

CONTRACT NO. 200774 (RFP 307279) THIRD PARTY FUNCTIONAL ASSESSMENT

CONTRACTOR:	Medical Transportation Management, Inc. (MTM) 16 Hawk Ridge Drive Lake St. Louis, MO 63367 Phone: (636)541-2978
AWARD DATE:	November 22, 2021
CONTRACT TERM:	Three (3) Years from Notice to Proceed
PRICE:	\$1,192,397.64
PROJECT MANAGER:	Sara Sanford (512) 202-6212 <u>sara.sanford@capmetro.org</u>
CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR:	John Pena (512) 369-6243 john.pena@capmetro.org

PROCUREMENT DEPARTMENT CAPITAL METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY 2910 E. 5th STREET AUSTIN, TEXAS 78702

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CAPITAL METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY AUSTIN, TEXAS				
AWARD/CONTRACT				
1. SOLICITATION NO:	2. CONTRACT NO.:		3. EFFECTIVE DATE:	
307279	200774		See Contra	cting Officer's Signature Date
4. CONTRACTS ADMINISTRATO	D R		•	<u> </u>
NAME: John Pena			(512) 369-6243	
5. SHIP TO ADDRESS:		6. DELIVER	-	
Capital Metropolitan Transporta	ation Authority			estination
2910 East 5 th Street		7. DISCOUN	TS FOR PROMP	FPAYMENT: None
Austin, Texas 78702 8. CONTRACTOR NAME & ADDR			ICE ADDRESS:	(If different from Item 8)
		J. REIVITTAN	ICE ADDRE35.	(in different from item 8)
Medical Transportation Manage	ement (MTM), Inc.			
16 Hawk Ridge Drive Lake St. Louis, MO 63367				
10. SBE GOAL: 40%				
	CONTRACT E	XECUTION		
CAUTION: A false statement in			to CMTA may be	a criminal offense in violation
of Section 37.10 of				
X NEGOTIATED AGREEMENT:				
Contractor agrees to furnish and de	Contracting Office			
any continuation sheets for the con				
be subject to and governed by the f				
such provisions, representations, co				
SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR:			0	
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Name/Title: Brian Balogh	COO - Transit	tSignatı	ıre:	Date: 12/10/21
X AWARD: Items listed below a				
This Award/Contract Form may be	•	le originals, an	d an executed fac	csimile shall have the same force
and effect as an original document.				
ALTERATIONS IN CONTRACT:				
1. Refer to Exhibit E. Contrac	tual Terms and Co	nditions Exhib	oit E is revised as	Exhibit E-Revised-1, attached
hereto and made a part he				,
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ACCEPTED AS TO:				
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1. Exhibit A-Revised-2, Section	on 6, PRICING, as f	ollows:		
6.A. Base Period 1, Contra	ct Year 1, Items 1 a	and 2; 6.B. Bas		act Year 2, Items 1 and 2; 6.C.
	ear 3, Items 1 and 2	, for a total not	to exceed amoun	nt of \$1,192,397.64 for all Base
Period items.				
SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER:				
	E-SIGNED by Muhammad Abdullah			
Typed Name: Muhammad Abdulla	ah, CTCM, C.P.M.	Signature:		
Sr. Director, Chief C	Contracting Officer		cember 16 200	21
		Date:	cember 16, 202	<u> </u>

EXHIBIT A - REVISED - 2

PRICING SCHEDULE

RFP 307279

THE OFFEROR IS REQUIRED TO SIGN AND DATE EACH PAGE OF THIS SCHEDULE

1. IDENTIFICATION OF OFFEROR AND SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED AGENT

Company Name (Printed)	Medical Transportation Management, Inc. (MTM)	
Address	16 Hawk Ridge Drive	
City, State, Zip	Lake St. Louis, MO 63367	
Phone, Fax	636-561-5686; 636-561-2962	
Email	mlucas@mtminc.com	
The undersigned agrees, if this offer is accepted within the period specified, to furnish any or all supplies and/or services specified in the Schedule at the prices offered therein.		
Authorized Agent Name and Title (Printed)	Alaina Maciá, President and CEO	
Signature and Date	Alaina Nacia	10/13/2021

2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF AMENDMENTS

The offereor acknowledges receipt of the following amendment(s) to this soliciation (give number and date of each).

Amendment No.	Date
1	9/10/2021
2	10/7/2021

3. PROMPT PAYMENT DISCOUNT

# of Days NA	Percentage	NA
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Note, payment terms are specified in Exhibit E, Contractual Terms and Conditions.

4 AUTHORITY'S ACCEPTANCE (TO BE COMPLETED UPON AWARD BY CAPITAL METRO)

The Authority hereby accepts this offer.

Authorized Agent Name and Title (Printed)	Muhammad Abdullah, CTCM, C.P.M. Sr. Director, & Chief Contracting Officer
Signature and Date	
Accepted as to:	Exhibit A-Revised-2, Section 6, PRICING, specifically Section 6.A. Base Period 1, Items 1 and 2, + Section 6.B. Base Period 2, Items 1 and 2,
	+ Section 6.C. Base Period 3, Items 1 and 2, for a Grand Total Base Period of \$1,192,397.64.

The remainder of Exhibit A – Pricing Schedule has been redacted.

For further information regarding Exhibit A, you may:

• Reach out to the Contractor directly via the Contractor contact details provided on the cover page of this contract.

OR

• Submit a public information request directly to <u>PIR@capmetro.org</u>.

For more information regarding the Public Information Act and submitting public information requests, follow this link to our website: <u>https://www.capmetro.org/legal/</u>

EXHIBIT B – REVISED -1

REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

(LOCALLY FUNDED SUPPLY/SERVICE/CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS)

MUST BE RETURNED WITH THE OFFER

1. <u>TYPE OF BUSINESS</u>

(a) The offeror operates as (mark one):

🗌 An individual	
A partnership	
A sole proprieto	r
A corporation	
Another entity	

(b) If incorporated, under the laws of the State of:

Missouri

2. PARENT COMPANY AND IDENTIFYING DATA

(a) The offeror (mark one):

is 🖂 is not

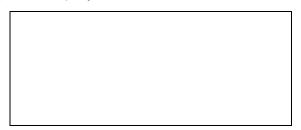
owned or controlled by a parent company. A parent company is one that owns or controls the activities and basic business policies of the offeror. To own the offering company means that the parent company must own more than fifty percent (50%) of the voting rights in that company.

(b) A company may control an offeror as a parent even though not meeting the requirements for such ownership if the company is able to formulate, determine, or veto basic policy decisions of the offeror through the use of dominant minority voting rights, use of proxy voting, or otherwise.

(c) If not owned or controlled by a parent company, the offeror shall insert its own EIN (Employer's Identification Number) below:



(d) If the offeror is owned or controlled by a parent company, it shall enter the name, main office and EIN number of the parent company, below:



3. CERTIFICATION OF INDEPENDENT PRICE DETERMINATION

(a) The offeror (and all joint venture members, if the offer is submitted by a joint venture) certifies that in connection with this solicitation:

(1) the prices offered have been arrived at independently, without consultation, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, with any other offeror or with any other competitor;

(2) unless otherwise required by law, the prices offered have not been knowingly disclosed by the offeror and will not knowingly be disclosed by the offeror prior to opening of bids in the case of an invitation for bids, or prior to contract award in the case of a request for proposals, directly or indirectly to any other offeror or to any competitor; and

(3) no attempt has been made or will be made by the offeror to induce any other person or firm to submit or not to submit an offer for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) Each signature on the offer is considered to be a certification by the signatory that the signatory:

(1) is the person in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices being offered in this bid or proposal, and that the signatory has not participated and will not participate in any action contrary to paragraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) of this provision; or

(i) has been authorized, in writing, to act as agent for the following principals in certifying that those principals have not participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to paragraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) of this provision _____ [insert full name of person(s) in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices offered in this bid or proposal, and the title of his or her position in the offeror's organization];

(ii) as an authorized agent, does certify that the principals named in subdivision (b)(2)(i) of this provision have not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to paragraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) of this provision; and

(iii) as an agent, has not personally participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to paragraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) of this provision.

(c) If the offeror deletes or modifies paragraph (a)(2) of this provision, the offeror must furnish with its offer a signed statement setting forth in detail the circumstances of the disclosure.

4. DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION

(a) In accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. (Code of Federal Regulations), part 180, the offeror certifies to the best of the offeror's knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:

(1) are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;

(2) have not within a three (3) year period preceding this offer been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for the commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes, or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

(3) are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in (a)(2) above; and

(4) have not within a three (3) year period preceding this offer had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated for cause or default.

(b) Where the offeror is unable to certify to any of the statements above, the offeror shall attach a full explanation to this offer.

(c) For any subcontract at any tier expected to equal or exceed \$25,000:

(1) In accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. part 180, the prospective lower tier subcontractor certifies, by submission of this offer, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.

(2) Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to the statement, above, an explanation shall be attached to the offer.

(3) This certification (specified in paragraphs (c)(1) and (c)(2), above) shall be included in all applicable subcontracts and a copy kept on file by the prime contractor. The prime contractor shall be required to furnish copies of the certifications to the Authority upon request.

5. <u>COMMUNICATIONS</u>

(a) All oral and written communications with the Authority regarding this solicitation shall be exclusively with, or on the subjects and with the persons approved by, the persons identified in this solicitation. Discussions with any other person not specified could result in disclosure of proprietary or other competitive sensitive information or otherwise create the appearance of impropriety or unfair competition and thereby compromise the integrity of the Authority's procurement system. If competition cannot be resolved through normal communication channels, the Authority's protest procedures shall be used for actual or prospective competitors claiming any impropriety in connection with this solicitation.

(b) By submission of this offer, the offeror certifies that it has not, and will not prior to contract award, communicate orally or in writing with any Authority employee or other representative of the Authority (including Board Members, Capital Metro contractors or consultants), except as described below:

Individual's Name	Date/Subject of Communication

(Attach continuation form, if necessary.)

6. <u>CONTINGENT FEE</u>

(a) Except for full-time, bona fide employees working solely for the offeror, the offeror represents as part of its offer that it (mark one):

	has	
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employed or retained any company or persons to solicit or obtain this contract, and (mark one):



paid or agreed to pay any person or company employed or retained to solicit or obtain this contract any commission, percentage, brokerage, or other fee contingent upon or resulting from the award of this contract.

(b) The offeror agrees to provide information relating to (a) above, when any item is answered affirmatively.

7. <u>CODE OF ETHICS</u>

(a) Statement of Purpose

The brand and reputation of Capital Metro is determined in large part by the actions or ethics of representatives of the agency. Capital Metro is committed to a strong ethical culture and to ethical behavior by all individuals serving Capital Metro as employees, members of the Board of Directors or volunteers. Individuals serving Capital Metro will conduct business with honesty and integrity. We will make decisions and take actions that are in the best interest of the people we serve and that are consistent with our mission, vision and this policy. The Code of Ethics (the "Code") documents Capital Metro's Standards of Ethical Conduct and policies for Ethical Business Transactions. Compliance with the Code will help protect Capital Metro's reputation for honesty and integrity. The Code attempts to provide clear principles for Capital Metro's expectations for behavior in conducting Capital Metro business. We have a duty to read, understand and comply with the letter and spirit of the Code and Capital Metro policies. You are encouraged to inquire if any aspect of the Code needs clarification.

(b) Applicability

The Code applies to Capital Metro employees, contractors, potential contractors, Board Members and citizen advisory committee members. Violation of the Code of Ethics may result in discipline up to and including termination or removal from the Board of Directors.

(c) Standards of Ethical Conduct

The public must have confidence in our integrity as a public agency and we will act at all times to preserve the trust of the community and protect Capital Metro's reputation. To demonstrate our integrity and commitment to ethical conduct we will:

- (1) Continuously exhibit a desire to serve the public and display a helpful, respectful manner.
- (2) Exhibit and embody a culture of safety in our operations.

(3) Understand, respect and obey all applicable laws, regulations and Capital Metro policies and procedures both in letter and spirit.

(4) Exercise sound judgment to determine when to seek advice from legal counsel, the Ethics Officer or others.

(5) Treat each other with honesty, dignity and respect and will not discriminate in our actions toward others.

(6) Continuously strive for improvement in our work and be accountable for our actions.

(7) Transact Capital Metro business effectively and efficiently and act in good faith to protect the Authority's assets from waste, abuse, theft or damage.

(8) Be good stewards of Capital Metro's reputation and will not make any representation in public or private, orally or in writing, that states, or appears to state, an official position of Capital Metro unless authorized to do so.

(9) Report all material facts known when reporting on work projects, which if not revealed, could either conceal unlawful or improper practices or prevent informed decisions from being made.

(10) Be fair, impartial and ethical in our business dealings and will not use our authority to unfairly or illegally influence the decisions of other employees or Board members.

(11) Ensure that our personal or business activities, relationships and other interests do not conflict or appear to conflict with the interests of Capital Metro and disclose any potential conflicts.

(12) Encourage ethical behavior and report all known unethical or wrongful conduct to the Capital Metro Ethics Officer or the Board Ethics Officer.

(d) Roles and Responsibilities

It is everyone's responsibility to understand and comply with the Code of Ethics and the law. Lack of knowledge or understanding of the Code will not be considered. If you have a question about the Code of Ethics, ask.

It is the responsibility of Capital Metro management to model appropriate conduct at all times and promote an ethical culture. Seek guidance if you are uncertain what to do.

It is Capital Metro's responsibility to provide a system of reporting and access to guidance when an employee wishes to report a suspected violation and to seek counseling, and the normal chain of command cannot, for whatever reason, be utilized. If you need to report something or seek guidance outside the normal chain of command, Capital Metro provides the following resources:

- Anonymous Fraud Hotline Internal Audit (1)
- (2) Anonymous Online Ethics Reporting System

Contact the Capital Metro Ethics Officer, Vice-President of Internal Audit, the EEO Officer or Director of (3) Human Resources

Safety Hotline (4)

The Capital Metro Ethics Officer is the Chief Counsel. The Ethics Officer is responsible for the interpretation and implementation of the Code and any questions about the interpretation of the Code should be directed to the Ethics Officer.

- **Ethical Business Transactions** (e)
- Section 1. Impartiality and Official Position

(ii)

A Substantial Interest is defined by Tex. Loc. Govt. Code, § 171.002. An official or a person related to (1) the official in the first degree by consanguinity or affinity has a Substantial Interest in:

A business entity if the person owns ten percent (10%) or more of the voting stock or shares (i) of the business entity or owns either 10% or more or \$15,000 or more of the fair market value of the business entity OR funds received by the person from the business entity exceed 10% of the person's gross income for the previous year; or

- Real property if the interest is an equitable or legal ownership with a fair market value of

\$2,500 or more.

Capital Metro will not enter into a contract with a business in which a Board Member or employee or a Family Member of a Board Member or employee as defined in Section 8 has a Substantial Interest except in case of emergency as defined in the Acquisition Policy PRC-100 or the business is the only available source for essential goods and services or property.

(2) No Board Member or employee shall:

(i) Act as a surety for a business that has work, business or a contract with Capital Metro or act as a surety on any official bond required of an officer of Capital Metro.

(ii) Represent for compensation, advise or appear on behalf of any person or firm concerning any contract or transaction or in any proceeding involving Capital Metro's interests.

(iii) Use his or her official position or employment, or Capital Metro's facilities, equipment or supplies to obtain or attempt to obtain private gain or advantage.

(iv) Use his or her official position or employment to unfairly influence other Board members or employees to perform illegal, immoral, or discreditable acts or do anything that would violate Capital Metro policies.

(v) Use Capital Metro's resources, including employees, facilities, equipment, and supplies in political campaign activities.

(vi) Participate in a contract for a contractor or first-tier subcontractor with Capital Metro for a period of one (1) year after leaving employment on any contract with Capital Metro.

(vii) Participate for a period of two (2) years in a contract for a contractor or first-tier subcontractor with Capital Metro if the Board Member or employee participated in the recommendation, bid, proposal or solicitation of the Capital Metro contract or procurement.

Section 2. Employment and Representation

A Board Member or employee must disclose to his or her supervisor, appropriate Capital Metro staff or the Board Chair any discussions of future employment with any business which has, or the Board Member or employee should reasonably foresee is likely to have, any interest in a transaction upon which the Board Member or employee may or must act or make a recommendation subsequent to such discussion. The Board Member or employee shall take no further action on matters regarding the potential future employer.

A Board Member or employee shall not solicit or accept other employment to be performed or compensation to be received while still a Board Member or employee, if the employment or compensation could reasonably be expected to impair independence in judgment or performance of their duties.

A Board Member or employee with authority to appoint or hire employees shall not exercise such authority in favor of an individual who is related within the first degree, within the second degree by affinity or within the third degree by consanguinity as defined by the Capital Metro Nepotism Policy in accordance with Tex. Govt. Code, Ch. 573.

Section 3. Gifts

It is critical to keep an arms-length relationship with the entities and vendors Capital Metro does business with in order to prevent the appearance of impropriety, undue influence or favoritism.

No Board Member or employee shall:

(1) Solicit, accept or agree to accept any benefit or item of monetary value as consideration for the Board Member's or employee's decision, vote, opinion, recommendation or other exercise of discretion as a public servant. [Tex. Penal Code §36.02(c)]

(2) Solicit, accept or agree to accept any benefit or item of monetary value as consideration for a violation of any law or duty. [Tex. Penal Code §36.02(a)(1)]

(3) Solicit, accept or agree to accept any benefit or item of monetary value from a person the Board Member or employee knows is interested in or likely to become interested in any Capital Metro contract or transaction if the benefit or item of monetary value could reasonably be inferred as intended to influence the Board Member or employee. [Tex. Penal Code §36.08(d)]

(4) Receive or accept any gift, favor or item of monetary value from a contractor or potential contractor of Capital Metro or from any individual or entity that could reasonably be inferred as intended to influence the Board Member or employee.

Exception: Consistent with state law governing public servants, a gift does not include a benefit or item of monetary value with a value of less than \$50, excluding cash or negotiable instruments, unless it can reasonably be inferred that the item was intended to influence the Board Member or employee. A department may adopt more restrictive provisions if there is a demonstrated and documented business need. [Tex. Penal Code § 36.10(a)(6)]

Exception: A gift or other benefit conferred, independent of the Board Member's or employee's relationship with Capital Metro, that is not given or received with the intent to influence the Board Member or employee in the performance of his or her official duties is not a violation of this policy. The Capital Metro Ethics Officer or Board Ethics Officer must be consulted for a determination as to whether a potential gift falls within this exception.

Exception: Food, lodging, or transportation that is provided as consideration for legitimate services rendered by the Board Member or employee related to his or her official duties is not a violation of this policy.

If you are uncertain about a gift, seek guidance from the Ethics Officer.

Section 4. Business Meals and Functions

Board Members and employees may accept invitations for free, reasonable meals in the course of conducting Capital Metro's business or while attending a seminar or conference in connection with Capital Metro business as long as there is not an active or impending solicitation in which the inviting contractor or party may participate and attendance at the event or meal does not create an appearance that the invitation was intended to influence the Board Member or employee.

When attending such events, it is important to remember that you are representing Capital Metro and if you chose to drink alcohol, you must do so responsibly. Drinking irresponsibly may lead to poor judgment and actions that may violate the Code or other Capital Metro policies and may damage the reputation of Capital Metro in the community and the industry.

