

## **REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS**

# For On-Call Precast Concrete Sound Wall Repairs and Maintenance

Proposals Due: August 19, 2021 at 2:00 PM

Public Works Department 1201 W. 4th Street Antioch, CA 94509 (925) 779-4129

#### **INTRODUCTION**

The City of Antioch (City) seeks to retain the services of a qualified Contractor to provide on-call repairs and/or replacement of precast concrete sound walls throughout the City. The ideal Contractor shall have extensive experience in repairing and replacing precast sound walls according to state, local, and industry standards. The selected Contractor shall have the ability to reply to call outs for service in a timely manner, and schedule and complete repair and replacement work in a safe and efficient manner.

The deadline for submission of qualifications is 2:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The City has approximately 43 miles of precast concrete sound walls to maintain. The City's sound walls are located in various areas including along major arterial roadways, open spaces and trail pathways. The sound walls are subject to damage from soil erosion due to weather and other natural elements. Repairs are also needed due to accidents caused by motorists. The selected Contractor will need to access sound walls from all types of terrain, and traffic control will be required to complete most jobs.

#### **DEMONSTRATION REQUIREMENT**

The Contractor must have a valid C8 California Contractor's license with at least five (5) years' experience installing or repairing precast concrete sound walls for Builders/Developers and/or state or local governments. The contractor must also provide references of Builders/Developers and/or state or local governments for whom services have been provided in the past five (5) years.

The Contractor must be available to inspect the sound walls and provide quotes for repairs, maintenance and replacements as needed on an on-call basis. The Contractor must be able to respond to requests for quotes within five (5) business days. A request for quote of repairs, maintenance and/or replacement must also be returned to the City within five (5) business days of initial site inspection. Once a quote is accepted by the City, the Contractor is expected to complete the work in a timely manner. Work must be scheduled and started within 30 days of quote acceptance.

#### SCOPE OF WORK

The Contractor shall provide a safe and motivated workforce capable of making repairs to the City's precast sound-walls according to state and local government requirements, as well as accepted industry standards. In addition to a skilled work crew, the Contractor shall always have a knowledgeable supervisor overseeing its work crew to ensure all work is carried out in a safe and efficient manner. The Contractor's staffing should include a California Licensed Civil Engineer knowledgeable in the design and construction of precast sound walls; if not, an on-call California Licensed Civil Engineer with sound wall design and construction knowledge is acceptable. All work performed by the Licensed Civil Engineer to complete repairs or maintenance by the Contractor shall be considered as part of the quoted price to the City and no extra payment shall be given to the Contractor

for engineering services provided in connection with any City authorized precast concrete sound wall repair, maintenance or replacement.

When repairs, maintenance or replacement of precast sound walls are structural in nature, the Contractor shall submit detailed stamped and signed drawings from its Licensed Civil Engineer for review by the City prior to commencement of work. Contractor shall not begin work until the City has reviewed drawings and accepted the proposed quote for each specific repair, maintenance or replacement. When a repair is minor in nature such as "cosmetic" or to seal exposed rebar on the face of walls, a detailed quote is sufficient; however, the City must approve the proposed quote before Contractor commences work.

When a panel must be cast to complete a repair, the Contractor will match the existing sound wall both in finished texture and color. For example, if the remaining wall is a slump stone stamped sound wall with a tan color, the Contractor will construct and cast a new sound wall panel with the same finished texture and color.

The Contractor shall provide all traffic control necessary to perform work in accordance with Cal-Trans traffic control specifications. If traffic control is not safe or deemed to be not in compliance with Cal-trans standards, any job may be shut down at the sole discretion of the City, until the Contractor can provide a safe work zone and working traffic control according to Cal-Trans specifications. The City may provide traffic control for the Contractor if agreed upon prior to acceptance of quote by the City. Consideration shall be given to the City for traffic control assistance in the quoted price by the Contractor.

A debris disposal site shall be provided to the Contractor within the City Limits. Only debris directly associated with repair, maintenance or /replacement of a City precast sound wall shall be accepted at the City's site; with no exceptions. Consideration shall be given to the City in the quoted price for each authorized repair by the Contractor.

All quotes submitted by Contractor for repair, maintenance or replacement of precast concrete sound walls shall include all labor, material, engineering services if required, traffic control and disposal of debris; as well as all incidentals necessary to complete each job quoted. Once a quote is accepted and authorization is given to the Contractor to commence work by the City, the quoted price shall be considered as final.

#### FIRM SELECTION PROCESS

Enclosed is a copy of the City's Maintenance Service Agreement. By submitting a proposal for this work, a firm agrees to comply with all terms and conditions outlined in the agreement.

It is anticipated that City staff will be able to select the firm best suited to meet the City's needs from the proposals submitted. However, if that is not possible, the City will ask a "short list" of firms to meet with staff to discuss the project and each firm's proposal. The City will negotiate a contract for the work after staff determine which firm provides the best overall value to the City.

No compensation will be due any firm for preparation of a written proposal or for meeting with staff after a "short list" has been determined. The selected firm will receive a Notice to Proceed after the City Council has approved its contract.

#### PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS AND CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

Please prepare and organize your qualifications based on the requirements provided below. Any other information you would like to include should be placed in a separated section at the back of your submittal. Please note however, that the RFQ Submittal is limited to **10 pages** maximum and should be submitted on 8 ½ x 11" paper, in 12-point font, three (3) sealed copies and an electronic PDF Copy:

- Cover Letter not to exceed one page describing the firm's interest and commitment to perform the work necessary for the sound wall repairs, maintenance and replacement.
- Organization Chart for the Project Team, including brief information for Key Staff including directly related experience and description of each staff member's assignment on this project
- Ability to meet or exceed City's Project Goals (Please use Attachment A). (30pts)
- Summary of the Company's Relative Experience and Performance (Please use Attachment B). **(20pts)**
- Experience and Past Implementation Success (20pts)
- Fee proposal for labor and equipment. (20pts)
- Overall Quality and Completeness of the proposal (10pts)

#### SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Inquiries concerning this Request for Qualifications must be submitted via email to Bryan Pitts at the following email address, bpitts@antiochca.gov.

Three (3) bound, and one (1) electronic copy of the proposal <u>must be submitted no later</u> than 2:00 p.m. August 19, 2021 to:

Bryan Pitts
Acting Operations Supervisor
Public Works Department
City of Antioch
1201 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street
Antioch, CA 94509

### **Attachments**

- A. B. Requirements Checklist Reference List
- C. Fee Proposal
- City of Antioch Maintenance Services Agreement D.

Signature of Representative:

#### Attachment A

#### ABILITY TO MEET OR EXCEED CITY'S REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE GOALS (30 Points)

\*\*Please respond accordingly\*\*

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## CUSTOMER FEED BACK (20 Points) BUILDER DEVELOPER AND/OR GOVERNMENT REFERENCES

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## FEE PROPOSAL FOR LABOR AND EQUIPMENT INCLUDING licensed California, civil engineer (20 Points)

Fee/Service per Hour	Cost
Supervisor Work Crew	\$
Crew Lead worker	\$
Crew Laborer	\$
Licensed California Civil Engineer	\$
Drafter	\$
	\$
Service Truck	\$
Dump Truck	\$
Crane	\$

## CITY OF ANTIOCH MAINTENANCE SERVICES AGREEMENT

### **EXAMPLE**

#### 1. PARTIES AND DATE.

This Agreement ("Agreement") is made and entered into this [\*\*\*INSERT DAY\*\*\*] day of [\*\*\*INSERT MONTH\*\*\*], [\*\*\*INSERT YEAR\*\*\*] ("Effective Date") by and between the City of Antioch, a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of California with its principal place of business at 200 H Street, Antioch California 94509 ("City") and [\*\*\*INSERT NAME\*\*\*], a [\*\*\*[INSERT TYPE OF ENTITY - CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP OR OTHER LEGAL ENTITY]\*\*\*] with its principal place of business at [\*\*\*INSERT ADDRESS\*\*\*\*] ("Contractor"). City and Contractor are sometimes individually referred to as "Party" and collectively as "Parties" in this Agreement.

#### 2. RECITALS.

#### 2.1 Contractor.

Contractor desires to perform and assume responsibility for the provision of certain maintenance services required by the City on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. Contractor represents that it is experienced in providing [\*\*\*INSERT TYPE OF SERVICES\*\*\*] services to public clients, that it and its employees or subcontractors have all necessary licenses and permits to perform the Services in the State of California, and that is familiar with the plans of City. Contractor shall not subcontract any portion of the work required by this Agreement, except as expressly stated herein, without prior written approval of City. Subcontracts, if any, shall contain a provision making them subject to all provisions stipulated in this Agreement.

#### 2.2 Project.

City desires to engage Contractor to render such services for the [\*\*\*INSERT NAME OF PROJECT\*\*\*] project ("Project") as set forth in this Agreement.

#### TERMS.

#### 3.1 Scope of Services and Term.

3.1.1 General Scope of Services. Contractor promises and agrees to furnish to the City all labor, materials, tools, equipment, services, and incidental and customary work necessary to fully and adequately supply the professional [\*\*\*INSERT TYPE OF SERVICES\*\*\*] maintenance services necessary for the Project ("Services"). The Services are more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. All Services shall be subject to, and performed in accordance with, this Agreement, the exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and all applicable local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations.

#### 3.1.2 [Insert Term or Time of Performance].

The term of this Agreement shall be from [Insert start date] to [Insert end date], unless earlier terminated as provided herein. The City reserves the right to review the Contractor's performance at the end of each year and cancel all or part of the Agreement.

