ALACHUA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

INVITATION TO BID

SPECIFICATION FOR: Firm Fixed Bid Prices for **Annual Roadway Construction Material Hauling**

Services for the benefit of the Public Works, Engineering Department on an as

needed basis.

BID NUMBER: 20-65

BID OPENING DATE: 2:00 pm, Wednesday, February 19, 2020

BID OPENING ADDRESS Alachua County Procurement, 3rd Floor

County Administration Building

12 SE 1st Street

Gainesville Florida 32601-6983

PART A - INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1.0 **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

1.1 **Purpose**

Alachua County Board of County Commissioners (hereafter referred to as the "Entities") are calling for and requesting the submission of bids for **Annual Roadway Construction Material Hauling Services.**

The herein included Instructions to Bidders (**PART A**), Terms and Conditions (**PART B**), Technical Specifications (**PART C**), Bidder's Check List (**PART D**); together with all attached documents herein identified, constitute the entire Invitation to Bid package. Specifications and supplementary documents are essential parts of the contract and requirements occurring in one are as binding as though occurring in all.

1.2 **Submission of Bids**

Costs for the preparation and submittal of bids in response to this Invitation to Bid are entirely the obligation of the bidder and shall not be chargeable in any manner to Alachua County.

All printed and photocopied documents related to the submission of this ITB and fulfillment of any resulting contract should be double-sided and printed on recycled paper with a **minimum of 30% post-consumer content**.

ONE (1) ORIGINAL SUBMISSION AND ONE (1) ELECTRONIC COPY (pdf on a flash drive or CD) of the bid in a sealed envelope, clearly marked 20-65: Annual Roadway Construction Material Hauling Services shall be delivered to the Alachua County Procurement, County Administration Building, 12 SE 1st Street, 3rd Floor, Gainesville, Florida, 32601-6983, for receipt no later than 2:00 pm, Wednesday, February 19, 2020. The time/date stamp/clock in the Administrative Services Department/Budget & Fiscal Services shall serve as the official authority to determine timeliness of the responses. Responses, which for any reason are not timely received, will not be considered.

LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

1.3 **Proprietary Information**

Responses to this Request for Proposals upon receipt by the County become public records subject to the provisions of Chapter 119 F.S., Florida's Public Records Law. If you believe that any portion or all of your response is confidential or proprietary, or otherwise exempt from disclosure as a Public Record, you should clearly assert such exemption and state the specific legal authority for the asserted exemption. All material that designated as exempt from Chapter 119 **must be submitted in a separate envelope**, clearly identified as "PUBLIC RECORDS EXEMPT" with your name and the proposal number marked on the outside. Furthermore, you must complete **EXHIBIT E, PUBLIC RECORD DECLARATION OR CLAIM OF EXEMPTION.**

Please be aware that the designation of an item as exempt from disclosure as a Public Record may be challenged in court by any person. By your designation of material in your proposal as "Public Records Exempt", you agree to defend and hold harmless the County from any claims, judgments, damages, costs, and attorney's fees and costs of the challenger and for costs and attorney's fees incurred by the County by reason of any legal action challenging your designation.

Blank spaces must be filled in as noted, in ink or typed, with the amounts extended and totaled. Any corrections necessarily made on the bid form should be made by crossing out the item in error and inserting the corrected item immediately above. Such corrections shall be initialed and dated by the person signing the bid. No bid containing correction by erasure will be accepted.

1.4 **Non-Warranty of Specifications**

Due care and diligence has been used in preparing these specifications. The County shall not be responsible for any error or omission in these specifications, nor for the failure on the part of the bidders to determine the full extent of the request. It is the sole responsibility of the bidders to ensure that they have all information necessary for the submittal of bids.

1.5 **Inquiries/Questions**

No interpretation of the meaning of the Specifications and/or Scope of Services or contract documents will be made to any interested bidder orally. Every request for such interpretation shall be made in writing, addressed to Alachua County Procurement, County Administration Building, 12 SE 1st Street, 3rd Floor, Gainesville, FL 32601-6983, with reference to the appropriate bid number of the face of the envelope. All request for interpretation or corrections shall be received by the TJ White at twhite@alachuacounty.us no later than ten (10) days prior to the deadline set for receipt of bids. Any and all such interpretations and any supplemental instructions will be in the form of a written addendum; duly issued, and a copy of such addendum will be posted to Demandstar.com. Oral answers will not be authoritative. All addenda so issued shall become part of the bid documents.

1.6 <u>Acceptance/Rejection</u>

Alachua County reserves the right to reject any bid which may be considered irregular, show serious omission, unauthorized alteration of form, unauthorized alternate bids, incomplete or unbalanced bids or irregularities of any kind. Further, the County reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids in whole or in part and to waive any technicalities or informalities in any bid.

Bid forms may be considered irregular and subject to rejection if they show serious omission, unauthorized alteration of form, unauthorized alternate bids, incomplete or unbalanced bids or irregularities of any kind.

1.7 Withdrawal of Bids

Any bidder may withdraw his bid by telegraphic or written request at any time prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids.

All prices bid shall remain firm for a period of 90 days after the bid opening.

1.8 Small Business Enterprise (SBE) Program Participation

- 1.8.1 SBE Vendor is a vendor that is certified by the Alachua County Equal Opportunity Division prior to the proposal opening.
- 1.8.2 The SBE Program Participation Form, **EXHIBIT B**, should be completed for your proposal to be considered responsive.
- 1.8.3 Alachua County has adopted a 15% participation goal, and policies which encourage participation of SBE in the provision of materials, supplies (i.e. office, auto, janitor, lawn, etc.) equipment, services and construction.
- 1.8.4 The County will award a preference in evaluation points to certified SBE or contractors that meet the SBE participation goal in its RFP response.
- 1.8.5 SBE preference does not apply to contracts that are reserved in accordance with Section 22.34, Alachua County Code 06-28, in which the County reserved contracts for bidding only by SBEs. SBE bid preferences will not be combined.

1.8.6 **Proposed Subcontractors Requirements**

1.8.6.1 Contractors submitting proposals under this solicitation are to identify, on the SBE Program Participation Form, the intended SBE subcontractors and the **estimated percentage of total dollar amount(s)** as **well as the total dollar amount(s)** of the contract to be awarded to SBE firms, **EXHIBIT B, Option 3**.

1.8.6.2 If SBE subcontractors are **not available** for the bid/RFP you **should complete** a Good Faith Effort Form, **EXHIBIT B**, **Option 4**.

1.8.7 **Good Faith Effort Requirements**

- 1.8.7.1 Every competitive bid or proposal, if not submitted by a certified Small Business Enterprise (SBE), should demonstrate good faith efforts to utilize SBE as subcontractors. Unless your company will perform all the work and no subcontractors will be utilized. The Equal Opportunity Division maintains a directory of certified SBE's. The Alachua County Small Business Enterprise Directory is available at: http://smallbusdir.alachuacounty.us/
- 1.8.7.2 The Equal Opportunity Division shall determine what constitutes a "good faith effort" for purposes of contractor compliance with contractual requirements relating to the use of services or commodities of a certified SBE's, under Section 22.36, Alachua County Code 06-28. The following factors shall be considered in making such determination:
 - 1.8.7.2.1 Whether the Contractor contacted SBEs listed in the Alachua County Small Business Enterprise Directory concerning contracting opportunities and provided them with adequate information about the plans, specifications and requirements of the contract.
 - 1.8.7.2.2 Whether the Contractor negotiated in good faith with interested SBEs, not rejecting them as unqualified without sound reasons based on a thorough review of their capabilities.
 - 1.8.7.2.3 Whether the Contractor selected portions of the work to be performed by SBEs in order to increase the likelihood of meeting the 15% participation goal, including breaking the contract down into economically-feasible units.
 - 1.8.7.2.4 The Contractor will be expected to furnish documents substantiating compliance with good faith effort requirements, **EXHIBIT B**.

1.9 Alachua County Government Minimum Wage (GMW)

Services solicited through for Bid are considered covered services under Chapter 22, Article III, of the Alachua County Code of Ordinances ("Wage Ordinance") which establishes a government minimum wage for certain contractors and subcontractors providing selected services to Alachua County government. Bidders/Proposers should consider the cost of compliance, if any, when submitting bids.

A contractor or subcontractor of the County providing a covered service to the County shall pay to all of its covered employees an Alachua County Government Minimum Wage of either the health benefit wage and provide health benefits or pay a non-health benefit wage.

Alachua County Government Minimum Wage (GMW) for this contract will be:

\$14.00 per hour with qualifying health benefits amounting to at least \$2.17 per hour

\$16.17 per hour without health benefits

The GMW rates are indexed (health benefit wage shall be recalculated on October 1st of each year) in accordance with Chapter 22, Article III, of the Alachua County Code of Ordinances ("Wage Ordinance") and are effective as of April 22, 2016. Employees of **service contractors and subcontractors performing** the covered services pursuant to the following County service contracts must be paid not less than the GMW as specified above.