Section 5. Confidential Information

It is everyone's responsibility to safeguard Capital Metro's nonpublic and confidential information.

No Board Member or employee shall:

(1) Disclose, use or allow others to use nonpublic or confidential information that Capital Metro has not made public unless it is necessary and part of their job duties and then only pursuant to a nondisclosure agreement approved by legal counsel or with consultation and permission of legal counsel.

(2) Communicate details of any active Capital Metro procurement or solicitation or other contract opportunity to any contractor, potential contractor or individual not authorized to receive information regarding the active procurement or contract opportunity.

Section 6. Financial Accountability and Record Keeping

Capital Metro's financial records and reports should be accurate, timely, and in accordance with applicable laws and accounting rules and principles. Our records must reflect all components of a transaction in an honest and forthright manner. These records reflect the results of Capital Metro's operations and our stewardship of public funds.

A Board Member or employee shall:

- (1) Not falsify a document or distort the true nature of a transaction.
- (2) Properly disclose risks and potential liabilities to appropriate Capital Metro staff.
- (3) Cooperate with audits of financial records.
- (4) Ensure that all transactions are supported by accurate documentation.
- (5) Ensure that all reports made to government authorities are full, fair, accurate and timely.
- (6) Ensure all accruals and estimates are based on documentation and good faith judgment.

Section 7. Conflict of Interest

Employees and Board Members are expected to deal at arms-length in any transaction on behalf of Capital Metro and avoid and disclose actual conflicts of interest under the law and the Code and any circumstance which could impart the appearance of a conflict of interest. A conflict of interest exists when a Board Member or employee is in a position in which any official act or action taken by them is, may be, or appears to be influenced by considerations of personal gain rather than the general public trust.

Conflict of Interest [Tex. Loc. Govt. Code, Ch. 171 & 176, § 2252.908]

No Board Member or employee shall participate in a matter involving a business, contract or real property transaction in which the Board Member or employee has a Substantial Interest if it is reasonably foreseeable that an action on the matter would confer a special economic benefit on the business, contract or real property that is distinguishable from its effect on the public. [Tex. Loc. Govt. Code, § 171.004]

Disclosure

A Board Member or employee must disclose a Substantial Interest in a business, contract, or real property that would confer a benefit by their vote or decision. The Board Member or employee may not participate in the consideration of the matter subject to the vote or decision. Prior to the vote or decision, a Board Member shall file an affidavit citing the nature and extent of his or her interest with the Board Vice Chair or Ethics Officer. [Tex. Loc. Govt. Code, § 171.004]

A Board Member or employee may choose not to participate in a vote or decision based on an appearance of a conflict of interest and may file an affidavit documenting their recusal.

Section 8. Disclosure of Certain Relationships [Tex. Loc. Govt. Code, Ch. 176]

Definitions

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(1) A Local Government Officer is defined by Tex. Loc. Govt. Code § 176.001(4). A Local Government Of-

- (i) A member of the Board of Directors;
 - (ii) The President/CEO; or

(iii) A third party agent of Capital Metro, including an employee, who exercises discretion in the planning, recommending, selecting or contracting of a vendor.

- (2) A Family Member is a person related within the first degree by consanguinity or the second degree by affinity as defined by Tex. Govt. Code, Ch. 573.
- (3) A Family Relationship is a relationship between a person and another person within the third degree by consanguinity or the second degree by affinity as defined by Tex. Govt. Code, Ch. 573.
- (4) A Local Government Officer must file a Conflicts Disclosure Statement (FORM CIS) if:

(i) The person or certain Family Members received at least \$2,500 in taxable income (other than investment income) from a vendor or potential vendor in the last twelve (12) months through an employment or other business relationship;

(ii) The person or certain Family Members received gifts from a vendor or potential vendor with an aggregate value greater than \$100 in the last 12 months; or

(iii) The vendor (or an employee of the vendor) has a Family Relationship with the Local Government Officer.

(5) A vendor doing business with Capital Metro or seeking to do business with Capital Metro is required to file a completed questionnaire (FORM CIQ) disclosing the vendor's affiliations or business relationship with any Board Member or local government officer or his or her Family Member.

Section 9. Duty to Report and Prohibition on Retaliation

Board Members and employees have a duty to promptly report any violation or possible violation of this Code of Ethics, as well as any actual or potential violation of laws, regulations, or policies and procedures to the hotline, the Capital Metro Ethics Officer or the Board Ethics Officer.

Any employee who reports a violation will be treated with dignity and respect and will not be subjected to any form of retaliation for reporting truthfully and in good faith. Any retaliation is a violation of the Code of Ethics and may also be a violation of the law, and as such, could subject both the individual offender and Capital Metro to legal liability.

Section 10. Penalties for Violation of the Code of Ethics

In addition to turning over evidence of misconduct to the proper law enforcement agency when appropriate, the following penalties may be enforced:

(1) If a Board Member does not comply with the requirements of this policy, the Board member may be subject to censure or removal from the Board in accordance with Section 451.511 of the Texas Transportation Code.

(2) If an employee does not comply with the requirements of this policy, the employee shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action up to and including termination.

(3) Any individual or business entity contracting or attempting to contract with Capital Metro which offers, confers or agrees to confer any benefit as consideration for a Board Member's or employee's decision, opinion, recommendation, vote or other exercise of discretion as a public servant in exchange for the Board Member's or employee's having exercised his official powers or performed his official duties, or which attempts to communicate with a Board Member or Capital Metro employee regarding details of a procurement or other contract opportunity in violation of Section 5, or which participates in the violation of any provision of this Policy may have its existing Capital Metro contracts terminated and may be excluded from future business with Capital Metro for a period of time as determined appropriate by the President/CEO.

(4) Any individual who makes a false statement in a complaint or during an investigation of a complaint with regard to a matter that is a subject of this policy is in violation of this Code of Ethics and is subject to its penalties. In addition, Capital Metro may pursue any and all available legal and equitable remedies against the person making the false statement or complaint.

Section 11. Miscellaneous Provisions

(1) This Policy shall be construed liberally to effectuate its purposes and policies and to supplement such existing laws as they may relate to the conduct of Board Members and employees.

(2) Within sixty (60) days of the effective date for the adoption of this Code each Board Member and employee of Capital Metro will receive a copy of the Code and sign a statement acknowledging that they have read, understand and will comply with Capital Metro's Code of Ethics. New Board Members and employees will receive a copy of the Code and are required to sign this statement when they begin office or at the time of initial employment.

(3) Board Members and employees shall participate in regular training related to ethical conduct, this Code of Ethics and related laws and policies.

8. <u>RESERVED</u>

9. TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION CERTIFICATION

In accordance with Section 2252.908, Texas Government Code, upon request of the Authority, the selected contractor may be required to electronically submit a "Certificate of Interested Parties" with the Texas Ethics Commission in the form required by the Texas Ethics Commission, and furnish the Authority with the original signed and notarized document prior to the time the Authority signs the contract. The form can be found at <u>www.ethics.state.tx.us.</u> Questions regarding the form should be directed to the Texas Ethics Commission.

10. TEXAS LABOR CODE CERTIFICATION (CONSTRUCTION ONLY)

Contractor certifies that Contractor will provide workers' compensation insurance coverage on every employee of the Contractor employed on the Project. Contractor shall require that each Subcontractor employed on the Project provide workers' compensation insurance coverage on every employee of the Subcontractor employed on the Project and certify coverage to Contractor as required by Section 406.96 of the Texas Labor Code, and submit the Subcontractor's certificate to the Authority prior to the time the Subcontractor performs any work on the Project.

11. CERTIFICATION REGARDING ISRAEL

As applicable and in accordance with Section 2270.002 of the Texas Government Code, the Contractor certifies that it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this Contract.

12. <u>CERTIFICATION REGARDING FOREIGN TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS</u>

Contractor certifies and warrants that it is not engaged in business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization, as prohibited by Section 2252.152 of the Texas Government Code.

13. VERIFICATION REGARDING FIREARM ENTITIES AND FIREARM TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

As applicable and in accordance with Section 2274.002 of the Texas Government Code, Contractor verifies that it does not have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association and will not discriminate during the term of the Contract against a firearm entity or firearm trade association.

14. CERTIFICATION OF PRIME CONTRACTOR PARTICIPATION

(a) The Prime Contractor certifies that it shall perform no less than thirty percent (30%) of the work with his own organization. The on-site production of materials produced by other than the Prime Contractor's forces shall be considered as being subcontracted.

(b) The organization of the specifications into divisions, sections, articles, and the arrangement and titles of the project drawings shall not control the Prime Contractor in dividing the work among subcontractors or in establishing the extent of the work to be performed by any trade.

(c) The offeror further certifies that no more than seventy percent (70%) of the work will be done by subcontractors.

15. SIGNATURE BLOCK FOR ALL REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

(a) These representations and certifications concern a material representation of fact upon which reliance will be placed in awarding a contract. If it is later determined that the offeror knowingly rendered an erroneous or false certification, in addition to all other remedies the Authority may have, the Authority may terminate the contract for default and/or recommend that the offeror be debarred or suspended from doing business with the Authority in the future.

(b) The offeror shall provide immediate written notice to the Authority if, at any time prior to contract award, the offeror learns that the offeror's certification was, or a subsequent communication makes, the certification erroneous.

(c) Offerors must set forth full, accurate and complete information as required by this solicitation (including this attachment). Failure of an offeror to do so may render the offer nonresponsive.

(d) A false statement in any offer submitted to the Authority may be a criminal offense in violation of Section 37.10 of the Texas Penal Code.

(e) I understand that a false statement on this certification may be grounds for rejection of this submittal or termination of the awarded contract.

Name of Offeror:

Medical Transportation Management, Inc.

Type/Print Name of Signatory: Alaina Maciá

Signature:

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Date:

9/21/2021

EXHIBIT E – REVISED - 1 CONTRACTUAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS (SERVICES CONTRACT)

1. **DEFINITIONS**

As used throughout this Contract, the following terms shall have the meaning set forth below:

(a) "Applicable Anti-Corruption and Bribery Laws" means international, federal, state, provincial and local laws, rules, regulations, directives and governmental requirements currently in effect and as they become effective relating in any way to the Contractor's provision of goods and/or services to Authority, including without limitation "FCPA" or any applicable laws and regulations, including in the jurisdiction in which the Contractor operates and/or manufactures goods for the Authority, relating to anti-corruption and bribery.

(b) "Authority", "Capital Metro", "Cap Metro", "CMTA" means Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority.

(c) "Authority Data" means all data, content and information (i) submitted by or on behalf of the Authority or its customers to the Contractor or loaded into the System, (ii) obtained, developed, produced or processed by the Contractor or by the Application or System in connection with the Contract, or (iii) to which the Contractor has access in connection with the Contract, and all derivative versions of such data, content and information, and any derivative versions thereof, in any form or format.

(d) "Authority Electronic Property" means (i) any websites controlled by the Authority, (ii) any Authority mobile device apps, (iii) any application programming interfaces (API) to the Authority's information technology systems, (iv) any other kiosks, devices or properties for consumer interaction that are created, owned, or controlled by the Authority, and (v) versions and successors of the foregoing, any form or format now known or later developed, that may be used by customers obtaining products or services from the Authority.

(e) "Change Order" means a written order to the Contractor signed by the Contracting Officer, issued after execution of the Contract, authorizing a change in the term or scope of the Contract.

(f) "Contract" or "Contract Documents" means this written agreement between the parties comprised of all the documents listed in the Table of Contents, Change Orders and/or Contract Modifications that may be entered into by the parties.

(g) "Contract Award Date" means the date of the Contract award notice, which may take the form of a purchase order, signed Contract or Notice of Award, issued by the Authority.

(h) "Contract Modification" means any changes in the terms or provisions of the Contract which are reduced to writing and fully executed by both parties.

(i) "Contract Sum" means the total compensation payable to the Contractor for performing the Services as originally contracted for or as subsequently adjusted by Contract Modification.

(j) "Contract Term" means period of performance set forth in the paragraph entitled "Term" contained in Exhibit E.

(k) "Contracting Officer" means a person with the authority to enter into, administer, and/or terminate contracts and make related determinations and finding on behalf of the Authority. The term includes certain authorized representatives of the Contracting Officer acting within the limits of their authority as delegated by the Contracting Officer.

(I) "Contractor" means the entity that has assumed the legal obligation to perform the Services as identified in the Contract.

(m) "Days" means calendar days. In computing any period of time established under this Contract, the day of the event from which the designated period of time begins to run shall not be included, but the last day shall be included unless it is a Saturday, Sunday, or Federal or State of Texas holiday, in which event the period shall run to the end of the next business day.

(n) "Deliverables" means (i) any deliverables or other work product that will be generated, prepared, created, or developed by the Contractor (or such third parties as the Contractor may be permitted to engage) at any time following the effective date of the Contract for the use by the Authority under the Contract or (ii) the meaning set forth Exhibit IT to the extent such exhibit is incorporated by reference in the Contract, as applicable.

(o) "FAR" means the Federal Acquisition Regulations codified in 48 C.F.R. Title 48.

(p) "FCPA" means the United States Foreign Corrupt Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78dd-1, et seq., as amended.

(q) "Force Majeure Event" means strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disputes; explosions, epidemics, civil disturbances, acts of domestic or foreign terrorism, wars within the continental United States, riots or insurrections; embargos, natural disasters, including but not limited to landslides, earthquakes, floods or washouts; interruptions by government or court orders; declarations of emergencies by applicable federal, state or local authorities; and present or future orders of any regulatory body having proper jurisdiction.

(r) "FTA" means the Federal Transit Administration.

(s) "Fully Burdened Hourly Labor Rate" means an hourly rate that includes all salary, overhead costs, general and administrative expenses, and profit.

(t) "Intellectual Property Rights" means the worldwide legal rights or interests evidenced by or embodied in: (i) any software, design, method, process, technique, apparatus, invention, discovery, or improvement, including any patents, trade secrets, and know-how; (ii) any work of authorship, including any copyrights, and any derivative works thereto; (iii) any trademark, service mark, trade dress, trade name, or other indicia of source or origin; (iv) domain name registrations; and (v) any other proprietary or similar rights. The Intellectual Property Rights of a party include all worldwide legal rights or interests that the party may have acquired by assignment or license with the right to grant sublicenses.

(u) "Manufacturing Materials" mean any completed or partially completed supplies and materials, parts, dies, jigs, fixtures, plans, drawings, information, and contract rights specifically produced or specially acquired by the Contractor for the performance of the Contract.

(v) "Notice of Award" means formal notice of award of the Contract to the Contractor issued by the Contracting Officer.

(w) "Notice to Proceed" means written authorization for the Contractor to start the Services.

(x) "Project Manager" means the designated individual to act on behalf of the Authority, to monitor and certify the technical progress of the Contractor's Services under the terms of this Contract.

(y) "Proposal" means the offer of the proposer, submitted on the prescribed form, stating prices for performing the work described in the Scope of Services.

(z) "Services" means the services to be performed by the Contractor under this Contract, and includes services performed, workmanship, and supplies furnished or utilized in the performance of the Services.

(aa) "Subcontract" means the Contract between the Contractor and its Subcontractors.

(bb) "Subcontractor" means subcontractors of any tier.

(cc) "Works" means any tangible or intangible items or things that have been or will be specifically, generated, prepared, created, or developed by the Contractor (or such third parties as the Contractor may be permitted to engage) at any time following the effective date of the Contract, for the exclusive use of, and ownership by, Authority under the Contract, including but not limited to any (i) works of authorship (such as literary works, musical works, dramatic works, choreographic works, pictorial, graphic and sculptural works, motion pictures and other audiovisual works, sound recordings and architectural works, which includes but is not limited to manuals, instructions, printed material, graphics, artwork, images, illustrations, photographs, computer software, scripts, object code, source code or other programming code, HTML code, data, information, multimedia files, text web pages or web sites, other written or machine readable expression of such works fixed in any tangible media, and all other copyrightable works), (ii) trademarks, service marks, trade dress, trade names, logos, or other indicia of source or origin, (iii) ideas, designs, concepts, personality rights, methods, processes, techniques, apparatuses, inventions, formulas, discoveries, or improvements, including any patents, trade secrets and know-how, (iv) domain names, (v) any copies, and similar or derivative works to any of the foregoing, and (vi) all documentation and materials related to any of the foregoing.

2. FIXED PRICE CONTRACT

(a) This is a fixed price Contract for the Services specified and stated elsewhere in the Contract.

3. <u>TERM</u>

The term of the Contract shall be three (3) years from the Contract notice to proceed. No Services shall be performed under this Contract prior to issuance of a Notice to Proceed.

4. OPTION TO EXTEND CONTRACT TERM

The Authority shall have the unilateral right and option to extend the Contract for up to two (2) option periods for a twelve (12) month duration each at the option prices set forth in Exhibit A - Pricing Schedule upon written notice to the Contractor.

5. ADDITIONAL OPTION TO EXTEND CONTRACT PERFORMANCE

If the options granted in Paragraph 4 have been exercised in their entirety, the Authority shall have the unilateral right and option to require continued performance of any services within the limits and rates specified in the Contract. This option may be exercised more than once, but the extension of performance hereunder shall not exceed a total of 6 months. The Authority may exercise the option by written notice to the Contractor.

6. INVOICING AND PAYMENT

(a) Invoices may be submitted once per month for work completed and accepted by the Authority, and marked "Original" to:

Accounts Payable Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority P.O. Box 6308 Austin, Texas 78762-6308

Or via e-mail to: ap_invoices@capmetro.org

and shall conform to policies or regulations adopted from time to time by the Authority. Invoices shall be legible and shall contain, as a minimum, the following information:

- (1) the Contract and order number (if any);
- (2) a complete itemization of all costs including quantities ordered and delivery order numbers (if any);
- (3) any discounts offered to the Authority under the terms of the Contract;

- (4) evidence of the acceptance of the supplies or Services by the Authority; and
- (5) any other information necessary to demonstrate entitlement to payment under the terms of the Contract.

(b) All undisputed invoices shall be paid within the time period allowed by law through the Texas Prompt Payment Act, Tex. Gov't Code § 2251.021(b).

(c) The Contractor shall be responsible for all costs/expenses not otherwise specified in this Contract, including by way of example, all costs of equipment provided by the Contractor or Subcontractor(s), all fees, fines, licenses, bonds, or taxes required or imposed against the Contractor and Subcontractor(s), travel related expenses, and all other Contractor's costs of doing business.

(d) In the event an overpayment is made to the Contractor under this Contract or the Authority discovers that the Authority has paid any invoices or charges not authorized under this Contract, the Authority may offset the amount of such overpayment or unauthorized charges against any indebtedness owed by the Authority to the Contractor, whether arising under this Contract or otherwise, including withholding payment of an invoice, in whole or in part, or the Authority may deduct such amounts from future invoices. If an overpayment is made to the Contractor under this Contract which cannot be offset under this Contract, the Contractor shall remit the full overpayment amount to the Authority within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of the written notice of such overpayment or such other period as the Authority may agree. The Authority reserves the right to withhold payment of an invoice, in whole or in part, or deduct the overpayment from future invoices to recoup the overpayment.

