisions of the Statutes hereinafter recited. All statutes not referred to herein but required by law to be applicable to public contracts are incorporated herein as though fully set forth.
- O0721 Representatives of PVSC shall have access to the work when it is in progress. Any inspection costs incurred by PVSC by reason of any breach or derelictions by the Contractor shall be chargeable to the Contractor.
- **00722** The Contractor must arrange for its own utilities, paying for all permits, connections, consumption, as required of whatsoever kind.
- The Contractor shall procure at its own expense all necessary permits to prosecute and complete the work. It shall keep itself fully informed of all existing and future state and Federal Laws and Regulations and Municipal Ordinances and Regulations, in any manner affecting the work and the persons engaged or employed in the work, or the materials used in the work, or in any affecting the performance of the work, either with respect to hours of labor or otherwise, and of all such laws, ordinances, regulations, orders and decrees, and shall protest and indemnify PVSC and their officers and agents against any claims or liability arising from or based on the violation of any such law, ordinance, regulation, order or decree, whether by itself, or by its agents or employees.
- To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless PVSC and its Commission, officers, directors, employees, and agents (collectively, the "Indemnified Parties" and individually, an "Indemnified Party") from and against any and all claims, damages, losses, fines, civil penalties, liabilities, judgments, costs and expenses of any kind or nature whatsoever, including, but not limited to, interest, court costs and attorneys' fees, which in any way arise out of or result from any act(s) or omission(s) by Contractor (or anyone directly or indirectly employed by Contractor, including sub-contractors, or anyone for whose acts Contractor may be liable) in the performance or non-performance of services or other obligations under this agreement or in the use or occupancy of any facilities or equipment provided by the Indemnified Parties, including, but not limited to, injury to or death of any person, damage to or destruction of any property, real or personal (including, but not limited to, property owned, leased or under the control of the Indemnified Parties), and liability or obligations under or with respect to any violation of federal, state and local laws, regulations, rules, codes and ordinances (including, but not limited to, those concerning environmental protection).

This section shall apply regardless of whether or not the damage, loss, or injury complained of arises out of or relates to the negligence (whether active, passive or otherwise) of, or was caused in part by, an Indemnified Party. However, nothing contained in this section shall be construed as a release or indemnity by Contractor of an Indemnified Party from or against any loss, liability, or claim to the extent arising from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of that Indemnified Party.

This section shall not be construed to negate, abridge or otherwise reduce any other right to indemnity which would otherwise exist in favor of any Indemnified Party, or any obligation of Contractor, or its officers, directors, employees, agents, contractors, or sub-contractors to indemnify an Indemnified Party. Contractor's obligations under this section shall not be limited by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits paid or payable by Contractor under workers' compensation laws, disability benefits laws, or other employee benefit laws or regulations.

The indemnification obligations of this section shall survive termination or expiration of the Contract.

#### 00725 NOT USED IN THIS CONTRACT

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- O0727 The Contractor must procure and maintain during the term of this contract the following types of insurance coverage, which shall be consistent with the terms of the specifications and general and supplemental conditions:
  - Commercial General Liability ("GCL") insurance, for personal injury and property damage liability of not less than five million dollars (\$5,000,000.00) combined single limit for each occurrence/five million dollars (\$5,000,000.00) aggregate;
  - 2. Comprehensive automobile liability insurance coverage of not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit;
  - 3. Workers' compensation with limits in accordance with New Jersey law; and
  - 4. Employer liability insurance with limits of at least five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00).

PVSC and its Commission, officers, directors, employees, and agents shall be named as additional insureds on the CGL and comprehensive automobile liability policies, and, within 20 days of the Notice of Intent to Award Contract, the Contractor shall provide evidence of same in the form of certified endorsements specifically naming PVSC and its commissioners, officers, directors, employees, and agents as additional insureds. The submission of a Certification of Insurance will not serve as adequate proof that PVSC and its commissioners, officers, directors, employees, and agents have been named as additional insureds.

Each insurance policy shall contain a provision stating that neither the insured, nor the insurer may cancel, materially change, or refuse renewal without a minimum 30 days prior written notice to PVSC. In the event of cancellation due to non-payment of premiums, said notice shall be at least 10 days prior to cancellation. All insurance required pursuant to this section shall remain in full force and effect until the final contract payment, or until the end of the warranty period which ever is later.

Each insurance policy shall provide that neither the Contractor, nor its insurer, shall have any right to subrogation against PVSC. Any and all policies of insurance maintained by the Contractor shall be primary without contribution from any insurance procured, carried, and/or maintained by PVSC.

In the event the Contractor is permitted to utilize any subcontractor, the Contractor shall require the subcontractor's insurance coverage to be at least equal to the requirements set forth above, including, without limitation, the provisions regarding the naming of additional insureds and the Contractor's insurance being primary. In the alternative, the Contractor may insure the activities of its subcontractors under its own policies. The Contractor is responsible for and will assume all liabilities for any insurance deficiency or delinquency of a subcontractor or any claim that may result because of the deficiency or delinquency.

The Contractor's insurance carrier(s) shall also provide an endorsement insuring, accepting and including the requirement of indemnification and defense as set forth in General Conditions Section 00724.

- 00728 Before the final acceptance of the work, the Contractor shall remove all equipment, temporary work, unused materials and rubbish, and temporary buildings; shall repair or replace in an acceptable manner all private or public property which may have been damaged, destroyed, moved or removed on account of the prosecution of the work; and shall leave the site and all adjacent properties in a neat and presentable condition wherever its operations have disturbed conditions existing at the time of the starting of the work.
- No final or semifinal payment shall be made until the Contractor has executed and delivered a release to PVSC and every member, agent or employee thereof, from all claims and liability to the Contractor for everything and anything done or furnished, or of any person relating to or affecting the work. (Semifinal payment shall mean payment for all work performed under the contract, except retainage held as a guarantee against warrantee claims.)
- Before final or semifinal payment, the Contractor shall deliver to PVSC an affidavit of payment of all claims of suppliers and subcontractors. In the event that any supplier or subcontractor has not been paid and the claim is disputed by the Contractor, the Contractor shall submit all of the facts in its affidavit and PVSC shall be authorized, in the exercise of its discretion, to withhold from the payment the sum of money sufficient to guarantee payment of the claim. Nothing contained herein, however, shall incur any responsibility by PVSC to any material man or subcontractor, nor shall anything contained herein give rise to a cause of action by any subcontractor or supplier against PVSC.
- Before final acceptance and final or semifinal payment by PVSC, the Contractor shall deliver to PVSC a complete release of all liens arising out of the contract. Contractor agrees that at no time shall any municipal liens, mechanical liens, notices of intention, or secured instruments be filed against the work and should PVSC be compelled to remove or discharge a municipal lien, mechanics lien, notice of intention or secured instrument, the Contractor shall reimburse PVSC for all costs.
- 00732 Before final or semifinal payment the Contractor shall deliver to PVSC a consent or the Surety to the final payment. Release of final payment shall act to release PVSC of all claims by the Contractor's performance of the contract.

#### 00733 NOT APPLICABLE TO THIS CONTRACT

**00734** All payments under the within contract shall be upon the written certification of the Engineer.

To the extent applicable, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2A:30A-2(f) et seq., disputes regarding whether a party has failed to make payments required pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2A:30A-2 et seq. may be submitted to a process of alternative dispute resolution. Alternative dispute resolution permitted by this section shall not apply to disputes concerning the bid solicitation or award process, or to the formation of contracts or subcontracts. In any civil action brought to collect payments pursuant to this section, the action shall be conducted inside of this State and the prevailing party shall be awarded reasonable costs and attorney fees.

The Commission may order, and the Contractor shall perform, extra work under this contract that is limited to the subject matter of this contract.

On any work done by the contractor, as ordered by the Commission in writing, which is not covered in the contract, the contractor shall be paid as extra work. Extra Work costs shall be arrived at as follows:

(a) By such applicable unit prices, if any, as are set forth in the contract; or

- (b) If no such unit prices are set forth, and if the parties cannot agree upon prices or lump sum, then for work performed the Contractor shall receive as compensation the actual cost to him, which cost shall include only:
  - 1. Labor, including foreman, but not supervisors.
  - 2. Materials entering permanently into the work.
  - 3. The ownership or rental cost of construction plant and equipment during the time of use on the extra or changed order.
  - 4. Power and consumable supplies for the operation of power equipment during the above time.
  - 5. Insurance.
  - 6. Social Security and old age and unemployment contributions.
  - 7. Plus a fixed fee equal to 15% of the summation of items #1 through #6 above, which fee shall be compensation to cover the cost of supervision, overhead, bond, profit, and any other general expenses. The prime contractor will not be permitted to include both his 15% and any subcontractor's 15% for the items enumerated herein.
- In the event that the vendor, unless prevented by strike or strikers, which prevents delivery of parts or services, and shall fail to furnish the materials, or services listed in this contract as per the specifications, and according to all the terms of this contract, the Commissioner reserves the right to rescind the contract and purchase the materials, or services through the open market, and the vendor agrees to pay the excess costs, if any, between the amount paid for same and the amount calculated at the contract price.
- **00737** During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex. Except with respect to affectional or sexual orientation and gender identity or expression, the contractor will ensure that equal employment opportunity is afforded to such applicants in recruitment and employment, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex. Such equal employment opportunity 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 by the Public Agency Compliance Officer setting forth provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex.