The contractor shall certify, **Exhibit C**, to the County that it will pay each of its covered employees the GMW, and ensure that it will require that of its subcontractors. Upon execution, the certification shall become an obligation under the contract.

The bidders shall be required to execute the certification attached as **Exhibit C**, prior to the County executing the contract. Once executed, such certification will become a part of the contract; however, failure to provide and sign **Exhibit C** will prevent execution of the contract, may result in forfeiture of any applicable bid or proposal bond, and could result in other adverse action.

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

The Contractor shall comply with the Chapter 22, Article III, of the Alachua County Code of Ordinances ("Wage Ordinance") requirements. Failure to do so shall be deemed a breach of contract and shall authorize the County to withhold payment of funds until the GMW requirements have been met.

The Contractor will include the necessary provisions in subcontracts to ensure compliance. However, the County shall not be deemed a necessary, or indispensable, party in any litigation between the contractor and subcontractor.

1.10 **Public Entity Crimes**

A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction of a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017 F.S., for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list."

1.11 **Drug Free Workplace**

Section 22.09 Competitive Sealed Bidding of the Alachua County Procurement Code states that in the evaluation of bids, all factors in the bidding process being equal, both as to dollar amount and ability to perform, priority will be given, first, to those vendors certifying a drug-free workplace **EXHIBIT D**, secondly to certified Small Business Enterprises (SBEs) bidders.

1.12 **Proposed Subcontractors NON-SBE**

Bidder shall notify the County of the proposed use of subcontractors in the provision of services required herein by completing and returning the Proposed Subcontractors (Non-Small Business Enterprise) Form, **EXHIBIT H**. No subcontractor shall be employed by the Contractor for the provision of these services without the written approval of the County.

2.0 QUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS

2.1 **Consideration**

Bids will be considered only from firms normally engaged in providing and performing services specified herein. Bidder must have adequate organization, facilities, equipment and personnel to ensure prompt and efficient service to the County, and shall have all necessary licenses and permits required by law to do business with the County.

2.2 **Bidder's Questionnaire**

The County reserves the right before recommending any award to inspect the facilities and organization or to take any other action necessary to determine ability to perform in accordance with specifications, terms and conditions. **Bidders are requested to complete and return along with their bid the Bidder's Questionnaire EXHIBIT G.**

2.3 **Performance**

The County will determine whether the evidence of ability to perform is satisfactory and reserves the right to reject bids where evidence submitted, or investigation and evaluation indicates inability of the bidder to perform.

3.0 **EXAMINATION OF PROPERTY**

3.1 **Bidder's Responsibility**

Before submitting his bid, it shall be the bidder's responsibility to visit the premises of the proposed work and familiarize himself with the nature and extent of the work and any local conditions that may in any way affect the work to be done and the equipment, materials and labor required.

The bidder is also required to carefully examine the specifications and contract documents, to inform themselves regarding any and all conditions and requirements that may in any manner affect the work to be performed under the contract. Failure to do so will not relieve the bidder of complete performance under the contract.

4.0 **QUALITY**

4.1 All materials shall be new and in no case will used, reconditioned or obsolete parts be acceptable. All equipment specifications are to be considered minimum requirements.

5.0 LAWS, PERMITS AND REGULATIONS

5.1 **Permit, Application, and License Fees**

The contracted firm shall obtain and pay for all necessary permits, permit application fees, licenses or any fees required.

5.2 **Compliance**

The contractor shall comply with all laws, ordinances, regulations and building code requirements applicable to the work contemplated in the proposal. The contracted firm is presumed to be familiar with all state and local laws, ordinances, code rules and regulations that may in any way affect the work. Ignorance on the part of the contracted firm will in no way relieve it of responsibility.

The contractor must agree to abide by and conduct its programs and provide its services in compliance with the provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1866, Civil Rights Act of 1871, Equal Pay Act of 1963, Civil Rights Act of 1964, Age Discrimination and Employment Acts of 1967, Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act, 1991 Federal Civil Rights Act, 1992 Florida Civil Rights Act, and all other applicable ordinances, statutes, laws and amendments thereto.

6.0 CONSIDERATION OF BIDS AND AWARD OF CONTRACT

The award of the contract, if it is awarded, will be to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder whose qualifications indicate the award will be in the best interest of the County, and whose bid complies with all prescribed requirements. No award will be made until the County has concluded such investigations as he deems necessary to establish the responsibility, qualifications and financial ability of the bidders to do the work in accordance with the contract documents to the satisfaction of the County within the time prescribed.

The County reserves the right to award the contract to more than one bidder, as determined to be in the best interest of the County.

If the contract is awarded, the County will accept the bid and award the contract to the successful bidder(s) within ninety (90) days after the opening of the bids by written notice to the successful bidder(s).

The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities, or to accept any bid or combination of bids which, in the County's judgment, will best serve its interest.

7.0 **ACCEPTANCE OF BID**

The signed bid shall be considered an offer on the part of the bidder; such offer shall be deemed acceptable upon completion of all steps in the procurement process and issuance of a Purchase Order or execution of a Contract by the County.

8.0 **PERFORMANCE TIME**

All material and parts shall be bid F.O.B. destination, at the job site. The performance time may be a factor in the evaluation of the bid. It is to be emphasized that the meeting of specified performance schedules is a significant part of ability to perform and that failure to meet such schedule may result in termination of the contract and will surely be considered in the evaluation of future bids.

9.0 **COLLUSION**

The bidder, by affixing his signature to the bid form, declares that the bid is made without any previous understanding, agreement, or connections with any persons, firms or corporations making a bid on the same items and that it is in all respects, fair, and in good faith without any outside control, collusion, or fraud.

The bidder, by affixing his signature to the bid form, declares that no County Commissioner, other County officer, or County employee, directly or indirectly owns more than five (5) percent of the total assets or capital stock of the bidding entity, nor will directly or indirectly benefit by more than five (5) percent from the profits or emoluments of this contract.

10.0 **ADDENDA**

Addenda issued by the County prior to the bid opening shall be binding as if written into the original solicitation document. Bidders shall acknowledge receipt of the same as indicated on the bid form.

PART B - TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1.0 **DEFINITION OF TERMS**

1.1 Where the following terms or their pronouns occur herein, the intent and meaning shall be as follows:

COUNTY/OWNER: Alachua County Board of County Commissioners, Alachua County, Florida or its authorized representative.

BID PRICE: The amount bid submitted on the prescribed forms by the bidder setting forth the prices for the work to be performed.

BIDDER: Any person, firm or corporation submitting a proposal/bid for the goods and/or services contemplated herein, or a duly authorized representative.

CONTRACT: The written agreement resulting from this solicitation, incorporating the bid submitted by the bidder and which is approved by the Board, or its designee, along with all documents identified in this Invitation to Bid document and any addenda, thereto, shall be the contract between the County and the bidder.

CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: The Agreement, Specifications, Drawings, Addenda whether issued prior to opening of bids or execution of the Contract and Modifications.

CONTRACTOR: Any person, firm, corporation, or governmental entity with whom the County has executed a contract for the performance of the work, or his duly authorized representative.

DIRECTOR: The duly authorized representative of the Board of County Commissioners during the contract period as identified herein.

RESPONSIBLE AGENT: The duly authorized representative of the Alachua County Board of County Commissioners during the contract period.

SPECIFICATIONS: The directions, provisions, and requirements contained herein, together with all written agreements made setting out or relating to the method and manner of performing the requested services, the quality of material and personnel to be furnished under this contract. All applicable laws of the State of Florida, the Federal Government and the Rules and Regulations of the County of Alachua are hereby adopted and made part hereof as specifications.

WORK: To provide all management, supervision, labor, materials, supplies and equipment. To plan, schedule, coordinate and assure effective performance of all services described herein.

2.0 **CONTRACTOR'S INSURANCE**

The contractor shall provide and maintain during the life of the contract, coverages and amounts stated in, **EXHIBIT I**.

Failure to maintain such insurance may be deemed as a cause of termination of this agreement.

3.0 **MODIFICATIONS**

This agreement constitutes the entire agreement and understanding between the parties hereto, and it shall not be considered modified, altered, changed or amended in any respect unless in writing and signed by the parties hereto.

The County will not be bound under this agreement for similar or like services being provided by County agencies or for services entered into by the County under a separate agreement.

4.0 **SEVERABILITY**

If any provisions of this agreement shall be declared illegal, void or unenforceable, the other provisions shall not be affected but shall remain in full force and effect.