7. <u>RESERVED</u>

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9. INSURANCE

The Contractor shall furnish proof of Capital Metro-stipulated insurance requirements specified below. All in-(a) surance policies shall be primary and non-contributing with any other valid and collectible insurance or self-insurance available to the Authority and shall contain a contract waiver of subrogation in favor of the Authority. The Contractor shall furnish to the Authority certificate(s) of insurance evidencing the required coverage and endorsement(s) and, upon request, a certified duplicate original of any of those policies. Prior to the expiration of a certificate of insurance, a new certificate of insurance shall be furnished to the Authority showing continued coverage. Each policy shall be endorsed to provide thirty (30) days written notice of cancellation or non-renewal to the Authority and the Authority shall be named as an Additional Insured under each policy except Professional Liability insurance if required by this Contract. All insurance policies shall be written by reputable insurance company or companies acceptable to the Authority with a current Best's Insurance Guide Rating of A+ and Class XIII or better. All insurance companies shall be authorized to transact business in the State of Texas. The Contractor shall notify the Authority in writing of any material alteration of such policies, including any change in the retroactive date in any "claims-made" policy or substantial reduction of aggregate limits, if such limits apply or cancellation thereof at least thirty (30) days prior thereto. The below requirements only represent the minimum coverage acceptable to the Authority and these requirements are not intended to represent the maximum risk or the maximum liability of the Contractor. The Contractor shall be responsible for setting its own insurance requirements, if any, for the kind and amounts of insurance to be carried by its Subcontractors in excess of the insurance required by the Authority.

The Contractor shall carry and pay the premiums for insurance of the types and in the amounts stated below.

CAPITAL METRO MINIMUM COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS

(1) **Commercial General Liability Insurance** Coverage with limits of not less than One Million Dollars and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000) Combined Single Limit of Liability for Bodily Injury and Property Damage including products Liability.

(2) **Automobile Liability Insurance** covering all owned, hired and non-owned automobiles used in connection with work with limits not less than One Million Dollars and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000) Combined Single Limit of Liability for Bodily Injury and Property Damage.

(3) Workers' Compensation Insurance. Statutory Workers' Compensation coverage in the State of Texas.

(4) **Employer Liability Insurance** with minimum limits of One Million Dollars and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000).

(5) **Other Insurance:**

Professional Liability Insurance covering negligent acts, errors and omissions arising from the Contractor's work to pay damages for which the Contractor may become legally obligated. Minimum limits of liability shall be not less than One Million Dollars and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000) on an annual aggregate basis.

(b) The limits of liability as required above may be provided by a single policy of insurance or by a combination of primary, excess or umbrella policies but in no event shall the total limits of liability available for any one occurrence or accident be less than the amount required above.

(c) The Contractor, and all of its insurers shall, in regard to the above stated insurance, agree to waive all rights of recovery or subrogation against the Authority, its directors, officers, employees, agents, successors and assigns, and the Authority's insurance companies arising out of any claims for injury(ies) or damages resulting from the Services performed by or on behalf of the Contractor under this Contract and/or use of any Authority premises or equipment under this Contract.

(d) Each insurance policy shall contain the following endorsements: PRIMARY AND NON-CONTIBUTORY IN-SURANCE and WAIVER OF TRANFER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS, which shall be evidenced on the Certificate of Insurance. The General Liability insurance shall include contractual endorsement(s) which acknowledge all indemnification requirements under the Agreement. All required endorsements shall be evidenced on the Certificate of Insurance, which shall be evidenced on the Certificate of Insurance. Proof that insurance coverage exists shall be furnished to the Authority by way of a Certificate of Insurance before any part of the Contract work is started.

(e) If any insurance coverage required to be provided by the Contractor is canceled, terminated, or modified so that the required insurance coverages are no longer in full force and effect, the Authority may terminate this Contract or obtain insurance coverages equal to the required coverage, the full cost of which will be the responsibility of the Contractor and shall be deducted from any payment due the Contractor.

(f) If any part of the Contract is sublet, the Contractor shall be liable for its Subcontractor's insurance coverages of the types and in the amounts stated above, and shall furnish the Authority with copies of such Certificates of Insurance. No delay in the Services caused by the Contractor's enforcement of its Subcontractor's insurance requirements shall be excusable delay in the Contract. In the event a Subcontractor is unable to furnish insurance in the limits required under the Contract, the Contractor shall endorse the Subcontractor as an ADDITIONAL INSURED on the Contractor's policies.

(g) All insurance required to be maintained or provided by the Contractor shall be with companies and through policies approved by The Authority. The Authority reserves the right to inspect in person, prior to the commencement of the Services, all of the Contractor's insurance policy required under this Contract.

(h) The Contractor must furnish proof of the required insurance within five (5) days of the award of the Contract. Certificate of Insurance must indicate the Contract number and description. The insurance certificate should be furnished to the attention of the Contracting Officer.

(i) The Contractor and its lower tier Subcontractors are required to cooperate with the Authority and report all potential claims (workers' compensation, general liability and automobile liability) pertaining to this Contract to the Authority's Risk Management Department at (512) 389-7549 within two (2) days of the incident.

10. PERFORMANCE OF SERVICES BY THE CONTRACTOR

Except as otherwise provided herein, the Contractor shall perform no less than thirty percent (30%) of the Services with its own organization. If, during the progress of Services hereunder, the Contractor requests a reduction in such performance percentage and the Authority determines that it would be to the Authority's advantage, the percentage of the Services required to be performed by the Contractor may be reduced; provided, written approval of such reduction is obtained by the Contractor from the Authority.

11. REMOVAL OF ASSIGNED PERSONNEL

The Authority may require, in writing, that the Contractor remove from the Services any employee or Subcontractor of the Contractor that the Authority deems inappropriate for the assignment.

12. <u>REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES</u>

The Contractor represents and warrants to the Authority, that the Services shall be performed in conformity with the descriptions and other data set forth in this Contract and with sound professional principles and practices in accordance with accepted industry standards, and that work performed by the Contractor's personnel shall reflect sound professional knowledge, skill and judgment. If any breach of the representations and warranties is discovered by the Authority during the process of the work or within one (1) year after acceptance of the work by the Authority, the Contractor shall again cause the nonconforming or inadequate work to be properly performed at the Contractor's sole expense and shall reimburse for costs directly incurred by the Authority as a result of reliance by the Authority on services failing to comply with the representations and warranties.

13. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

The Contractor's relationship to the Authority in the performance of this Contract is that of an independent contractor. The personnel performing Services under this Contract shall at all times be under the Contractor's exclusive direction and control and shall be employees of the Contractor and not employees of the Authority. The Contractor shall be fully liable for all acts and omissions of its employees, Subcontractors, and their suppliers and shall be specifically responsible for sufficient supervision and inspection to assure compliance in every respect with Contract requirements. There shall be no contractual relationship between any Subcontractor or supplier of the Contractor and the Authority by virtue of this Contract. The Contractor shall pay wages, salaries and other amounts due its employees in connection with this Agreement and shall be responsible for all reports and obligations respecting them, such as Social Security, income tax withholding, unemployment compensation, workers' compensation and similar matters.

14. <u>COMPOSITION OF CONTRACTOR</u>

If the Contractor hereunder is comprised of more than one legal entity, each such entity shall be jointly and severally liable hereunder.

15. SUBCONTRACTORS AND OUTSIDE CONSULTANTS

Any Subcontractors and outside associates or consultants required by the Contractor in connection with the Services covered by the Contract will be limited to such individuals or firms as were specifically identified and agreed to by the Authority in connection with the award of this Contract. Any substitution in such Subcontractors, associates, or consultants will be subject to the prior approval of the Authority.

16. EQUITABLE ADJUSTMENTS

(a) Any requests for equitable adjustments under any provision shall be governed by the following provisions:

(1) Upon written request, the Contractor shall submit a proposal, in accordance with the requirements and limitations set forth in this paragraph, for Services involving contemplated changes covered by the request. The proposal shall be submitted within the time limit indicated in the request for any extension of such time limit as may be subsequently granted. The Contractor's written statement of the monetary extent of a claim for equitable adjustment shall be submitted in the following form:

(i) Proposals totaling \$5,000 or less shall be submitted in the form of a lump sum proposal with supporting information to clearly relate elements of cost with specific items of Services involved to the satisfaction of the Contracting Officer, or his/her authorized representative.

(ii) For proposals in excess of \$5,000, the claim for equitable adjustment shall be submitted in the form of a lump sum proposal supported with an itemized breakdown of all increases and decreases in the Contract.

(b) No proposal by the Contractor for an equitable adjustment shall be allowed if asserted after final payment under this Contract.

17. PERSONNEL ASSIGNMENTS

(a) The Contractor shall perform the Services in an orderly and workmanlike manner, and shall utilize persons skilled and qualified for the performance of the Services. The Authority will have the right to review the experience of each person assigned to perform the Services and approve personnel assignments, including those to be performed by Subcontractors,

(b) The Contractor certifies that the Contractor, and each Subcontractor, have established a criminal history background policy that complies with guidance issued by the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission and that the Contractor and each Subcontractor conducts criminal history checks on its assigned personnel in accordance with such policy to identify, hire and assign personnel to work on this Contract whose criminal backgrounds are appropriate for the Services being performed, considering the risk and liability to the Contractor and the Authority. The Authority reserves the right to require the Contractor and any Subcontractor to disclose any criminal or military criminal convictions of assigned personnel and the right to disapprove the use of assigned personnel with criminal or military convictions.

(c) At the commencement of the Contract, the Contractor shall provide a list of candidates to be used to provide the Services and shall certify that a criminal history background check has been completed on each candidate within the preceding 6-month period Thereafter during the Term, the Contractor shall submit quarterly report containing a list of all persons (including Subcontractors) assigned to perform Services under the Contract and a certification that each named person has undergone a criminal background check as required by this Contract. The Authority shall have the right to audit the Contractor's records for compliance with the provisions of this Section. Criminal background checks shall include the following:

(1) State Criminal History: The Contractor shall research criminal history, including driving records (where applicable), covering all jurisdictions within the state, including local counties and municipalities.

(2) Out of State Criminal History: The Contractor shall research criminal history, including state driving records (where applicable), for all 50 states.

(3) National Sex Offender Registry

(4) Military Discharge: For any candidates that have served in the military, the Contractor shall review the DD Form 214 "Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty" (Long Form).

*Matters identified on the Long Form as military discipline will be considered in accordance with the corresponding crime listed below with respect to classification, severity and time elapsed.

The Contractor shall disclose to the Authority the type of arrests with pending dispositions and convictions for crimes according to the classification of offense and the timetable below:

Offense Type	Action Required	
Crimes Against the Person (other than sex crimes)		
Felony	Submit to Capital Metro for review if less than 10 years from date of release from confinement	
Class A or B Misdemeanor	Submit to Capital Metro for review if less than 7 years from date of conviction	
Class C Misdemeanor	Submit to Capital Metro for review if less than 5 years from date of conviction	
Crimes Against the Person	- Sex Crimes/Registered Sex Offenders	
ALL	Submit to Capital Metro for review	
Crimes Against Property		
Felony	Submit to Capital Metro for review if less than 10 years from date of release from confinement	
Moral Crimes, including, but not limited to: Drug Crimes, Prostitution, Bigamy, Illegal Gambling, Child Pornography		
Felony	Submit to Capital Metro for review if less than 10 years from date of release from confinement	
Class A or B Misdemeanor	Submit to Capital Metro for review if less than 7 years from date of conviction	
Class C Misdemeanor	Submit to Capital Metro for review if less than 5 years from date of conviction	
Driving Offenses		
Class A or B Misdemeanor, DWI/DUI or other "serious driving offense"	Disqualified if less than 7 years from date of conviction or deferred adjudication. Submit to Capital Metro for review if between 7-10 years since conviction or de- ferred adjudication or more than 2 convictions in a lifetime	
Class C Misdemeanor Moving Violations	Disqualified from driving if more than 2 moving violations in the past 5 years (Any more than one driving safety course taken for a moving violation that appears on a five (5) year record will be treated as a moving violation and will count against the employee)	

The Contractor may not assign an employee to provide Services if the employee has any conviction in the applicable categories listed above, unless an exception is granted by the Authority in accordance with subparagraph (d).

(d) The Contractor may request the Authority perform an individual assessment of a candidate with a criminal conviction meeting one of the above categories. In conducting an individual assessment, the Authority's review will include, but not be limited to, the following factors:

- (1) The nature and gravity of the offense or conduct;
- (2) The degree of harm caused by the offense or conduct;
- (3) The time that has elapsed since the conviction or completion of probation or jail time;
- (4) The nature of the job sought, including the job duties, environment and level of supervision;
- (5) Any incorrect criminal history;
- (6) Wrongful identification of the person;

(7) The facts and circumstances surrounding the offense or conduct;

(8) The number of offenses for which the candidate was convicted;

(9) The subsequent conviction for another relevant offense;

(10) The age of the person at the time of conviction or completion of probation or jail time;

(11) Evidence that the person performed the same type of work, post-conviction, with the same or different employer, with no known incidents of criminal conduct;

(12) The length and consistency of employment history before and after the conviction in a similar field as the current position sought;

(13) Rehabilitation efforts, e.g., education, treatment, training;

(14) Employment or character references and any other information regarding fitness for the particular position;

(15) Whether the person is bonded or licensed under any federal, state or local program or any licensing authority;

(16) The person's statement of the circumstances surrounding the offense and conviction and relevant factors is consistent with publicly available record related to the crime and conviction; and

(17) Any other factors deemed relevant in the consideration of a particular assessment.

At the time a request is made for an individual assessment, the Contractor must include the following documentation:

- the candidate's application/resume;
- a copy of the criminal conviction history, including those tried in a military tribunal;
- available court information related to the conviction;
- any publicly available information related to the offense and conviction;

• a statement from the candidate addressing any/all factors set forth above and explaining why the person is qualified for the assignment notwithstanding the conviction; and

• a statement from the candidate explaining why the person is an acceptable risk for the work to be performed by the candidate.

The Authority will provide a written decision to the Contractor within five (5) working days of receipt of all required documentation from the Contractor.

(e) The Contractor will conduct new criminal history background checks on all assigned personnel every two (2) years during the Contract to ensure the preceding criterion are still met by the assigned personnel and notify the Authority if an employee has a subsequent arrest with pending disposition or conviction (or change in driving record, as applicable) that requires further review by the Authority using the criterion set forth above. The Authority reserves the right to request that the assigned individual be removed from performing work under this Contract.

18. BADGES AND ACCESS CONTROL DEVICES

(a) The Contractor and each of the Contractor's employees, as well as each Subcontractor of any tier and any workers working on behalf of Subcontractor, shall be required to wear a Capital Metro Contractor Photo Identification

Badge ("badge") at all times while on the Authority's premises. The badge will be provided by Capital Metro. If any badge holder loses or misplaces his or her badge, the Contractor shall immediately notify the Project Manager upon discovery. The Contractor will be charged a \$50.00 replacement fee for each lost or misplaced badge, which fee shall be deducted any amounts due and owing to the Contractor or if the Contract is terminated upon demand by the Authority. The Contractor shall return all badges provided when any badge holder is no longer working on the Contract, and all badges shall be returned upon completion of the Contract. In the event the Contractor fails to do so, the Contractor will pay a \$50.00 per badge fee deducted from any amounts due and owing to the Contractor or if the Contract is terminated upon demand by the Authority. All badges should be returned to the Project Manager. All requests for new and replacement badges must be submitted in writing to the Project Manager. The misuse of a badge may result in termination of the Contract.

(b) Access Control Devices will be issued to employees of the Contractor and to each Subcontractor of any tier and any worker working on behalf of Subcontractor as necessary to perform the Contract. Access Control Devices are not transferable between the Contractor employees or workers working on behalf of the Subcontractor. The Contractor employees and workers on behalf of the Subcontractor are prohibited from loaning Access Control Devices or providing access to an unauthorized person into restricted areas without prior arrangements with the Project Manager. All requests for new and replacement Access Control Devices must be submitted in writing to the Project Manager. Lost Access Control Devices must be reported to the Project Manager immediately upon discovery. All Access Control Devices should be returned to the Project Manager. The misuse of an Access Control Device(s) may result in termination of the Contract. The Contractor shall return all Access Control Devices once an assigned employee or worker is no longer working on the Contract or upon termination of the Contract. In the event the Contractor fails to do so, then the Contractor shall be responsible for the replacement cost of an Access Control Device which shall be deducted from any amounts due and owing to the Contractor or payable on demand if the Contract has terminated. The replacement cost will be calculated at current market value to include labor and materials.

(c) The provisions of this paragraph survive termination of the Contract.

19. CHANGES

(a) The Authority may, at any time, by written order, make changes within the general scope of the Contract in the Services to be performed. If such changes cause an increase or decrease in the Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of any Services under this Contract, whether or not changed by any order, an equitable adjustment shall be made and the Contract shall be modified in writing accordingly. Any claim of the Contractor for adjustment under this paragraph must be asserted in writing within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt by the Contractor of the notification of change unless the Contracting Officer grants a further period of time before the date of final payment under the Contract.

(b) No Services for which an additional cost or fee will be charged by the Contractor shall be furnished without the prior written authorization of the Authority.

(c) Any other written order (which, as used in this paragraph (c), includes direction, instruction, interpretation, or determination) from the Contracting Officer that causes a change in the Contractor's obligations shall be treated as a Change Order under this paragraph; provided that the Contractor gives the Contracting Officer written notice stating (1) the date, circumstances, and source of the order and (2) that the Contractor regards the order as a Change Order.

(d) Except as provided in this paragraph, no order, statement, or conduct of the Contracting Officer shall be treated as a change under this paragraph or entitle the Contractor to an equitable adjustment.

(e) If any change under this paragraph causes an increase or decrease in the Contractor's cost of, or the time required for, the performance of any part of the Services under this Contract, whether or not changed by any such order, the Contracting Officer may make an equitable adjustment and modify the Contract in writing in accordance with the provisions in paragraph entitled "Equitable Adjustments" contained in Exhibit E.

20. TERMINATION FOR DEFAULT

(a) The Authority may, subject to the provisions of subparagraph (c) below, by written notice of default to the Contractor, terminate the whole or any part of this Contract in either one of the following circumstances:

(1) if the Contractor fails to perform the Services within the time specified herein or any extension thereof; or

(2) if the Contractor fails to perform any of the other provisions of this Contract and does not cure such failure within a period of ten (10) days (or such longer period as the Authority may authorize in writing) after receipt of notice from the Authority specifying such failure.

(b) In the event the Authority terminates this Contract in whole or in part as provided in subparagraph (a) of this paragraph, the Authority may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the Authority may deem appropriate, supplies or services similar to those so terminated, and the Contractor shall be liable to the Authority for any excess costs for such similar supplies or services; provided, that the Contractor shall continue the performance of this Contract to the extent, if any, it has not been terminated under the provisions of this subparagraph.

(c) Except with respect to the defaults of Subcontractors, the Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs if the failure to perform the Contract arises out of causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor. Such causes may include, but are not restricted to Force Majeure Events; provided, however, in every case the failure to must be beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor. If the failure to perform is caused by the default of a Subcontractor and if such default arises out of causes beyond the control of both the Contractor and Subcontractor and without the fault or negligence of either of them, the Contractor shall not be liable for any excess costs for failure to perform, unless the supplies or Services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit the Contractor to meet the required delivery schedule.