The contractor or subcontractor will send to each labor union, with which it has a collective bargaining agreement, a notice, to be provided by the agency contracting officer, advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this act and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, agrees to comply with any regulations promulgated by the Treasurer, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., as amended and supplemented from time to time and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

When hiring or scheduling workers in each construction trade, the contractor or subcontractor agrees to make good faith efforts to employ minority and women workers in each construction trade consistent with the targeted employment goal prescribed by N.J.S.A. 17:27-7.2 et seq.; provided, however, that the Dept. of Labor and Workforce Development (LWD), Construction EEO Monitoring Program may, in its discretion, exempt a contractor or subcontractor from compliance with the good faith procedures prescribed by the following provisions prescribed by the following provisions, A, B and C, as long as the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program is satisfied that the contractor or subcontractor is employing workers provided by a union which provides evidence, in accordance with standards prescribed by the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program, that is percentage of active "card carrying" members who are minority and women workers is equal to or greater than the targeted employment goal established in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-7.2 et seq.. The contractor or subcontractor agrees that a good faith effort shall include compliance with the following procedures:

- A. If the contractor or subcontractor has a referral agreement or arrangement with a union for a construction trade, the contractor or subcontractor shall, within three (3) business days of the contract award, seek assurances from the union that it will cooperate with the contractor of subcontractor as it fulfills its affirmative action obligations under this contract and in accordance with the rules promulgated by the Treasurer pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., as supplemented and amended from time to time and the Americans with Disabilities Act. If the contractor or subcontractor is unable to obtain said assurances from the construction trade union as least five (5) business days prior to the commencement of construction work, the contractor or subcontractor agrees to afford equal employment opportunities minority and women workers directly, consistent with this chapter. If the contractor's or subcontractor's prior experience with a construction trade union, regardless of whether the union has provided said assurances, indicates a significant possibility that the trade union will not refer sufficient minority and women workers consistent with affording equal employment opportunities as specified in this chapter, the contractor or subcontractor agrees to be prepared to provide such opportunities to minority and women workers directly, consistent with this chapter, by complying with the hiring or scheduling procedures prescribed under (B) below; and the contractor or subcontractor further agrees to take said action immediately if it determines that the union is not referring minority and women workers consistent with the equal employment opportunity goals set forth in this chapter.
- B. If good faith efforts to meet targeted employment goals have not or cannot be met for each construction trade by adhering to the procedures of (A) above, or if the contractor does not have a referral agreement or arrangement with a union for a construction trade, the contractor or subcontractor agrees to take the following actions:
  - To notify the public agency compliance officer, the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program, and minority and women referral organizations listed by the Division pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:27-5.3 et seq., of its workforce needs, and request referral of minority and women workers;
  - 2) To notify any minority and women workers who have been listed with it as awaiting available vacancies;
  - 3) Prior to commencement of work, to request that the local construction trade union refer minority and women workers to fill job openings, provided the contractor or subcontractor has a referral agreement or arrangement with a union for the construction trade;
  - 4) To leave standing requests for additional referral to minority and women workers with the local construction trade union, provided the contractor or subcontractor has a referral agreement or arrangement with a union for the construction trade, the State Training and Employment Service and other approved referral sources in the area;

- 5) If necessary to lay off some of the workers in a given trade on the construction site, layoffs shall be conducted in compliance with the equal employment opportunity and nondiscrimination standards set forth in this regulation, as well as with applicable Federal and State court decisions;
- 6) To adhere to the following procedure when minority and women workers apply or are referred to the contractor or subcontractor:
  - The contractor or subcontractor shall interview the referred minority or women worker.
  - ii) If said individuals have never previously received any document or certification signifying a level of qualification lower than that required in order to perform the work of the construction trade, the contractor or subcontractor shall in food faith determine the qualifications of such individuals. The contractor or subcontractor shall hire or schedule those individuals who satisfy appropriate qualification standards in conformity with the equal employment opportunity and nondiscrimination principles set forth in this chapter. However, a contractor or subcontractor shall determine that the individual at least possesses the requisite skills, and experience recognized by a union, apprentice program or a referral agency provided the referral agency is acceptable to the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program. If necessary, the contractor or subcontractor shall hire or schedule minority and women workers who qualify as trainees pursuant to these rules. All of the requirements, however, are limited by the provisions of (C) below.
  - iii) The name of any interested women or minority individual shall be maintained on a waiting list, and shall be considered for employment as described in (i) above, whenever vacancies occur. At the request of the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program, the contractor or subcontractor shall provide evidence of its good faith efforts to employ women and minorities from the list to fill vacancies.
  - iv) If, for any reason, said contractor or subcontractor determines that a minority individual or a woman is not qualified or if the individual qualifies as an advanced trainee or apprentice, the contractor or subcontractor shall inform the individual in writing of the reasons for the determination, maintain a copy of the determination in its files, and send a copy to the public agency compliance officer and to the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program.
- 7) To keep a complete and accurate record of all requests made for the referral of workers in any trade covered by the contract, on forms made available by the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program and submitted promptly to the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program upon request.
- C. The contractor or subcontractor agrees that nothing contained in (B) above shall preclude the contractor or subcontractor from complying with the union hiring hall or apprenticeship policies in any applicable collective bargaining agreement or union hiring hall arrangement, and, where required by custom or agreement, it shall send journeymen and trainees to the union for referral, or to the apprenticeship program for admission, pursuant to such agreement or arrangement. However, where the practices of a union or apprenticeship program will result in the exclusion of minorities and women or the failure to refer minorities and women consistent with the targeted county employment goal, the contractor or subcontractor shall consider for employment persons referred pursuant to (B) above without regard to such agreement or arrangement; provided further, however, that the contractor or subcontractor shall not be required to employ women and minority advanced trainees and trainees in numbers which result in the employment of advanced trainees and trainees as a percentage of the total workforce for the construction trade, which percentage significantly exceeds the apprentice to journey worker ratio specified in the applicable collective bargaining agreement, or in the absence of a collective bargaining agreement, exceeds the ratio established by practice in the area for said construction trade. Also, the contractor or subcontractor agrees

that, in implementing the procedures of (B) above, it shall, where applicable, employ minority and women workers residing within the geographical jurisdiction of the union.

After notification of award, but prior to signing a construction contract, the contractor shall submit to the public agency compliance officer and the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program an initial project workforce report (Form AA 201) electronically provided to the public agency by the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program, through its website, for distribution to and completion by the contractor, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-7 et seq. The contractor also agrees to submit a copy of the Monthly Project Workforce Report once a month thereafter for the duration of this contract to the Division and to the public agency compliance officer.

The contractor agrees to cooperate with the public agency in the payment of budgeted funds, as is necessary, for on-the-job and/or off-the-job programs for outreach and training of minorities and women.

D. The contractor and its subcontractors shall furnish such reports or other documents to the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program as may be requested by the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program from time to time in order to carry out the purposes of these regulations, and public agencies shall furnish such information as may be requested by the Dept. of LWD, Construction EEO Monitoring Program for conducting a compliance investigation pursuant to <a href="Subchapter 10 of the Administrative Code">Subchapter 10 of the Administrative Code (N.J.A.C. 17:27)</a>.

#### 00738 Substantial Completion and Inspections

#### **Substantial Completion**

When work (or specified part thereof) has progressed (including and specified operational periods) to a point that the Owner determines that the work is ready for it's intended use with contract documents.

#### **Substantial Completion Inspection**

At the point that the Contractor feels that substantial completion is satisfied, request in writing to the Owner a substantial completion inspection. At or prior to the time the Contractor requests substantial completion the Contractor shall have previously submitted O&M manuals, spare parts, guarantees, warranties, as-built and record drawings, certifications and other documents necessary for close-out of the work. At the substantial completion inspection, the Owner shall: inspect the work, add to the Contractor's list any other items to be completed or corrected; and, determine whether the work is substantially complete. If the work is not substantially complete, the Contractor shall forthwith complete all the items the owner has determined to be needed for substantial completion. Upon completion of such work the Contractor shall request an inspection of such work. When the Owner determines that the work is substantially complete including all claims and compensation therefore have been satisfied, the (Owner and Contractor) shall each sign the Certificate of Substantial Completion and semi-final payment will be released, which excludes retainage and punch list items (with dollar amounts associated) listed in the Certificate of Substantial Completion.

#### **Final Inspection**

Inspection shall be conducted between the Owner and Contractor to determine if deficiencies have been completed and work is acceptable, so that final payment can be released to the Contractor.

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#### 00800 SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

#### 00821 N.J.S.A. 10:2-1 - Anti-Discrimination

Every contract for or on behalf of the State or any county or municipality or other political subdivision of the State, or any agency of or authority created by any of the foregoing, for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the acquisition of materials, equipment, supplies or services shall contain provisions by which the contractor agrees that:

- a. In the hiring of persons for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the procurement, manufacture, assembling or furnishing of any such materials, equipment, supplies or services to be acquired under this contract, no contractor, nor any person acting on behalf of such contractor or subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, gender identity or expression, sex, affectional or sexual orientation, discriminate against any person who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates;
- b. No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee engaged in the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or engaged in the procurement, manufacture, assembling or furnishing of any such materials, equipment, supplies or services to be acquired under such contract, on account of race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, gender identity or expression, sex, affectional or sexual orientation;
- c. There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the contracting public agency, under this contract, a penalty of \$50.00 for each person for each calendar day during which such person is discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract; and
- d. This contract may be canceled or terminated by the contracting public agency, and all money due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited, for any violation of this section of the contract occurring after notice to the contractor from the contracting public agency of any prior violation of this section of the contract.