5.0 **INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR**

In the performance of this agreement, the Contractor will be acting in the capacity of an independent Contractor and not as an agent, employee, partner, joint venturer, or associate of the County. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the means, method, technique, sequences, and procedures utilized by the Contractor in the full performance of the agreement.

6.0 TERM OF THE CONTRACT

The agreement shall be effective for the period beginning on the date of the fully executed contract or issuance of a purchase order and continue through **September 30, 2021** unless earlier terminated as provided herein. The county has the option of renewing this agreement for **two (2)** additional **one (1)** year-periods and the same terms and conditions outlined here in.

Negotiation of terms and conditions should be completed ninety (90) days prior to each contract period.

It is the intent of the County to issue a purchase order or enter into a contract in substantially, the FORM attached, **EXHIBIT J.**

A contract as a result of the solicitation shall be deemed effective only to the extent of appropriations available to the County Agency at any time during the contract period.

7.0 **RESPONSIBLE AGENT**

The Contractor shall designate and submit a responsible agent and alternate as necessary, for all dealings, communications, or notices or contracts between the County and the contractor, **EXHIBIT F**.

The Department Director will be the responsible agent for the County. Any notice or communication to or from the responsible agent shall be deemed to be a communication to the contractor.

A letter when addressed and sent by certified list mail to either part, at its business herein, will constitute notice required in this bid or contract.

8.0 **ASSIGNMENT OF PERSONNEL**

All personnel assigned to the project will be subject to the approval of the County and no changes shall be allowed unless prior written approval is obtained.

9.0 **GOVERNING LAW**

This agreement shall be governed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. Venue shall be in Alachua County.

10.0 **AWARD OF CONTRACT(S)**

The County reserves the right to award contracts to more than one (1) firm as determined to be in the best interest of the County.

11.0 **ASSIGNMENT OF INTEREST**

The parties recognize that in actual economic practice, overcharges resulting from antitrust violations are in fact usually borne by the County. Therefore, the vendor hereby assigns to the County any and all claims for such overcharges as to goods, material or services purchased in connection with the Agreement. However, for all other assignments, neither party will assign, convey, pledge, sublet, transfer or otherwise dispose any interest in this Agreement and shall not transfer any interest in same without prior written consent of the other party.

12.0 INDEMNIFICATION

The Purchaser agrees to protect, defend, indemnify, and hold the County and director and their officers, employees and agents free and harmless from and against any and all losses, penalties, damages, settlements, costs, charges, professional fees or other expenses or liabilities of every kind and character arising out of or directly or indirectly relating to any and all claims, liens, demands, obligations, actions, proceedings or causes of action of every kind and character in connection with or arising directly or indirectly out of this Agreement and/or the performance hereof. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any and all such claims, etc., including but not limited to personal injury, death, damage to property (including destruction) defects in materials or workmanship, actual or alleged infringement of any patent, trademark, copyright (or application for any thereof) or of any other tangible or intangible personal or property right, or any actual or alleged violation of any applicable statute, ordinance, administrative order, rule, or regulation or decree of any court, shall be included in the indemnity hereunder. The Purchaser further agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense (including payment of attorney fees, court costs, and expert witness fees and expenses up to and including any appeal) for and defend any such claim at its sole cost and expense through counsel chosen by the County and agrees to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto, even if they (claims, etc.) are groundless, false, or fraudulent. Purchaser agrees that indemnification of the County shall extend to any and all work performed by the Purchaser, its subcontractors, employees, agents, servants or assigns. This obligation shall in no way be limited in any nature whatsoever by any limitation on the amount or type of Purchaser's insurance coverage. This indemnification provision shall survive the termination of the Contract between the County and the Purchaser.

Nothing contained herein shall constitute a waiver by the County of its sovereign immunity, the limits of liability or the provisions of §768.28, Florida Statutes.

13.0 **AMENDMENTS**

This agreement may be amended by mutual written agreement of the parties and may be changed only by such written amendment.

14.0 **DEFAULT AND TERMINATION**

The failure of either party to comply with any provision of this agreement shall place that party in default. Prior to terminating this agreement, the non-defaulting party shall notify the defaulting party in writing. Notification shall make specific reference to the provision which gave rise to the default.

The defaulting party shall be given seven (7) days in which to cure the default. Department Director is authorized to provide written notice of termination on behalf of the County, and if the default situation is not corrected within the allotted time, the Department is authorized to provide final termination notice on behalf of the County to the Contractor.

The County may terminate this agreement without cause by first providing at least thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor prior to the termination date. The Department Director is authorized to provide written notice of termination on behalf of the County.

If the contractor is adjudged bankrupt, either voluntary or involuntary, the County may terminate the contract effective on the day and at the time the bankruptcy petition is filed and may proceed to provide service as previously outlined.

In the event funds to finance this contract become unavailable, the County may terminate the contract with no less than twenty-four hours' notice in writing to the Contractor. The County shall be the final authority as to the availability of funds.

15.0 SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

The County and Contractor each bind the other and their respective successors and assigns in all respects to all of the terms, conditions, covenants, and provisions of this agreement, and any assignment or transfer by the Contractor of its interest in this agreement without the written consent of the County shall be void. Nothing herein shall be construed as creating any personal liability on the part of any officer or agent of the County or Contractor, nor shall it be construed as giving any right or benefit hereunder to anyone other than the County or the Contractor.

16.0 **NON WAIVER**

The failure of either party to exercise any right shall not be considered a waiver of such right in the event of any further default or noncompliance.

17.0 **BOOKS AND RECORDS**

The county shall have the right to audit, review, examine and transcribe any pertinent records or documents relating to any contract resulting from this solicitation held by the Contractor. The Contractor will retain all documents applicable to the contracts for a period of not less than three years after final payment is made.

18.0 **ACCIDENT PREVENTION**

Precaution shall be exercised at all times for the protection of employees, other persons and property.

Contractor's employees shall report to their superintendent any hazardous conditions or items in need of repair noted during the performance of work. Said superintendent shall thereupon notify the responsible agent or his designee of such conditions.

19.0 **WORKPLACE VIOLENCE**

Employees of bidders (or responders for RFP's) are prohibited from committing any act of workplace violence. Violation may be grounds for termination. Workplace violence means the commission of any of the following acts by a bidder's employee.

Battery: intentional offensive touching or application of force or violence to another.

Stalking: willfully, maliciously and repeatedly following or harassing another person.

20.0 <u>VENDOR COMPLAINTS OR GRIEVANCES; RIGHT TO PROTEST</u>

Any actual or prospective bidder or proposer who believes that they have been aggrieved in connection with the pending award or other element of the process leading to the award of a contract may protest to the Procurement Manager.

Any vendor complaints, grievance or protest shall first be submitted in writing to the Procurement Manager within seven (7) calendar days following posting of the award recommendation on the County's web site. The Procurement Manager will investigate the validity of the complaint and present the findings in writing to the vendor. If the vendor is dissatisfied with the Procurement Manager's remedies, an appeal may be made to the county manager. The county manager will render a written response to the vendor. All decisions by the county manager shall be considered final, and no further appeal will be allowed.

PART C- TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

1.0 **SCOPE**

The provisions contained in this section are intended to be cooperative with, to supplement, or to modify Instructions to Bidders and Terms and Conditions. In case of any conflict with such sections, the intent of any kind and all Technical Specifications shall govern.

This work will include the hauling of roadway construction materials including but not limited to asphalt millings, limerock and borrow material from the designated work site to another location located within the County as determined by the Alachua County Public Works Department.

2.0 <u>DESCRIPTION OF GOODS AND SERVICES</u>

- 2.1 The services to be ordered are described on the pages following Bid Form, EXHIBIT A.
- 2.2 Any quantities indicated herein are only estimated and the County reserves the option to increase/and or decrease quantities, or delete items as required.
- 2.3 The County reserves the option to add item(s) within the scope of the bid, by accepting a mutually-agreed-upon price or by obtaining such items via the County's regular Procurement Procedures.

3.0 **SCHEDULING**

3.1 Work to be performed will be provided by Alachua County Public Works to the Contractor, in writing, specifying the requested dates for the work to be performed and estimated value of the work. Work will be scheduled by the Contractor in a reasonable period of time, compatible with the Contractor's work schedule.

4.0 **METHOD OF MEASUREMENT**

- 4.1 The quantity to be paid for will be by the hour from the time the equipment and labor arrive at the designated work site to the time the last load is dumped.
- 4.2 The work site will be located in one of four zones:

Zone I - Western County Line to CR 241

Zone II - NW 143rd Street to SR 121

Zone III - SR 121 to SR 200 (US 301)

Zone IV - SR 200 (US 301) to Eastern County Line

5.0 **BASIS OF PAYMENT**

- 5.1 Price and payment will be full compensation for all work specified in this Section, including the dumping of the material.
- 5.2 If in the sole opinion of the County, and due to events beyond the control of either party, adjustments need to be made beyond those already provided, the parties shall negotiate in good faith to reach a mutually acceptable adjustment.