#### 3.2 Responsibilities of Contractor.

- 3.2.1 Control and Payment of Subordinates; Independent Contractor. The Services shall be performed by Contractor or under its supervision. Contractor will determine the means, methods and details of performing the Services subject to the requirements of this Agreement. City retains Contractor on an independent contractor basis and not as an employee. Contractor retains the right to perform similar or different services for others during the term of this Agreement. Any additional personnel performing the Services under this Agreement on behalf of Contractor shall also not be employees of City and shall at all times be under Contractor's exclusive direction and control. Contractor shall pay all wages, salaries, and other amounts due such personnel in connection with their performance of Services under this Agreement and as required by law. Contractor shall be responsible for all reports and obligations respecting such additional personnel, including, but not limited to: social security taxes, income tax withholding, unemployment insurance, disability insurance, and workers' compensation insurance.
- 3.2.2 <u>Schedule of Services</u>. Contractor shall perform the Services expeditiously, within the term of this Agreement, and in accordance with the Schedule of Services set forth in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor represents that it has the professional and technical personnel required to perform the Services in conformance with such conditions. In order to facilitate Contractor's conformance with the Schedule, City shall respond to Contractor's submittals in a timely manner. Upon request of City, Contractor shall provide a more detailed schedule of anticipated performance to meet the Schedule of Services.
- 3.2.3 <u>Conformance to Applicable Requirements.</u> All work prepared by Contractor shall be subject to the approval of City.
- 3.2.4 <u>City's Representative</u>. The City hereby designates [\*\*\*INSERT NAME OR TITLE\*\*\*], or his or her designee, to act as its representative for the performance of this Agreement ("City's Representative"). City's Representative shall have the power to act on behalf of the City for all purposes under this Agreement. Contractor shall not accept direction or orders from any person other than the City's Representative or his or her designee.
- 3.2.5 <u>Contractor's Representative</u>. Contractor hereby designates [\*\*\*INSERT NAME OR TITLE\*\*\*], or his or her designee, to act as its representative for the performance of this Agreement ("Contractor's Representative"). Contractor's Representative shall have full authority to represent and act on behalf of the Contractor for all purposes under this Agreement. The Contractor's Representative shall supervise and direct the Services, using his best skill and attention, and shall be responsible for all means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures and for the satisfactory coordination of all portions of the Services under this Agreement.
- 3.2.6 <u>Coordination of Services</u>. Contractor agrees to work closely with City staff in the performance of Services and shall be available to City's staff, consultants and other staff at all reasonable times.
- 3.2.7 <u>Standard of Care; Performance of Employees.</u> Contractor shall perform all Services under this Agreement in a skillful and competent manner, consistent with the standards generally recognized as being employed by professionals in the same discipline in the State of California. Contractor represents and maintains that it is skilled in the professional calling necessary to perform the Services. Contractor warrants that all employees and subcontractors shall have sufficient skill and experience to perform the Services assigned to them. Finally, Contractor represents that it, its employees and subcontractors have all licenses, permits, qualifications and approvals of whatever nature that are legally required to perform the Services, including a City Business License, and that such licenses and

approvals shall be maintained throughout the term of this Agreement. As provided for in the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, Contractor shall perform, at its own cost and expense and without reimbursement from the City, any services necessary to correct errors or omissions which are caused by the Contractor's failure to comply with the standard of care provided for herein. Any employee of the Contractor or its sub-contractors who is determined by the City to be uncooperative, incompetent, a threat to the adequate or timely completion of the Project, a threat to the safety of persons or property, or any employee who fails or refuses to perform the Services in a manner acceptable to the City, shall be promptly removed from the Project by the Contractor and shall not be re-employed to perform any of the Services or to work on the Project.

- 3.2.8 Period of Performance and Liquidated Damages. Contractor shall perform and complete all Services under this Agreement within the term set forth in Section 3.1.2 above ("Performance Time"). Contractor shall perform the Services in strict accordance with any completion schedule or Project milestones described in Exhibits "A" or "B" attached hereto, or which may be provided separately in writing to the Contractor. Contractor agrees that if the Services are not completed within the aforementioned Performance Time and/or pursuant to any such completion schedule or Project milestones developed pursuant to provisions of this Agreement, it is understood, acknowledged and agreed that the City will suffer damage. Pursuant to Government Code Section 53069.85, Contractor shall pay to the City as fixed and liquidated damages, and not as a penalty, the sum of \*\*INSERT WRITTEN DOLLAR AMOUNT\*\*\*\*\*] Dollars (\$[\*\*\*INSERT NUMERICAL DOLLAR AMOUNT\*\*\*\*]) per day for each and every calendar day of delay beyond the Performance Time or beyond any completion schedule or Project milestones established pursuant to this Agreement.
- 3.2.9 <u>Disputes</u>. Should any dispute arise respecting the true value of any work done, of any work omitted, or of any extra work which Contractor may be required to do, or respecting the size of any payment to Contractor during the performance of this Agreement, Contractor shall continue to perform the Work while said dispute is decided by the City. If Contractor disputes the City's decision, Contractor shall have such remedies as may be provided by law.
- 3.2.10 Laws and Regulations; Employee/Labor Certifications. Contractor shall keep itself fully informed of and in compliance with all local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations in any manner affecting the performance of the Project or the Services, including all Cal/OSHA requirements, and shall give all notices required by law. Contractor shall be liable for all violations of such laws and regulations in connection with Services. If the Contractor performs any work knowing it to be contrary to such laws, rules and regulations and without giving written notice to the City, Contractor shall be solely responsible for all costs arising therefrom. City is a public entity of the State of California subject to certain provisions of the Health & Safety Code, Government Code, Public Contract Code, and Labor Code of the State. It is stipulated and agreed that all provisions of the law applicable to the public contracts of a municipality are a part of this Agreement to the same extent as though set forth herein and will be complied with. These include but are not limited to the payment of prevailing wages, the stipulation that eight (8) hours' labor shall constitute a legal day's work and that no worker shall be permitted to work in excess of eight (8) hours during any one calendar day except as permitted by law. Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold City, its officials, officers, employees and agents free and harmless, pursuant to the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, from any claim or liability arising out of any failure or alleged failure to comply with such laws, rules or regulations.
- 3.2.10.1 Employment Eligibility; Contractor. By executing this Agreement, Contractor verifies that it fully complies with all requirements and restrictions of state and federal law respecting the employment of undocumented aliens, including, but not limited to, the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, as may be amended from time to time. Such requirements and restrictions include, but are not limited to, examination and retention of documentation confirming the identity and immigration status of each employee of the Contractor. Contractor also verifies that it has not committed a violation of any such law within the five (5) years immediately preceding the date of execution of this Agreement, and shall not violate any such law at any time during the term of the Agreement. Contractor shall avoid any violation of any such law during the term of this Agreement by participating in an electronic verification of work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland

Security, by participating in an equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, or by some other legally acceptable method. Contractor shall maintain records of each such verification, and shall make them available to the City or its representatives for inspection and copy at any time during normal business hours. The City shall not be responsible for any costs or expenses related to Contractor's compliance with the requirements provided for in Section 3.2.10 or any of its sub-sections.