#### 00822 N.J.S.A. 14A:13-3 - Foreign Corporations

- No foreign corporation shall have the right to transact business in this State until it shall have
  procured a certificate of authority to do so from the Secretary of State. A foreign corporation
  may be authorized to do in this State any business which may be done lawfully in this State
  by a domestic corporation, to the extent that it is authorized to do such business in the
  jurisdiction of its incorporation, but no other business.
- 2. Without excluding other activities which may not constitute transacting business in this State, a foreign corporation shall not be considered to be transacting business in this State, for the purposes of this act, by reason of carrying on in this State any one or more of the following activities:
  - Maintaining, defining or otherwise participating in any action or proceeding, whether judicial, administrative, arbitrative or otherwise, or effecting the settlement thereof or the settlement of claims or disputes;
  - b. Holding meetings of its directors or shareholders;
  - Maintaining bank accounts or borrowing money, with or without security, even if such borrowings are repeated and continuous transactions and even if such security has a situs in this State;
  - d. Maintaining offices or agencies for the transfer, exchange and registration of its securities, or appointing and maintaining trustees or depositaries with relation to its securities.

3. The specification in subsection 14A:13-3(2) does not establish a standard for activities which may subject a foreign corporation to service of process or taxation in this State.

#### 00823 N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.27 - Prevailing Wages

Every contract in excess of \$2,000 for any public work to which any public body is a party or for public work to be done on property or premises leased or to be leased by a public body, shall contain a provision stating the prevailing wage rate which can be paid (as shall be designated by the commissioner) to the workers employed in the performance of the contract and the contract shall contain a stipulation that such workers shall be paid not less than such prevailing wage rate. Such contract shall also contain a provision that in the event it is found that any workers, employed by the contractor or any subcontractor covered by said contract, has been paid a rate of wages less than the prevailing wage required to be paid by such contract the public body or lessor may terminate the contractor's or subcontractor's right to proceed with the work, or such part of the work as to which there has been a failure to pay required wages and to prosecute the work to completion or otherwise. The contractor and his sureties shall be liable to the public body or lessor for any excess costs occasioned thereby.

N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.26(5) et seq. has added to the existing prevailing wage requirements off-site workers who custom fabricate plumbing, heating, cooling, ventilation, or exhaust duct systems and mechanical insulation as part of a public works project.

N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25 et seq., requires that all public works employers shall submit a certified payroll record to the public body or lessor which contracted for the public work project each payroll period within ten (10) days of the payment of wages. The public body shall receive, file and make available for inspection during normal business hours the certified payroll records. A copy of the certified payroll form may be obtained by contacting the New Jersey Department of Labor, Division of Workplace Standards, Public Contracts Section, CN 389, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0389.

<u>NOTE:</u> Prevailing wage rates will not apply or be applicable to any contract unless an appendix from the New Jersey Department of Labor which includes the "Prevailing Wage Rate Determination," listing the prevailing wage levels is attached to the contract.

#### 00824 N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2 - Statement of Ownership

No corporation or partnership shall be awarded any contract nor shall any agreement be entered into for the performance of any work or the furnishing of any materials or supplies, the cost of which is to be paid with or out of any public funds, by the State, or any county, municipality or school district, or any subsidiary or agency of the State, or of any county, municipality or school district, or by any authority, board, or commission which exercises governmental functions, unless prior to the receipt of the bid or accompanying the bid, of said corporation or said partnership, there is submitted a statement setting forth the names and addresses of all stockholders in the corporation or partnership who own 10% or more of its stock, of any class or of all individual partners in the partnership who own a 10% or greater interest therein, as the case may be. If one or more such stockholder or partner is itself a corporation or partnership, the stockholders holding 10% or more of that corporation's stock, or the individual partners owning 10% or greater interest in that partnership, as the case may be, shall also be listed. The disclosure shall be continued until all names and addresses of every noncorporate stockholder, and individual partner, exceeding the 10% ownership criteria established in this act, has been listed.

#### 00825 N.J.S.A. 52:33-2 and -3 - Use of Domestic Materials

52:33-2 Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of any law, and unless the head of the department, or other public officer charged with the duty by law, shall determine it to be inconsistent with the public interest, or the cost to be unreasonable, only domestic products and materials shall be acquired or used for any public work. This requirement is specifically set forth in N.J.S.A. 40A:11-18 et seq. and is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof.

This section shall not apply with respect to domestic materials to be used for any public work, if domestic materials of the class or kind to be used are not mined, produced or manufactured, as the case may be, in the United States in commercial quantities and of a satisfactory quality.

52:33-3 Every contract for the construction, alteration, or repair of any public work in this state shall contain a provision that in the performance of the work the contractor and all subcontractors shall use only domestic materials in the performance of the work; but if the head of the department or other public officer authorized by law to make the contract shall find that in respect to some particular domestic materials it is impracticable to make such requirement or that it would unreasonably increase the cost, an exception shall be noted in the specifications as to that particular material, and a public record made of the findings which justified the exception.

#### 00826 Hazardous Materials

All hazardous material whether sold, delivered, and/or used to perform a service on the PVSC site, shall be properly labeled in accordance with the New Jersey Worker and Community Right to Know Act (P.L. 1983, c315, N.J.S.A. 34:5A-1 et seq.). The bidder shall include with his bid proposal the Material Safety Data Sheets, for all the hazardous products that he intends to deliver to the PVSC under this bid. The bidder shall comply with these terms otherwise his bid will be disqualified.

Hazardous material not complying with this act will cause the PVSC to reject shipments or deny the use of such materials on its site. The bidder shall be responsible for any cost incurred for materials found not to be in compliance with the act. The PVSC will make the sole determination if this act is being violated, and the bidder shall abide by this decision. Violation of this act may be considered an abandonment of the contract, and the Commission may seek redress under the Default Article of the contract.

#### 00827 Certified Payroll

Effective February 18, 1992 Regulation N.J.A.C. 12:60 and 6.1 of the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act, N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25 et seq., requires that all public works employers shall submit a certified payroll record to the public body or lessor which contracted for the public work project each payroll period within ten (10) days of the payment of wages. The public body shall receive, file and make available for inspection during normal business hours the certified payroll records.

A copy of the certified payroll form may be obtained by contacting the New Jersey Department of Labor, Division of Workplace Standards, Public Contracts Section, CN 389, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0389, telephone (609) 292-2259.

#### 00828 Set-Aside Contract Compliance

Contractor shall comply with the New Jersey Statute governing minority and female contractor and subcontractor participation on construction contracts as required by N.J.S.A. 52:32-17 et seq. The regulations, which are more specifically set forth in N.J.A.C. 17:14-1.1 et seq., are incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof.

#### 00829 NOT APPLICABLE TO THIS CONTRACT

#### 00830 N.J.S.A. 40A:11-17 - Number of Working Days Specified

All specifications for the doing of any public work for a contracting unit shall fix the date before which the work shall be completed, or the number of working days to be allowed for its completion; and every such contract shall contain a provision for a deduction, from the contract price, or any wages paid by the contracting unit to any inspector or inspectors necessarily employed by it on the work, for any number of days in excess of the number allowed in the specifications.

#### 00831 N.J.S.A. <u>40A:11-19 – Liquidated Damages</u>

Any contract made pursuant to P.L.1971, c.198 (C.40A:11-1 et seq.) may include liquidated damages for the violation of any of the terms and conditions thereof or the failure to perform said contract in accordance with its terms and conditions, or the terms and conditions of P.L.1971, c.198 (C.40A:11-1 et seq.). Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, it shall be void, unenforceable and against public policy for a provision in a contract entered into under P.L.1971, c.198 (C.40A:11-1 et seq.) to limit a contractor's remedy for the contracting unit's negligence, bad faith, active interference, tortious conduct, or other reasons uncontemplated by the parties that delay the contractor's performance, to giving the contractor an extension of time for performance under the contract. For the purposes of this section, "contractor" means a person, his assignees or legal representatives with whom a contract with a contracting unit is made.

#### 00832 N.J.A.C. 17:44-2.2 (b): Authority to Audit or Review Contract Records

- a. Relevant records of private vendors or other persons entering into contracts with covered entities are subject to audit or review by OSC pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:15C-14(d).
- b. The contractor shall maintain all documentation related to products, transactions or services under this contract for a period of five years from the date of final payment. Such records shall be made available to the New Jersey Office of the State Comptroller upon request.

#### 00833 NOTICE TO ALL STATE VENDORS: SET-OFF FOR STATE TAX

Please be advised that, pursuant to L. 1995, c. 159, effective January 1, 1996 and codified at N.J.S.A. 59:49-19 and N.J.S.A. 59:49-20, and notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, whenever any taxpayer, partnership or S corporation under contract to provide goods or services or construction projects to the State of New Jersey or its agencies or instrumentalities, including the legislative and judicial branches of State government, is entitled to payment for those goods and services or construction projects, at the same time a taxpayer, partner or shareholder of that entity is indebted for any State tax, the Director of the Division of Taxation shall seek to set off that taxpayer's, partner's or shareholder's share of the payment of that indebtedness. The amount set off shall not allow for the deduction of any expenses or other deductions which might be attributable to the taxpayer, partner or shareholder subject to set-off.