PART D – BIDDERS CHECK LIST

Bidders may use the boxes to the left to check off items when completed.

The checklist is intended as a reminder for certain important items and is not necessarily a complete list of what must be included in your BID submission.

Bid Form (Remember to fill this form out completely) THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED.
Acknowledge all Addendum(s) issued with this solicitation. A place to check off acknowledgement is on the bid form.
Submit the appropriate number of copies that are double-sided and printed on recycled paper with a minimum of 30% post-consumer content.
Fill out <u>all of the exhibits</u> as required, especially Exhibit B , Small Business Enterprise (SBE) Program Participation Form and Alachua County Government Minimum Wage (GMW) Form.
Include any insurance requirements.
Include any bonds that may be applicable.
Remember to submit your Bid prior to the submittal deadline. It is the vendor's responsibility when using courier services, such as Fed Ex, UPS, etc., to make sure that the bid arrives on time. Please be aware that it may be difficult at times to find parking around the County Administration Building. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.
Make sure that your bid package has been clearly marked and sealed. The bid number and name along with the vendor's company name should be clearly marked on the outside of the envelope.
If you have questions concerning these items or other, sections of the bid solicitation please contact Procurement for clarification prior to submitting your bid.

BID FORM

BID OPENING DATE:	2:00 pm, Wednesday, February 19, 2020
BID OPENING ADDRESS	Alachua County Procurement, 3 rd Floor

20-65

County Administration Building

12 SE 1st Street

Gainesville Florida 32601-6983

TO: The County Commissioners, County of Alachua:

BID NUMBER:

The undersigned, as Contractor, hereby declares that he has carefully read and examined the specifications and with full knowledge of all conditions, under which the equipment and services herein contemplated must be furnished, hereby proposes and agrees to furnish the equipment and services according to the requirements as set out in the specifications for said equipment and service:

ZONE	ITEM	Cost per Hour
Zone I - Western County Line To CR 241	Equipment And Labor For Hauling	\$
Zone II - NW 143rd Street To SR 121	Equipment And Labor For Hauling	\$
Zone III - SR 121 To SR 200 (Us 301)	Equipment And Labor For Hauling	\$
Zone IV - SR 200 (Us 301) To Eastern County Line	Equipment And Labor For Hauling	\$
	GRAND TOTAL	\$

Acknow	ledge	Receipt of Ad	ldendui	n(s) (1f	applicable	e circle):					
#1 Y	Yes	No	#2	Yes	No	#3	Yes	No	#4	Yes	No
Bidder:						Con	npany:				
Address:	:										
		gnature:									
Clearly I	Print 1	Name:									
Phone: _				Fax: _			Da	te:			
Email A	ddres	s:									

Small Business Enterprise (SBE) Program Participation Form

BID NUMBER: 20-65: Annual Roadway Construction Material Hauling Services

OPTION 1

I certify that our Company is an **Alachua County Certified Small Business Enterprise (SBE)** registered prior to the Bid opening.

Circle One:

Yes (If yes, complete and sign the last page of this Exhibit)

No (If No, proceed to Option 2).

OPTION 2

I certify that our Company will perform ALL work and that no subcontractors will be utilized for this bid.

Circle One:

Yes (If yes, complete and sign the last page of this Exhibit)

No (If No, proceed to Option 3.)

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SBE Participation. I certify that our Company has contacted the **Alachua County's Certified SBEs** listed below. I state that the following information regarding SBE Subcontractors is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Alachua County has adopted a 15% SBE participation goal and policies which encourage participation of Small Business Enterprises (SBE) in the provision of labor, time, supplies, services or construction items of any kind materials.

SBEs are located in the Alachua County Small Business Enterprise Directory.

Subcontractor (any business entity holding a subcontract with the prime vendor) services are defined as, "a contract with another business entity that obtains labor, time, supplies, services or construction items of any kind."

Vendors submitting bids under this solicitation are to identify the intended SBE subcontractors. These SBEs have agreed to perform the work for **the total dollar value and percentage of the bid** set forth below.

If SBE subcontractors are not utilized and listed below or if option 1 or 2 was not chosen, you must proceed to *Option 4* and document your Good Faith Effort.

SBE Name of Contractor:		
Scope of Work to be Performed:		
Total \$ Value: \$	% of Total BID/RFP:	%
SBE Name of Contractor:		
Total \$ Value: \$	% of Total BID/RFP:	%
SBE Name of Contractor:		
Scope of Work to be Performed:		
Total \$ Value: \$	% of Total BID/RFP:	%
SBE Name of Contractor:		
Address:		
Scope of Work to be Performed:		
Total \$ Value: \$	% of Total BID/RFP	%

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SBE Good Faith Effort. To be considered responsive all Vendors should have SBE Participation or demonstrate a good faith effort to utilize SBE subcontractors. If option 1, 2 or 3 was not chosen the Vendor should complete the section below substantiating compliance with good faith effort requirements.

In accordance with Section 22.36, of the Alachua County Procurement Code, I have solicited and received responses from the following Alachua County certified SBE companies. (The SBE vendor's response should be recorded in the section below.)

Name of SBE Company:
Date SBE Contacted:
SBE Contact Name and Phone #:
Must be completed by. SBE Response when contacted:
Name of SBE Company:
Date SBE Contacted:
SBE Contact Name and Phone #:
Must be completed by. SBE Response when contacted:
Name of SBE Company:
Date SBE Contacted:
SBE Contact Name and Phone #:
Must be completed by. SBE Response when contacted:
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Name of SBE Company:
Date SBE Contacted:
SBE Contact Name and Phone #:
Must be completed by. SBE Response when contacted:

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I as the unders	signed Vendor certify	that I have completed	d one of the option(s) l	below (Circle One):	
	OPTION 1	OPTION 2	OPTION 3	OPTION 4	
OPTION 2, C			he best of your knowle urs prior to bid opening	edge and belief OPTION 1 , ng) Procurement at	
Vendor Name	:		Da	ate:	
Signature:			Title:		
Printed Name:	:				

ALACHUA COUNTY GOVERNMENT MINIMUM WAGE (GMW) FORM

Bid 20-65: Annual Roadway Construction Material Hauling Services

The undersigned certifies that all employees, contracted and subcontracted, completing services as part of this Bid/RFP are paid, and will continue to be paid, in accordance with Chapter 22, Article III of the Alachua County Code of Ordinance ("Wage Ordinance").

Please	mark the appropriate box	below that applies to	how you pay you	ar employees:
	Employees involved with health benefits?	Alachua County proj	ects are paid a mi	nimum of \$14.00 hourly and are provided
Employees involved with Alachua County projects are paid a minimum o provided health benefits?				minimum of \$16.17 hourly but are not
Biddeı	r:		Compan	y:
Addre	ss:			
Autho	rized Signature:		Title:	
Clearl	y Print Name:			
Phone	:	Fax:		_ Date:
Email	Address:			

DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

Section 22.09 Competitive Sealed Bidding of the Alachua County Procurement Code states that in the evaluation of bids, all factors in the bidding process being equal, both as to dollar amount and ability to perform, priority will be given, first, to those vendors certifying a drug-free workplace, secondly, to certified Small Business Enterprise (SBE) bidders.

	undersigned vendor in accordance with §287.087, Florida Statute and Section 22.09 of the Alachua County urement Code hereby certifies that
Nam	ne of Business
Does	3:
1.	Publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
2.	Inform employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the business's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
3.	Give each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
4.	In the statement specified in subsection (1), notify the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employee will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the employer of any conviction of, or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of Chapter 1893 or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction.
5.	Impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community, by any employee who is so convicted.
6.	Make a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of this section.
	As the person authorized to sign the statement, I certify that this firm complies fully with the above requirements.
Bidd	ler's Signature
—— Date	

PUBLIC RECORD DECLARATION OR CLAIM OF EXEMPTION

As a bidder or proposer, any document you submit to Alachua County may be a public record and be open for personal inspection or copying by any person. In Florida 'public records" are defined as all documents, papers, letters, maps, books, tapes, photographs, films, sound recordings, data processing software, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received pursuant to law or ordinance or in connection with the transaction of official business by any agency. Section 119.011, F.S. A document is subject to personal inspection and copying unless it falls under one of the public records exemptions created under Florida law. Please designate what portion of your bid or proposal, if any, qualifies to be exempt from inspection and copying:

(Execute either section I. or II, but not both; bidder may not modify language)