3.2.10.2 Employment Eligibility; Subcontractors, Sub-subcontractors and Consultants. To the same extent and under the same conditions as Contractor, Contractor shall require all of its subcontractors, sub-subcontractors and consultants performing any work relating to the Project or this Agreement to make the same verifications and comply with all requirements and restrictions provided for in Section 3.2.10.1.

3.2.10.3 Employment Eligibility; Failure to Comply. Each person executing this Agreement on behalf of Contractor verifies that they are a duly authorized officer of Contractor, and understands that any of the following shall be grounds for the City to terminate the Agreement for cause: (1) failure of Contractor or its subcontractors, sub-subcontractors or consultants to meet any of the requirements provided for in Sections 3.2.10.1 or 3.2.10.2; (2) any misrepresentation or material omission concerning compliance with such requirements (including in those verifications provided to the Contractor under Section 3.2.10.2); or (3) failure to immediately remove from the Project any person found not to be in compliance with such requirements.

3.2.10.4 <u>Labor Certification</u>. By its signature hereunder, Contractor certifies that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and agrees to comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the Services.

3.2.10.5 <u>Equal Opportunity Employment</u>. Contractor represents that it is an equal opportunity employer and it shall not discriminate against any subcontractor, employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, national origin, handicap, ancestry, sex or age. Such non-discrimination shall include, but not be limited to, all activities related to initial employment, upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination.

3.2.10.6 <u>Air Quality</u>. Contractor must fully comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations in furnishing or using equipment and/or providing services, including, but not limited to, emissions limits and permitting requirements imposed by the California Air Resources Board (CARB). Contractor shall specifically be aware of the CARB limits and requirements' application to "portable equipment", which definition is considered by CARB to include any item of equipment with a fuel-powered engine. Contractor shall indemnify City against any fines or penalties imposed by CARB or any other governmental or regulatory agency for violations of applicable laws, rules and/or regulations by Contractor, its subcontractors, or others for whom Contractor is responsible under its indemnity obligations provided for in this Agreement.

#### 3.2.10.7 Water Quality.

(A) Management and Compliance. To the extent applicable, Contractor's Services must account for, and fully comply with, all local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations that may impact water quality compliance, including, without limitation, all applicable provisions of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. §§ 1300); the California Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act (Cal Water Code §§ 13000-14950); laws, rules and regulations of the Environmental Protection Agency and the State Water Resources Control Board; the City's ordinances regulating discharges of storm water; and any and all regulations, policies, or permits issued pursuant to any such authority regulating the discharge of pollutants, as that term is used in the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act, to any ground or surface water in the state.

- (B) Liability for Non-Compliance. Failure to comply with the laws, regulations and policies described in this Section is a violation of law that may subject Contractor or City to penalties, fines, or additional regulatory requirements. Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents free and harmless, pursuant to the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, from and against any and all fines, penalties, claims or other regulatory requirements imposed as a result of Contractor's non-compliance with the laws, regulations and policies described in this Section, unless such non-compliance is the result of the sole established negligence, willful misconduct or active negligence of the City, its officials, officers, agents, employees or authorized volunteers.
- (C) Training. In addition to any other standard of care requirements set forth in this Agreement, Contractor warrants that all employees and subcontractors shall have sufficient skill and experience to perform the Services assigned to them without impacting water quality in violation of the laws, regulations and policies described in this Section. Contractor further warrants that it, its employees and subcontractors will receive adequate training, as determined by City, regarding the requirements of the laws, regulations and policies described in this Section as they may relate to the Services provided under this Agreement. Upon request, City will provide Contractor with a list of training programs that meet the requirements of this paragraph.
- 3.2.11 <u>Insurance</u>. Contractor shall not commence work for the City until it has provided evidence satisfactory to the City it has secured all insurance required under Exhibit "D" (Insurance Requirements), attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference. In addition, Contractor shall not allow any subcontractor to commence work on any subcontract until it has secured all insurance required therein.
- 3.2.12 <u>Safety</u>. Contractor shall execute and maintain its work so as to avoid injury or damage to any person or property. In carrying out its Services, the Contractor shall at all times be in compliance with all applicable local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations, and shall exercise all necessary precautions for the safety of employees appropriate to the nature of the work and the conditions under which the work is to be performed. Safety precautions as applicable shall include, but shall not be limited to: (A) adequate life protection and lifesaving equipment and procedures; (B) instructions in accident prevention for all employees and subcontractors, such as safe walkways, scaffolds, fall protection ladders, bridges, gang planks, confined space procedures, trenching and shoring, equipment and other safety devices, equipment and wearing apparel as are necessary or lawfully required to prevent accidents or injuries; and (C) adequate facilities for the proper inspection and maintenance of all safety measures.