The Division of Taxation may initiate procedures to set off the tax debt of a specific vendor upon the expiration of ninety (90) days after either the issuance by the Division of a notice and demand for payment of any state tax owed by the taxpayer or the issuance by the Division of a final determination on any protest filed by the taxpayer against an assessment or final audit determination. A set-off reduces the contract payment due to a vendor by the amount of that vendor's state tax indebtedness or, in the case of a vendor-partnership or vendor-S corporation, by the amount of state tax indebtedness of any member-partner or shareholder of the partnership or S corporation, respectively. N.J.A.C. 18:2-8.3.

The Director of the Division of Taxation shall give notice of the set-off to the taxpayer, partner or shareholder and shall provide an opportunity for a hearing within thirty (30) days of such notice under the procedures for protests established under N.J.S.A. 54:49-18. No requests for conference, protest or subsequent appeal to the Tax Court from any protest permitted under N.J.S.A. 59:49-19 shall stay the collection of the indebtedness. Interest that may be payable by the State to the taxpayer, pursuant to L. 1987, c. 184 (N.J.S.A. 52:32-35) shall be stayed.

#### 00900 PUBLIC LAW 2005, CHAPTER 51 FORMERLY: EXECUTIVE ORDER 134

#### **Background Information**

On September 22, 2004, then-Governor James E. McGreevey issued Executive Order 134, the purpose of which was to insulate the negotiation and award of State contracts from political contributions that posed a risk of improper influence, purchase of access or the appearance thereof. To this end, Executive Order 134 prohibited State departments, agencies and authorities from entering into contracts exceeding \$17,500 with individuals or entities that made certain political contributions. Executive Order 134 was superseded by Public Law 2005, c. 51, signed into law on March 22, 2005 ("Chapter 51").

On September 24, 2008, Governor Jon S. Corzine issued Executive Order No. 117 ("E.O. 117"), which is designed to enhance New Jersey's efforts to protect the integrity of procurement decisions and increase the public's confidence in government. The Executive Order builds upon the provisions of Chapter 51.

#### **Two-Year Certification Process**

Upon approval by the State, the Certification and Disclosure of Political Contributions form (CH51.1R1/21/2009) is valid for a two (2) year period. Thus, if a vendor receives approval on Jan 1, 2009, the certification expiration date would be Dec 31, 2011. Any change in the vendor's ownership status and/or political contributions during the two-year period will require the submission of new Chapter 51/EO117 forms to the State Review Unit. Please note that it is the vendor's responsibility to file new forms with the State should these changes occur.

Prior to the awarding of a contract, the agency should first send an e-mail to <a href="CD134@treas.state.nj.us">CD134@treas.state.nj.us</a> to verify the certification status of the vendor. If the response is that the vendor is NOT within an approved two-year period, then forms must be obtained from the vendor and forwarded for review. If the response is that the vendor is within an approved two-year period, then the response so stating should be placed with the bid/contract documentation for the subject project.

#### **Instructions for Completing the Forms**

**NOTE:** Please refer to the next section, "Useful Definitions for Purposes of Ch. 51 and E.O. 117," for guidance when completing the forms.

# Part 1: VENDOR INFORMATION

Business Name - Enter the full name of the Vendor, including trade name if applicable.

Business Type -- Select the vendor's business organization from the list provided.

Address, City, State, Zip and Phone Number -- Enter the vendor's street address, city, state, zip code and telephone number.

Vendor Email – Enter the vendor's primary email address.

**Vendor FEIN** – Please enter the vendor's Federal Employment Identification Number.

#### Part 2: PUBLIC LAW 2005, Chapter 51 / EXECUTIVE ORDER 117 (2008) DUAL CERTIFICATION

Read the following statements and verify that from the period beginning on or after October 15, 2004, no contributions as set forth at subsections 1(a)-(c) have been made by either the vendor or any individual whose contributions are attributable to the vendor pursuant to Executive Order 117 (2008).

**NOTE**: Contributions made prior to November 15, 2008 are applicable to Chapter 51 only.

<u>Check the box at top of page 2 if no reportable contributions have been made by the vendor.</u> If the vendor has no contributions to report, this box must be checked.

Name of Recipient Entity - Enter the full name of the recipient entity.

Address of Recipient Entity – Enter the recipient entity's street address.

Date of Contribution - Indicate the date of the contribution.

**Amount of Contribution** – Enter the amount of the reportable contribution.

**Type of Contribution –** Select the type of contribution from the list provided.

Contributor Name - Enter the full name of the contributor.

**Relationship of Contributor to the Vendor** -- Indicate relationship of the contributor to the vendor, e.g. officer or partner of the company, spouse of officer or partner, resident child of officer or partner, parent company of the vendor, subsidiary of the vendor, etc.

**NOTE:** If form is being completed electronically, click "Add a Contribution" to enter additional contributions. Otherwise, please attach additional pages as necessary.

#### **Part 4: CERTIFICATION**

Check box A if the person completing the certification and disclosure is doing so on behalf of the vendor and all individuals and/or entities whose contributions are attributable to the vendor.

Check box B if the person completing the certification and disclosure is doing so on behalf of the vendor only.

Check box C if the person completing the certification and disclosure is doing so on behalf of an individual and/or entity whose contributions are attributable to the vendor.

Enter the full name of the person authorized to complete the certification and disclosure, the person's title or position, date and telephone number.

#### **USEFUL DEFINITIONS FOR THE PURPOSES OF Ch. 51 and E.O. 117**

- "Vendor" means the contracting entity.
- "Business Entity" means any natural or legal person, business corporation, professional services corporation, limited liability company, partnership, limited partnership, business trust, association or any other legal commercial entity organized under the laws of New Jersey or any other state or foreign jurisdiction. The definition also includes (i) if a business entity is a for-profit corporation, any officer of the corporation and any other person or business entity that owns or controls 10% or more of the stock of the corporation; (ii) if a business entity is a professional corporation, any shareholder or officer; (iii) if a business entity is a general partnership, limited partnership or limited liability partnership, any partner; (iv) if a business entity is a sole proprietorship, the proprietor; (v) if the business entity is any other form of entity organized under the laws of New Jersey or any other state or foreign jurisdiction, any principal, officer or partner thereof; (vi) any subsidiaries directly or indirectly controlled by the business entity; (vii) any political organization organized under 26 U.S.C.A. § 527 that is directly or indirectly controlled by the business entity, other than a candidate committee, election fund, or political party committee; and (viii) with respect to an individual who is included within the definition of "business entity," that individual's spouse or civil union partner and any child residing with that person.
- "Officer" means a president, vice-president with senior management responsibility, secretary, treasurer, chief executive officer, or chief financial officer of a corporation or any person routinely performing such functions for a corporation. Please note that officers of non-profit entities are excluded from this definition.

- "Partner" means one of two or more natural persons or other entities, including a corporation, who or
  which are joint owners of and carry on a business for profit, and which business is organized under the
  laws of this State or any other state or foreign jurisdiction, as a general partnership, limited
  partnership, limited liability partnership, limited liability company, limited partnership association, or
  other such form of business organization.
- "Reportable Contributions" are those contributions, including in-kind contributions, in excess of \$300.00 in the aggregate per election made to or received by a candidate committee, joint candidates committee, or political committee; or per calendar year made to or received by a political party committee, legislative leadership committee, or continuing political committee.
- "In-kind Contribution" means a contribution of goods or services received by a candidate
  committee, joint candidates committee, political committee, continuing political committee,
  political party committee, or legislative leadership committee, which contribution is paid for by a person
  or entity other than the recipient committee, but does not include services provided without
  compensation by an individual volunteering a part of or all of his or her time on behalf of a candidate or
  committee.
- "Continuing Political Committee" includes any group of two or more persons acting jointly, or any corporation, partnership, or any other incorporated or unincorporated association, including a political club, political action committee, civic association or other organization, which in any calendar year contributes or expects to contribute at least \$4,300 to aid or promote the candidacy of an individual, or the candidacies of individuals, for elective public office, or the passage or defeat of a public questions, and which may be expected to make contributions toward such aid or promotion or passage or defeat during a subsequent election, provided that the group, corporation, partnership, association or other organization has been determined by the Commission to be a continuing political committee in accordance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-8(b) et seq..
- "Candidate Committee" means a committee established by a candidate pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-9(a), for the purpose of receiving contributions and making expenditures.
- "State Political Party Committee" means a committee organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:5-4.
- "County Political Party Committee" means a committee organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:5-3.
- "Municipal Political Party Committee" means a committee organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:5-2.
- "Legislative Leadership Committee" means a committee established, authorized to be established, or designated by the President of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker of the General Assembly, or the Minority Leader of the General Assembly pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-10.1 for the purpose of receiving contributions and making expenditures.
- "Political Party Committee" means:
  - 1. The State committee of a political party, as organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:5-4;
  - 2. Any county committee of a political party, as organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:5-3; or
  - 3. Any municipal committee of a political party, as organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:5-2.

# **Agency Submission of Forms**

The agency should submit the completed and signed Two-Year Vendor Certification and Disclosure forms, together with a completed Ownership Disclosure form, either electronically to <a href="cd134@treas.state.nj.us">cd134@treas.state.nj.us</a> or regular mail at Chapter 51 Review Unit, P.O. Box 039, 33 West State Street, 9th Floor, Trenton, NJ 08625. Original forms should remain with the Agency and copies should be sent to the Chapter 51 Review Unit.