I.	NO EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORDS LAW
No par 119, F	et of the bid or proposal submitted is exempt from disclosure under the Florida public records law, ChS.
Bidder	's Signature: Date:
	<mark>OR</mark>
II.	EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORDS LAW AND AGREEMENT TO INDEMNIFY AND DEFEND ALACHUA COUNTY
	llowing parts of the bid or proposal submitted are exempt from disclosure under the Florida public s law because: (list exempt parts and legal justification. i.e. trade secret):
or propand ha The ur payme and de	iming that all or part of the bid or proposal is exempt from the public records law, the undersigned bidder coser agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold the County, its officers, employees and agents free rmless from and against any and all claims arising out of a request to inspector copy the bid or proposal. Indersigned bidder or proposer agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense (including not of attorney fees, court costs, and expert witness fees and expenses up to and including any appeal) for fend any such claim at its sole cost and expense through counsel chosen by the County and agrees to bear er costs and expenses related thereto, even if they (claims, etc.) are groundless, false, or fraudulent.
Bidder	's Signature: Date:

RESPONSIBLE AGENT FORM

The Contractor shall designate a responsible agent and alternate as necessary, for all dealings, communications, or notices or contracts between the Entities and the contractor by completing and returning this Responsible Agent Form. Any notice or communication to or from the responsible agent shall be deemed to be a communication to the contractor

RESPONSIBLE AGENT:	
ADDRESS:	
PHONE NO.:	
FAX NO.:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	
ALTERNATE RESPONSIBLE AGENT:	
ADDRESS:	
PHONE NO.:	
FAX NO.:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	
PICNED:	

BIDDER'S QUESTIONNAIRE

Bidder's Name:	-					
Bidder's Address:	Phone:					
Number of years in this type of service?	Number of years licensed in Alachua County:					
Number of employees "ON THE JOB" each week: Number of employees "ON CALL" each week						
Will you subcontract any part of this work: Y If so, give details:	res No					
List all major equipment which will be available up service:	oon commencement of the agreement to perform the required					
Do you currently hold any municipality contracts: Y	Yes No					
If so, please indicate below:						
1) Firm:Contact Person:						
2) Firm: Contact Person:	Phone:					
3) Firm:	Phone:					
Are your employees screened by: (indicate below) 1) Polygraph 2) General Interview 3) Background Investigation 4) Police Record Check 5) Additional						
	es held by your firm ever been canceled or terminated before If the answer is yes, state the location and circumstances					
What constitutes your normal business days and wo	orking hours:					
Describe below, your firm's operational plan for pro	oviding the services under this agreement:					
The undersigned swears to the truth and accuracy of DATE: AUTHORIZED SIGN	f all statements and answers contained herein: NATURE:					

Proposed Subcontractors (Non-Small Business Enterprise) Form

BID NUMBER: 20-65: Annual Roadway Construction Material Hauling Services

This form is for all **Non-Small Business Enterprise subcotractors** being utlized on this project that **are not included** on **Exbihit C**.

Name of Contractor:						
Scope of Work to be Performed:						
Total \$ Value: \$	% of Total BID/RFP:	%				
Name of Contractor:						
	% of Total BID/RFP:					
Name of Contractor:						
Address:						
Total \$ Value: \$	% of Total BID/RFP:	%				
Name of Contractor:						
Address:						
	% of Total BID/RFP:					
Name of Contractor:						
	% of Total BID/RFP:					

If additional space is required for your subcontractor listing, make copies of this Exhibit H and submit with you bid package.

TYPE "A" INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS "ARTISAN CONTRACTORS / SERVICE CONTACTS"

The Contractor shall procure and maintain for the duration of this contract insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property, which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by the contractor/vendor, his agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors.

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY

Coverage must be afforded under a per occurrence form policy for limits not less than \$1,000,000 General Aggregate, \$1,000,000 Products / Completed Operations Aggregate, \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury Liability, \$1,000,000 each Occurrence, \$50,000 Fire Damage Liability and \$5,000 Medical Expense.

AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY

Coverage must be afforded including coverage for all Owned vehicles, Hired and Non-Owned vehicles for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of not less than \$1,000,000 combined single limit each accident.

WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY

Coverage to apply for all employees at STATUTORY Limits in compliance with applicable state and federal laws; if any operations are to be undertaken on or about navigable waters, coverage must be included for the USA Longshoremen & Harbor Workers Act.

Employer's Liability limits for not less than \$100,000 each accident; \$500,000 disease policy limit and \$100,000 disease each employee must be included.

BUILDER'S RISK / INSTALLATION FLOATERS (when applicable)

When this contract or agreement includes the construction of and/or the addition to a permanent structure or building; including the installation of machinery and/or equipment, the following insurance coverage must be afforded:

Coverage Form: Completed Value, All Risk in an amount equal to 100% of the value upon completion or value of equipment to be installed.

When applicable: Waiver of Occupancy Clause or Cessation of Insurance clause. Flood Insurance as available under the

National Flood Insurance Program.

EMPLOYEE FIDELITY COVERAGE (only applicable to vendors whose employees handle funds)
Employee Dishonesty coverage must be afforded for not less than \$500,000 Blanket all employees ISO Form

OTHER INSURANCE PROVISIONS

The policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:

- I Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability Coverages
- a. The Alachua County Board of County Commissioners, its officials, employees and volunteers are to be covered as an Additional Insured as respects: Liability arising out of activities performed by or on behalf of the Contractor/Vendor; to include Products and/or Completed Operations of the Contractor/Vendor; Automobiles owned, leased, hired or borrowed by the Contractor.
- b. The Contractor's insurance coverage shall be considered primary insurance as respects the County, its officials, employees and volunteers. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the County, its officials, employees or volunteers shall be excess of Contractor/Vendor's insurance and shall be non-contributory.

II All Coverages

The Contractor/Vendor shall provide a Certificate of Insurance to the County with a notice of cancellation. The certificate shall indicate if cover is provided under a "claims made" or "per occurrence" form. If any cover is provided under claims made from the certificate will show a retroactive date, which should be the same date of the contract (original if contact is renewed) or prior.

SUBCONTRACTORS

The Contractor/Vendor shall be responsible for all subcontractors working on their behalf as a condition of this agreement. All subcontractors of the Contractor/Vendor shall be subject to the same coverage requirements stated herein.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER:

Alachua County Board of County Commissioners

MAIL, EMAIL or FAX CERTIFICATES

AGREEMENT FOR CONTRACTUAL SERVICES BETWEEN ALACHUA COUNTY AND

This Agreement is entered into this _	day of	, 20 bety	ween Alachua	County, Fl	lorida, a
political subdivision and Charter C	ounty of the State of	Florida, by and	d through its	Board of	County
Commissioners, hereinafter referred to	as "County" and		, with	a business	address
of	hereinafter referred to	as "Contractor"	Collectively, th	ne County	and the
Contractor shall be referred to herein a	as the "Parties".				

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the County issued Bid #20-65 seeking Contractors to furnish Roadway Construction Material Hauling Services, in Alachua County, Florida; and

WHEREAS, after evaluating and considering all timely responses to Bid #20-65, the County identified the Contractor as the top ranked firm; and

WHEREAS, the County desires to employ the Contractor to provide the Work described in Bid # 20-65 and the Contractor desires to provide such Work to the County in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth herein; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by the Parties, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. <u>Term</u>. This Agreement is effective upon execution by both Parties (the "Effective Date") and shall continue through September 30, 2021 (the "Initial Term"), unless earlier terminated as provided herein. The County has the option of renewing this Agreement for two (2) additional one (1) year periods at the same terms and conditions outlined herein.

The County's performance and obligation to pay under this Agreement is contingent upon a specific annual appropriation by the Alachua County Board of County Commissioners ("Board"). The Parties hereto understand that this Agreement is not a commitment of future appropriations. Therefore, the continuation of this Agreement beyond the end of any fiscal year shall be subject to both the appropriation and the availability of funds in accordance with Chapter 129, Florida Statutes, and that the failure of the Board to do so shall not constitute a breach or default of this Agreement.

- **2. Duties of the Contractor**. The Contractor shall have and perform the following duties, obligations, and responsibilities to the County as provided in **Exhibit "1."** (hereinafter, the "Work")
- **3.** Representations and Warranties. By executing this Agreement, the Contractor makes the following express representations and warranties:
 - 3.1. The Contractor is a professional qualified to perform the Work described.
 - 3.2. The Contractor warrants all the work performed by the Contractor is adequate and sufficient to meet the requirements and accomplish the purposes of the Agreement.
 - 3.3. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the County's review or inspection of the Work performed by Contractor shall in no way diminish the Contractor obligations to perform the Work in full compliance

with the requirements of this Agreement nor shall it diminish Contractor's warranty pertaining to the Work.