#### 3.2.13 Bonds.

- 3.2.13.1 <u>Performance Bond</u>. If required by law or otherwise specifically requested by City in Exhibit "D" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, Contractor shall execute and provide to City concurrently with this Agreement a Performance Bond in the amount of the total, not-to-exceed compensation indicated in this Agreement, and in a form provided or approved by the City. If such bond is required, no payment will be made to Contractor until it has been received and approved by the City.
- 3.2.13.2 <u>Payment Bond</u>. If required by law or otherwise specifically requested by City in Exhibit "D" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, Contractor shall execute and provide to City concurrently with this Agreement a Payment Bond in the amount of the total, not-to-exceed compensation indicated in this Agreement, and in a form provided or approved by the City. If such bond is required, no payment will be made to Contractor until it has been received and approved by the City.
- 3.2.13.3 <u>Bond Provisions</u>. Should, in City's sole opinion, any bond become insufficient or any surety be found to be unsatisfactory, Contractor shall renew or replace the affected bond within 10 days of receiving notice from City. In the event the surety or Contractor intends to reduce or cancel any required bond, at least thirty (30) days prior written notice shall be given to the City, and Contractor shall post acceptable replacement bonds at least ten (10) days prior to expiration of the original bonds. No further payments shall be deemed due or will be made

under this Agreement until any replacement bonds required by this Section are accepted by the City. To the extent, if any, that the total compensation is increased in accordance with the Agreement, the Contractor shall, upon request of the City, cause the amount of the bonds to be increased accordingly and shall promptly deliver satisfactory evidence of such increase to the City. To the extent available, the bonds shall further provide that no change or alteration of the Agreement (including, without limitation, an increase in the total compensation, as referred to above), extensions of time, or modifications of the time, terms, or conditions of payment to the Contractor, will release the surety. If the Contractor fails to furnish any required bond, the City may terminate this Agreement for cause.

3.2.13.4 <u>Surety Qualifications</u>. Only bonds executed by an admitted surety insurer, as defined in Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120, shall be accepted. The surety must be a California-admitted surety with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than A:VIII and satisfactory to the City. If a California-admitted surety insurer issuing bonds does not meet these requirements, the insurer will be considered qualified if it is in conformance with Section 995.660 of the California Code of Civil Procedure, and proof of such is provided to the City.

3.2.14 Accounting Records. Contractor shall maintain complete and accurate records with respect to all costs and expenses incurred under this Agreement. All such records shall be clearly identifiable. Contractor shall allow a representative of City during normal business hours to examine, audit, and make transcripts or copies of such records and any other documents created pursuant to this Agreement. Contractor shall allow inspection of all work, data, documents, proceedings, and activities related to the Agreement for a period of three (3) years from the date of final payment under this Agreement.

#### 3.3 Fees and Payments.

- 3.3.1 <u>Compensation</u>. Contractor shall receive compensation, including authorized reimbursements, for all Services rendered under this Agreement at the rates set forth in Exhibit "C" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The total compensation shall not exceed [\*\*\*INSERT WRITTEN DOLLAR AMOUNT\*\*\*] (\$[\*\*\*INSERT NUMERICAL DOLLAR AMOUNT\*\*\*]) without written approval of City's [\*\*\*INSERT TITLE\*\*\*]. Extra Work may be authorized, as described below, and if authorized, will be compensated at the rates and manner set forth in this Agreement.
- 3.3.2 <u>Payment of Compensation</u>. Contractor shall submit to City a monthly itemized statement which indicates work completed and hours of Services rendered by Contractor. The statement shall describe the amount of Services and supplies provided since the initial commencement date, or since the start of the subsequent billing periods, as appropriate, through the date of the statement. City shall, within thirty (30) days of receiving such statement, review the statement and pay all approved charges thereon.
- 3.3.3 <u>Reimbursement for Expenses</u>. Contractor shall not be reimbursed for any expenses unless authorized in writing by City.
- 3.3.4 <u>Extra Work.</u> At any time during the term of this Agreement, City may request that Contractor perform Extra Work. As used herein, "Extra Work" means any work which is determined by City to be necessary for the proper completion of the Project, but which the parties did not reasonably anticipate would be necessary at the execution of this Agreement. Contractor shall not perform, nor be compensated for, Extra Work without written authorization from City's Representative.

#### 3.3.5 California Labor Code Requirements

a. Contractor is aware of the requirements of California Labor Code Sections 1720 et seq. and 1770 et seq., which require the payment of prevailing wage rates and the performance of other requirements on certain "public works" and "maintenance" projects ("Prevailing Wage Laws"). If the Services are being performed as part of an applicable "public works" or "maintenance" project, as defined by the Prevailing Wage Laws, and if the

total compensation is \$1,000 or more, Contractor agrees to fully comply with such Prevailing Wage Laws. Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, employees and agents free and harmless from any claims, liabilities, costs, penalties or interest arising out of any failure or alleged failure to comply with the Prevailing Wage Laws. It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor and all subcontractors to comply with all California Labor Code provisions, which include but are not limited to prevailing wages (Labor Code Sections 1771, 1774 and 1775), employment of apprentices (Labor Code Section 1777.5), certified payroll records (Labor Code Sections 1771.4 and 1776), hours of labor (Labor Code Sections 1813 and 1815) and debarment of contractors and subcontractors (Labor Code Section 1777.1). The requirement to submit certified payroll records directly to the Labor Commissioner under Labor Code section 1771.4 shall not apply to work performed on a public works project that is exempt pursuant to the small project exemption specified in Labor Code Section 1771.4.

- b. If the Services are being performed as part of an applicable "public works" or "maintenance" project, then pursuant to Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1, the Contractor and all subcontractors performing such Services must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations. Contractor shall maintain registration for the duration of the Project and require the same of any subcontractors, as applicable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the contractor registration requirements mandated by Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1 shall not apply to work performed on a public works project that is exempt pursuant to the small project exemption specified in Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1.
- c. This Agreement may also be subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. It shall be Contractor's sole responsibility to comply with all applicable registration and labor compliance requirements. Any stop orders issued by the Department of Industrial Relations against Contractor or any subcontractor that affect Contractor's performance of Services, including any delay, shall be Contractor's sole responsibility. Any delay arising out of or resulting from such stop orders shall be considered Contractor caused delay and shall not be compensable by the City. Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, employees and agents free and harmless from any claim or liability arising out of stop orders issued by the Department of Industrial Relations against Contractor or any subcontractor.