#### **Questions & Answers**

Questions regarding the interpretation or application of Public Law 2005, Chapter 51 (N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.13 et seq.) or Executive Order 117 (2008) may be submitted electronically through the Division of

Purchase and Property website at <a href="http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/purchase/execorder134.shtml">http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/purchase/execorder134.shtml</a>. Responses to previous questions are posted on the website, as well as additional reference materials and forms.

NOTE: The Chapter 51 Q&A on the website DOES NOT address the expanded pay-to-play requirements imposed by Executive Order 117. The Chapter 51 Q&A are only applicable to contributions made prior to November 15, 2008. There is a separate, combined Chapter 51/E.O. 117 Q&A section dealing specifically with issues pertaining to contributions made after November 15, 2008, available at: <a href="http://www.state.ni.us/treasury/purchase/execorder134.shtml#state">http://www.state.ni.us/treasury/purchase/execorder134.shtml#state</a>.

#### **DIVISION 1 - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

#### 01010 SCOPE OF WORK

Work to be performed by the contractor includes, but is not limited to, the furnishing of all safety, supervision, labor, materials, supplies, equipment and all other facilities required to perform miscellaneous concrete repairs or restoration work on an as needed basis for a two (2) year period.

PVSC has a very significant inventory of concrete elements which include but are not limited to:

- Inceptors
- Conduits
- Tanks
- Vaults
- Concrete Framed Buildings
- Platforms
- Paving

From time to time these concrete elements need repairs and or modifications to:

- Restore or improve structural integrity
- Improve appearance
- Improve durability
- Improve functional performance
- Provide water-tightness

The repair methods to be used may include but are not limited to

- Form and Place
- Form and Pump
- Full-depth repair
- Drypack
- Shotcrete
- Overlays
- Coatings
- Expansion Joint repair or replacement
- Pressure Grouting

It is the intent of this contract to provide for supplementary repair work and related services with concrete repairs and concrete restoration which are provided on an as needed "Time and Material" basis for various tasks including but not limited to emergency services, unscheduled repairs and system modification tasks. Each repair task will require a specific repair methodology developed by PVSC in conjunction with the Contractor.

It is the intent of this contract to require an installation complete in every detail, whether or not indicated in the Specifications. Consequently, the Contractor shall be responsible for all details necessary to furnish, install and properly adjust, test, and place in successful operation, a complete installation of the equipment as specified.

#### 01011 ERRORS OR OMISSIONS OF DETAILS IN SPECIFICATIONS

Errors in the specifications which are purely typographical shall be interpreted as would be the logical conclusion or brought to the attention of the Owner for interpretation.

The Contractor is required to check all dimensions and quantities on any drawings or schedules made available by the Owner, and shall notify the Owner of all errors therein which he may discover by such examination.

#### 01025 PAYMENT

The contractor's Payment Application will be based upon work completed and certified by the Plant Engineer on the eighteenth (18th) day before the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission meeting date. A schedule of meeting dates will be furnished to the Contractor. The Payment Application must be submitted to PVSC's Plant Engineer within two (2) working days of the above cutoff date. Payment will be made to the contractor during the week following the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission meeting.

Payments to the contractor shall be based on submission of a detailed invoice identifying the labor, material, rental equipment (to supply equipment that is not included within this contract) and subcontractor costs, if applicable.

Labor costs shall be reimbursed based on documented timesheet reports of the hours worked times the specific labor rate identified on the T&M Schedule. Overtime hourly work (if approved) will be billed at a cost of 1.5 times the T&M Schedule rate

Rental Equipment costs to supply equipment not included within this contract shall be reimbursed based on documented invoices from all suppliers and/or vendors. Original invoices shall be submitted for every piece of rental equipment procured for each assigned task order for which payment is being requested.

Material Cost shall be reimbursed based on documented invoices from all suppliers and vendors. Original invoices shall be submitted for every item of material purchased for each assigned task order for which payment is being requested. The hypothetical material cost in Section 00400 Supplement to Bid Forms is strictly hypothetical. The Contractor will be reimbursed only for the actual material costs, supported by suppliers and/or vendors invoices and purchased specifically by authorization of the task order.

The contractor shall be entitled to a fixed fee in addition to the actual material and rental equipment costs in accordance with the schedule below. The fixed fee amount shall be included in the overall cost of the individual Task Orders and shall be part of the "not to exceed" amount. Payment of the fixed fee amount shall either be proportionately reimbursed based on the progress payments under the Task Order or at the completion of the task order.

Range		Fixed Fee
\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
\$101.00	\$500.00	\$30.00
\$501.00	\$1,000.00	\$75.00
\$1,001.00	\$5,000.00	\$300.00
\$5,001.00	\$10,000.00	\$750.00
\$10,001.00	\$25,000.00	\$1,750.00
\$25,001.00	\$50,000.00	\$3,750.00
\$50,001.00	\$75,000.00	\$6,250.00
\$75,001.00	\$100,000.00	\$8,750.00
\$100,001.00	\$125,000.00	\$11,250.00
\$125,001.00	\$150,000.00	\$13,750.00
\$150,001.00	\$175,000.00	\$16,250.00
\$175,001.00	\$200,000.00	\$18,750.00
\$200,001.00	\$250,000.00	\$22,500.00
\$250,001.00	\$300,000.00	\$27,500.00
\$300,001.00	\$400,000.00	\$35,000.00
\$400,001.00	\$500,000.00	\$45,000.00

Rar	Range		
\$500,001.00	\$750,000.00	\$62,500.00	
\$750,001.00	\$1,000,000.00	\$87,500.00	
\$1,000,001.00	\$2,000,000.00	\$150,000.00	

#### 01037 REPLACEMENTS

In the event of damage to any PVSC property or equipment, immediate necessary repairs and/or replacements shall be made subject to the approval of the Engineer, and at no additional cost to the Owner.

In the event of damage to any equipment critical to the Sewerage Treatment Plant, repairs will be made by PVSC and the cost will be backcharged to the Contractor.

#### 01038 CARE AND PROTECTION OF PROPERTY AND MATERIALS

From the commencement of the work until its completion, the Contractor shall be solely responsible for damages caused to the property of the Owner, for the care, protection and security of the work covered by the contract, and for all materials delivered to the site or incorporated in the work.

#### 01040 CONCURRENT WORK AND OTHER CONTRACTORS

The right is reserved by the Owner to do work using its own forces or other contractors and to permit public utility companies and others to do work during the progress and within the limits of or adjacent to the Project, and the Contractor shall conduct his work and cooperate with such other parties so as to cause as little interference as possible with such other work, as the Owner may direct.

If, in the judgment of the Owner, the joint occupation of the site of the work by the Owner or by two (2) or more contractors working on different contracts at the same time actually impedes progress in the work herein described, the Owner may extend the time for the completion of the work and in an amount which accords with and compensates for the delays so caused.

#### 01046 WORKING HOURS

Contractor will have access to the site and work of this contract during normal PVSC working hours (7:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.), five (5) days per week, with the exception of PVSC Holidays. Other hours require PVSC consent and approval. A list of PVSC Holidays will be provided to the Contractor.

#### 01047 MANUFACTURER'S CERTIFICATION AND ACCEPTANCE

The Contractor shall supply to the Owner a certificate from each manufacturer of equipment, certifying that the equipment as installed and tested meets all the requirements of the Contract Documents, that it is fully suitable and will function properly for the use intended and within the system called for by the Contract Documents, and that the guarantee as required by this Contract will be in full force and effect.

When the specifications call for "supervision, installation, adjustment, start-up," and words of similar intent, by the manufacturer's "factory employed technicians," the Contractor shall provide a certificate co-signed by the manufacturer as to compliance with the stipulated requirements.

The Contractor is hereby put on notice that final acceptance of any equipment will be withheld, appropriate amounts of money will be retained by the Owner, and the warranty period will not commence until such certifications are supplied.

#### 01048 SUBCONTRACTS AND SUBCONTRACTORS

The Contractor shall, within ten (10) days after "Notice to Proceed" notify the Engineer in writing of the names, addresses and experience records of subcontractors (if any) he proposes for principal parts of the work. PVSC reserves the right to review the qualifications of all subcontractors and to reject any deemed not qualified to perform the work required. Subcontractors must be covered by insurance as required in the General Conditions, Sections 00725, 00726 and 00727.

The Contractor agrees that he is as fully responsible to the Owner for the acts and omissions of his subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them as he is for acts and omissions of persons directly employed by him. He further agrees that he will bind his subcontractors to each and every part of the Contract Documents.

Nothing contained in the Contract Documents shall create any contractual relation between any subcontractor and the Owner.

#### 01049 WORK BY PVSC PERSONNEL

The right is reserved by the owner to do work using its own forces and/or other contractors to do work during the progress and within the limits of or adjacent to the work of this contract, and this contractor shall conduct his work and cooperate with such other parties so as to cause as little interference as possible with such other work.

#### 01300 SUBMITTALS

The Contractor shall submit for the Owner's review and approval, Shop Drawings showing the details of all materials, equipment and installations which the Contractor proposes to furnish in conformance with the Specifications. The Shop Drawings shall be reviewed for conformance with all the Contract Documents.

The Shop Drawings shall consist of catalog cuts, manufacturer's details, text, drafted drawings, layout drawings, assembly drawings, floor plans and any other documents which describe the item being submitted.