(d) If this Contract is terminated as provided in subparagraph (a), the Authority, in addition to any other rights provided in this subparagraph, may require the Contractor to transfer title and deliver to the Authority in the manner and to the extent directed by the Authority any Manufacturing Materials as the Contractor has specifically produced or specifically acquired for the performance of such part of this Contract as has been terminated; and the Contractor shall, upon direction of the Authority, protect and preserve property in possession of the Contractor in which the Authority has an interest. Payment for completed Manufacturing Materials delivered to and accepted by the Authority shall be at the Contract price. The Authority may withhold from amounts otherwise due the Contractor for such completed Manufacturing Materials to be necessary to protect the Authority against loss because of outstanding liens or claims of former lien holders.

(e) If, after notice of termination of this Contract under the provisions of this paragraph, it is determined by the Authority that the Contractor was not in default or that the default was excusable under the provisions of this paragraph, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be those provided in the paragraph entitled "Termination for Convenience" contained in this Exhibit E.

(f) The rights and remedies of the Authority provided in this paragraph shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.

21. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

(a) The Authority may, whenever the interests of the Authority so require, terminate this Contract, in whole or in part, for the convenience of the Authority. The Authority shall give written notice of the termination to the Contractor specifying the part of the Contract terminated and when termination becomes effective.

(b) The Contractor shall incur no further obligations in connection with the terminated orders, and, on the date set forth in the notice of termination, the Contractor will stop providing Services to the extent specified. The Contractor also shall terminate outstanding orders and subcontracts as they relate to the terminated order. The Contractor shall settle the liabilities and claims arising out of the termination of subcontracts and orders connected with the terminated

orders. The Authority may direct the Contractor to assign the Contractor's right, title, and interest under terminated orders or Subcontracts to the Authority. The Contractor must still complete any orders not terminated by the notice of termination and may incur such obligations as are necessary to do so.

(c) The Authority may require the Contractor to transfer title and deliver to the Authority in the manner and to the extent directed by the Authority: (1) any completed supplies; and (2) such partially completed supplies and materials, parts, tools, dies, jigs, fixtures, plans, drawings, information and contract rights (hereinafter called "Manufacturing Materials") as the Contractor has specifically produced or specially acquired for the performance of the terminated part of this Contract. The Contractor shall, upon direction of the Authority, protect and preserve property in the possession of the Contractor in which the Authority has an interest. If the Authority does not exercise this right, the Contractor shall use its best efforts to sell such supplies and Manufacturing Materials.

(d) The Authority shall pay the Contractor the following amounts:

(1) Contract prices for supplies accepted under the Contract;

(2) costs incurred in preparing to perform and performing the terminated portion of the Services plus a fair and reasonable profit on such portion of the Services (such profit shall not include anticipatory profit or consequential damages), less amounts paid or to be paid for accepted supplies; provided, however, that if it appears that the Contractor would have sustained a loss if the entire Contract would have been completed, no profit shall be allowed or included, and the amount of compensation shall be reduced to reflect the anticipated rate of loss;

(3) costs of settling and paying claims arising out of the termination of subcontracts (these costs must not include costs paid in accordance with subparagraph (2) of this paragraph); and

(4) the reasonable settlement costs of the Contractor and other expenses reasonably necessary for the preparation of settlement claims and supporting data with respect to the terminated portion of the Contract and for the termination and settlement of subcontracts thereunder, together with reasonable storage, transportation, and other costs incurred in connection with the protection or disposition of property allocable to the terminated portion of this Contract.

(5) The total sum to be paid the Contractor under this paragraph shall not exceed the total Contract Sum plus the reasonable settlement costs of the Contractor reduced by the amount of payments otherwise made, the proceeds of any sales of supplies and Manufacturing Materials under this paragraph, and the contract price of orders not terminated.

22. CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION

The Contractor certifies that the fees in this Contract have been arrived at independently without consultation, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such fees with any other firm or with any competitor.

23. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY; DATA PRIVACY PROVISIONS

(a) Unless otherwise specified in Exhibit A Exhibits E and F to the Contract, the Deliverables and any Intellectual Property Rights therein shall be owned by the Contractor. The Contractor may use its own previously developed data, documentation, software, concepts, materials, or information, in whatever form, or develop the Deliverables in performing its services for the Authority.

(b) Unless otherwise specified in Exhibit A Exhibits E and F to the Contract, the Contractor hereby grants to the Authority the irrevocable, perpetual, non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-free right and license to use, execute, reproduce, display, perform, distribute copies of, and prepare derivative works of the Deliverables in connection with the sale, offering for sale, marketing, advertising, and promotion of the Authority's goods and services, and in all forms of media, media channels and/or publicity that may now exist or hereafter be created or developed, including but not limited to television, radio, print, Internet, and social media (e.g., Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, etc.) and to authorize its employees, contractors, personnel and service providers to do any or all of the foregoing on behalf of or for the Authority. The Contractor hereby irrevocably and forever waives, and agrees never to assert, any moral rights or

other rights of restraint or attribution in or to the Deliverables that the Contractor may now have or which may accrue to the Contractor's benefit under U.S. or foreign copyright laws and any and all other residual rights and benefits which arise under any other applicable law now in force or hereafter enacted.

(c) To the extent that any Intellectual Property Rights owned by a third-party are embodied, contained, reserved or reflected in the Deliverables, the Contractor shall either:

(1) grant to the Authority the irrevocable, perpetual, non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-free right and license to use, execute, reproduce, display, perform, distribute copies of, and prepare derivative works based upon such preexisting rights and any derivative works thereof in connection with the sale, offering for sale, marketing, advertising, and promotion of the Authority's goods and services, and in all forms of media, media channels and/or publicity that may now exist or hereafter be created or developed, including but not limited to television, radio, print, Internet, and social media (e.g., Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, etc.) and authorize others to do any or all of the foregoing, on behalf of or for the Authority; or

(2) where the obtaining of such rights is not reasonably practical or feasible, provide written notice to the Authority of such pre-existing or third party rights or limitations, request the Authority's approval of such pre-existing or third party rights, obtain a limited right and license to use such pre-existing or third party rights on such terms as may be reasonably negotiated, and obtain the Authority's written approval of such pre-existing or third party rights and the limited use of same. The Contractor shall provide the Authority with documentation indicating a third party's written approval for the Contractor to use any third-party rights that may be embodied, contained, reserved or reflected in the Works. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND HOLD THE AUTHORITY HARM-LESS FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, REGULATORY PROCEEDINGS AND/OR CAUSES OF ACTION, AND ALL LOSSES, DAMAGES, AND COSTS (INCLUDING ATTORNEYS' FEES AND SETTLEMENT COSTS) ARISING FROM OR RELATING TO, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ANY CLAIM OR ASSERTION BY ANY THIRD PARTY THAT THE DELIVERABLES INFRINGE ANY THIRD-PARTY RIGHTS. The foregoing indemnity obligation shall not apply to instances in which the Authority either:

(i) exceeded the scope of the limited license that was previously obtained by the Contractor and agreed to by the Authority, or

(ii) obtained information or materials, independent of the Contractor's involvement or creation, and provided such information or materials to the Contractor for inclusion in the Works, and such information or materials were included by the Contractor, in an unaltered and unmodified fashion, in the Deliverables.

(d) The Contractor hereby warrants and represents to the Authority that individuals or characters appearing or depicted in any advertisement, marketing, promotion, publicity or media, of any type or form that may now exist or hereafter be created or developed by or on behalf of the Contractor for the use by or benefit of the Authority, have provided their written consent for the use, reproduction, display, performance, and distribution of, and/or preparation of derivative works to, their persona or personality rights, including name, biographical information, picture, portrait, likeness, performance, voice and/or identity ("Personality Rights"), and have been compensated for such Personality Rights, if appropriate. If such permission has been obtained for a limited time, the Contractor shall be responsible for any costs associated with claims resulting from such use, etc., of the Personality Rights after the expiration of those time limits. THE CONTRACTOR AGREES TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD THE AUTHORITY HARMLESS FROM ANY CLAIMS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS FOR INVASION OF PRIVACY, INFRINGE-MENT OF THE RIGHT OF PUBLICITY, LIBEL, UNFAIR COMPETITION, FALSE ADVERTISING, INTENTIONAL OR NEGLIGENT INFLICTION OF EMOTIONAL DISTRESS, COPYRIGHT OR TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT, AND/OR CLAIMS FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES, RESULTING FROM SUCH USE, ETC., OF THE PERSONALITY RIGHTS.

(e) The Contractor and its subcontractors and their respective employees and personnel may have access to the Authority Data (including without limitation, personally identifiable information ("PII")) in connection with the performance of the Contract. PII shall be any information that identifies or describes a person or can be directly linked to a specific individual, including ridership and usage data. Examples of PII include, but are not limited to, name, address, phone or fax number, signature, date of birth, e-mail address, method of payment, ridership and travel pattern data. Customer Personally Identifiable Information, or Customer PII, means any PII relating to the Authority's customers.

To the extent any Authority Data (including PII) is made available to the Contractor under the Contract, the Contractor shall take reasonable steps maintain the confidentiality, security, safety, and integrity of all PII and other Authority Data in accordance with the Authority's Proprietary Rights and Data Security Addendum, which will be attached as an addendum to the Contract, as applicable.

(f) The Contractor and its subcontractors, employees and consultants may have require access to the Authority Electronic Property and related Authority Data in connection with the performance of services under the Contract. In such event, the Contractor agrees that it will, and it will cause its subcontractors and any of their respective employees and personnel to execute the Authority's Access and Use Agreement, which will be attached as an addendum to the Contract, as applicable.

This Section 23 will survive termination or expiration of this Agreement for any reason.

24. STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE

The Contractor shall perform the Services hereunder in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations. The Contractor shall use only licensed personnel to perform Services required by law to be performed by such personnel.

25. INSPECTIONS AND APPROVALS

(a) All Services performed by the Contractor or its Subcontractors or consultants shall be subject to the inspection and approval of the Authority at all times, but such approval shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for the proper performance of the Services. The Contractor shall provide sufficient, safe, and proper facilities at all times for such inspection of the Services and shall furnish all information concerning the Services and give the Authority or its representatives free access at all reasonable times to the facilities where the Services are performed.

(b) The Contractor shall provide and maintain an inspection system acceptable to the Authority covering the Services under this Contract. Complete records of all inspection work performed by the Contractor shall be maintained and made available to the Authority during Contract performance and for as long afterwards and the Contract requires.

(c) The Authority has the right to inspect and test all Services called for by this Contract, to the extent practicable, at all times and places during the term of the Contract. The Authority shall perform inspections and tests in a manner that will not unduly delay the Services.

(d) If any of the Services do not conform with Contract requirements, the Authority may require the Contractor to perform the Services again in conformity with the Contract requirements, at no increase in the Contract Sum. When the defects in services cannot be corrected by performance, the Authority may (1) require the Contractor to take necessary action to ensure that future performance conforms to Contract requirements and (2) reduce the Contract Sum to reflect the reduced value of the Services performed.

(e) If the Contractor fails promptly to perform the Services again or to take the necessary action to ensure future performance in conformity with Contract requirements, the Authority may (1) by contract or otherwise, perform the Services and charge to the Contractor any cost incurred by the Authority that is directly related to the performance of such service or (2) terminate the Contract for default.

26. SUSPENSION OF SERVICES

(a) The Authority may order the Contractor in writing to suspend all or any part of the Services for such period of time as the Authority determines to be appropriate for the convenience of the Authority.

(b) If the performance of all or any part of the Services is, for an unreasonable period of time, suspended or delayed by an act of the Authority in the administration of this Contract, or by the Authority's failure to act within the time specified in this Contract (or, if no time is specified, within a reasonable time), an adjustment shall be made for any

increase in cost of performance of this Contract (excluding profit) necessarily caused by such unreasonable suspension or delay, and the Contract modified in writing accordingly. However, no adjustment shall be made under this paragraph for any suspension or delay to the extent (1) that performance would have suspended or delayed by any other cause, including the fault or negligence of the Contractor, or (2) for which an equitable adjustment is provided for or excluded under any other provision of this Contract.

(c) No claim under this paragraph shall be allowed (1) for any costs incurred more than twenty (20) days before the Contractor shall have notified the Authority in writing of the act or failure to act involved (but this requirement shall not apply to a claim resulting from a suspension order), and (2) unless the claim, in an amount stated, is asserted in writing as soon as practicable after the termination of such suspension or delay, but not later than the date of final payment. No part of any claim based on the provisions of this subparagraph shall be allowed if not supported by adequate evidence showing that the cost would not have been incurred but for a delay within the provisions of this paragraph.

27. PAYMENT TO SUBCONTRACTORS

(a) Payments by contractors to subcontractors associated with Authority contracts are subject to the time periods established in the Texas Prompt Payment Act, Tex. Gov't Code § 2251.

(b) A false certification to the Authority under the provisions of the paragraph entitled "Invoicing and Payment" hereof may be a criminal offense in violation of Tex. Penal Code § 10.

28. FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

The Contract Sum includes all applicable federal, state, and local taxes and duties. The Authority is exempt from taxes imposed by the State of Texas and local sales and use taxes under Texas Tax Code § 151.309, and any such taxes included on any invoice received by the Authority shall be deducted from the amount of the invoice for purposes of payment. The Contractor may claim exemption from payment of applicable State taxes by complying with such procedures as may be prescribed by the State Comptroller of Public Accounts. The Contractor bears sole and total responsibility for obtaining information pertaining to such exemption.

29. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

During the performance of this Contract, the Contractor agrees that it will, in good faith, afford equal opportunity required by applicable federal, state, or local law to all employees and applicants for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability or any other characteristic protected by federal, state or local law.

30. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

(a) Reference is made to Exhibit B, Representations and Certifications, Code of Ethics, which is incorporated herein and made a part of this Contract. Capitalized terms used in this paragraph and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings as described to them in the Code of Ethics.

(b) The Contractor represents that no Employee has a Substantial Interest in the Contractor or this Contract, which Substantial Interest would create or give rise to a Conflict of Interest. The Contractor further represents that no person who has a Substantial Interest in the Contractor and is or has been employed by the Authority for a period of two (2) years prior to the date of this Contract has or will (1) participate, for the Contractor, in a recommendation, bid, proposal or solicitation on any Authority contract, procurement or personnel administration matter, or (2) receive any pecuniary benefit from the award of this Contract through an ownership of a Substantial Interest (as that term is defined in Paragraph II, subparagraphs (1) and (3) of the Code of Ethics) in a business entity or real property.

(c) The Contractor agrees to ensure that the Code of Ethics is not violated as a result of the Contractor's activities in connection with this Contract. The Contractor agrees to immediately inform the Authority if it becomes aware of the existence of any such Substantial Interest or Conflict of Interest, or the existence of any violation of the Code of Ethics arising out of or in connection with this Contract.

(d) The Authority may, in its sole discretion, require the Contractor to cause an immediate divestiture of such Substantial Interest or elimination of such Conflict of Interest, and failure of the Contractor to so comply shall render this Contract voidable by the Authority. Any willful violation of these provisions, creation of a Substantial Interest or existence of a Conflict of Interest with the express or implied knowledge of the Contractor shall render this Contract voidable by the Authority.

(e) In accordance with paragraph 176.006, Texas Local Government Code, "vendor" is required to file a conflict of interest questionnaire within seven business days of becoming aware of a conflict of interest under Texas law. The conflict of interest questionnaire can be obtained from the Texas Ethics Commission at <u>www.ethics.state.tx.us</u>. The questionnaire shall be sent to the Authority's Contract Administrator.

31. <u>GRATUITIES</u>

The Authority may cancel this Contract, without liability to the Contractor, if it is found that gratuities in the form of entertainment, gifts, or otherwise were offered or given by the Contractor or any agent or representative to any Authority official or employee with a view toward securing favorable treatment with respect to the performance of this Contract. In the event this Contract is canceled by the Authority pursuant to this provision, the Authority shall be entitled, in addition to any other rights and remedies, to recover from the Contractor a sum equal in amount to the cost incurred by the Contractor in providing such gratuities.

32. PUBLICATIONS

All published material and written reports submitted under this Contract must be originally developed material unless otherwise specifically provided in the Contract document. When material, not originally developed, is included in a report, it shall have the source identified. This provision is applicable when the material is in a verbatim or extensive paraphrased format.

33. <u>REQUEST FOR INFORMATION</u>

(a) The Contractor shall not provide information generated or otherwise obtained in the performance of its responsibilities under this Contract to any party other than the Authority and its authorized agents except as otherwise provided by this Contract or after obtaining the prior written permission of the Authority.

(b) This Contract, all data and other information developed pursuant to this Contract shall be subject to the Texas Public Information Act. The Authority shall comply with all aspects of the Texas Public Information Act.

(c) The Contractor is instructed that any requests for information regarding this Contract and any deliverables shall be referred to the Authority.

(d) The requirements of Subchapter J, Chapter 552, Government Code, may apply to this **contract** and the contractor or vendor agrees that the contract can be terminated if the contractor or vendor knowingly or intentionally fails to comply with a requirement of that subchapter.

(1) The requirement of Subchapter J, Chapter 552, Government Code as amended currently applies to expenditures of at least \$1 million in public funds for the purchase of goods or services.

34. RIGHTS TO PROPOSAL AND CONTRACTUAL MATERIAL

(a) All documentation related to or prepared in connection with any proposal, including the contents of any proposal contracts, responses, inquiries, correspondence, and all other material submitted in connection with the proposal shall become the property of the Authority upon receipt.

(b) All documents, reports, data, graphics and other materials produced under this Contract shall become the sole possession of the Authority upon receipt and payment, subject only to the Contractor's professional obligation to maintain copies of its work product.

35. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

In no event shall the Authority or its officers, directors, agents or employees be liable in contract or tort, to the Contractor or its Subcontractors for special, indirect, incidental or consequential damages, resulting from the Authority's performance, nonperformance, or delay in performance of its obligations under this Contract, or the Authority's termination of the Contract with or without cause, or the Authority's suspension of the Services. This limitation of liability shall not apply to intentional tort or fraud. The Contractor shall include similar liability provisions in all its Subcontracts.

36. LAWS, STATUTES AND OTHER GOVERNMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

The Contractor agrees that it shall be in compliance with all laws, statutes, and other governmental requirements, regulations or standards prevailing during the term of this Contract.

37. <u>CLAIMS</u>

In the event that any claim, demand, suit, or other action is made or brought by any person, firm, corporation, or other entity against the Contractor arising out of this Contract, the Contractor shall give written notice thereof, to the Authority within three (3) working days after being notified of such claim, demand, suit, or action. Such notice shall state the date and hour of notification of any such claim, demand, suit, or other action; the name and address of the person, firm, corporation, or other entity making such claim or instituting or threatening to institute any type of action or proceeding; the basis of such claim, action, or proceeding; and the name of any person against whom such claim is being made or threatened. Such written notice shall be delivered either personally or by mail and shall be directly sent to the attention of the President/CEO, Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority, 2910 E. 5th Street, Austin, Texas 78702.

38. LICENSES AND PERMITS

The Contractor shall, without additional expense to the Authority, be responsible for obtaining any necessary licenses, permits, and approvals for complying with any federal, state, county, municipal, and other laws, codes, and regulations applicable to the Services to be provided under this Contract including, but not limited to, any laws or regulations requiring the use of licensed Subcontractors to perform parts of the work.