#### 3.4 Termination of Agreement.

- 3.4.1 <u>Grounds for Termination</u>. City may, by written notice to Contractor, terminate the whole or any part of this Agreement at any time and without cause by giving written notice to Contractor of such termination, and specifying the effective date thereof, at least seven (7) days before the effective date of such termination. Upon termination, Contractor shall be compensated only for those services which have been adequately rendered to City, and Contractor shall be entitled to no further compensation. Contractor may not terminate this Agreement except for cause.
- 3.4.2 <u>Effect of Termination</u>. If this Agreement is terminated as provided herein, City may require Contractor to provide all finished or unfinished documents and data and other information of any kind prepared by Contractor in connection with the performance of Services under this Agreement. Contractor shall be required to provide such document and other information within fifteen (15) days of the request.
- 3.4.3 <u>Additional Services</u>. In the event this Agreement is terminated in whole or in part as provided herein, City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it may determine appropriate, services similar to those terminated.
- 3.4.4 Agreement Subject to Appropriation of Funds. The Contractor understands and accepts that at all times; the Agreement is subject to appropriation of funds by the Antioch City Council. The Agreement may terminate without penalty, liability or expense of any kind to the City at the end of any fiscal year if funds are not appropriated for the next succeeding fiscal year. If funds are appropriated for a portion of the fiscal year, the Agreement will terminate, without penalty, liability or expense of any kind at the end of the term for which funds are appropriated.

The City has no obligation to make appropriations for the Agreement in lieu of appropriations for new or other agreements. City budget decisions are subject to the discretion of the Mayor and City Council. Contractor's assumption of risk of possible non-appropriation is a part of the consideration for the Agreement. This section controls against any and all other provisions of the Agreement.

#### 3.5 General Provisions.

3.5.1 <u>Delivery of Notices</u>. All notices permitted or required under this Agreement shall be given to the respective parties at the following address, or at such other address as the respective parties may provide in writing for this purpose:

#### **Contractor:**

[\*\*\*INSERT NAME, ADDRESS & CONTACT PERSON\*\*\*]

City:

[\*\*\*INSERT DEPARTMENT NAME / CONTACT PERSON\*\*\*]

City of Antioch P. O. Box 5007 Antioch, CA 94531-5007

City:

City of Antioch P. O. Box 5007 Antioch, CA 94531-5007 Attn: City Attorney

Such notice shall be deemed made when personally delivered or when mailed, forty-eight (48) hours after deposit in the U.S. Mail, first class postage prepaid and addressed to the party at its applicable address. Actual notice shall be deemed adequate notice on the date actual notice occurred, regardless of the method of service.

#### 3.5.2 Indemnification.

3.5.2.1 Scope of Indemnity. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents free and harmless from any and all claims, demands, causes of action, costs, expenses, liability, loss, damage or injury of any kind, in law or equity, to property or persons, including wrongful death, in any manner arising out of, pertaining to, or incident to any alleged acts, errors or omissions of Contractor, its officials, officers, employees, subcontractors, consultants or agents in connection with the performance of the Contractor's Services, the Project or this Agreement, including without limitation the payment of all consequential damages, expert witness fees and attorneys' fees and other related costs and expenses. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent Contractor's Services are subject to Civil Code Section 2782.8, the above indemnity shall be limited, to the extent required by Civil Code Section 2782.8, to claims that arise out of, pertain to, or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of the Contractor.

3.5.2.2 Additional Indemnity Obligations. Contractor shall defend, with counsel of City's choosing and at Contractor's own cost, expense and risk, any and all claims, suits, actions or other proceedings of every kind covered by Section 3.5.2.1 that may be brought or instituted against City or its officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents. Contractor shall pay and satisfy any judgment, award or decree that may be rendered against City or its officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents as part of any such claim, suit, action or other proceeding. Contractor shall also reimburse City for the cost of any settlement paid by City or its officials, officers,

employees, agents or volunteers as part of any such claim, suit, action or other proceeding. Such reimbursement shall include payment for City's attorneys' fees and costs, including expert witness fees. Contractor shall reimburse City and its officials, officers, employees, agents, and/or volunteers, for any and all legal expenses and costs incurred by each of them in connection therewith or in enforcing the indemnity herein provided. Contractor's obligation to indemnify shall survive expiration or termination of this Agreement, and shall not be restricted to insurance proceeds, if any, received by the City, its officials officers, employees, agents, or volunteers.