Shop Drawings shall give all ratings, configurations, dimensions and ancillary items in sufficient detail to enable the Owner to pass on the suitability of the equipment, materials or layout for the purpose intended. The drawings shall, where needed for clarity, include outline and sectional views, and detailed dimensions and designations of the kind of material. Drawings for submission shall be coordinated by the Contractor with the drawings previously approved and with the existing space, equipment, structure, and all other requirements of the Contract.

The Contractor shall submit four (4) copies of all Shop Drawings for approval. The Owner shall retain two (2) copies for his records, and return two (2) to the Contractor.

#### 01310 SCHEDULING

Within ten (10) days after receipt of Notice to Proceed the Contractor shall meet with the PVSC Plant Engineer to provide a schedule of work, acceptable to the Owner. The Contractor will not be permitted to interfere with the operation of the Plant.

#### 01410 TESTING OF MATERIALS

The Commission may hire a testing laboratory to determine if the materials conform to the specifications. If the specifications are not met, the materials will be rejected and the cost of testing will then be paid by the vendor.

#### 01420 INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

Inspection of materials by the Commissions' personnel shall not relieve the vendor of any obligations to fulfill the terms of this contract, and any defective part found at the time of installation shall be made good. All unsuitable materials shall be rejected notwithstanding that such part and materials have been previously overlooked by the Engineer and accepted.

#### 01421 DEFECTIVE WORK, EQUIPMENT OR MATERIALS

If the Contractor shall fail or neglect to replace any defective work or to discard condemned materials within two (2) days after the service by the Owner of an order to replace such defective work or discard such equipment or materials, or to prove to the satisfaction of the Owner that he is initiating effective efforts to replace defective materials, the Owner may cause such defective work to be replaced or the condemned materials to be discarded, and acceptable materials provided. The expense thereof shall be deducted from the monies as are or may become due under this contract; or if such monies are not sufficient to meet said expense, the additional monies shall be furnished by the contractor or his Surety. If, during the warranty period provided for hereinafter, any work done in accordance with that article shall be found defective before the end of the warranty period, such defective work shall be made good in the same manner as provided herein. The Owner will have the option at all times to allow the defective or improper work to stand and to accept an equitable deduction from the contract price therefore.

#### 01422 OWNER'S RIGHT TO DO WORK AND THREE-DAY CLAUSE

If the Contractor or his subcontractors should neglect to prosecute the work properly or fail to perform any provisions of the contract documents, the Owner, after three (3) days written notice to the Contractor may without prejudice to any other remedy he may have, make good such deficiencies and may deduct the cost thereof from the payment then or thereafter due the Contractor.

#### 01602 TOOLS, EQUIPMENT AND UTILITIES

All tools, and equipment, required to perform the work described in the contract shall be provided by the Contractor.

#### 01603 SAFETY

The Contractor is solely responsible for the safety of its employees, subcontractors, suppliers and representatives, including but not limited to the development and implementation of effective safety practices and programs in accordance with Federal, State and Local requirements, including the requirements of PVSC's Construction Safety & Health Manual for Contractors:

http://www.nj.gov/pvsc/home/forms/pdf/ConstructionSafetyHealthManualforContractors0827201 2.pdf

Prior to commencing any work at the site the Contractor shall designate in writing to PVSC the name of the person who is their on-site safety officer. The Contractors designated on-site safety officer shall be in charge of all of the safety programs of the Contractor and will be responsible to ensure the proper development, implementation and enforcement of all necessary and appropriate safety practices. The Contractor's designated on-site safety officer shall be on site at all times that work is being conducted, and shall be solely responsible for supervision of the Contractor's employees, subcontractors, suppliers and representatives for safety.

The Contractor throughout the work of this contract shall comply with the PVSC Safety Rules, as well as the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act and the applicable New Jersey Department of Labor Administrative Codes. The Contractor will be provided with a copy of the PVSC Safety Rules, these rules, including the wearing of protective head gear, shall be strictly enforced by the Contractor in respect to his own employees, subcontractor's employees, and other personnel engaged in business with the Contractor on PVSC's property.

Contractor's (and subcontractor's) personnel when on PVSC property shall wear OSHA approved hard hats and shall prominently display the Company Name or Logo on the hard hat.

The Contractor is advised of the 15 MPH speed limit on all plant roads, and will be held responsible for his employees (and subcontractors) compliance with this and all rules for traffic safety in the plant.

The Contractor's attention is directed toward several OSHA Safety and Health Standards and New Jersey Labor Department Administrative Codes that influence the conduct of his work in specific areas.

- 1. OSHA Confined Space Standard, 29 CFR 1910.146 Work in Confined Spaces
- 2. OSHA Control of Hazardous Energy (Lockout/Tagout) Standard, 29 CFR 1910.147 (Electrical energy lockout and other energy sources such as steam, air, liquids.)
- 3. NJAC 7:31-1.1 Toxic Catastrophe Prevention Act

Before any work commences on PVSC property, the Contractor's Superintendent shall contact the PVSC Facility Supervisor at the site. The PVSC Supervisor will inform the Contractor of the PVSC emergency plant evacuation plan and where he is to assemble his personnel.

The Contractor shall instruct and show his personnel where to assemble, at the sound of the PVSC emergency evacuation siren. The Facility Supervision will notify the Contractor's personnel of the emergency evacuation route they are to follow. At the assembly point, the Contractor's person in charge shall account for all his personnel, supply transportation, and see that they utilize the prescribed evacuation route.

Every third Wednesday of each month at 11:00 a.m. the evacuation siren is put through a test cycle. The Contractor should check with PVSC each month shortly before that time to confirm the test is going to be performed. If so, it is not required to assemble for the test cycle.

Where portions of the work of the contract fall under the authority of these Administrative Codes for Public Employees, the Contractor shall at all times maintain safety standards for his employees at least as comprehensive as that imposed by the Codes. This includes, for example (and not limited to), monitoring of air in confined spaces with appropriate instrumentation for noxious or toxic gases % oxygen, and lockout and tagout of hazardous energy such as electrical, steam, air or liquids under pressure.

The Contractor shall be responsible for providing first aid, and emergency medical assistance for any of his employees injured on the work site. The Contractor shall be responsible for arranging emergency assistance with local hospitals, and/or EMT services. The Contractor's arrangements shall be submitted in writing, with required telephone numbers to PVSC's Security Department. PVSC Security will summon the Contractor's emergency personnel, if the Contractor calls PVSC Security from any in plant telephone.

Contractor's personnel will not be treated in the PVSC Dispensary for minor injuries, cuts or services.

#### 01604 MATERIALS HANDLING AND STORAGE

Material storage and staging area shall be approved by the Owner. All equipment and materials to be incorporated in the work shall be so placed as not to injure the work or the Owner's property as so that free access may be had at any time to all parts of the work, and to all utility installations in the vicinity of the work.

Materials and equipment shall be kept neatly piled and compactly and conveniently stored so as to inconvenience as little as possible travel in the area. Contractor shall obtain approval of PVSC for storage of his materials and equipment.

All loss, injury, or damage to the work or materials from whatever cause, shall be made good at the Contractor's expense.

Contractor shall be responsible for daily cleanup.

All removed materials, rubbish and other things not required to be incorporated in the work shall be promptly removed from the property.

The Contractor will be responsible for the security of his tools, equipment and all his materials.

Any spillage caused by the Contractor, his subcontractors, suppliers or his equipment, while on PVSC property, shall be the Contractor's responsibility to properly clean up at the Contractor's expenses. The clean-up shall meet all Federal and State requirements, including proper documentation as may be required.

#### 01630 DOMESTIC PRODUCTS AND MATERIALS

In accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-18 et seq., only products and materials produced, mined or manufactured in the United States which will ultimately become the property of the PVSC may be used in this contract.

This section shall not apply with respect to domestic materials, if domestic materials of the class or kind to be used are not mined, produced or manufactured, as the case may be, in the United States in commercial quantities and of a satisfactory quality or in respect to some particular domestic materials it is impracticable to make such requirement or that it would unreasonably increase the cost, an exception shall be permitted. Any request for exception of this requirement shall be in writing and shall be approved by the Engineer.

#### 01710 QUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTOR

The Contractor and his personnel must be experienced in the type of work specified herein.

The contractor shall insure that all requested concrete repairs and or concrete restoration work, shall be performed by personnel who are trained to provide the type of service specified,

The Contractor shall supply certification of this experience by furnishing at least three (3) customers (with names and addresses and telephone numbers) where he had performed work of a similar nature and the dates the work was performed. (In coordination with Reference List in Sections 00401

#### 01720 TRADE PRACTICE/SUPERVISION

The Contractor shall retain skilled craftsmen for the duration of the job and shall provide continual supervision to insure that good trade practices, including safety, are adhered to.

Further, the Contractor's Superintendent and trade Foreman shall be available for consultation with regard to work performed under this specification, to the PVSC designated representative, throughout each day for the duration of the contract.

Contractor will be held responsible for the conduct of his personnel on site, and shall promptly remove individuals who are drunk, disorderly, or found with controlled substances, when requested by the Owner.

Parking for Contractor trucks and employees vehicles with the plant is at the Commission's convenience. Parking shall be where designated by the Commission and is subject to change.

#### 01730 WARRANTY AND QUALITY ASSURANCE

Contractor shall warrant all work to PVSC for one (1) year against defective materials and workmanship. Warranty to begin from date of substantial completion as defined/determined by PVSC.