39. NOTICE OF LABOR DISPUTES

(a) If the Contractor has knowledge that any actual or potential labor dispute is delaying or threatens to delay the timely performance of this Contract, the Contractor immediately shall give notice, including all relevant information, to the Authority.

(b) The Contractor agrees to insert the substance of this paragraph, including this subparagraph (b), in any Subcontract under which a labor dispute may delay the timely performance of this Contract; except that each Subcontract shall provide that in the event its timely performance is delayed or threatened by delay by any actual or potential labor dispute, the Subcontractor shall immediately notify the next higher tier Subcontractor or the Contractor, as the case may be, of all relevant information concerning the dispute.

40. PUBLICITY RELEASES

All publicity releases or releases of reports, papers, articles, maps, or other documents in any way concerning this Contract or the Services hereunder which the Contractor or any of its Subcontractors desires to make for the purposes of publication in whole or in part, shall be subject to approval by the Authority prior to release.

41. INTEREST OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS

The Contractor represents and warrants that no employee, official, or member of the Board of the Authority is or will be pecuniarily interested or benefited directly or indirectly in this Contract. The Contractor further represents and warrants that it has not offered or given gratuities (in the form of entertainment, gifts or otherwise) to any employee, official, or member of the Board of the Authority with a view toward securing favorable treatment in the awarding,

amending, or evaluating the performance of this Contract. For breach of any representation or warranty in this paragraph, the Authority shall have the right to terminate this Contract without liability and/or have recourse to any other remedy it may have at law or in equity.

42. INDEMNIFICATION

(a) THE CONTRACTOR WILL INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND HOLD THE AUTHORITY AND ITS OFFICERS, DI-RECTORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS AND REPRESENTATIVES (THE AUTHORITY AND EACH SUCH PERSON OR ENTITY IS AN "INDEMNIFIED PARTY") HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST AND PAY ANY AND ALL DAM-AGES (AS DEFINED HEREIN) DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY RESULTING FROM, RELATING TO, ARISING OUT OF OR ATTRIBUTABLE TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

(1) ANY BREACH OF ANY REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY THAT THE CONTRACTOR HAS MADE IN THIS CONTRACT;

(2) ANY BREACH, VIOLATION OR DEFAULT BY OR THROUGH THE CONTRACTOR OR ANY OF ITS SUBCONTRACTORS OF ANY OBLIGATION OF THE CONTRACTOR IN THIS CONTRACT OR ANY OTHER AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CONTRACTOR AND THE AUTHORITY;

(3) THE USE, CONDITION, OPERATION OR MAINTENANCE OF ANY PROPERTY, VEHICLE, FACILITY OR OTHER ASSET OF THE AUTHORITY TO WHICH THE CONTRACTOR HAS ACCESS OR AS TO WHICH THE CONTRACTOR PROVIDES SERVICES; OR

(4) ANY ACT OR OMISSION OF THE CONTRACTOR OR ANY OF ITS SUBCONTRACTORS OR ANY OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, CUSTOMERS, INVITEES, REPRESENTATIVES OR VENDORS.

(b) "ACTION" MEANS ANY ACTION, APPEAL, PETITION, PLEA, CHARGE, COMPLAINT, CLAIM, SUIT, DE-MAND, LITIGATION, MEDIATION, HEARING, INQUIRY, INVESTIGATION OR SIMILAR EVENT, OCCURRENCE OR PROCEEDING.

(c) "DAMAGES" MEANS ALL DIRECT OR INDIRECT DAMAGES, LOSSES, LIABILITIES, DEFICIENCIES, SETTLEMENTS, CLAIMS, AWARDS, INTEREST, PENALTIES, JUDGMENTS, FINES, OR OTHER COSTS OR EXPENSES OF ANY KIND OR NATURE WHATSOEVER, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, CONTINGENT OR VESTED, MATURED OR UNMATURED, AND WHETHER OR NOT RESULTING FROM THIRD-PARTY CLAIMS, INCLUDING COSTS (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, REASONABLE FEES AND EXPENSES OF ATTORNEYS, OTHER PROFESSIONAL ADVISORS AND EXPERT WITNESSES) RELATED TO ANY INVESTI-GATION, ACTION, SUIT, ARBITRATION, APPEAL, CLAIM, DEMAND, INQUIRY, COMPLAINT, MEDIATION, INVESTIGATION OR SIMILAR EVENT, OCCURRENCE OR PROCEEDING.

(d) "THREATENED" MEANS A DEMAND OR STATEMENT HAS BEEN MADE (ORALLY OR IN WRITING) OR A NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN (ORALLY OR IN WRITING), OR ANY OTHER EVENT HAS OCCURRED OR ANY OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES EXIST THAT WOULD LEAD A PRUDENT PERSON OR ENTITY TO CONCLUDE THAT AN ACTION OR OTHER MATTER IS LIKELY TO BE ASSERTED, COMMENCED, TAKEN OR OTHERWISE PURSUED IN THE FUTURE.

(e) IF ANY ACTION IS COMMENCED OR THREATENED THAT MAY GIVE RISE TO A CLAIM FOR INDEMNI-FICATION (A "CLAIM") BY ANY INDEMNIFIED PARTY AGAINST THE CONTRACTOR, THEN SUCH INDEMNI-FIED PARTY WILL PROMPTLY GIVE NOTICE TO THE CONTRACTOR AFTER SUCH INDEMNIFIED PARTY BECOMES AWARE OF SUCH CLAIM. FAILURE TO NOTIFY THE CONTRACTOR WILL NOT RELIEVE THE CONTRACTOR OF ANY LIABILITY THAT IT MAY HAVE TO THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY, EXCEPT TO THE EX-TENT THAT THE DEFENSE OF SUCH ACTION IS MATERIALLY AND IRREVOCABLY PREJUDICED BY THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY'S FAILURE TO GIVE SUCH NOTICE. THE CONTRACTOR WILL ASSUME AND THERE-AFTER DILIGENTLY AND CONTINUOUSLY CONDUCT THE DEFENSE OF A CLAIM WITH COUNSEL THAT IS SATISFACTORY TO THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY. THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY WILL HAVE THE RIGHT, AT ITS OWN EXPENSE, TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DEFENSE OF A CLAIM WITHOUT RELIEVING THE CONTRACTOR OF ANY OBLIGATION DESCRIBED ABOVE. IN NO EVENT WILL THE CONTRACTOR APPROVE THE ENTRY OF ANY JUDGMENT OR ENTER INTO ANY SETTLEMENT WITH RESPECT TO ANY CLAIM WITHOUT THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY'S PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL, WHICH WILL NOT BE UNREASONABLY WITHHELD. UNTIL THE CONTRACTOR ASSUMES THE DILIGENT DEFENSE OF A CLAIM, THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY MAY DEFEND AGAINST A CLAIM IN ANY MANNER THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY REASONABLY DEEMS APPROPRI-ATE. THE CONTRACTOR WILL REIMBURSE THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY PROMPTLY AND PERIODICALLY FOR THE DAMAGES RELATING TO DEFENDING AGAINST A CLAIM AND WILL PAY PROMPTLY THE INDEM-NIFIED PARTY FOR ANY DAMAGES THE INDEMNIFIED PARTY MAY SUFFER RELATING TO A CLAIM.

(f) THE INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS AND RIGHTS PROVIDED FOR IN THIS CONTRACT DO NOT RE-QUIRE (AND SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED AS REQUIRING) THE CONTRACTOR TO INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS, OR DEFEND ANY INDEMNIFIED PARTY (OR ANY THIRD PARTY) AGAINST ANY ACTION OR CLAIM (OR THREATENED ACTION OR CLAIM) CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OR FAULT, THE BREACH OR VIOLATION OF A STATUTE, ORDINANCE, GOVERNMENTAL REGULATION, STANDARD, OR RULE, OR THE BREACH OF CONTRACT OF ANY INDEMNIFIED PARTY, ITS AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES, OR ANY THIRD PARTY UNDER THE CONTROL OR SUPERVISION OF ANY INDEMNIFIED PARTY, OTHER THAN THE CON-TRACTOR OR ITS AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, OR SUBCONTRACTORS OF ANY TIER.

(g) THIS PARAGRAPH WILL SURVIVE ANY TERMINATION OR EXPIRATION OF THIS CONTRACT.

43. RECORD RETENTION; ACCESS TO RECORDS AND REPORTS

(a) The Contractor will retain and will require its Subcontractors of all tiers to retain, complete and readily accessible records related in whole or in part to the Contract, including, but not limited to, data, documents, reports, statistics, sub-agreements, leases, subcontracts, arrangements, other third party agreements of any type, and supporting materials related to those records.

(b) If this is a cost-reimbursement, incentive, time and materials, labor hour, or price determinable Contract, or any combination thereof, the Contractor shall maintain, and the Authority and its representatives shall have the right to examine, all books, records, documents, and other evidence and accounting procedures and practices sufficient to reflect properly all direct and indirect costs of whatever nature claimed to have been incurred and anticipated to be incurred for the performance of this Contract.

(c) If the Contractor submitted certified cost or pricing data in connection with the pricing of this Contract or if the Contractor's cost of performance is relevant to any change or modification to this Contract, the Authority and its representatives shall have the right to examine all books, records, documents, and other data of the Contractor related to the negotiation, pricing, or performance of such Contract, change, or modification for the purpose of evaluating the costs incurred and the accuracy, completeness, and currency of the cost or pricing data submitted. The right of examination shall extend to all documents necessary to permit adequate evaluation of the costs incurred and the accuracy and projections used therein.

(d) The Contractor shall maintain all books, records, accounts, and reports required under this paragraph for a period of at not less than three (3) years after the date of termination or expiration of this Contract, except in the event of litigation or settlement of claims arising from the performance of this Contract, in which case records shall be maintained until the disposition of all such litigation, appeals, claims or exceptions related thereto.

(e) The Contractor agrees to provide sufficient access to the Authority and its contractors to inspect and audit records and information related to performance of this Contract as reasonably may be required.

(f) The Contractor agrees to permit the Authority and its contractors access to the sites of performance under this Contract as reasonably may be required.

(g) If an audit pursuant to this paragraph reveals that the Authority has paid any invoices or charges not authorized under this Contract, the Authority may offset or recoup such amounts against any indebtedness owed by it to the Contractor, whether arising under this Contract or otherwise, over a period of time equivalent to the time period over which such invoices or charges accrued.

(h) This paragraph will survive any termination or expiration of this Contract.

44. EXCUSABLE DELAYS

(a) Except for defaults of Subcontractors at any tier, the Contractor shall not be in default because of any failure to perform this Contract under its terms if the failure arises from Force Majeure Events. In each instance, the failure to perform must be beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor. "Default" includes failure to make progress in the performance of the Services.

(b) If the failure to perform is caused by the failure of a Subcontractor at any tier to perform or make progress, and if the cause of the failure was beyond the control of both the Contractor and Subcontractor and without the fault or negligence of either, the Contractor shall not be deemed to be in default, unless:

- (1) the subcontracted supplies or services were obtainable from other sources;
- (2) the Authority ordered the Contractor in writing to obtain these services from the other source; and
- (3) the Contractor failed to comply reasonably with this order.

(c) Upon the request of the Contractor, the Authority shall ascertain the facts and extent of the failure. If the Authority determines that any failure to perform results from one or more of the causes above, the delivery schedule or period of performance shall be revised, subject to the rights of the Authority under this Contract.

45. LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY

The Contractor shall be responsible for any loss or damage to property including money securities, merchandise, fixtures and equipment belonging to the Authority or to any other individual or organization, if any such loss or damage was caused by the Contractor or any Subcontractor at any tier, or any employee thereof, while such person is on the premises of the Authority as an employee of the Contractor or Subcontractor.

46. <u>CONTRACTOR CONTACT/AUTHORITY DESIGNEE</u>

The Contractor shall provide the Authority with a telephone number to ensure immediate communication with a person (not a recording) anytime during Contract performance. Similarly, the Authority shall designate an Authority representative who shall be similarly available to the Contractor.

47. QUALITY ASSURANCE

A periodic review of the Contractor's scheduled work may be performed by the Authority. If work is deemed incomplete or unacceptable in any way, the Authority will determine the cause and require the Contractor to take corrective measures in accordance with the terms of the Contract.

48. INTERPRETATION OF CONTRACT – DISPUTES

All questions concerning interpretation or clarification of this Contract or the acceptable fulfillment of this Contract by the Contractor shall be immediately submitted in writing to the Authority's Contracting Officer for determination. All determinations, instructions, and clarifications of the Contracting Officer shall be final and conclusive unless the Contractor files with the Capital Metro President/CEO within two (2) weeks after the Authority notifies the Contractor of any such determination, instruction or clarification, a written protest, stating in detail the basis of the protest. The President/CEO shall consider the protest and notify the Contractor within two (2) weeks of the protest filing of his or her final decision. The President/CEO's decisions shall be conclusive subject to judicial review. Notwithstanding any disagreement the Contractor may have with the decisions of the President/CEO, the Contractor shall proceed with the Services in accordance with the determinations, instructions, and clarifications of the President/CEO. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for requesting instructions or interpretations and liable for any cost or expenses

arising from its failure to do so. The Contractor's failure to protest the Contracting Officer's determinations, instructions, or clarifications within the two-week period shall constitute a waiver by the Contractor of all of its rights to further protest.

49. TOBACCO FREE WORKPLACE

(a) Tobacco products include cigarettes, cigars, pipes, snuff, snus, chewing tobacco, smokeless tobacco, dipping tobacco and any other non-FDA approved nicotine delivery device.

(b) The tobacco free workplace policy refers to all Capital Metro owned or leased property. Note that this includes all buildings, facilities, work areas, maintenance facilities, parking areas and all Authority owned vehicles.

(c) Tobacco use is not permitted at any time on Capital Metro owned or leased property, including personal vehicles parked in Capital Metro parking lots.

(d) Littering of tobacco-related products on the grounds or parking lots is also prohibited.

50. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of this Contract, the inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:

- 1. Exhibit A Pricing Schedule
- 2. Exhibit E Revised 1, Contractual Terms and Conditions
- 3. Exhibit F Scope of Services
- 4. Exhibit B Representations and Certifications
- 5. Exhibit H Proprietary Rights and Data Security Addendum
- 6. Exhibit I Access User Agreement
- 7. Other provisions or attachments to the Contract

51. ANTI-CORRUPTION AND BRIBERY LAWS

The Contractor shall comply with all Applicable Anti-Corruption and Bribery Laws. The Contractor represents and warrants that it has not and shall not violate or cause the Authority to violate any such Anti-Corruption and Bribery Laws. The Contractor further represents and warrants that, in connection with supplies or Services provided to the Authority or with any other business transaction involving the Authority, it shall not pay, offer, promise, or authorize the payment or transfer of anything of value, directly or indirectly to: (a) any government official or employee (including employees of government owned or controlled companies or public international organizations) or to any political party, party official, or candidate for public office or (b) any other person or entity if such payments or transfers would violate applicable laws, including Applicable Anti-Corruption and Bribery Laws. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein contained, the Authority may withhold payments under this Contract, and terminate this Contract immediately by way of written notice to the Contractor, if it believes, in good faith, that the Contractor has violated or caused the Authority to violate the Applicable Anti-Corruption and Bribery Laws. The Authority shall not be liable to the Contractor for any claim, losses, or damages related to its decision to exercise its rights under this provision.

52. <u>RESERVED</u>

53. ORGANIZATIONAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST (OCI)

(a) This Contract may task the Contractor to prepare or assist in preparing work statements that directly, predictably and without delay are used in future competitive acquisitions. The parties recognize that by the Contractor providing this support a potential conflict of interest arises as defined by FAR 9.5.

(b) For the purposes of this paragraph, the term "Contractor" means the Contractor, its subsidiaries and affiliates, joint ventures involving the Contractor, any entity with which the Contractor may hereafter merge or affiliate and any other successor or assignee of the Contractor.

(c) The Contractor acknowledges the full force and effect of this paragraph. It agrees to be bound by its terms and conditions and understands that violation of this paragraph may, in the judgment of the Contracting Officer, be cause for Termination for Default. The Contractor also acknowledges that this does not represent the sole and exclusive remedy available to the Authority in the event the Contractor breaches this or any other Organizational Conflict of Interest paragraph.

54. MISCELLANEOUS

(a) This Contract does not intend to, and nothing contained in this Contract shall create any partnership, joint venture or other equity type agreement between the Authority and the Contractor.

(b) All notices, statements, demands, requests, consents or approvals required under this Contract or by law by either party to the other shall be in writing and may be given or served by depositing same in the United States mail, postage paid, registered or certified and addressed to the party to be notified, with return receipt requested; by personally delivering same to such party; an agent of such party; or by overnight courier service, postage paid and addressed to the party to be notified; or by e-mail with delivery confirmation. Notice deposited in the U.S. mail in the manner hereinabove described shall be effective upon such deposit. Notice given in any other manner shall be effective only if and when received by the party to be notified.

If to the Contractor:	As set forth in Exhibit B to this Contract
If to the Authority:	Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority Attn: Sr. Director/Chief Contracting Officer 2910 E. 5th Street Austin, Texas 78702

Address for notice can be changed by written notice to the other party.

(c) In the event the Authority finds it necessary to employ legal counsel to enforce its rights under this Contract, or to bring an action at law, or other proceeding against the Contractor to enforce any of the terms, covenants or conditions herein, the Contractor shall pay to the Authority its reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, regardless of whether suit is filed.

(d) If any term or provision of this Contract or any portion of a term or provision hereof or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall, to any extent, be void, invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Contract will remain in full force and effect unless removal of such invalid terms or provisions destroys the legitimate purpose of the Contract in which event the Contract will be terminated.

(e) This Contract represents the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter of this Contract and supersedes any and all prior or contemporaneous oral or written statements, agreements, correspondence, quotations and negotiations. In executing this Contract, the parties do not rely upon any statement, promise, or representation not expressed herein. This Contract may not be changed except by the mutual written agreement of the parties.

(f) A facsimile signature shall be deemed an original signature for all purposes. For purposes of this paragraph, the phrase "facsimile signature" includes without limitation, an image of an original signature.

(g) Whenever used herein, the term "including" shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation". Words used in the singular number shall include the plural, and vice-versa, and any gender shall be deemed to include each other gender. All Exhibits attached to this Contract are incorporated herein by reference.

(h) All rights and remedies provided in this Contract are cumulative and not exclusive of any other rights or remedies that may be available to the Authority, whether provided by law, equity, statute, or otherwise. The election of any one or more remedies the Authority will not constitute a waiver of the right to pursue other available remedies.

(i) The Contractor shall not assign the whole or any part of this Contract or any monies due hereunder without the prior written consent of the Contracting Officer. No assignment shall relieve the Contractor from any of its obligations hereunder. Any attempted assignment, transfer or other conveyance in violation of the foregoing shall be null and void.

(j) The failure of the Authority to insist upon strict adherence to any term of this Contract on any occasion shall not be considered a waiver or deprive the Authority thereafter to insist upon strict adherence to that term or other terms of this Contract. Furthermore, the Authority is a governmental entity and nothing contained in this Contract shall be deemed a waiver of any rights, remedies or privileges available by law.