- 3.5.3 Governing Law; Government Code Claim Compliance. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Venue shall be in Contra Costa County, California. In addition to any and all Agreement requirements pertaining to notices of and requests for compensation or payment for extra work, disputed work, claims and/or changed conditions, Contractor must comply with the claim procedures set forth in Government Code sections 900 et seq. prior to filing any lawsuit against the City. Such Government Code claims and any subsequent lawsuit based upon the Government Code claims shall be limited to those matters that remain unresolved after all procedures pertaining to extra work, disputed work, claims, and/or changed conditions have been followed by Contractor. If no such Government Code claim is submitted, or if any prerequisite contractual requirements are not otherwise satisfied as specified herein, Contractor shall be barred from bringing and maintaining a valid lawsuit against the City.
  - 3.5.4 <u>Time of Essence</u>. Time is of the essence for each and every provision of this Agreement.
- 3.5.5 <u>City's Right to Employ Other Contractors</u>. City reserves right to employ other contractors in connection with this Project.
- 3.5.6 <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding on the successors and assigns of the parties.
- 3.5.7 <u>Assignment or Transfer.</u> Contractor shall not assign, hypothecate or transfer, either directly or by operation of law, this Agreement or any interest herein without the prior written consent of the City. Any attempt to do so shall be null and void, and any assignees, hypothecates or transferees shall acquire no right or interest by reason of such attempted assignment, hypothecation or transfer.
- 3.5.8 Construction; References; Captions. Since the Parties or their agents have participated fully in the preparation of this Agreement, the language of this Agreement shall be construed simply, according to its fair meaning, and not strictly for or against any Party. Any term referencing time, days or period for performance shall be deemed calendar days and not work days. All references to Contractor include all personnel, employees, agents, and subcontractors of Contractor, except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. All references to City include its officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. The captions of the various articles and paragraphs are for convenience and ease of reference only, and do not define, limit, augment, or describe the scope, content or intent of this Agreement.
- 3.5.9 <u>Amendment; Modification</u>. No supplement, modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be binding unless executed in writing and signed by both Parties.
- 3.5.10 <u>Waiver</u>. No waiver of any default shall constitute a waiver of any other default or breach, whether of the same or other covenant or condition. No waiver, benefit, privilege, or service voluntarily given or performed by a Party shall give the other Party any contractual rights by custom, estoppel or otherwise.
- 3.5.11 <u>No Third Party Beneficiaries</u>. Except to the extent expressly provided for in Section 3.5.7, there are no intended third party beneficiaries of any right or obligation assumed by the Parties.
  - 3.5.12 <u>Invalidity; Severability</u>. If any portion of this Agreement is declared invalid, illegal, or

otherwise unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

- 3.5.13 Prohibited Interests. Contractor maintains and warrants that it has not employed nor retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement. Further, Contractor warrants that it has not paid nor has it agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift or other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement. Contractor further agrees to file, or shall cause its employees or subcontractors to file, a Statement of Economic Interest with the City's Filing Officer as required under state law in the performance of the Services. For breach or violation of this warranty, City shall have the right to rescind this Agreement without liability. For the term of this Agreement, no member, officer or employee of City, during the term of his or her service with City, shall have any direct interest in this Agreement, or obtain any present or anticipated material benefit arising therefrom.
- 3.5.14 <u>Cooperation; Further Acts.</u> The Parties shall fully cooperate with one another, and shall take any additional acts or sign any additional documents as may be necessary, appropriate or convenient to attain the purposes of this Agreement.
- 3.5.15 Attorneys' Fees and Costs. If any action in law or equity, including an action for declaratory relief, is brought to enforce or interpret the provisions of this Agreement, the prevailing Party shall be entitled to recover from the losing party attorney's fees and costs in an amount determined to be reasonable by a court of competent jurisdiction.
- 3.5.16 <u>Authority to Enter Agreement.</u> Contractor has all requisite power and authority to conduct its business and to execute, deliver, and perform the Agreement. Each Party warrants that the individuals who have signed this Agreement have the legal power, right, and authority to make this Agreement and bind each respective Party.
- 3.5.17 <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be signed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original.
- 3.5.18 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement contains the entire Agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes all prior negotiations, understandings or agreements. This Agreement may only be modified by a writing signed by both parties.

#### 3.5.19 Wage Theft Prevention.

3.5.19.1 Contractor, and any subcontractor it employs to complete work under this Agreement, shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local wage and hour laws. Applicable laws may include, but are not limited to, the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act and the California Labor Code.

3.5.19.2 BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, CONTRACTOR AFFIRMS THAT IT HAS DISCLOSED ANY FINAL JUDGMENTS, DECISIONS OR ORDERS FROM A COURT OR INVESTIGATORY GOVERNMENT AGENCY, FINDING IN THE FIVE (5) YEARS PRIOR TO EXECUTING THIS AGREEMENT THAT CONTRACTOR OR ITS SUBCONTRACTORS HAS VIOLATED ANY APPLICABLE WAGE AND HOUR LAWS. CONTRACTOR FURTHER AFFIRMS THAT IT OR ITS SUBCONTRACTOR(S) HAS EITHER FULLY SATISFIED EACH JUDGMENT, DECISION OR ORDER, OR, IF ANY JUDGMENT, DECISION OR ORDER HAS NOT BEEN FULLY SATISFIED, CONTRACTOR AFFIRMS THAT IT OR ITS SUBCONTRACTOR(S) IS CURRENTLY SATISFYING SAID JUDGMENT, DECISION OR ORDER THROUGH A PAYMENT OR ALTERNATIVE PLAN APPROVED BY THE APPLICABLE COURT/GOVERNMENT AGENCY AND THAT CONTRACTOR OR ITS SUBCONTRACTOR(S) ARE IN COMPLIANCE WITH SAID PLAN AS OF THE DATE OF EXECUTING THIS

#### AGREEMENT.

3.5.19.3 If at any time during the term of this Agreement, a court or investigatory government agency issues a final judgment, decision or order finding that Contractor or a subcontractor it employs to perform work under this Agreement has violated any applicable wage and hour law, or Contractor learns of such a judgment, decision, or order that was not previously disclosed in its bid/proposal, Contractor shall inform the City no more than fifteen (15) calendar days after the judgment, decision or order becomes final or from the date of learning of the final judgment, decision or order. Contractor or its subcontractor(s) shall, within thirty (30) calendar days after notifying the City, either (i) fully satisfy any such judgment, decision, or order and provide the City with documentary evidence of satisfying said judgment, decision or order; or (ii) provide the City documentary evidence of a payment or other alternative plan approved by the court/government agency to satisfy the judgment, decision or order. If the Contractor or its subcontractor is subject to a payment or other alternative plan, the Contractor or its subcontractor shall continue to submit documentary evidence every thirty (30) calendar days during the term of the Agreement demonstrating continued compliance with the plan until the judgment, decision or order has been fully satisfied.