Inspection of work and materials by the Owner shall not relieve the Contractor of any obligations to fulfill the terms of this contract, and any defective work found at the time of installation shall be made good. All unsuitable materials shall be rejected notwithstanding that such materials have been previously overlooked by the Owner and accepted.

The work site shall remain open to the Owner for purposes of inspection. The Owner reserves the right to halt progress as he deems the specifications or the intent of the specifications are not being adhered to. The terms Owner, Engineer or Plant Engineer, shall be construed to be interchangeable in this Contract.

### 03000 GENERAL CONCRETE RESTORATION AND REPAIR WORK

#### 03001 SCOPE OF WORK

The work of this section includes all supervision, labor, materials, equipment, and incidentals necessary to perform miscellaneous concrete repairs and rehabilitation work including spall and crack repair, form work, grouting, injection grouting and expansion joint work at various PVSC Facilities as directed by the Engineer on an as needed basis.

The work shall include but shall not be limited to the following:

- Concrete Demolition
- General Concrete restoration work
- Concrete form work
- Grouting
- Chemical Injection Grouting
- Reinforcing Steel
- Concrete Spalls
- Concrete Cracks
- Concrete Delamination's
- Expansion Joints
- Preparation and restoration of spalled, loose, cracked or eroded concrete. Concrete restoration work generally involves horizontal, vertical and obstructed concrete surfaces.
   Repairs shall include surface preparation, removal of failed concrete, form work etc. as specified herein and as directed by the Engineer.
- Provide all materials and equipment to repair concrete spalls and cracks. Repairs shall include chemical grout injection where directed and cleaning and concrete resurfacing.
- Clean up and disposal of all materials involved in surface preparation, removal of failed concrete, chemical grout injection and other debris or related materials. Comply with concrete washout requirements of NJDEP.
- The Contractor shall determine by field survey in conjunction with the Engineer. The
  extent of concrete restoration and concrete cracks to be repaired stabilized and
  resurfaced. Report of field survey shall be submitted by the Contractor to the Engineer
  for review and approval prior to starting work.
- The Contractor shall refer to the Contract Documents for work of other trades and contracts which may affect the work under this Contract.
- The Contractor shall also coordinate installation of items furnished by other trades.

#### 03002 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
  - ASTM A1064 Standard Specification for Steel Wire, Plain, for Concrete Reinforcement.
  - 2. ASTM A615 Standard Specification for Deformed and Plain Billet-Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement.
  - 3. ASTM C31 Standard Practice for Making and Curing Concrete Test Specimens in the Field.
  - 4. ASTM C33 Standard Specification for Concrete Aggregates.
  - 5. ASTM C94 Standard Specification for Ready-Mixed Concrete.
  - 6. ASTM C143 Standard Test Method for Slump of Hydraulic Cement Concrete

- 7. ASTM C150 Standard Specification for Portland Cement
- ASTM C173 Standard Test Method for Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Volumetric Method.
- 9. ASTM C231 Standard Test Method for Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Pressure Method.
- 10. ASTM C260 Standard Specification for Air-Entraining Admixtures for Concrete.
- 11. ASTM C494 Standard Specification for Chemical Admixtures for Concrete
- B. American Concrete Institute (ACI).
  - ACI 211.1 Standard Practice for Selecting Proportions for Normal, Heavyweight and Mass Concrete.
  - 2. ACI 301 Standard Specification for Structural Concrete.
  - ACI 305R Hot Weather Concreting.
  - 4. ACI 306R Cold Weather Concreting.
  - 5. ACI 315 Details and Detailing of Concrete Reinforcement.
- C. Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute (CRSI)
  - MSP Manual of Standard Practice

#### 03003 SUBMITTALS

- A Submit as a minimum the following in accordance with Section 01300:
  - 1. Manufacturer's literature and product data on the repair mortar, primer and curing compound etc. The submittal shall include instructions and recommendations on mixing, handling, surface preparation, placement and approximate uses for each product. Procedures shall address adverse weather placement (winter, summer, rain, etc.).
  - 2. When required by Engineer submitted concrete mix design in accordance with ACI 301. Certified test results verifying compressive strength requirements specified herein.
  - 3. Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) for all concrete admixtures and curing agents.
  - 4. Technical data on all materials and components.
  - 5. When required by Engineer concrete test results including but not limited to slump, air entrainment, temperature, 7 day compression test and 28 day concrete test. Engineer may order field cured cylinders in additional to laboratory cured compression testing.

#### 03004 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Concrete work shall comply with ACI 301.
- B. All testing and inspection services required, unless otherwise specified, shall be provided and paid for by the Owner. Methods of testing shall comply with the latest applicable ASTM standards.

#### 03005 MATERIALS, PARTS AND SUPPLIES

#### All materials and supplies shall be billed as per Section 01025

The Contractor must submit a clear and legible copy of the original material invoice with his payment request in order to get reimbursed for the materials.

Examples of reimbursable Materials and Supplies include but are not limited to the following:

- Concrete
- Grout
- Rebar
- Injection Grout Material
- Expansion Joint Material

Examples of items that are to be included with the Contractor General Equipment and are <u>not</u> <u>considered</u> reimbursable materials and supplies include but are not limited to the following:

- Hand Tools
- Various Masonry Trowels
- Mallets; Chisels; Hammers
- Grinders
- Portable Cement Mixers
- Shovels and Rakes
- Various Floats

#### 03006 SPECIALTY SUBCONTRACTOR SERVICES

When requested by the Engineer, work shall include the services of a specialty subcontractor to properly assist the Contractor for diagnostic services, repair and removal, or installation and at cost 5%. The Contractor must submit clear legible copy of the Specialty Subcontractors services invoice with his payment request in order to get reimbursed for their services.

The pricing of the Specialty Subcontractor Services must be reasonable and comply with prevailing wage

#### 03007 QUALIFICATIONS, GENERAL

The Contractor shall have experience in the construction and repair of concrete structures.

The contractor shall insure that all requested concrete restoration work shall be performed by personnel who are trained to provide the type of service specified, and as outlined in Section 01710 Qualifications of Contractor.

#### 03008 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Reinforcing steel shall be shipped and stored with bars of the same size and shape fastened bundles with durable tags, marked in a legible manner with waterproof markings showing the same designations as shown on the submitted placing drawings. Reinforcing steel shall be free from mill scale, loose rust, dirt, grease, or other foreign matter. Store off the ground and protect from moisture, dirt, oil, or other injurious contaminants.
- B. Products shall be stored in conformity with the manufacturer's recommendations.
- C. Sand, aggregates and cement shall be stored or stockpiled in conformity with the recommendations of ACI 301.

#### 03009 AREAS OF WORK

The areas of work to be repaired, modified etc. will be determined by the Engineer.

#### 03010 SURFACE PREPARATION

- A. All areas to be repaired, modified etc. shall be prepared in strict accordance with the Manufactures recommendations or as directed by the Engineer.
- B. Concrete surfaces to receive concrete, grout etc., shall be clean and sound; free of ice, frost, dirt, grease, oil, form release agent, laitance and paints and free of all loose material or foreign matter which may affect the bond or performance of the concrete
- C. Remove scaling, broken, loose and disintegrating materials, by use of hand tools or power driven saws, down to solid unyielding material with a minimum surface profile of +/-3/8 inch. Saw cut edges of repair areas to a depth of 3/8 inch. Loose or unsound concrete shall be hammered out.
- D. Roughen concrete surfaces by chipping, sandblasting, or other mechanical means to bond the grout to the concrete. Remove loose or broken concrete. Irregular voids or projecting coarse aggregate need not be removed if they are sound, free of laitance and firmly embedded into the parent concrete. Air compressors used to clean surfaces in contact with grout shall be the oil less type or equipped with an oil trap in the airline to prevent oil from being blown onto the surface.
- E. Remove all loose rust, oil or other deleterious substances which may affect the bond or performance of the concrete or grout.
- F. Provide forms for grout. Line or coat forms with release agents recommended by the grout manufacturer. Provide forms anchored in place and shored to resist the forces imposed by the grout and its placement.
- G. Level and align the structural or equipment bearing plates in accordance with the structural requirements and the recommendations of the equipment manufacturer.
- H. Support equipment during alignment and installation of grout by shims, wedges, blocks or other approved means. The shims, wedges and blocking devices shall be prevented from bonding to the grout by bond breaking coatings and removed after grouting unless otherwise approved by the Engineer. Grout voids created by the removal of shims, wedges and blocks.
- I. Install grout to preserve the isolation between the elements on either side of the joint where grout is placed in the vicinity of an expansion or control joint.

#### 03011 DEWATERING

Furnish all labor, materials and equipment to dewater the area to be repaired. (If Required) Dewatering shall include the diversion, collection and removal of all wastewater, ice, and snow and rain runoff for the work areas to permit construction in the dry. Discharge points shall be coordinated with the Engineer.

#### 03012 JOB CONDITIONS

- A. Perform all work during dry and proper temperature conditions in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. All furnished work shall be protected during inclement weather with tarpaulins or heavy gage polyethylene sheeting.
- B. Perform all work at temperature and conditions suitable for proper curing in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

- C. Coordinate concrete rehabilitation work with work to be performed under other Sections of the Specifications. New items will be furnished, refurbished and/or installed under other Sections of the specifications
- D. Remove concrete such that existing concrete and reinforcing to be left in place and existing equipment in place are not damaged. Line drilling and saw cutting maybe required by the Engineer.