(k) This Contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas. Any dispute arising with respect to this Contract shall be resolved in the state or federal courts of the State of Texas, sitting in Travis County, Texas and the Contractor expressly consents to the personal jurisdiction of these courts.

(I) This Contract is subject to the Texas Public Information Act, Tex. Gov't Code, Chapter 552.

(m) The Contractor represents, warrants and covenants that: (a) it has the requisite power and authority to execute, deliver and perform its obligations under this Contract; and (b) it is in compliance with all applicable laws related to such performance.

(n) The person signing on behalf of the Contractor represents for himself or herself and the Contractor that he or she is duly authorized to execute this Contract.

(o) No term or provision of this Contract is intended to be, or shall be, for the benefit of any person, firm, organization, or corporation for a party hereto, and no such other person, firm, organization or corporation shall have any right or cause of action hereunder.

(p) Capital Metro is a governmental entity and nothing in this Contract shall be deemed a waiver of any rights or privileges under the law.

(q) Funding for this Contract after the current fiscal year is subject to revenue availability and appropriation of funds in the annual budget approved by the Authority's Board of Directors.

(r) Time is of the essence for all delivery, performance, submittal, and completion dates in this Contract.

55. DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING PROGRAM

(a) The Authority and its Contractors and Subcontractors are required to comply with the requirements of 49 C.F.R Part 219 with no exceptions. The Contractor has established and implemented, or agrees to establish and implement, and cause its applicable Subcontractors to establish and implement, a drug and alcohol testing program for regulated employees (including volunteers, employees and probationary employees) whose duties include inspection, construction, maintenance or repair of roadway track; bridges, roadway, signal and communications systems, electric traction systems, roadway facilities or roadway maintenance machinery on or near track or with the potential of fouling a tack and flagmen and watchmen/lookouts ("Part 219 employees") that complies with 49 C.F.R. Part 219, produce any documentation necessary to establish its compliance with Part 219, and permit any authorized representative of the United States Department of Transportation or the Federal Railroad Administration ("FRA") and the Authority to inspect the facilities and records associated with the implementation and operation of the drug and alcohol testing program as required under 49 C.F.R. Part 219, including the review of the testing process.

(b) Prior to the performance of any work under the Contract by any Part 219 employees on or after June <u>12, 2017</u>, the Contractor shall furnish the Authority, and cause each Subcontractor that provides Part 219 employees to perform work under the Contract to furnish the Authority, with copies of all supporting compliance documentation including but not limited to the following:

(1) A copy of the Contractor's 49 C.F.R. Part 219 Railroad Contractor Compliance Plan.

(2) A copy of the Federal Railroad Administration's acceptance letter for 49 C.F.R. Part 219 Railroad Contractor Compliance Plan.

(3) A certified list of the Contractor's Part 219 grandfathered employees (June 12, 2017).

(4) A certified list of employees who are currently regulated by 49 C.F.R. Part 219 Railroad Contractor Compliance Plan Part 219.

(5) Copies of the employees DOT 40-25 previous employer drug and alcohol record covered by 49 C.F.R. Part 219 Railroad Contractor Compliance Plan.

(6) Updated list of the Contractor's employees when an employee status has changed or employee becomes ineligible, along with an updated certification required in subparagraph (4).

- (7) Rule G Observations when requested by the Authority.
- (8) Management Information System Report (MIS) each six (6) months.

Access to the work site will be prohibited to employees not named in the certified list required by subparagraphs (4) and (6).

(c) Upon notice to the Contractor, Capital Metro may require the Contractor and any Subcontractor providing Part 219 employees to use a third-party compliance provider to track the Contractor's Part 219 compliance. If the Contractor or any of its Subcontractors fails to utilize such required compliance provider or an approved equivalent as required, then the Authority may suspend the Contractor's performance under this Contract and/or pursue default remedies under this Contract. The Authority reserves the right to change the required third-party compliance provider upon notice to the Contractor. In the event that Capital Metro requires the Contractor to use a third-party compliance service, any costs of the required service will be reimbursed by Capital Metro provided the Contractor follows the following reimbursement procedure: the Contractor shall provide the estimated costs of the compliance service within fourteen (14) calendar days following Capital Metro's notice to the Contractor of a third-party compliance is notice to the Contractor shall not incur any costs until a subsequent Contract modification is fully executed.

(d) The Contractor shall provide the Authority with a list of the names of any Subcontractors performing Part 219 Services, along with a certified list of the employees assigned by the Subcontractor to perform work under the Contract, at least ten (10) calendar days prior to the time a Subcontractor or its Part 219 employees enters the work site. The Contractor and each Subcontractor shall be solely responsible for their compliance with 49 C.F.R. Part 219.

(e) The Contractor shall include the substance of subparagraph (a)-(e) of this paragraph, in each applicable Subcontract under this Contract.

(f) If the Authority discovers that the Contractor or any of its subcontractors are not in compliance with the requirements of 49 C.F.R. Part 219, the Authority may suspend the Contractor's performance under this Contract and/or pursue default remedies under this Contract.

56. FUNDING AVAILABILITY

Funding after the current fiscal year of any contract resulting from this solicitation is subject to revenue availability and appropriation of funds in the annual budget approved by the Authority's Board of Directors.

57. <u>COOPERATIVE CONTRACT</u>

(a) The Authority has entered into a master cooperative purchasing agreement with other governmental entities (with the Authority, the "Cooperative Members") to form the Texas Interlocal Purchase Cooperative, under which the Cooperative Members grant access and make available to one another certain contracts of the Cooperative Members, pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code and Chapter 271 of

the Local Government Code. The Contractor agrees to offer to other eligible Cooperative Members the goods and services provided under this Contract with the same prices, and under terms and conditions, of this Contract.'

(b) The Authority does not accept any responsibility or liability arising from or related to a separate contract between another Cooperative Member and Contractor based on this Contract or for any purchases made thereunder.

58. AUSTIN TRANSIT PARTNERSHIP

At the direction of Capital Metro, the services provided under the Contract may be performed on behalf of or in connection with Austin Transit Partnership (ATP), and ATP's projects, initiatives, and proposals.

EXHIBIT F THIRD PARTY FUNCTIONAL ASSESSMENT SERVICES SCOPE OF SERVICES

1. <u>DEFINITION:</u>

ADA: The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the governing law under which MetroAccess operates.

Applicant: A customer applying for MetroAccess service.

Business Day: Monday - Friday; for the purposes of this contract, each day in a standard business week, regardless of holidays.

Calendar Day: Sunday - Saturday; each day in a calendar month.

Conditional Eligibility: A level of eligibility for the MetroAccess paratransit program that allows a passenger to ride only under certain clearly defined conditions. These are defined for each passenger individually during the eligibility process.

Contractor: Company with whom the Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority (CMTA) contracts service.

Customer: A person either applying for, or already registered for MetroAccess service.

Demand Response Purchased Transportation (DRPT): Third Party Contracted Service providing ADA paratransit dedicated service.

Door-to-door: Level of service for MetroAccess riders who require vehicle operator assistance out- side of the vehicle. Vehicle operators assist passengers to/from the door of the origin and destination but are not permitted to cross the threshold of either location.

Fixed Route Service: Buses which follow regular routes and have designated stops at predetermined times.

MetroAccess: Capital Metro's division responsible for providing ADA mandated paratransit service.

MetroAccess Service Area: ³/₄ miles of non-commuter fixed route bus service and on the same days and during the same hours as the fixed route service in their area.

Month: The period commencing on the first Day of a calendar Month and ending on the first Day of the next succeeding calendar Month.

Paratransit Service: Comparable transportation service required by the ADA for individuals with disabilities who are unable to use fixed route transportation systems.

The Authority: Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority (CMTA) including MetroAccess.

Transitional Eligibility: Also known as "Temporary Eligibility" is Eligibility for MetroAccess service that lasts for a shorter, more defined period due to a temporary condition.

Trip by Trip Eligibility: Eligibility to ride on MetroAccess service is determined on a trip-by-trip basis. Passengers are required to ride fixed route service whey they can do so.

Unconditional Eligibility: Eligibility for the MetroAccess paratransit program with no limitations on usage.

I. BACKGROUND AND OVERVIEW:

A. CAPITAL METRO

(1) Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority ("Capital Metro", "CMTA", or "the Authority") is a public agency responsible for providing mass transit service within the City of Austin and the surrounding communities of Leander, Lago Vista, Jonestown, Manor, San Leanna, and Point Venture, as well as the unincorporated area of Travis County within Commissioner Precinct 2 and the Anderson Mill area of Williamson County. Capital Metro services include bus, commuter rail, demand-response, ride-share, and special event services.

(2) Capital Metro also provides paratransit service called "MetroAccess" in response to the requirements of Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act "ADA" of 1990. The MetroAccess ADA Paratransit Program is for persons who have a disabling condition which prevents them from independently using accessible bus service some or all of the time as defined in the ADA. Persons certified under this program may ride within the MetroAccess service area which is ³/₄ mile around Capital Metro's fixed route bus service during the same days and hours as the fixed route service in their area. This includes weekends and late nights in many areas of the Capital Metro service area. At present, approximately 6,500 people are eligible for some level of MetroAccess ADA paratransit service.

B. METROACCESS PARATRANSIT ELIGIBILITY

(1) To qualify for ADA Paratransit Service, an individual must apply and participate in an in-person Eligibility Review process to determine their eligibility for this service. Capital Metro Eligibility Staff will initially perform an in-person interview with each applicant. Applicants who are noted to be unable to ride the accessible fixed route are granted eligibility by Capital Metro staff. All other applicants will be referred by the Authority to the onsite Contractor for in-person functional transit assessments. No remote work is anticipated for the one (1) year length of this contact. The Contractor shall make eligibility recommendations and generate determination letters upon conclusion of applicant evaluations. The Contractor shall refer to USDOT regulations 49 CFR Part 37, as amended, for the criteria by which persons with disabilities are eligible for ADA paratransit service. Capital Metro will review eligibility recommendations received from the Contractor, providing final approval, and maintaining responsibility for the final eligibility determination.

(2) Capital Metro, in partnership with the Contractor, shall review and process all applications for eligibility within 21 calendar days of receiving the completed application and the applicant completing the eligibility process. The Contractor shall work with Capital Metro to ensure the completion of the eligibility process within a 21-day time period in accordance with the USDOT final regulations. If the certification process is not completed within this time limit, the regulations state that the applicant shall be presumed eligible to receive unconditional service until the process has been completed and a determination provided. Capital Metro does not intend that any applicant shall be found presumptively eligible.

(3) Capital Metro currently conducts the entire eligibility process from their Eligibility and Mobility Center in Austin, Texas. This evaluation site or an additional site location is subject to change at any point in the future. The estimated quantity of functional assessments scheduled for previous 2 calendar years of 2018/19 are approximately 1300 assessments per calendar year. This number is for reference only and may not be indicative of future assessment referrals to the Contractor.

- (4) Applications for paratransit service are distributed for one of the following purposes:
 - New or recertifying applicants requesting MetroAccess service.
 - Persons who are being re-evaluated due to a change in their situation or condition.
 - Persons who have not participated in an assessment and are appealing a determination other than unconditional.
 - Safety assessments

C. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

(1) Criterion 1: The first criterion of eligibility includes those persons who are unable to use fully accessible fixed route bus services. Included in this criterion is: "Any individual with a disability who is unable, as a result of a physical or mental impairment (including a vision impairment), and without the assistance of another individual (except the operator of a wheelchair lift or other boarding assistance device), to board, ride, or disembark from any vehicle on the system which is readily accessible to and usable by individuals with disabilities." [Section 37.123(e) (1) of the ADA regulations] This applies to an individual who cannot independently navigate the fixed route bus system.

(2) Criterion 2: The second criterion of eligibility includes individuals who would be able to use the fixed route bus system if it were accessible (e.g., if a low-floor or lift-equipped bus is not available). (Capital Metro fixed route is currently 100% accessible)

(3) Criterion 3: The third criterion of eligibility includes: "Any individual with a disability who has a specific impairmentrelated condition which prevent such individual from traveling to a boarding location or from a disembarking location on such system." [Section 37.123 (e) (3) of the ADA regulations] This applies to an individual who, because of his/her disability, cannot access a bus stop or a rail station to board the fixed route bus system and cannot access his/her final destination after disembarking from a fixed route bus or train. Two important qualifiers to this category are included in the regulations. First, environmental conditions and architectural barriers not under the control of the public entity do not, when considered alone, confer eligibility. Second, inconvenience in using the fixed route bus system is not a basis for eligibility.

(4) Applicants shall be certified with one of the following 8 types of eligibility:

- Unconditionally eligible unlikely to change
- Unconditionally eligible likely to change
- Conditionally eligible unlikely to change
- Conditionally eligible likely to change
- Transitional unconditional
- Transitional conditional
- Ineligible
- Ineligible-Eligible/meets requirements for Reduced-Fare on fixed-route

(5) Capital Metro applies conditional eligibility on a trip-by-trip basis. Capital Metro reserves the right to revise or create additional specific conditions of eligibility at any time during the term of this contact.

(6) Eligibility shall be granted for periods ranging up to four (4) years. Persons may re-apply at the end of their eligibility period or at any time they have a change in condition or abilities.

(7) Capital Metro staff shall make eligibility determinations for all applicants who are clearly deemed unconditionally eligible during the in-person interview. Applicants who may be able to use accessible fixed route bus service for some or all trips shall be referred to the Contractor for an in-person functional transit assessment of their physical and/or cognitive abilities to use the accessible fixed route service.

D. APPEAL PROCESS

(1) Applicants who complete the eligibility determination process and received a determination other than full unconditional can appeal that decision.

(2) Appeals must be requested within sixty (60) calendar days after the eligibility determination has been made. Capital Metro has an obligation to ensure that due process is observed.

(3) For any applicant filing an appeal that has not been through a functional assessment, the first step in the appeals process will be to participate in a functional assessment administered by the Contractor. Supplemental follow-up verification may also be deemed necessary by Capital Metro staff or the Contractor at this time.

(4) Appellants who have already participated in a functional assessment will proceed to the second step, which is the appeal hearing administered by Capital Metro. In addition to the Capital Metro staff member, attendees may include a representative of the Capital Metro advisory committee and a designee of the Capital Metro Board of Directors.

(5) The ADA regulations require that the appellant be provided notification of appeal results within thirty (30) calendar days after the appeal process is completed with Capital Metro. If the appeal determination is not provided within thirty (30) calendar days, the appellant shall be presumed unconditionally eligible until the final determination has been made.

II. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

A. STAFFING/SCHEDULING

(1) The Contractor shall provide, at a minimum, two (2) qualified professional staff (licensed occupational therapist, physical therapist) dedicated to performing the functional transit assessments. These staff members shall have specific coursework and/or work experience related to evaluation and assessment of functional abilities including motor

(gait/balance/strength/coordination), cognitive, visual-perceptual, communication, and psychosocial skills and abilities. The Contractor's staff members shall possess a minimum of one (1) year of evaluation experience in the above stated areas. The Contractor is responsible for providing and maintaining a fully trained back-up staff in order to maintain appropriate staffing levels to complete the daily workload of assessment referrals provided by Capital Metro.

(2) The Contractor shall provide an onsite project manager for the contract. One of the onsite qualified professional staff members may serve as this daily direct contact and project manager for the Contractor.

(3) The Contractor shall provide one (1) additional bilingual English/Spanish administrative support personnel necessary to complete all the necessary documentation listed in Section II-C. This Contract staff member should be available to assist with overflow administrative duties of the department.

(4) The Contractor's staff members shall also independently maintain current CPR and First Aid certifications.

(5) The Contractor shall ensure that all staff participating in the program meets the following guidelines:

(5.1) The Contractor's staff shall pass a pre-employment drug screening, as well as comply with the Contractor's own Drug and Alcohol policy.

(5.2) Each member of Contractor's staff shall complete a combined four (4) hours of customer service and/or diversity and sensitivity training upon hire and on a yearly basis. The Contractor is responsible for the cost and administration of this training.

(5.3) The Contractor shall comply with the criminal background check certifications request as defined in section 17 of Exhibit E, Terms and Conditions, in this document.

(6) Open evaluation times shall be available such that all applicants referred to the Contractor can be scheduled and evaluated on the same day they are processed by MetroAccess staff. Evaluation times must be available at a minimum between the hours of 8:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. Mondays through Fridays, plus one (1) weekday evening per month between 5:30 P.M. and 8:00 P.M. as deemed necessary by Capital Metro. Evaluation times must also be made available one (1) weekend day per month between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 2:00 P.M. These days and hours shall be reviewed periodically by both parties and may be altered to meet changing needs of applicants. The recommended staffing model provided in this scope should allow for coverage of all evaluation times listed above. The Contractor shall have staffing practices in place to ensure back up staff are available to limit disruption of functional assessment scheduling.

(7) The Contractor staff that performed the appellant's functional assessment, or an assessor familiar with the specific appeal case, shall be available as a technical advisor during the scheduled appeal hearings. These hearings are currently held from 1:00 p.m. through 5:00 p.m. on the second (2nd) and fourth (4th) Friday of each month. This date is subject to change in the future by Capital Metro. The Contractor must have the capability and be readily available to respond to questions orally during an appeal and in writing upon the completion of the appeal hearing.

(8) On rare occasion, the Contractor may be called upon to testify before judicial and/or administrative bodies regarding services performed or regarding areas in which an expert opinion may be required in case of litigation. Any costs associated with this will be covered by the Contractor.

(9) All proposed contract staff members shall be approved by Capital Metro prior to hire. The Contractor's staff must document and maintain current all their professional licenses and certifications.

B. FUNCTIONAL ASSESSMENTS

(1) All material developed for Capital Metro shall be the sole property of Capital Metro. All material shall have consistent branding with Capital Metro and MetroAccess branding only. The Contractor name shall not appear on any marketing material or any other material presented to the public on behalf of Capital Metro.

(2) Contractor shall work with Capital Metro to establish and maintain written emergency policies and procedures for handling any issue(s) or incidents that may arise, as a result of an applicant's physical, cognitive and/or psychological disability.

(3). Contractor should assist with the continuing development of comprehensive functional assessment materials, including testing mechanisms and techniques, and criteria for evaluating the functional ability of an individual to use the fixed route service. This material will be based on Contractor's professional experience in conjunction with Capital Metro

and the Project Action's guide titled: "Determining ADA Paratransit Eligibility: An Approach, Guidance, and Training Materials".

(4) Contractor shall conduct the functional transit assessments using only the protocols and methods agreed upon by Contractor and Capital Metro. No changes in protocols and/or methods shall be allowed without prior authorization from Capital Metro.

(5). Contractor shall conduct interviews to explain the assessment process and to gain information about the applicants' stated abilities versus their demonstrated abilities. Contractor shall conduct specific in-person physical, cognitive, safety, or combined functional transit assessments and recommend eligibility and services levels for ADA Paratransit Service. Any of these assessments may include a process to obtain additional supplemental visual, seizure, psychiatric, or other components, including weekly follow-up necessary to obtain additional information from the appropriate treating professional(s).