4.	<u>Method of Payment</u> . For all Work actually, timely and faithfully performed, the Contractor will be paid as follows:				
	4.1. The Contractor shall be paid subject to the additions and deductions as provided in Exhibit "1" are accordance with the Fee Schedule provided in Exhibit "2" .				
	4.2. The Contractor shall be paid a sum that SHALL NOT EXCEED \$ per County Fiscal Year ("Annual Contract Price"), unless approved by the Board of County Commissioners.				
	4.3. As a condition precedent to being owed any payment under this Agreement, the Contractor shall submit monthly, an invoice to the County, requesting payment for Work properly rendered and expenses due. The Contractor's invoice shall describe with reasonable particularity all Work performed, the date thereof, the time expended if such Work was rendered pursuant to a hourly rate and the person(s) performing such Work. The Contractor's invoice shall be accompanied by such documentation or data in support of expenses for which payment is sought as the County may require. Each invoice shall constitute the Contractor's representation to the County that the Work indicated in the invoice have reached the level stated, have been properly and timely performed as required herein, that the expenses included in the invoice have been reasonably incurred in accordance with this Agreement, that all Work provided have served a public purpose, that all obligations of the Contractor covered by prior invoices have been paid in full, and that the amount requested is currently due and owing, there being no reason known to the Contractor that payment of any portion thereof should be withheld. Submission of the Contractor's invoice for final payment shall further constitute the Contractor's representation to the County that, upon receipt by the Contractor of the amount invoiced, all obligations of the Contractor to others, including its consultants, incurred in connection with the Project, will be paid in full. The Contractor shall submit invoices to the County at the following address:				
	Public Works				
	ATTN: Director 5620 NW 120 th Lane Gainesville, FL 32653				
	4.4. All applications for payment shall be processed and paid in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 218, Part VII Florida Statutes ("Local Government Prompt Payment Act"), and shall be remitted to:				

- 4.5 Except as otherwise authorized in Section 4.1, the County shall not pay or reimburse the Contractor for any expenses incurred by the Contractor to perform the Work
- 5. <u>Alachua County Minimum Wage</u>: The Work performed through this Agreement is considered covered services under Chapter 22, Article III, of the Alachua County Code of Ordinances ("Wage Ordinance"), which establishes a government minimum wage for certain contractors and subcontractors providing selected services to Alachua County government. "Covered Employees," as defined in Sec. 22.45 of the Wage Ordinance, are those employees directly involved in providing covered services pursuant to this Contract. The County may amend the applicable Minimum Wage on or before October 1st of each year.

- 5.1. Current required Alachua County Government Minimum Wage is \$14.00 per hour when health benefits are provided at the equivalent value of \$2.17 per hour and \$16.17 when health benefits are not provided (collectively, the "Minimum Wage").
- 5.2. The County may amend the applicable Minimum Wage on or before October 1st of each year.
- 5.3. The Contractor must provide certification, **Exhibit** "3", to the County that it pays each of its employees the Alachua County Government Minimum Wage, as well as ensuring that it will require the same of its subcontractors throughout the duration of the Agreement
- 5.4. The Contractor shall prominently display a copy of the Wage Ordinance where it is easily seen by covered employees and supply to covered employees upon request. Additionally, the Contractor is responsible to make any person submitting a bid for a subcontract for covered Work aware of the requirements
- 5.5. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Wage Ordinance will be deemed a breach of contract and authorize the County to withhold payment of funds in accordance with Chapter 218, Florida Statues.
- 5.6. The Contractor will include the necessary provisions in subcontracts to ensure compliance. However, the County shall not be deemed a necessary, or indispensable, party in any litigation between the contractor and subcontractor
- **6.** <u>Duties of the County</u>. The County shall have and perform the duties, obligations, and responsibilities to the Contractor as provided in **Exhibit "4"**

7. Authorization for Work.

- 7.1. Authorization for performance of Work by the Contractor under this Agreement shall be in the form of written Work Orders issued and executed by the County and signed by the Contractor. A form Work Order is attached hereto as **Exhibit "5"**. Each Work Order shall describe the scope of the Work to be performed by the Contractor, state the dates for commencement and completion of the Work, and establish the amount that the County shall pay the Contractor under the Work Order, and method of payment. The total amount that the County shall pay the Contractor under each Work Order shall be based on, and shall not exceed, the prices set forth in **Exhibit "2"**. The Work Orders will be issued under, and shall incorporate the terms, of this Agreement. The County makes no covenant or promise as to the number of available projects, or that the Contractor will perform any project for the County during the Initial Term or subsequent renewal Term of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to contract with other parties for the Work contemplated by this Agreement when it is determined, by the County, to be in its best interest to do so.
- 7.2. The Public Works Director, or specified designee is authorized to initiate and sign Work Orders and amendments and modifications to Work Orders ("Change Orders") on behalf of the County provided that the compensation to be paid to the Contractor for all Work Orders and Change Orders issued by the County shall not exceed the Annual Contract Price set forth in Paragraph 4.2 of this Agreement. It shall be the Contractor's duty and responsibility to tract the total, cumulative dollar amount of all Work Orders and Change Orders each fiscal year. In the event that the County issues Work Orders or Change Orders that collectively, or individually, exceed the Annual Contract Price set forth in Paragraph 4.2, said Work Orders or Change Orders last issued that would cause the Annual Contract Price to be exceeded shall automatically be deemed invalid, and the Contractor shall immediately notify the County and shall not commence said Work without further authorization from the Board of County

Commissioners.

- 7.3. Change Orders to existing Work Orders will be authorized by a Work Order Change Order **Exhibit 5**-**A**.
- **8.** <u>Notice</u>. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, all notices to be provided under this Agreement from either party to the other party must be by one of the following methods: (i) in writing and sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, (ii) by personal delivery with receipt, or (iii) via electronic mail. All notices shall be deemed two (2) business days after mailing, unless deliver is by personal deliver in which case delivery shall be deemed to occur upon actual receipt by the other party. For purposes of all notices, Contractor's and County's representatives are:

County:

Public Works Director Public Works 5620 NW 120th Lane Gainesville, FL, 32653

Contractor:			

ATTN:

A copy of any notice, request or approval to the County must also be sent to:

J.K. "Jess" Irby, Esq.
Clerk of the Court
12 SE 1st Street
and
Gainesville, FL 32602

ATTN: Finance and Accounting

Procurement
12 SE 1st Street, 3rd Floor
Gainesville, Florida 32601
Attn: Contracts/Grants

9. Default and Termination.

- 9.1. The failure of the Contractor to comply with any provision of this Agreement will place the Contractor in default. Prior to terminating the Agreement, the County will notify the Contractor in writing. This notification will make specific reference to the provision which gave rise to the default. The County will give the Contractor seven (7) days to cure the default. The Contracts & Design Manager or Assistant Public Works Director is authorized to provide written notice of default on behalf of the County, and if the default situation is not corrected within the allotted time the Public Works Director is authorized to provide final termination notice on behalf of the County to the Contractor.
- 9.2. The County may also terminate the Agreement without cause by providing written notice to the Contractor (hereinafter, "Termination for Convenience"). The County Manager is authorized to provide written notice of Termination for Convenience on behalf of the County. Upon such notice, Contractor will immediately discontinue all Work affected (unless the notice directs otherwise) and deliver to the County all data, drawings, specifications, reports, estimate, summaries, and such other information and materials as may have been accumulated by the Contractor in performing this Agreement, whether

completed or in process. In the event of such Termination for Convenience, Contractor's recovery against County shall be limited to that portion of the Annual Contract Price earned through the date of termination, but Contractor shall not be entitled to any other or further recovery against County, including, but not limited to, damages, consequential or special damages, or any anticipated fees or profit on portions of the Work not performed.

9.3. If funds to finance this Agreement become unavailable, the County may terminate the Agreement with no less than twenty-four (24) hours' notice in writing to the Contractor. The County will be the final authority as to the availability of funds. The County will pay the Contractor for all Work completed prior to delivery of notice of termination. In the event of such Termination, Contractor's recovery against County shall be limited to that portion of the Annual Contract Price earned through the date of termination, but Contractor shall not be entitled to any other or further recovery against County, including, but not limited to, damages, consequential or special damages, or any anticipated fees or profit on portions of the Work not performed.

10. Project Records

10.1. General Provisions:

- 10.1.1. Any document submitted to the County may be a public record and is open for inspection or copying by any person or entity. "Public records" are defined as all documents, papers, letters, maps, books, tapes, photographs, films, sound recordings, data processing software, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received pursuant to law or ordinance or in connection with the transaction of official business by any agency per §119.011(11), Florida Statutes. Any document is subject to inspection and copying unless exempted under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by law.
- 10.1.2. In accordance with §119.0701, Florida Statutes, the Contractor, when acting on behalf of the County, as provided under §119.011(2), Florida Statues, shall keep and maintain public records as required by law and retain them as provided by the General Record Schedule established by the Department of State. Upon request from the County's custodian of public records, provide the County with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time unless exempted under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by law. Additionally, Contractor shall provide the public records at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in this chapter or as otherwise provided by law.
- 10.1.3. Contractor shall ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of this Agreement and following completion of this Agreement if the Contractor does not transfer the records to the County.