3.5.19.4 For purposes of this Section, a "final judgment, decision, or order" refers to one for which all appeals have been exhausted or the time period to appeal has expired. Relevant investigatory government agencies include: the United States Department of Labor, the California Division of Labor Standards Enforcement, the City, or any other governmental entity or division tasked with the investigation and enforcement of wage and hour laws.

3.5.19.5 Failure to comply with any part of this Section constitutes a material breach of this Agreement. Such breach may serve as a basis for immediate termination of this Agreement and/or any other remedies available under this Agreement and/or law.

3.5.19.6 Notice provided to the City shall be addressed to: Attention: City Manager, P. O. Box 5007, Antioch, CA 94531-5007. The Notice provisions of this Section are separate from any other notice provisions in this Agreement and, accordingly, only notice provided to the above address satisfies the notice requirements in this Section.

[SIGNATURES ON NEXT PAGE]

# SIGNATURE PAGE FOR MAINTENANCE SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF ANTIOCH AND [\*\*\*INSERT CONTRACTOR NAME\*\*\*]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have entered into this Agreement as of the [\*\*\*INSERT DAY\*\*\*] day of [\*\*\*INSERT MONTH\*\*\*], [\*\*\*INSERT YEAR\*\*\*].

CITY OF ANTIOCH Approved By:	[***INSERT CONTRACTOR NAME***]
Rowland E. Bernal Jr. City Manager	Signature
	Name
ATTEST:	
	Title
Arne Simonsen City Clerk, MMC	
Approved As To Form:	
Thomas Lloyd Smith	
City Attorney	

#### **EXHIBIT "D"**

#### **INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

Please refer to the insurance requirements listed below. Those that have an "X" indicated in the space before the requirement apply to Contractor's Agreement.

Contractor shall procure and maintain for the duration of the Agreement 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 and the results of that work by the Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors.

Contractor shall provide its insurance broker(s)/agent(s) with a copy of these requirements and request that they provide Certificates of Insurance complete with copies of all required endorsements.

Contractor shall furnish City with copies of original endorsements affecting coverage required by this Exhibit D. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. All endorsements and certificates are to be received and approved by City before work commences. City has the right to require Contractor's insurer to provide complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements affecting the coverage required by these specifications.

#### **Commercial General Liability (CGL):**

X Coverage at least as broad as Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Form CG 00 01 covering CGL on an "occurrence" basis, including products and completed operations, property damage, bodily injury and personal and advertising injury with limits no less than \$2,000,000.00 per occurrence. If a general aggregate limit applies, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this project/location or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit.
Coverage at least as broad as ISO Form CG 00 01 covering CGL on an "occurrence" basis, including products and completed operations, property damage, bodily injury and personal and advertising injury with limits no less than \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence. If a general aggregate limit applies, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this project/location or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit.
Coverage at least as broad as ISO Form CG 00 01 covering CGL on an "occurrence" basis, including products and completed operations, property damage, bodily injury and personal and advertising injury with limits no less than \$5,000,000.00 per occurrence. If a general aggregate limit applies, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this project/location or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit.

#### **Automobile Liability:**

$\underline{X}$ Coverage at least as broad as ISO Form Number CA 0001 covering, Code 1 (any auto), of if Contractor has no owned autos, Code 8 (hired) and 9 (non-owned), with limits no less than $$1,000,000.00$ combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage.				
Coverage at least as broad as ISO Form Number CA 0001 covering, Code 1 (any auto), with limits no less than \$5,000,000.00 combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage.				
Garage keepers' extra liability endorsement to extend coverage to all vehicles in the care, custody and control of the Contractor, regardless of where the vehicles are kept or driven.				
Professional Liability (Errors and Omissions):				
Insurance appropriate to the Contractor's profession, with limit no less than \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence or claim, \$2,000,000.00 aggregate.				
(If Design/Build), with limits no less than \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence or claim, and \$2,000,000.00 policy aggregate.				
Insurance appropriates to the Contractor's profession, with limit no less than per occurrence or claim, aggregate				
Workers' Compensation Insurance:				
X Insurance as required by the State of California, with Statutory Limits, and Employer's Liability Insurance with limit of no less than \$1,000,000.00 per accident for bodily injury or disease. (Not required if Contractor provides written verification it has no employees. Waiver needed.)				
The Employer's Liability policy shall be endorsed to waive any right of subrogation as respects the City, its elected and appointed officials, officers, attorneys, agents, and employees.				
Builder's Risk (Course of Construction):				
Insurance utilizing an "All Risk" (Special Perils) coverage form, with limits equal to the completed value of the project and no coinsurance penalty provisions. If the project does not involve new or major reconstruction, at the option of the City, an Installation Floater may be acceptable. For such projects, a Property Installation Floater shall be obtained that provides for the improvement, remodel, modification, alteration, conversion or adjustment to existing buildings, structures, processes, machinery and equipment. The Property Installation Floater shall provide property damage coverage for any building, structure, machinery or equipment damaged, impaired, broken, or destroyed during the performance of the Work, including during transit, installation, and testing at the City's site.				

## **Contractor's Pollution Legal Liability:**