(6) Contractor shall ensure that all physical equipment necessary to provide assessment services is available at the Eligibility and Mobility Training Center and in good working condition to meet all requirements of this contract. Contractor shall notify Capital Metro's staff of any problem with the equipment. Any equipment provided to Capital Metro by the Contractor under this contract that is not in working condition shall be repaired or replaced at Contractor's cost. Equipment used by Capital Metro and/or Contractor shall be kept in a secured location whenever possible. The Contractor shall also maintain a variety of mobility aids to remain onsite such as standard walker, rolling walker, rollator, wheelchair, bariatric wheelchair, standard cane, and quad cane to assist applicants when necessary, during testing.

C. DOCUMENTATION/DATA MANAGEMENT

(1) Contractor staff will have ready access to confidential personal and medical information from applicants and appellants in the routine performance of their jobs. A written confidentiality acknowledgment from the applicant or the applicant's representative is included and noted on the application form. The Contractor shall observe the conditions of this confidentiality acknowledgment. Breach of confidentiality shall be grounds for termination of the contract.

(2) Contractor shall provide clear, concise, and objective documentation to MetroAccess staff based on the therapist's professional observations, findings, and recommendations from the functional assessment. The Contractor shall also produce a detailed passenger eligibility determination letter, and any update MetroAccess computer systems with the relevant eligibility information.

(3) Applicants referred to the Contractor may require physical, cognitive, or combined functional assessments; they may also require added visual, seizure, or psychiatric components with additional follow-up as necessary. The Contractor shall accurately document weekly follow-up attempts for verification per Capital Metro established protocol.

(4) Contractor shall, within two (2) business days of completing the assessment and receipt of any needed additional verification, provide MetroAccess staff with clear, concise, and objectively written documentation and eligibility recommendation based on the Contractor's professional staff observations, findings from the functional assessment, and any additional communication that took place with any professional knowledgeable about the applicant's abilities.

(5) Contractor shall, within one (1) business day, provide Capital Metro with any requested clarifications or corrections following the Capital Metro oversight review.

(6) Following the final oversight review from Capital Metro, the Contractor shall within two (2) business days produce a detailed passenger denial letter, full eligibility letter, or a conditional eligibility letter with individualized passenger-specific detail on the findings and a clear explanation on how to appeal the decision. The Contractor shall also update the client file directly in the software provided and scan all final client documents into the client file using the software and scanning machines provided by Capital Metro within these two (2) businesses day, time- frame.

(7) Contractor shall develop an audit or quality assurance process for all data generated and entered that is to be approved by Capital Metro. The Contractor shall use this audit process for all information entered into the Capital Metro software system and/or sent to the applicant to ensure ongoing compliance with regulations. The Contractor shall submit a quarterly summary of quality assurance audit findings and corrective actions taken to Capital Metro.

(8) Contractor is also expected to attend or assist with the performance of administrative appeals and to provide documentation such as a recommendation summary and a response letter to the appellant regarding the appeal decision, along with entering information and updating the customer file. After Capital Metro has completed the review of the final appeal determination and submitted to the Contractor, the Contractor shall, within two (2) business days, update the client

file directly in the Capital Metro software provided, scan all final client documents to the client file and produce the necessary appeal letter determination which will be sent to appellant in their preferred format.

(9) Contractor shall respond to inquiries from Capital Metro and MetroAccess staff concerning information provided in the written reports, letters, or within the computer system within one (1) business day.

D. <u>REPORTING/INVOICING</u>

(1) If the Contractor fails to complete the necessary assessment documentation by the deadlines listed in Section II-C, the Contractor shall provide Capital Metro's Eligibility leadership with the following information on the next business day:

- Applicant name and ID number
- Reason(s) why required timeline was not met
- Dates and times of contact attempts made with the applicant's listed professionals
- An estimated completion date to submit the missing information to Capital Metro.
- Any corrective action plans necessary to prevent future occurrences

(2) Contractor shall notify Capital Metro immediately of any accident or incident involving applicants or appellants in the normal course of providing the service. The Contractor shall submit a completed incident report within 24 hours of the reported incident. The Contractor shall also immediately notify Capital Metro of any complaint(s) involving applicants or appellants, about, which said applicant or appellant might intend to contact Capital Metro directly.

(3) Contractor must submit invoices once per calendar month by the fourth (4th) business day of the following calendar month. Invoices shall conform to policies and regulations adopted by Capital Metro. Invoices, at a minimum, should include:

- Summary of services rendered
- Date of services rendered
- Contract, Purchase Order Number and invoice number
- Itemization of any discounts or adjustments
- Any other information necessary to demonstrate entitlement to payment under the terms of the contract.

(4) A monthly report shall outline the Contractor's work accomplished during the previous month including a detailed breakdown of eligibility determinations recommended. Monthly progress reports shall include, but are not limited to, the percentage of completion of the work and each work task, special problems or delays encountered or anticipated, and a brief description of work accomplished, methodologies used, and conclusions reached, if any, for each task.

(5) Contractor shall provide the Authority with monthly customer satisfaction survey results. The methodology of the survey shall be approved by Capital Metro prior to implementation at onset of contractual period. This survey shall use a sufficient sampling rate as well as a reliable and independently validated methodology. Please see Exhibit G for an example of the current monthly customer satisfaction survey.

(6) In order to ensure coordination of information, a quarterly one-hour meeting shall be conducted between Contractor's staff performing functional evaluations under this contract, and the Capital Metro Project Manager.

E. DISINCENTIVE/LATE FEE SCHEDULE:

Performance Indicator	Standard	Minimum Acceptable Quality Level	Deduction if level is not met
Document weekly follow-up attempts at further verification requested	One (1) documented attempt weekly per CMTA protocol	98%	\$45.00 per pending application for every business week (M-F) of missing documentation
Submission of written completed assessment and recommendations	Within 2 calendar days of receiving the completed application	98%	\$30.00 per pending application for every calendar day of delay after the 3rd business day.

Provide CMTA with any requested clarifications or corrections following the oversight review	Within 1 business day of receipt from CMTA	98%	\$15.00 per pending application for every calendar day of delay after the 1 st business day.
Letter of full eligibility, conditional eligibility or denial and entering all information into Trapeze	Within 2 business days of receipt from CMTA	98%	\$30.00 per pending application for every calendar day of delay after the 2nd business day.
Complete Appeals documentation into Trapeze and produce letter	Within 2 business days of receipt from CMTA review	98%	\$30.00 per pending application for every calendar day of delay after the 2 nd business day.

III. CAPITAL METRO RESPONSIBILITIES:

(1) Capital Metro will provide to Contractor one (1) phone, desk, chair, and computer with internet access for each fulltime onsite staff member at no cost to the Contractor. Capital Metro will provide the Contractor with access and training on the current software used and necessary to fulfill obligations in this contract.

(2) Capital Metro will provide at no cost to the Contractor access to a photocopy machine, fax/scanning machine, postage, and photocopy paper, and basic office supplies for conducting work related to this contract. All supply orders shall be approved and ordered by Capital Metro.

(3) Capital Metro's and Mobility Training Center has adjoining outdoor space and equipment provided for the physical and cognitive functional tests. This evaluation site is subject to change at any point in the future. Capital Metro will provide access to a mock-up of a fixed route bus. The bus representation will include a simulation of a Metro bus entry, ramp, front interior seating, wheelchair securement area, grab bars, signage, and all other fittings necessary to reasonably represent the actual conditions encountered by riders of a bus which meets or exceeds all ADA requirements. There is no parking provided at the Eligibility and Mobility Training Center and would be considered the responsibility of the Contractor. Contractors with a Capital Metro Contractor badge may ride on the Capital Metro bus and rail system for free and are encouraged to do so.

(4) Capital Metro reserves the sole right to remove, modify or relocate the bus representation from any facility at any time it deems necessary, during the contract term. The representation and all other assessment equipment shall remain the property of Capital Metro upon the expiration or earlier termination of this contract.

(5) Capital Metro will provide access to a language interpreting phone service for use by the Contractor during assessments at no charge.

(6) Capital Metro will provide qualified interpreting services to allow for individuals with visual and/or hearing impairments to participate in the in-person eligibility review process, as necessary.

(7) Capital Metro shall pay the applicants' transportation costs for evaluation trips to the site, at no cost to the applicant.

(8) Unless otherwise specifically provided in this contract, Capital Metro shall not be obligated to provide any other equipment or facilities to the Contractor.

Appendix Requirements:

Please complete the requested information related to proposed staffing, eligibility, functional assessment documentation and related data and submit with the proposal. Proposal deliverables must be submitted in an accessible format.

Exhibit F Appendix No. 1

ADDITIONAL REQUESTED INFORMATION (Please complete this Appendix- 1 and submit with required proposal documents)

Proposed Onsite Staff Biography

Please provide previous work samples as an example of the following, with identifying information redacted for privacy: (Use additional sheets as necessary):	
1 in-person assessment write-up and applicant letter- unconditional	
1 in-person assessment write-up and applicant letter- conditional	
1 in-person assessment write-up and applicant letter - temporary unconditional	
1 in-person assessment write-up and applicant letter - temporary conditional	
1 in-person assessment write-up and applicant letter - ineligible	

Exhibit F Appendix No. 1

Please provide the following in the matrix below (Use additional sheets as necessary):

1 year aggregate eligibility data noted below from 3 separate contract locations (recommend data between the years of 2016-2019)				
Vendor Response	Vendor Response	Vendor Response		
Transit Agency Name:	Transit Agency Name:	Transit Agency Name:		
In-Person Model? (y/n)	In-Person Model? (y/n)	In-Person Model? (y/n)		
Year of Data Set:	Year of Data Set:	Year of Data Set:		
Total # of In-Person Assessments:	Total # of In-Person Assessments:	Total # of In-Person Assessments:		
Percentages:	Percentages:	Percentages:		
Unconditional:	Unconditional:	Unconditional:		
Conditional:	Conditional:	Conditional:		
Temporary Unconditional (when applicable):	Temporary Unconditional (when applicable):	Temporary Unconditional (when applicable):		
Temporary Conditional (when applicable):	Temporary Conditional (when applicable):	Temporary Conditional (when applicable):		
Ineligible:	Ineligible:	Ineligible:		
Total Number of Appeals:	Total Number of Appeals:	Total Number of Appeals:		
Appeals Upheld:	Appeals Upheld:	Appeals Upheld:		
Appeals Overturned:	Appeals Overturned:	Appeals Overturned:		

EXHIBIT G

THIRD PARTY FUNCTIONAL ASSESSMENT SERVICES

SAMPLE METROACCESS ELIGIBILITY MONTHLY CUSTOMER SATISFACTION SURVEY

MetroAccess Eligibility Monthly Customer Satisfaction Survey

- 1. On a 1 to 10 scale (with 10 being Very Satisfied), how satisfied were you with your recent... Capital Metro Eligibility review?
- 2. How would you describe the wait time for your review?
- 3. For your recent review, did you feel staff members were courteous and professional?
- 4. Do you feel that your review gave you a better understanding of MetroAccess service?
- 5. Have you received a final decision about your eligibility?
- 6. Were you accepted into the program?
- 7. What is the single most important thing we could have done to make your review better?
- 8. What did you especially like about your most recent eligibility review?

EXHIBIT H

PROPRIETARY RIGHTS AND DATA SECURITY ADDENDUM

Capital Metro Transportation Authority ("the Authority") has invested extensive time, money and specialized resources into developing, collecting and establishing its tangible and intangible proprietary assets. This Proprietary Rights and Data Security Addendum (this "Addendum") identifies and acknowledges the Authority's proprietary rights, establishes baseline commitments regarding data security and represents a set of standard terms applicable to service providers and business partners when they enter into contracts with the Authority. Capitalized terms used in this Addendum have the meanings set forth in the Agreement, unless differently defined in this Addendum. The Contractor is responsible for ensuring compliance with the terms of this Addendum by the Contractor's employees, agents and contractors and all of the restrictions and obligations in this Addendum that apply to the Contractor also apply to the Contractor's employees, agents and contractors. The term "including" or "includes" means including without limiting the generality of any description to which such term relates.

1. **DEFINITIONS**

The following terms will have the meanings described below in this Addendum.

(a) "Authority Data" means all data, content or information, in any form or format, including interim, Processed, compiled, summarized, or derivative versions of such data, content or information, and any insights that may be learned from such data, content or information, that may exist in any system, database, or record that is either

(i) provided by or on behalf of the Authority or its customers to the Contractor, or

(ii) is obtained, developed, produced or Processed by the Contractor or its systems, in each of (i) and (ii) in connection with the relationship or arrangements established by the Contract, but excluding any data or information that is expressly defined as owned by the Contractor in the Contract.

- (b) "Authority Electronic Property" means:
 - (i) any websites controlled by the Authority,
 - (ii) any Authority mobile device apps,

(iii) any application programming interfaces (API) to the Authority's information technology systems,

(iv) any other kiosks, devices or properties for consumer interaction that are created, owned, or controlled by the Authority, and

(v) versions and successors of the foregoing, any form or format now known or later developed, that may be used by customers obtaining products or services from the Authority.

(c) "Contract" means that certain contract for products and services entered into between the Contractor and Authority to which this Addendum is attached or incorporated by reference.

(d) "Data Law" means, as in effect from time to time, any law, rule, regulation, declaration, decree, directive, statute or other enactment, order, mandate or resolution, which is applicable to either the Contractor or the Authority, issued or enacted by any national, state, county, municipal, local, or other government or bureau, court, commission, board, authority, or agency, relating to data security, data protection and/or privacy. Data Laws also include ISO 27001 and ISO 27002, the most current Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (the "PCI DSS", and other industry standard practices) and any

financial standards or business requirements applicable to the Authority's business or the Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property.

(e) "Personal Identifying Information" means any data that identifies or could be used to identify a natural person, including name, mailing address, phone number, fax number, email address, Social Security number, credit card or other payment data, date of birth, driver's license number, account number or user ID, PIN, or password.

(f) "Process" or "Processing" means, with respect to Authority Data, to collect, access, use, process, modify, copy, analyze, disclose, transmit, transfer, sell, rent, store, or retain or destroy such data in any form. For the avoidance of doubt, "Process" includes the compilation or correlation of Authority Data with information from other sources and the application of algorithmic analysis to create new or derivative data sets from Authority Data.

(g) "Remediation Efforts" means, with respect to any Security Incident, activities designed to remedy a Security Incident which may be required by a Data Law or by the Authority's or the Contractor's policies or procedures, or which may otherwise be necessary, reasonable or appropriate under the circumstances, commensurate with the nature of such Security Incident. Remediation Efforts may include:

(i) development and delivery of legal notices to affected individuals or other third parties;

(ii) establishment and operation of toll-free telephone numbers for affected individuals to receive specific information and assistance;

(iii) procurement of credit monitoring, credit or identity repair services and identity theft insurance from third parties that provide such services for affected individuals;

(iv) provision of identity theft insurance for affected individuals;

(v) cooperation with and response to regulatory, government and/or law enforcement inquiries and other similar actions;

(vi) undertaking of investigations (internal or in cooperation with a governmental body) of such Security Incident, including forensics;

(vii) public relations and other crisis management services; and

(viii) cooperation with and response to litigation with respect to such Security Incident (including, but not limited to, class action suits or similar proceedings); and in each case of examples (i) through (viii), payment of legal costs, disbursements, fines, settlements and damages.

(h) "Security Incident" means:

(i) the loss or misuse of Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property;

(ii) the inadvertent, unauthorized, or unlawful processing, alteration, corruption, sale, rental, or destruction of the Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property;

- (iii) unauthorized access to internal resources;
- (iv) programmatic manipulation of a system or network to attack a third party;
- (v) elevation of system privileges without authorization;
- (vi) unauthorized use of system resources;
- (vii) denial of service to a system or network; or

(viii) any potential or confirmed exposure (which may stem from an act or omission to act) that would result in any of the events described in (i) through (viiii).

(i) "Security Policies" means statements of direction for Security Requirements and mandating compliance with applicable Data Laws. Typically, Security Policies are high level instructions to management on how an organization is to be run with respect to Security Requirements.

(j) "Security Procedures" means statements of the step-by-step actions taken to achieve and maintain compliance with Security Requirements.

(k) "Security Requirements" means the security requirements set forth below in Section 7 of this Addendum and any security requirements requested by the Authority from time to time.

(I) "Security Technical Controls" means any specific hardware, software or administrative mechanisms necessary to implement, maintain, comply with and enforce the Security Requirements. Security Technical Controls specify technologies, methodologies, implementation procedures, and other detailed factors or other processes to be used to implement and maintain Security Policies and Procedures relevant to specific groups, individuals, or technologies.

2. FISMA COMPLIANCE

Both parties will comply with all federal and state regulations, statues, and laws that govern this Agreement which includes, without limitation, the Federal Information Security Management Act, 2006 (FISMA) to the extent applicable to the Authority's business or the products and services provided by the Contractor. The Contractor accepts ultimate responsibility and liability for the protection and preservation of all Authority Data and the Authority Electronic Property through a security operational plan (the "Security Plan"). The Contractor will make available a current copy of the Security Plan for review upon the Authority's request. FISMA requires organizations to meet minimum security requirements by selecting the appropriate security controls as described by NIST Special Publication (SP) 800-53 revision 4, "Security and Privacy Controls for Federal Information Systems and Organizations." Note that organizations must always reference the most current version of NIST SP 800-53 for the security control selection process. The Contractor should meet the minimum-security requirements detailed in FIPS Publication 200.

3. AUTHORITY DATA

As between the Contractor and the Authority (*i.e.*, without addressing rights of third parties), the Authority is the sole owner of all rights, title and interest in and to Authority Data and the Authority Electronic Property. Except as expressly authorized in the Agreement, the Contractor may not use, edit, modify, create derivatives, combinations, or compilations of, combine, associate, synthesize, re-identify, reverse engineer, reproduce, display, distribute, disclose, sell or Process any Authority Data or Authority Electronic Property. The Contractor will not use Authority Data or Authority Electronic Property in a manner that is harmful to the Authority.

4. PERSONAL IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

The Contractor will comply with any Data Laws relating to the use, safeguarding, or Processing of any Personal Identifying Information, including any requirement to give notice to or obtain consent of the individual. In Processing any Personal Identifying Information, the Contractor will at all times comply with any posted privacy policy or other representations made to the person to whom the information is identifiable, and to communicate any limitations required thereby to any authorized receiving party (including any modifications thereto) in compliance with all Data Laws. The Contractor will ensure that any such receiving party abides by any such limitations, in addition to the requirements of the Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Contractor represents and warrants that Personal Identifying Information will not be Processed, transmitted, or stored outside of the United States. The Contractor shall take reasonable steps to maintain the confidentiality of and will not reveal or divulge to any person or entity any Personal Identifying Information that becomes known to it during the term of this Contract. The Contractor must maintain policies and programs that prohibit unauthorized disclosure of Personal Identifying Information security policies and practices. The Contractor must comply, and must cause its employees,

representatives, agents, and subcontractors to comply, with such commercially and operationally reasonable directions as the Authority may make to promote the safeguarding or confidentiality of Personal Identifying Information. The Contractor must conduct background checks for employees or sub-Contractors that have access to Personal Identifying Information or systems Processing Personal Identifying Information, including without limit access to computers and networks that host Personal Identifying Information, including without limitation through user credentials and strong passwords, data encryption both during transmission and at rest, firewall rules, and network-based intrusion detection systems. In addition to the foregoing, to the extent that any Personal Identifying Information qualifies as Protected Health Information that is subject to protection under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA," found at Public Law 104-191), and certain privacy and security regulations promulgated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to implement certain provisions of HIPAA and the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (the "HITECH Act"), and its implementing regulations found in the Omnibus Final Rule (collectively the "HIPAA Regulations") found at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164, the Contractor will execute and abide by the rights and obligations set forth in the Business Associate Agreement of the Authority.