10.2. Confidential Information:

- 10.2.1. During the term of this Agreement or license, the Contractor may claim that some or all of Contractor's information, including, but not limited to, software documentation, manuals, written methodologies and processes, pricing, discounts, or other considerations (hereafter collectively referred to as "Confidential Information"), is, or has been treated as confidential and proprietary by Contractor in accordance with §812.081, Florida Statutes, or other law, and is exempt from disclosure under the Public Record Act. Contractor shall clearly identify and mark Confidential Information as "Confidential Information" or "CI" and the County shall use its best efforts to maintain the confidentiality of the information properly identified by the Contractor as "Confidential Information" or "CI."
- 10.2.2. The County shall promptly notify the Contractor in writing of any request received by the County for disclosure of Contractor's Confidential Information and the Contractor may assert any exemption from disclosure available under applicable law or seek a protective order against disclosure from a court of competent jurisdiction. Contractor shall protect, defend, indemnify, and hold the County,

its officers, employees and agents free and harmless from and against any claims or judgments arising out of a request for disclosure of Confidential Information. Contractor shall investigate, handle, respond to, and defend, using counsel chosen by the County, at Contractor's sole cost and expense, any such claim, even if any such claim is groundless, false, or fraudulent. Contractor shall pay for all costs and expenses related to such claim, including, but not limited to, payment of attorney fees, court costs, and expert witness fees and expenses. Upon completion of this Agreement or license, the provisions of this paragraph shall continue to survive. Contractor releases County from claims or damages related to disclosure by County.

- 10.3. **Project Completion:** Upon completion of, or in the event this Agreement is terminated, the Contractor, when acting on behalf of the County as provided under §119.011(2), Florida Statues, shall transfer, at no cost, to the County all public records in possession of the Contractor or keep and maintain public records required by the County to perform the service. If the Contractor transfers all public records to the County upon completion or termination of the Agreement, it must destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Contractor keeps and maintains public records upon the completion or termination of the Agreement all applicable requirements for retaining public records shall be met. All records stored electronically shall be provided to the County, upon request from the Counties custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the County.
- 10.4. A Contractor who fails to provide the public records to the County within a reasonable time may be subject to penalties under §119.10, Florida Statues.

IF THE CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGUARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE COUNTY REPRESENTATIVE AT E-MAIL publicrecordsrequest@alachuacounty.us , PHONE (352) 264-6906, OR US MAIL 12 SE 1st Street, Gainesville, FL 32601

- 11. <u>Insurance</u>. The Contractor will procure and maintain insurance throughout the entire term of this Agreement of the types and in the minimum amounts detailed in **Exhibit** "6". A current Certificate of Insurance showing coverage of the types and in the amounts required is attached hereto as **Exhibit** "6-A".
- **12.** <u>Permits</u>. The Contractor will obtain and pay for all necessary permits, permit application fees, licenses, or any fees required.
- 13 <u>Laws & Regulations</u>. The Contractor will comply with all laws, ordinances, regulations, and building code requirements applicable to the work required by this Agreement. The Contractor is presumed to be familiar with all state and local laws, ordinances, code rules and regulations that may in any way affect the work outlined in this Agreement. If the Contractor is not familiar with state and local laws, ordinances, code rules and regulations, the Contractor remains liable for any violation and all subsequent damages or fines.

14. Indemnification.

14.1 To the maximum extent permitted by Florida law, the Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officers and employees from any and all liabilities, damages, losses and costs, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees, caused by the negligence, recklessness, or intentional wrongful misconduct of the Contractor or anyone employed or utilized by the Contractor in the performance

- of this Agreement. Contractor agrees that indemnification of the County shall extend to any and all Work performed by the Contractor, its subcontractors, employees, agents, servants or assigns.
- 14.2 The Contractor obligation to indemnify under this Article will survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement until it is determined by final judgment that an action against the County or an indemnified party for the matter indemnified hereunder is fully and finally barred by the applicable statute of limitations.
- 14.3 This obligation shall in no way be limited in any nature whatsoever by any limitation on the amount or type of Contractor insurance coverage. This indemnification provision shall survive the termination of the Agreement between the County and the Contractor.
- 14.4 In any and all claims against the County or any of its agents or employees by any employee of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, the indemnification obligation under this Article shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any Subcontractor under workers' compensation acts, disability benefit acts or employee benefit acts
- 14.5 Nothing contained herein shall constitute a waiver by the County of sovereign immunity or the provisions or limits of liability of §768.28, Florida Statutes.
- **15.** <u>Assignment of Interest</u>. The Contractor and County recognize that in actual economic practice, overcharges resulting from antitrust violations are in fact usually borne by the County. Therefore, the Contractor hereby assigns to the County any and all claims for such overcharges as to goods, material or Work purchased in connection with the Agreement. However, for all other assignments, neither party will assign, convey, pledge, sublet, transfer or otherwise dispose any interest in this Agreement and shall not transfer any interest in same without prior written consent of the other party.
- **16.** <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. The County and Contractor each bind the other and their respective successors and assigns in all respects to all of the terms, conditions, covenants, and provisions of this Agreement.
- 17. <u>Independent Contractor</u>. In the performance of this Agreement, the Contractor is acting in the capacity of an independent contractor and not as an agent, employee, partner, joint venturer, or associate of the County. The Contractor is solely responsible for the means, method, technique, sequence, and procedure utilized by the Contractor in the full performance of the Agreement.
- 18. <u>Collusion</u>. By signing this Agreement, the Contractor declares that this Agreement is made without any previous understanding, agreement, or connections with any persons, contractors, or corporations and that this Agreement is fair and made in good faith without any outside control, collusion, or fraud.
 - 19. <u>Conflict of Interest</u>. The Contractor warrants that neither it nor any of its employees have any financial or personal interest that conflicts with the execution of this Agreement. The Contractor shall notify the County of any conflict of interest due to any other clients, contracts, or property interests.
- 20. <u>Third Party Beneficiaries</u>. This Agreement does not create any relationship with, or any rights in favor of, any third party.
- 21. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Agreement is declared void by a court of law, all other provisions will remain in full force and effect
- 22. Non Waiver. The failure of any party to exercise any right in this Agreement shall not be considered a

waiver of such right.

- 23. <u>Governing Law and Venue</u>. This Agreement shall be governed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. Sole and exclusive venue for all actions arising under this Agreement shall be in the state court in Alachua County, Florida.
- 24. <u>Attachments</u>. All exhibits attached to this Agreement are incorporated into and made part of this Agreement by reference.
- 25. **Amendments**. The Parties may amend this Agreement only by mutual written Agreement of the Parties.
- 26. <u>Captions and Section Headings</u>. Captions and section headings used herein are for convenience only and shall not be used in construing this Agreement.
- 27. <u>Construction</u>. This Agreement shall not be construed more strictly against one party than against the other merely by virtue of the fact that it may have been prepared by one of the Parties. It is acknowledged and agreed that both Parties have substantially contributed to the preparation of this Agreement.
- **28.** <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in any number of and by the different Parties hereto on separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.
- 29. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement constitutes the entire Agreement and supersedes all prior written or oral Agreements, understandings, or representations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have caused this Agreement to be executed for the uses and purposes therein expressed on the day and year first above-written.

ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA By:_____ , Chair **Board of County Commissioners** Date: _____ APPROVED AS TO FORM ATTEST: Alachua County Attorney's Office J.K. "Jess" Irby, Esq. Clerk (SEAL) CENTRAL FLORIDA TRANSPORT, LLC ATTEST By:___ By:_____ Print: _ Title: Title:

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Date: ___

EXHIBIT 1: SCOPE OF WORK

1. Scope

a. This work will include the hauling of roadway construction materials including but not limited to asphalt millings, limerock and borrow material from the designated work site to another location located within the County as determined by the County.

2. Description of Goods & Services

- a. All labor, fuel, equipment and incidentals required to transport and dump construction materials.
- b. County reserves the option to add item(s) within the scope of the bid, by accepting a mutually-agreed-upon price.

3. Scheduling

- a. Work to be performed will be provided by Alachua County Public Works to the Contractor, in writing, specifying the requested dates for the work to be performed and estimated value of the work.
- b. Work shall be scheduled by the Contractor in a reasonable period of time, compatible with the Contractor's work schedule.