#### 03013 PRODUCTS

- A. The use of manufacturer's name and model or catalog number is for the purpose of establishing the standard of quality and general configuration desired. Alternates maybe submitted. Engineer approval is required prior to any placement.
- B. Like items of materials shall be the end products of one manufacturer in order to provide standardization for appearance, maintenance and manufacturer's service.
- C. Materials shall comply with this Section and any applicable State or local requirements.
- D. Cement shall be domestic Portland cement conforming to ASTM C150. The allowable types of cement for each concrete class are shown in Table 1. Air entraining cements shall not be used.
- E. Fine aggregate shall be washed inert natural sand conforming to the requirements of ASTM C33.
- F. Coarse aggregate shall be a well-graded crushed stone or washed gravel conforming to the requirements of ASTM C33, size 57. Limits of Deleterious Substances and Physical Property Requirements shall be as recommended for severe weathering regions.
- G. Water shall be potable, clean and free from injurious amounts of oils, acids, alkalis, organic matter, or other deleterious substances.
- H. Nonshrink cementitious grouts: Conform to ASTM C1107, Grades B or C and CRD-C 621. Grouts shall be Portland cement based, contain a pre-proportioned blend of selected aggregates and shrinkage compensating agents and require only the addition of water. Nonshrink cementitious grouts shall not contain expansive cement or metallic particles. The grouts shall exhibit no shrinkage when tested in conformity with ASTM C827.
- I. Cement Grout shall be a mixture of one part Portland cement conforming to ASTM C150, Types I, II, or III and one to two parts sand conforming to ASTM C33 with sufficient water to place the grout. The water content shall be sufficient to impart workability to the grout but not to the degree that it will allow the grout to flow.
- J. Concrete Grout shall conform to the requirements of Section 03301 except as specified herein. Proportion with cement, coarse and fine aggregates, water, water reducer and air entraining agent to produce a mix having an average strength of 3500 psi at 28 days (2500 psi nominal strength). Coarse aggregate size shall be 3/8-inch maximum. Slump shall not exceed 5-inches.
- K. Concrete admixtures shall be free of chlorides and alkalis (except for those attributable to water). When it is required to use more than one admixture in a concrete mix, the admixtures shall be from the same manufacturer. Admixtures shall be compatible with the concrete mix including other admixtures.
  - Air entraining admixture shall comply with ASTM C260. Proportioning and mixing shall be in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

- 2. Water reducing admixture shall comply with ASTM C494, Type A. Proportioning and mixing shall be in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- 3. Admixtures causing retarded or accelerated setting of concrete shall not be used without written approval from the Engineer. When allowed, the admixtures shall be retarding or accelerating water reducing admixtures.
- L. Reinforcing steel bars shall be deformed, intermediate grade, steel conforming to ASTM A615 Grade 60.
- M. Precast concrete block bar supports shall conform to CRSI Manual of Standard Practice (MSP) for Precast Concrete Bar Supports.
- M. Form Materials shall conform to ACI 301
- N. Unless otherwise directed concrete shall be 6% air entrained with a 28 day compressive strength of 4000 psi.

#### 03014 EXECUTION

- A. All products shall be stored, mixed and applied in strict compliance with the manufacturer's recommendations and as directed by the Engineer
- B. Provide staffing and equipment available for rapid and continuous mixing and placing. Keep all necessary tools and materials ready and close at hand.
- C. Maintain temperatures of the foundation plate, supporting concrete, and grout between 40 degrees F and 90 degrees F during grouting and for at least 24 hours thereafter or as recommended by the grout manufacturer, whichever is longer. Do not allow differential heating or cooling of baseplates and grout during the curing period.
- D . Take special precautions for hot weather or cold weather grouting as recommended by the manufacturer when ambient temperatures and/or the temperature of the materials in contact with the grout are outside of the 40 degrees F and 90 degrees F range.
- E. Cut, repair, remove, and modify parts of the existing structures as indicated and as specified. Finishes, joints, reinforcements and sealants are specified in their respective sections. All work shall comply with the requirements of this Section and as directed to the Engineer
- F. Placement Procedure: Placement/installation shall be performed in accordance with the Manufacturer's Requirements at the time of the application. The finished product shall be a smooth surface and conform to the surrounding surface area.
- G. Where concrete is repaired in the vicinity of an expansion joint or control joint, preserve the isolation between components on either side of the joint.
- H. Follow manufacturer's recommendations for curing. Generally, moist cure with wet burlap, polyethylene, a fine mist of water or apply the specified curing compound. Moist curing should commence immediately after finishing
- I. The batching, mixing, transporting, placing and curing of concrete shall be subject to the inspection of the Engineer at all times. The Contractor shall advise the Engineer of his/her readiness to proceed at least 24 hours prior to each concrete placement. The Engineer will inspect the preparations for concreting including the preparation of previously placed concrete, the reinforcing steel, and the alignment, cleanliness and tightness of formwork. No placement shall be made without the inspection and acceptance of the Engineer.

- J. Product all concrete work against injury from the elements and defacements of any nature during construction operations.
- K. All concrete shall be cured in conformity with ACI 301. Concrete that is to be used for the containment of water shall be water cured. Water curing shall be by ponding, by continuous sprinkling or by covering with continuously saturated burlap. Other concrete shall be cured by either water curing, sheet material curing or liquid membrane curing compound except that liquid membrane curing compound shall not be used on any concrete surface where additional concrete is to be placed or where the concrete surface is to be coated or painted.
- L. Finish surfaces and slabs shall be protected from the direct rays of the sun to prevent checking and crazing.
- M. Concrete placed during cold weather shall be batched, delivered, placed, cured and protected in compliance with the recommendations of ACI 306R
- N. Concrete placed during hot weather, shall be batched, delivered, placed, cured and protected in compliance with the recommendations of ACI 305R. The temperature of the concrete shall be such that it will cause no difficulties from loss of slump, flash set or cold joints. Immediately cover plastic concrete with sheet material during hot weather.
- O. Apply concrete sealer to all concrete surfaces as directed BY Engineer. Concrete surfaces shall be prepared and sealer be applied in conformance with the manufacturer's recommendations

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# Division of Purchase and Property Two-Year Chapter 51 / Executive Order 117 Vendor Certification and Disclosure of Political Contributions

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Add a Contribution	If this form is not being completed electronic as necessary. Otherwise click "Add a Contri	cally, please attach pages for additional contributions ibution" to enter additional contributions.				

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Part 4: Certification	CHAPT 51/EO 117-3				
I have read the instructions accompanying this form prior to completing this certification on behalf of the above-named business entity. I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing statements by me are true. I am aware that if any of the statements are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.					
I understand that this certification will be in effect for two (2) years from the date of approval, provided the ownership status does not change and/or additional contributions are not made. If there are any changes in the ownership of the entity or additional contributions are made, a new full set of documents are required to be completed and submitted. By submitting this Certification and Disclosure, the person or entity named herein acknowledges this continuing reporting responsibility and certifies that it will adhere to it.					
(CHECK ONE BOX A, B or C)					
•	s entity and all individuals and/or entities whose contributions are 117 (2008).				
(B) arm certifying on behalf of the above-named business	s entity only.				
(C) am certifying on behalf of an individual and/or entity	whose contributions are attributable to the vendor.				
Signed Name	Print Name				
Phone Number	Date				
Title/Position					
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ompleted Ownership Disclosure form, either electronica	Two-Year Vendor Certification and Disclosure forms, together with a ally to cd134@treas.state.nj.us, or regular mail at Chapter 51 Review ton, NJ 08625. The agency should save the forms locally and keep the Review Unit.				

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#### DISCLOSURE OF INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES IN IRAN

RFP/BID:	Bidder/Offeror:
into or renew a contract with the Passaic attest, under penalty of perjury, that the pand maintained by the N.J. Department or pursuant to P.L. 2012, c. 25 ("Chapter 25")	person or entity that submits a bid or proposal or otherwise proposes to enter Valley Sewerage Commission must complete the certification below to erson or entity's, subsidiaries, or affiliates is not identified on a list created if the Treasury as a person or entity engaging in investment activities in Iran List") The Chapter 25 list is found on the Division's website at usury/purchase/pdf/Chapter25List.pdf
Bidders must review this list prior to compa bidder's proposal non-responsive.	leting the below certification. Failure to complete the certification will render
as may be appropriate and provided by la	iolation of the principles which are the subject of this law, it shall take action w, rule or contract, including but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking ng the party in default and seeking debarment or suspension of the person
PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE E	ROX.
☐ I certify that I am the person listed ab	ove, or I am an officer or representative of the entity listed above and am behalf. I will skip Part 2 and sign and complete the Certification below.
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nonresponsive and appropriate penalties,	elow. Failure to provide such will result in the proposal being rendered as fines and/or sanctions will be assessed as provided by law.
PART 2: PLEASE PROVIDE FURTHER	INFORMATION RELATED TO INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES IN IRAN
	d precise description of the activities of the bidding person/entity, or one of
boxes below.	ging in the investment activities in Iran outlined above by completing the
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Name: Bidder/Offeror: Description of Activities: Duration of Engagement: Date: Proposer Contact Name: Number:  Certification: I, being duly sworn upon and any attachments thereto to the best to execute this certification on behalf of New Jersey is relying on the information continuing obligation from the date of State to notify the State in writing of an acknowledge that I am aware that it is this certification, and if I do so, I recogwill also constitute a material breach of its option may declare any contract(s)	

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