5. <u>NO IMPLIED RIGHTS</u>

No right, license, permission, or ownership or other interest of any kind in or to any Authority Data or other intellectual property rights owned or licensed by the Authority is or is intended to be given or transferred to or acquired by the Contractor except as expressly stated in writing in the Agreement.

6. PROHIBITED INTERNET PRACTICES

The Contractor will not, and will not authorize or encourage any third party to, directly or indirectly:

(a) use any automated, deceptive or fraudulent means to generate impressions, click-throughs, or any other actions in relation to advertisements or Internet promotions on Authority Electronic Property or in relation to advertisements or Internet promotions of the Authority (or its products or services) on third party websites; or

(b) collect or Process data from an Authority Electronic Property other than as has been expressly authorized by the Authority in the Agreement or another written agreement with the Authority. Except as expressly allowed in the Agreement, the Contractor will not "screen-scrape" Authority Electronic Property or conduct any automated extraction of data from Authority Electronic Property or tracking of activity on Authority Electronic Property.

7. <u>SECURITY REQUIREMENTS</u>

The Contractor will apply reasonable physical, technical and administrative safeguards for Authority Data that is in the Contractor's possession or control in order to protect the same from unauthorized Processing, destruction, modification, or use that would violate the Agreement or any Data Law. The Contractor represents and warrants that the Security Policies, Security Procedures and Security Technical Controls as they pertain to the services being rendered to the Authority by the Contractor or its subcontractors and any Processing of Authority Data by the Contractor or its subcontractors will at all times be in material compliance with all Data Laws. In addition, the Contractor will require any of its employees, agents or contractors with access to Authority Data to adhere to any applicable Data Laws, and the Contractor represents and warrants that such employees, agents and contractors have not been involved in any violation of applicable Data Laws in the twenty-four months before the Effective Date. The Contractor will take into account the sensitivity of any Authority Data in the Contractor's possession in determining reasonable controls used to safeguard such Authority Data.

8. DATA SEGREGATION AND ACCESS

The Contractor will physically or logically segregate stored Authority Data from other data and will ensure that access to Authority Data is restricted to only authorized personnel through security measures. The

Contractor will establish and maintain appropriate internal policies, procedures and systems that are reasonably designed to prevent the inappropriate use or disclosure of Authority Data.

9. PCI COMPLIANCE

If the Contractor Processes payment card data, cardholder data, or sensitive authentication data on behalf of the Authority or if the Contractor otherwise can impact the security of said data belonging to the Authority, the Contractor is responsible for the security of said data. The Contractor represents and warrants that it has performed an assessment to confirm that the material aspects of the Contractor's Security Policies, Security Procedures and Security Technical Controls (as they pertain to the services being rendered to the Authority by the Contractor or its subcontractors and any Processing of Authority Data by the Contractor or its subcontractors) comply with the PCI DSS and the Contractor will repeat this assessment each year during the Term. The Contractor will provide certification of compliance with this requirement upon request from the Authority.

10. SECURITY REVIEWS AND AUDITS

The Contractor will, upon request, provide the Authority with reports of any audits performed on the Contractor's Security Policies, Security Procedures or Security Technical Controls. At a minimum, such reports will include any certifications of the Contractor's agents and contractors. Additionally, the Contractor will respond within a reasonable time period to any inquiries from the Authority relating to the Contractor's and its agents' and contractors' Security Policies, Security Procedures and Security Technical Controls. The Contractor will, upon the Authority's request, provide the Authority or its representatives access to the Contractor's and its agents' and contractors' systems, records, processes and practices that involve Processing of Authority Data so that an audit may be conducted. the Authority will not exercise such audit right more frequently than once per twelve (12) month period and the Authority will bear the full cost and expense of any such audit, unless such audit discloses a Security Incident or a breach of this Addendum or the Agreement, in which case the Contractor will bear the full cost and expense of such audit and a further audit may be conducted by the Authority or its representatives within the current twelve (12) month period.

11. SECURITY INCIDENTS

The Contractor will timely and promptly notify the Authority upon discovering or otherwise learning of a Security Incident involving the Authority Data or the Authority Electronic Property, to the extent within the Contractor's access, possession or control. Following any Security Incident, the Contractor will consult in good faith with the Authority regarding Remediation Efforts that may be necessary and reasonable. The Contractor will:

(a) at the Authority's direction undertake Remediation Efforts at the Contractor's sole expense and reimburse the Authority for its reasonable costs and expenses in connection with any Remediation Efforts it elects to undertake,

(b) ensure that such Remediation Efforts provide for, without limitation, prevention of the recurrence of the same type of Security Incident, and

- (c) reasonably cooperate with any Remediation Efforts undertaken by the Authority.
- (d) Without limiting the foregoing, the Contractor will:

(i) immediately undertake investigations (internal or in cooperation with a governmental body) of such Security Incident, including forensics,

(ii) timely share with the Authority any Security Incident-related information, reports, forensic evidence and due diligence obtained from the investigation into the Security Incident and cooperate with the Authority in response to regulatory, government and/or law enforcement inquiries and other

similar actions, (iii) cooperate with the Authority with respect to any public relations and other crisis management services, and litigation with respect to such Security Incident (including, but not limited to, class action suits or similar proceedings); and in each instance of Security Incident, be liable and responsible for payment of legal costs, disbursements, fines, settlements and damages. To the extent that the Authority is bound to comply with any interlocal agreements pertaining to shared information (including the Authority Data), the Contractor agrees that it will comply with, and cooperate with the Authority in its compliance, with all rights and obligations pertaining to the Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property under such interlocal agreements.

12. NOTICE TO THE AUTHORITY CUSTOMERS AND EMPLOYEES

Any notifications to any of the Authority's customers or employees regarding Security Incidents will be handled exclusively by the Authority and the Contractor may not under any circumstances contact the Authority's customers or employees relating to such Security Incident unless the Contractor is under a legal obligation to do so, in which event:

(a) the Contractor must notify the Authority in writing promptly after concluding that the Contractor has the legal obligation to notify such customers or employees and explain in such notice to the Authority the basis for the legal obligation and

(b) the Contractor will limit the notices to any of the Authority's customers and employees to those required by the legal obligation or as pre-approved by the Authority.

(c) The Contractor will reasonably cooperate in connection with notices to the Authority's customers and employees regarding a Security Incident and the Contractor will assist with sending such notices if so requested by the Authority.

13. EQUITABLE RELIEF

The Contractor acknowledges that the Authority may have no adequate remedy at law if there is a breach or threatened breach of any of the obligations set forth in this Addendum and, accordingly, that the Authority may, in addition to any legal or other remedies available to the Authority, seek injunctive or other equitable relief to prevent or remedy such breach without requirement of a bond or notice. The Contractor will not object or defend against such action on the basis that monetary damages would provide an adequate remedy.

EXHIBIT I ACCESS AND USE AGREEMENT

This Access and Use Agreement (this "Agreement") is entered into as of the effective date set forth on the signatory page between the undersigned person identified as the "Contractor" and Capital Metro Transportation Authority ("the Authority") concerning the terms and conditions under which the Authority will provide the Contractor with limited access and use of the Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property in conjunction with the Contractor's performance of the Contract. The parties acknowledge and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. **DEFINITIONS**

For purposes of this Agreement, capitalized terms shall have the meaning set forth below:

- (a) "Applicable Laws" means any and all applicable statutes, laws, treaties, rules, codes, ordinances, regulations, permits, interpretations, or orders of any Federal, state, or local governmental authority having jurisdiction over the Authority's or the Contractor's business the Contract, and the parties all as in effect as of the date of the Contract and as amended during the term of the Contract.
- (b) "Authority Data" means all data, content or information, in any form or format, including interim, Processed, compiled, summarized, or derivative versions of such data, content or information, and any insights that may be learned from such data, content or information, that may exist in any system, database, or record that is either (i) provided by or on behalf of the Authority or its customers to the Contractor, or (ii) is obtained, developed, produced or Processed by the Contractor or its systems, in each of (i) and (ii) in connection with the relationship or arrangements established by the Agreement, but excluding any data or information that is expressly defined as owned by the Contractor in the Contract.
- (c) "Authority Electronic Property" means (i) any websites controlled by the Authority, (ii) any Authority mobile device apps, (iii) any application programming interfaces (API) to the Authority's information technology systems, (iv) any other kiosks, devices or properties for consumer interaction that are created, owned, or controlled by the Authority, and (v) versions and successors of the foregoing, any form or format now known or later developed, that may be used by customers obtaining products or services from the Authority.
- (d) "Confidential Information" as used herein, shall mean and include, without limitation: (i) any information concerning the Authority, which is provided by or on behalf of the Authority to the Contractor, such as accounting and financial data, product, marketing, development, pricing and related business plans and budgets, and all of the information and plans related to the Authority's business, which are not published; (ii) all Authority Data; and (iii) the Authority Electronic Property.
- (e) "Contract" means that certain contract for products and services entered into between the Contractor and Authority to which this Agreement is attached or incorporated by reference. The applicable reference number for the Contract may be set forth in the signatory page to this Agreement.
- (f) "Remediation Efforts" means, with respect to any Security Incident, activities designed to remedy a Security Incident, which may be required by Applicable Law or by the Authority's or the Contractor's policies or procedures or under the Security Requirements, or which may otherwise be necessary, reasonable or appropriate under the circumstances, commensurate with the nature of such Security Incident.
- (g) "Security Incident" means: (i) the loss or misuse of the Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property; (ii) the inadvertent, unauthorized, or unlawful processing, alteration, corruption, sale, rental, or destruction of Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property; (iii) unauthorized access to internal resources; (iv) programmatic manipulation of a system or network to attack a third party; (v) elevation of system privileges without authorization; (vi) unauthorized use of system resources; (vii) denial of service to a system or network; or (viii) any potential or confirmed exposure (which may stem from an act or omission to act) that would result in any of the events described in (i) through (viii).
- (h) "Security Requirements" means security measures under Applicable Laws, industry best practices and other reasonable physical, technical and administrative safeguards, procedures, protocols, requirements and obligations related to facility and network security in order to protect the Authority Data and the Authority Electronic Property from unauthorized processing, destruction, modification, distribution and use, as approved in writing by the Authority, and all confidentiality and non-use or limited use obligations set forth in any license agreements or other third-party contracts (including interlocal agreement) applicable to the Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property.

2. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the Contract creates a relationship of confidence and trust on the part of the Contractor for the benefit of the Authority. During the term of the Contract, the Contractor may acquire certain Confidential Information from or regarding the Authority employees, agents and representatives or documents, or otherwise as a result of performing the services of the Contractor. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that all such Confidential Information is and shall be deemed the sole, exclusive, confidential and proprietary property and trade secrets of the Authority at all times during the term of the Contract and following any expiration of termination thereof.

3. STANDARD OF CARE

The Contractor agrees to hold in confidence without disclosing or otherwise using any Confidential Information, except as such disclosure or use may be required in connection with and limited to the product and services of the Contractor. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the Authority would not have entered into the Contract unless the Authority were assured that all such Confidential Information would be held in confidence by the Contractor in trust for the sole benefit of the Authority.

4. EXCEPTIONS

The Contractor's obligation of confidentiality hereunder shall not apply to information that: (i) is already in the Contractor's possession without an obligation of confidentiality; (ii) is rightfully disclosed to the Contractor by a third party with no obligation of confidentiality; or (iii) is required to be disclosed by court or regulatory order, provided the Contractor gives the Authority prompt notice of any such order.

5. <u>COMPLIANCE</u>

The Contractor, as well as its agents, representatives, and employees, shall comply with all of the Authority's rules, regulations, and guidelines pertaining to the Authority Data and the Authority Electronic Property and all Applicable Laws.

6. <u>SECURITY REQUIREMENTS</u>

The Contractor will establish and manage all Security Requirements necessary to protect the Authority Data integrity and permit appropriate access to the Application and the Authority Electronic Property. The Contractor will cooperate with and assist the Authority and its contractors to implement security protocols (e.g., firewalls, SSI, etc.) and take appropriate actions with respect to all Authority Data and the Authority Electronic Property to the extent in the Contractor's access, possession or control, so as to enable the Contractor to prevent the loss, alteration or unauthorized access to the Authority Data or the Authority Electronic Property. The Contractor will, upon the Authority's request, for each year of the term of the Contract, provide to the Authority copies of monthly firewall logs and third party audit reports, summaries of test results and other equivalent evaluations with regard to security and confidentiality in connection with the Contractor's access and use thereof The Contractor will use commercially reasonable efforts in accordance with the Security Requirements to secure all Authority Data and/or Authority Electronic Property stored on the Contractor's devices or network against access by parties external to the Authority or the Contractor and by unauthorized users, and against damage, disruption and other activity aimed at data availability or the services or other trespass or illegal actions. The Contractor will employ computer anti-malware protections and other reasonable commercial means to ensure a safe computing environment. The Contractor agrees that it will, and it will cause its personnel and contractors to timely comply with the Authority's privacy policies and safety and network security policies, as the same may be provided to the Contractor, at all times while on-site at the Authority's facilities or remotely accessing the Authority's systems or facilities (including Authority Data and/or Authority Electronic Property). The Contractor and/or its designated third party auditor(s) will perform all audits necessary to ensure the Authority Data integrity and adherence to the Security Requirements.

7. SECURITY INCIDENT

The Contractor will timely and promptly notify the Authority upon discovering or otherwise learning of any Security Incident involving Authority Data but in no event shall such notice exceed the time periods for notice required under Applicable Laws. Following any Security Incident, the Contractor will consult in diligent good faith with the Authority

regarding Remediation Efforts that may be necessary and reasonable. Without limiting the foregoing, the Contractor will (i) immediately undertake investigations (internal or in cooperation with a governmental body) of such Security Incident, including forensics, (ii) timely share with the Authority any Security Incident-related information, reports, forensic evidence and due diligence obtained from the investigation into the Security Incident and cooperate with the Authority in response to regulatory, government and/or law enforcement inquiries and other similar actions, (iii) cooperate with the Authority with respect to any public relations and other crisis management services, and litigation with respect to such Security Incident (including, but not limited to, class action suits or similar proceedings); and in each instance of Security Incident, be liable and responsible for payment of legal costs, disbursements, fines, settlements and damages. To the extent that the Authority is bound to comply with any interlocal agreements pertaining to shared information (including the Authority Data), the Contractor agrees that it will comply with, and cooperate with the Authority in its compliance, with all rights and obligations pertaining to the Authority Data under such interlocal agreements. The Contractor will timely and promptly notify the Authority upon discovering or otherwise learning of any Security Incident involving Authority Data but in no event shall such notice exceed the time periods for notice required under Applicable Laws. Following any Security Incident, the Contractor will consult in diligent good faith with the Authority regarding Remediation Efforts that may be necessary and reasonable. Without limiting the foregoing, the Contractor will (i) immediately undertake investigations (internal or in cooperation with a governmental body) of such Security Incident, including forensics, (ii) timely share with the Authority any Security Incident-related information, reports, forensic evidence and due diligence obtained from the investigation into the Security Incident and cooperate with the Authority in response to regulatory, government and/or law enforcement inquiries and other similar actions, (iii) cooperate with the Authority with respect to any public relations and other crisis management services, and litigation with respect to such Security Incident (including, but not limited to, class action suits or similar proceedings); and in each instance of Security Incident, be liable and responsible for payment of legal costs, disbursements, fines, settlements and damages. To the extent that the Authority is bound to comply with any interlocal agreements pertaining to shared information (including the Authority Data), the Contractor agrees that it will comply with, and cooperate with the Authority in its compliance, with all rights and obligations pertaining to the Authority Data under such interlocal agreements.

8. LIMITED ACCESS AND USE

The Authority authorizes the Contractor to access and use and to the extent necessary to perform the Services to install and use the Authority Data and/or Authority Electronic Property provided or made available by the Authority in its sole discretion and solely for the purposes of providing products and services for the benefit of or on behalf of the Authority under and during the term of the Contract. As between the Contractor and the Authority (i.e., without addressing rights of third parties), the Authority is the sole owner of all rights, title and interest in and to any Authority Data and Authority Electronic Property, together with all improvements, derivative works or enhancements to any of the foregoing and all intellectual property rights related thereto. Except as expressly authorized in this Agreement in the performance of the services solely for the benefit of the Authority or its customers, the Contractor may not use, edit, modify, create derivatives, combinations or compilations of, combine, associate, synthesize, re-identify, reverse engineer, reproduce, display, distribute, disclose, sell or Process any Authority Data or Authority Electronic Property. The Contractor will not use any Authority Data or Authority Electronic Property in a manner that is harmful to the Authority. All access and use shall be subject to the Authority's platform and network security policies and procedures and other Security Requirements. Access and use shall be limited to the Contractor and the number of users or devices authorized in writing by the Authority.

9. <u>NO OWNERSHIP</u>

Nothing set forth in this Agreement shall give the Contractor any ownership or other license, conveyance or right, title or interest in and to any and all Confidential Information (or any intellectual property, derivatives, improvements, enhancements, feedback or suggestions related to any of the foregoing, whether conceived, reduced to practice or developed alone or jointly with others by the Authority or the Contractor), which rights shall be owned exclusively by the Authority, and the Contractor will not knowingly take any action to challenge, contest or other action inconsistent with the Authority's rights.

10. RESERVED RIGHTS

The Authority reserves the right to suspend or terminate the Contractor's access and use of the Authority Data and/or the Authority Electronic Property at any time without liability or prior notice to the Contractor. Within five (5) business days of the Authority's written request, the Contractor will return or destroy all written or recorded materials comprising any Confidential Information of the Authority, together with all copies, summaries, compilations or analyses incorporating such information (whether held in computer, electronic or similar format), and certify the same in writing to the Authority; provided that all confidentiality obligations and ownership rights shall survive the return of such materials and the termination of this Agreement indefinitely or for as long as such information qualifies as a trade secret or confidential information under applicable law.

11. SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE

The Contractor recognizes that the restrictions and covenants contained in this Agreement are reasonable and necessary for the protection of the Authority's legitimate business interests, goodwill and trade secrets and confidential information. The Contractor acknowledges that the breach or threatened breach of this Agreement can cause irreparable damages to the Authority, and that in addition to and not in lieu of all other rights available at law or in equity, the Authority will have the right to temporary and permanent injunctive relief to prevent the breach of this Agreement by the Contractor, without posting of bond and proving actual damages. the Authority will be entitled to recover its costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, in enforcing its rights under this Agreement.

12. MISCELLANEOUS

This Agreement is made under and shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, and any dispute arising under this Agreement shall be settled in a court of competent jurisdiction lying in Travis County, Texas. If any of the provision of this Agreement are found to be unenforceable, the remainder shall be enforced as fully as possible and the unenforceable provision shall be deemed modified to the limited extent required to permit enforcement of the Agreement as a whole. This Agreement may be signed in multiple counterparts by hard or electronic signature (each of which shall have the same force and effect and deemed an original but all of which will together constitute but one and the same instrument).

13. SIGNATURE BLOCK

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