4. Method of Measurement

- a. The quantity to be paid for will be by the hour from the time the equipment and labor arrive at the designated work site to the time the last load is dumped.
- b. The work site will be located in one of four zones:
 - i. Zone I Western County Line to CR 241
 - ii. Zone II NW 143rd Street to SR 121
 - iii. Zone III SR 121 to SR 200 (US 301)
 - iv. Zone IV SR 200 (US 301) to Eastern County Line

5. Basis of Payment

- a. Price and payment will be full compensation for all work specified in this Section, including the dumping of the material
- b. If in the sole opinion of the County, and due to events beyond the control of either party, adjustments need to be made beyond those already provided, the parties shall negotiate in good faith to reach a mutually acceptable adjustment.

EXHIBIT 2: FEE SCHEDULE

ZONE	ITEM	Cost per Hour
Zone I - Western County Line To CR 241	Equipment And Labor For	\$
	Hauling	
Zone II - NW 143rd Street To SR 121	Equipment And Labor For	\$
	Hauling	
Zone III - SR 121 To SR 200 (Us 301)	Equipment And Labor For	6
	Hauling	\$

Zone IV - SR 200 (Us 301) To Eastern	Equipment And Labor For	Φ.
County Line	Hauling	Þ



EXHIBIT 3: Certification of Meeting Alachua County Wage Ordinance

County Code of Ordinance ("Wage Or	dinance").
Corporate Name:	
Point of Contact:	
Project Description: Roadway Constru	ction Material Hauling
	CENTRAL FLORIDA TRANSPORT, LLC.
ATTEST (By Corporate Officer) By:	By:
Print:	Print:
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The undersigned certifies that all employees, contracted and subcontracted, completing Work as part of this Agreement are paid, and will continue to be paid, in accordance with Chapter 22, Article III of the Alachua

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Date: ___

EXHIBIT 4: DUTIES OF THE COUNTY

- 1. Provide a written request for services and a written Notice to Proceed.
- 2. Provide payment as provided herein to the Contractor for all services actually, timely and faithfully performed.



EXHIBIT 5: WORK ORDER NOTICE TO PROCEED FOR CONTINUING CONTRACTS WORK ORDER NO: _____ BILLING/INVOICE REFERENCE NO.: _____ PROJECT NUMBER: ____ PROJECT DESCRIPTION: **County:** Alachua County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida. Date Issued: **CONTRACTOR: CONTRACTOR'S ADDRESS:** Execution of the Work Order by County shall serve as authorization for the Contractor to provide for the above project, Work as set out in the Scope of Work attached as Exhibit "A," to that certain Agreement of ______ between the County and the Contractor and further delineated in the specifications, conditions, and requirements stated in the following listed documents which are attached hereto and made a part hereof. **ATTACHMENTS:** [] drawings/plans/specifications [] scope of Work [] special conditions The Contractor shall perform said Work pursuant to this Work Order, its attachments and the above-

The Contractor shall perform said Work pursuant to this Work Order, its attachments and the above-referenced Agreement, which is incorporated herein by reference as if it had been set out in its entirety. Whenever the Work Order conflicts with said Agreement, the Agreement shall prevail.

TIME FOR COMPLETION: The Work authorized by this Work Order shall be commenced upon [] the date written above or upon issuance of a [] Notice to Proceed by County and shall be completed within _____(___) calendar days.

METHOD OF COMPENSATION:

(a) This Work Order is issued on a:

	[]	fixed fee basis
	[]	time basis method with a not-to-exceed amount
	[]	time basis method with a limitation of funds amount
(b) required by		compensation is based on a "Fixed Fee Basis," then the Contractor shall perform all Work Vork Order for the sum of DOLLARS (\$). In no
event shall	the Co	ntractor be paid more than the Fixed Fee Amount.
	shall p	compensation is based on a "Time Basis Method" with a Not-to-Exceed Amount, then the erform all work required by this Work Order for a sum not exceeding
D required by		RS (\$). The Contractor's compensation shall be based on the actual Work Vork Order.
(d) then the Co		compensation is based on a "Time Basis Method" with a Limitation of Funds Amount, or is not authorized to exceed the Limitation of Funds amount of
the County whenever t (80%) of th	, shall i he Con ne Limi) without prior written approval of the County. Such approval, if given by indicate a new Limitation of Funds amount. The Contractor shall advise the County tractor has incurred expenses on this Work Order that equals or exceeds eighty percent tation of Funds amount. The County shall compensate the Contractor for the actual Work his Work Order.
		hall make payment to the Contractor in strict accordance with the payment terms of the Agreement.
authorize the Work Orde	he perfo er, reser	or understood by the Contractor that this Work Order, until executed by the County, does not be brance of any Work by the Contractor and that the County, prior to its execution of the eves the right to authorize a party other than the Contractor to perform the Work called for Order if it is determined that to do so is in the best interest of the County.
IN WITNI	ESS W	HEREOF , the Parties hereto have made and executed this Work Order on this day
		, 20, for the purposes stated herein.
		CONTRACTOR:
		By:

Witness signature

Title: _____

Print Name and Title

Date: _____

ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA

By:

Date: _____

EXHIBIT 5-A: AMENDMENT TO WORK ORDER FOR CONTINUING CONTRACTS

AMENDMENT #		
NTP/Project #		
Date Issued:		
Contractor:		_
Invoicing Reference #		
Contract Manager:		
Project #:		
Work Order Description:		
Deliverable(s):		
Original Work Order Price:		
Total of Prior Approved Changes		
Amount of this Change in Work Order Add or (deduct)		
New Work Order Price with This Amendment:		Original Completion
	days after NTP) days afte	Date:
Not valid until signed by County	(uays afte	1 1111)
ALACHUA COUNTY:	CONTRACTOR:	
By:	By:	
Title:	Print Name:	
Date:	Title:	

EXHIBIT 6: INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

TYPE "A" INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS "ARTISAN CONTRACTORS / SERVICE CONTACTS"

The Contractor shall procure and maintain for the duration of this contract insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property, which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by the contractor/vendor, his agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors.

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY

Coverage must be afforded under a per occurrence form policy for limits not less than \$1,000,000 General Aggregate, \$1,000,000 Products / Completed Operations Aggregate, \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury Liability, \$1,000,000 each Occurrence, \$50,000 Fire Damage Liability and \$5,000 Medical Expense.

AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY

Coverage must be afforded including coverage for all Owned vehicles, Hired and Non-Owned vehicles for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of not less than \$1,000,000 combined single limit each accident.

WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY

Coverage to apply for all employees at STATUTORY Limits in compliance with applicable state and federal laws; if any operations are to be undertaken on or about navigable waters, coverage must be included for the USA Longshoremen & Harbor Workers Act.

Employer's Liability limits for not less than \$100,000 each accident; \$500,000 disease policy limit and \$100,000 disease each employee must be included.

BUILDER'S RISK / INSTALLATION FLOATERS (when applicable)

When this contract or agreement includes the construction of and/or the addition to a permanent structure or building; including the installation of machinery and/or equipment, the following insurance coverage must be afforded:

Coverage Form: Completed Value, All Risk in an amount equal to 100% of the value upon completion or value of equipment to be installed.

When applicable: Waiver of Occupancy Clause or Cessation of Insurance clause. Flood Insurance as available under the

National Flood Insurance Program.

EMPLOYEE FIDELITY COVERAGE (only applicable to vendors whose employees handle funds)

Employee Dishonesty coverage must be afforded for not less than \$500,000 Blanket all employees ISO Form

OTHER INSURANCE PROVISIONS

The policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:

I Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability Coverages

- a. The Alachua County Board of County Commissioners, its officials, employees and volunteers are to be covered as an Additional Insured as respects: Liability arising out of activities performed by or on behalf of the Contractor/Vendor; to include Products and/or Completed Operations of the Contractor/Vendor; Automobiles owned, leased, hired or borrowed by the Contractor.
- b. The Contractor's insurance coverage shall be considered primary insurance as respects the County, its officials, employees and volunteers. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the County, its officials, employees or volunteers shall be excess of Contractor/Vendor's insurance and shall be non-contributory.

II All Coverages

The Contractor/Vendor shall provide a Certificate of Insurance to the County with a notice of cancellation. The certificate shall indicate if cover is provided under a "claims made" or "per occurrence" form. If any cover is provided under claims made from the certificate will show a retroactive date, which should be the same date of the contract (original if contact is renewed) or prior.

SUBCONTRACTORS

The Contractor/Vendor shall be responsible for all subcontractors working on their behalf as a condition of this agreement. All subcontractors of the Contractor/Vendor shall be subject to the same coverage requirements stated herein.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER: Alachua County Board of County Commissioners

MAIL, EMAIL or FAX CERTIFICATES

EXHIBIT 6-A: CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE