# State of Florida Department of Transportation



# INVITATION TO BID Road Weather Information Systems for FDOT RTMC

**DOT-ITB-25-2005-JB** 

#### **CONTACT FOR QUESTIONS:**

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Lake City, Florida 32025-5878

State of Florida **Department of Transportation** District Two Procurement Office 1109 South Marion Avenue Lake City, Florida 32025-5874

INVITATION TO BID REGISTRATION
PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM ASAP  E-MAIL TO jake.boozer@dot.state.fl.us
Bid Number: DOT-ITB-25-2005-JB
Title: Road Weather Information Systems for FDOT RTMC
Bid Due Date & Time (On or Before): Please see Section 2 - Timeline
Potential bidders should notify our office by returning this Bid Registration Form as soon as possible after downloading. Complete the information below e-mail to <a href="mailto:jake.boozer@dot.state.fl.us">jake.boozer@dot.state.fl.us</a>
THE INVITATION TO BID DOCUMENT YOU RECEIVED IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. Notice of changes (Addenda), will be posted on the Florida Vendor Information Portal at <a href="https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/">https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/</a> , under this bid number, click on "Search Advertisements", click on the drop-down arrow beside the box under Advertisement Type, select Invitation to Bid, click on the drop-down arrow beside the box for Organization, select FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, then go to the bottom of the same page and click on Advertisement Search. It is the responsibility of all potential bidders to monitor this site for any changing information prior to submitting your bid.
Company Name:
Address:
City, State, Zip:
Telephone: ( ) Contact Person:
Internet E-Mail Address:

For further information on this process, e-mail or telephone: Jake Boozer, 386-758-3756 or e-mail at jake.boozer@dot.state.fl.us

### DOT-ITB-25-2005-JB

### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS STATEMENT

How many years has your business performed the type of services being requested?				
Provide a written statement detailing your qualifications:				
	WORK	REFERENCES		
List the names of three re	ferences for which you	ır business has provided sim	ilar services.	
BUSINESS NAME	<u>ADDRESS</u>	CONTACT	PERSON	PHONE NO.
1				
2				
3.				

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Florida Statutes 287.135

## VENDOR CERTIFICATION REGARDING SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LISTS

PROCUREMENT
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Respondent Vendor Name:		
Vendor FEIN:		
Vendor's Authorized Representative Name and Title:		
Address:		
City:State:		
Phone Number:		
Email Address:		
Section 287.135, Florida Statutes prohibits a company from bidding on, submitting a proposal for, or entering into or renewing a contract for goods or services of any amount if, at the time of contracting or renewal, the company is on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to Section 215.4725, Florida Statutes, or is engaged in a boycott of Israel. Section 287.135, Florida Statutes, also prohibits a company from bidding on, submitting a proposal for, or entering into or renewing a contract for goods or services of \$1,000,000 or more, that are on either the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector Lists which were created pursuant to s. 215.473, Florida Statutes.  As the person authorized to sign on behalf of Respondent, I hereby certify that the company identified above in the section entitled "Respondent Vendor Name" is not listed on either the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, or the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List. I further certify that the company is not engaged in a boycott of Israel. I understand that pursuant to section 287.135, Florida Statutes, the submission of a false certification may subject company to civil penalties, attorney's fees, and/or costs.		
Certified By:		
who is authorized to sign on behalf of the above referer	nced company.	
Authorized Signature Print Name and Title:		
Date:		

#### INTRODUCTION SECTION

#### 1) INVITATION

The State of Florida Department of Transportation (hereinafter referred to as the "Department") is soliciting written bids from qualified bidders to establish a contract to provide <u>Road Weather Information Systems</u> equipment and hardware for three (3) years. It is anticipated that the term of the contract will begin on or about (the date of issuance of purchase order) and be effective for (36) months thereafter.

For the purpose of this document, the term "bidder" means the bidder acting on their own behalf and those individuals, partnerships, firms, or corporations comprising the bidder team. The term "bid package" means the complete response of the bidder to the Invitation to Bid, including properly completed forms and supporting documentation. After the award, said bidder will be referred to as the "Vendor".

#### 2) TIMELINE

Provided below is a list of critical dates and actions. These dates are subject to change. Notices of changes (Addenda) will be posted on the Florida Vendor Information portal at <a href="https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/">https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/</a> (click on "Search Advertisements") under this bid number. It is the responsibility of all potential bidders to monitor this site for any changing information prior to submitting your bid.

ACTION / LOCATION	DATE	LOCAL TIME
<b>DEADLINE FOR TECHNICAL QUESTIONS -</b> There is no deadline for administrative questions.	9-16-2024	5:00 PM
BIDS DUE (ON OR BEFORE) - Please submit bids to: D2.Purch@dot.state.fl.us	9-23-2024	2:00 PM
PUBLIC OPENING - FDOT District Two Procurement Office 1109 South Marion Avenue Lake City, Florida 32025-5878	9-23-2024	2:30 PM
POSTING OF INTENDED DECISION/AWARD -	9-26-2024	

#### 3) BID OPENING AGENDA

The sealed bids will be opened by the Department's Procurement Office personnel at the date, time and location in the Timeline. All bid openings are open to the public and will be conducted according to the following agenda:

<u>Opening remarks</u> – Approximate time of 2 minutes by Department Procurement Office personnel. <u>Public input period</u> – To allow a maximum of 15 minutes total for public input related to the bid solicitation.

<u>Bids opened</u> – At conclusion of public input or 15 minutes, whichever occurs first, bids received timely will be opened with bidder's name and prices to be read aloud.

Adjourn - After all bids received timely have been opened, the meeting will be adjourned.

#### 4) SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS

Any person with a qualified disability requiring special accommodations at a pre-bid conference, public meeting, and/or opening shall contact the contact person at the phone number, e-mail address provided on the title page at least five (5) working days prior to the event. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact this office by using the Florida Relay Services which can be reached at 1 (800) 955-8771 (TDD).

#### SPECIAL CONDITIONS

#### 1) MyFloridaMarketPlace

BIDDERS MUST BE REGISTERED IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA'S MYFLORIDAMARKETPLACE SYSTEM BY THE TIME AND DATE OF THE BID OPENING OR THEY MAY BE CONSIDERED NON-RESPONSIVE (see Special Condition 21). All prospective bidders that are not registered should go to <a href="https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/">https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/</a> to complete on-line registration, or call 1-866-352-3776 for assisted registration.

All payment(s) to the vendor resulting from this competitive solicitation **WILL** be subject to the MFMP Transaction Fee in accordance with the referenced Form PUR 1000 General Contract Condition #14. The Transaction Fees imposed shall be based upon the date of issuance of the payment.

#### 2) Florida Department of Financial Services (DFS) W-9 REQUIREMENT

The Florida Department of Financial Services (DFS) requires all vendors that do business with the state to submit an electronic Substitute Form W-9. Vendors must submit their W-9 forms electronically at <a href="https://flvendor.myfloridacfo.com">https://flvendor.myfloridacfo.com</a> to receive payments from the state. Contact the DFS Customer Service Desk at (850) 413-5519 or <a href="https://flvendor.myfloridacfo.com">FLW9@myfloridacfo.com</a> with any questions.

#### 3) QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

In accordance with section 287.057(25), Florida Statutes, respondents to this solicitation or persons acting on their behalf may not contact, between the release of the solicitation and the end of the 72-hour period following the agency posting the notice of intended award, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and state holidays, any employee or officer of the executive or legislative branch concerning any aspect of this solicitation, except in writing to the procurement officer or as provided in the solicitation documents. Violation of this provision may be grounds for rejecting a response.

Any technical questions arising from this Invitation to Bid must be forwarded, in writing, to the procurement agent identified below. Questions must be received no later than the time and date reflected on the Timeline. The Department's written response to written inquiries submitted timely by bidders will be posted on the Florida Vendor Information portal at <a href="https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/">https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/</a> ("Search Advertisements"), under this bid number. It is the responsibility of all potential bidders to monitor this site for any changing information prior to submitting their bid.

WRITTEN TECHNICAL QUESTIONS should be submitted to:

Jake Boozer, Procurement Officer jake.boozer@dot.state.fl.us
Phone: (386) 758-3756
1109 South Marion Avenue
Lake City, Florida 32025-5874

Questions regarding administrative aspects of the bid process should be directed to the Procurement Agent in writing at the address above or by phone

#### 4) ORAL INSTRUCTIONS / CHANGES TO THE INVITATION TO BID (ADDENDA)

No negotiations, decisions, or actions will be initiated or executed by a bidder as a result of any oral discussions with a State employee. Only those communications which are in writing from the Department will be considered as a duly authorized expression on behalf of the Department.

Notices of changes (Addenda) will be posted on the Florida Vendor Information portal at <a href="https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/">https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/</a> ("Search Advertisements") under this bid number. It is the responsibility of all potential bidders to monitor this site for any changing information prior to submitting your bid. All Addenda will be acknowledged by signature and subsequent submission of Addenda with bid when so stated in the Addenda.

#### 5) **DIVERSITY ACHIEVEMENT**

#### **DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) UTILIZATION**

The Department, in accordance with *Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 USC 2000d- 2000d-4, Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, U.S. Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that the Department will affirmatively ensure* 

that in any contract/agreement entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority and disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded the full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in consideration for an award.

The Department encourages DBE firms to compete for Department contractual services projects, and also encourages non-DBE and other minority contractors to use DBE firms as sub-contractors. The Department, its contractors, suppliers, and consultants shall take all necessary and reasonable steps to ensure that disadvantaged businesses have an opportunity to compete for and perform contract work for the Department in a nondiscriminatory environment. The Department shall require its contractors, suppliers, and consultants to not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, gender, age, or disability in the award and performance of its contracts.

Federal law requires states to maintain a database of all firms that are participating or attempting to participate in DOT-assisted contracts. To assist the Department in this endeavor, bidders are requested to submit the **Bidder's Opportunity List** with their Bid Sheet. The list should include yourself as well as any prospective sub-contractor that you contacted or who has contacted you regarding the project.

Bidders are requested to indicate their intention regarding DBE participation on the **Anticipated DBE Participation Statement** and to submit that Statement with their Bid Sheet. After award of the contract resulting from this bid, the awarded Vendor will need to complete the "Anticipated DBE Participation Statement" online through the Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) system within 3 business days after award of the contract. The link to access the EOC system is: <a href="https://www3.dot.state.fl.us/EqualOpportunityCompliance">https://www3.dot.state.fl.us/EqualOpportunityCompliance</a>. This will assist the Department in tracking and reporting planned or estimated DBE utilization.

During the contract period, the Vendor will be required to report actual payments to DBE and MBE subcontractors through the web-based EOC system. All DBE payments must be reported whether or not you initially planned to utilize the company. In order for our race neutral DBE Program to be successful, your cooperation is imperative. If you have any questions, please contact EOOHelp@dot.state.fl.us.

Additional information about the EOC system can be found on the Equal Opportunity Office (EOO) website at <a href="http://www.dot.state.fl.us/equalopportunityoffice/eoc.shtm">http://www.dot.state.fl.us/equalopportunityoffice/eoc.shtm</a>. A help manual on how to use the system will be

available within the EOC application. If you have any questions or technical issues, please contact the EOO help desk at <a href="EOOHelp@dot.state.fl.us">EOOHelp@dot.state.fl.us</a>.

To request certification or to locate DBEs, call the Department of Transportation's Equal Opportunity Office at (850) 414-4747, or access an application or listing of DBEs on the Internet at <a href="https://www.dot.state.fl.us/equalopportunityoffice/">www.dot.state.fl.us/equalopportunityoffice/</a>.

#### 6) SCOPE OF SERVICES

Details of the services, information and items to be furnished by the Vendor are described in Exhibit "A", Scope of Services, attached hereto and made a part hereof.

#### 7) INTENDED AWARD

The Department intends to award this contract to the responsive and responsible bidder that submits the lowest responsive bid. If the Department is confronted with identical pricing or scoring from multiple vendors, the Department shall determine the order of award using the following criteria, in the order of preference listed below (from highest priority to lowest priority):

- 1. Section 295.187(4), Florida Statutes; Veteran Business Enterprise
- 2. Section 287.087, Florida Statute; Drug Free Work Place
- 3. Section 287.057(11); Minority Business Enterprise

In the event that the application of the above referenced preferences does not resolve the identical replies, the Department shall determine the award by means of random drawing.

#### 8) PRE-BID CONFERENCE: A PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL NOT BE HELD.

#### 9) **QUALIFICATIONS**

#### 9.1 GENERAL

Bidder must meet the following minimum qualifications:

9.1.1 Please see Exhibit A – Scope of Services for qualifications.

#### 9.2 BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS

When submitting the bid, each bidder must submit a written statement ("Minimum Qualifications Statement" form), detailing their qualifications that demonstrate they meet the minimum qualifications contained in Special Condition 9.1.1, above. Failure by the bidder to provide the above item(s) will constitute a non-responsive determination. Bids found to be non-responsive will not be considered.

#### 9.3 AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

In accordance with sections 607.1501, 605.0211(2)(b), and 620.9102, Florida Statutes, out of state corporations, out of state limited liability companies, and out of state limited partnerships must be authorized to do business in the State of Florida. Such authorization should be obtained by the bid due date and time, but in any case, must be obtained prior to the award of the contract. For authorization, contact:

Florida Department of State Tallahassee, Florida 32399 (850) 245-6051

#### 9.4 LICENSE TO CONDUCT SERVICES IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

If the services being provided requires that individuals be licensed by the Department of Business and

Professional Regulation, such licenses should be obtained by the bid due date and time, but in any case, must be obtained prior to posting of the intended award of the contract.

For licensing, contact:

Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0797 (850) 487-1395

#### 10) WARRANTY/SUBSTITUTIONS

When performance of the services requires the supply of commodities, a warranty is required on all items provided against defective materials, workmanship, and failure to perform in accordance with required industry performance criteria, for a period of not less than ninety (90) days from the date of acceptance by the purchaser. Any deviation from this criterion must be documented in the bid response or the above statement shall prevail. Delivery of substitute commodities requires prior written approval from the ordering location.

Replacement of all materials found defective within the warranty period shall be made without cost to the purchaser, including transportation if applicable. All fees associated with restocking cancelled orders shall be the responsibility of the vendor.

All items provided during the performance of the contract found to be poorly manufactured will not be accepted, but returned to the vendor, at their expense, for replacement. Replacement of all items found defective shall be made without cost to the Department, including transportation, if applicable. As it may be impossible for each facility to inspect all items upon arrival, a reasonable opportunity must be given to these facilities for inspection of the items, and returning those that are defective.

#### 11) LIABILITY INSURANCE

The Vendor shall not commence any work until they have obtained the following types of insurance, and certificates of such insurance have been received by the Department. Nor shall the Vendor allow any subcontractor to commence work on this project until all similar insurance required of the subcontractor has been so obtained. The Vendor shall submit the required Certificates of Insurance to the Florida Department of Transportation, Procurement Office, (Jake Boozer, 1109 South Marion Avenue, MS2015, Lake City, Florida 32025-5874) within ten (10) days after the ending date of the period for posting the intended award decision.

(X) The Vendor must carry and keep in force during the period of this contract a general liability insurance policy or policies with a company authorized to do business in the state of Florida, affording public liability insurance with combined bodily injury limits of at least \$ (200,000 minimum) per person and \$ (300,000 minimum) each occurrence, and property damage insurance of at least \$ (200,000 minimum) each occurrence, for the services to be rendered in accordance with this contract.

With respect to any general liability insurance policy required pursuant to this Agreement, all such policies shall be issued by companies licensed to do business in the State of Florida. The Vendor shall provide to the Department certificates showing the required coverage to be in effect with endorsements showing the Department to be an additional insured prior to commencing any work under this Contract. The certificates and policies shall provide that in the event of any material change in or cancellation of the policies reflecting the required coverage, thirty days advance notice shall be given to the Department or as provided in accordance with Florida law.

The Department shall be exempt from, and in no way liable for, any sums of money which may represent a deductible in any insurance policy. The payment of such deductible shall be the sole responsibility of

the Vendor or subcontractor providing such insurance. Policies that include Self Insured Retention (SIR) will not be accepted.

#### 12) PERFORMANCE BOND

(X) A Performance Bond is not required for this project.

#### 13) METHOD OF COMPENSATION

Please see Exhibit C - Method of Compensation

#### 14) CONTRACT DOCUMENT

#### **PURCHASE ORDER**

The MyFloridaMarketPlace "Purchase Order Terms and Conditions" and the Department's "Purchase Order Terms & Conditions" are referenced or attached hereto and made a part hereof. The terms and conditions contained therein will become an integral part of each Purchase Order issued for this solicitation. In submitting a bid, the bidder agrees to be legally bound by these terms and conditions.

#### 15) REVIEW OF BIDDER'S FACILITIES & QUALIFICATIONS

After the bid due date and prior to contract execution, the Department reserves the right to perform or to have performed, an on-site review of the bidder's facilities and qualifications. This review will serve to verify data and representations submitted by the bidder and may be used to determine whether the bidder has adequate facilities, equipment, qualified and experienced staff, and overall management capabilities to provide the required services. The review may also serve to verify whether the bidder has financial capabilities adequate to meet the contract requirements.

**Should** the Department determine that the bid package has material misrepresentations or that the size or nature of the bidder's facilities, equipment, management capabilities, or the number of experienced personnel (including technical staff) are not adequate to ensure satisfactory contract performance, the Department has the right to reject the bid.

#### 16) PROTEST OF INVITATION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS

Any person who is adversely affected by the contents of this Invitation to Bid must file the following with the Department of Transportation, Clerk of Agency Proceedings, Office of the General Counsel, 605 Suwannee Street, Mail Station 58, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0450:

- 1. A written notice of protest within seventy-two (72) hours after the posting of the solicitation, (the notice of protest may be Faxed to 850-414-5264), and
- 2. A formal written protest in compliance with Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, within ten (10) days of the date on which the written notice of protest is filed.

Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or failure to post the bond or other security required by law within the time allowed for filing a bond shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes.

#### 17) UNAUTHORIZED ALIENS

The employment of unauthorized aliens by any contractor is considered a violation of Section 274A(e) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. If the contractor knowingly employs unauthorized aliens, such violation shall be cause for unilateral cancellation of the contract.

#### 18) SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES LISTS

ALL Responses, regardless of dollar value, must include a completed <u>Vendor Certification Regarding Scrutinized Companies Lists</u> to certify the respondent is not on either of those lists. The Form should be submitted with the Price Proposal.

A Vendor is ineligible to enter into a contract with the Department for goods or services of any amount if, at the time of entering into such contract, the Vendor is on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to Section 215.4725, Florida Statutes, or is engaged in a boycott of Israel.

Section 287.135, Florida Statutes, also prohibits companies from entering into a contract for goods or services of \$1 million or more that are on either the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector Lists which were created pursuant to s. 215.473, Florida Statutes.

If the Department determines the Vendor submitted a false certification under Section 287.135 of the Florida Statutes, the Department shall either terminate the Contract after it has given the Vendor notice and an opportunity to demonstrate the Department's determination of false certification was in error pursuant to Section 287.135 of the Florida Statutes, or maintain the Contract if the conditions of Section 287.135 of the Florida Statutes are met.

#### 19) RESERVATIONS

The Department reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids received and reserves the right to make an award without further discussion of the bids submitted. Therefore, the bidder should make sure that the bid package submitted is complete and accurate and submitted to ensure delivery on or before the bid opening time and date specified in this solicitation. It is understood that the bid will become a part of the Department's official file, without obligation to the Department.

#### 20) ADDITIONAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

No conditions may be applied to any aspect of the ITB by the bidder. Any conditions placed on any aspect of the bid documents by the bidder may result in the bid being rejected as a conditional bid (see "RESPONSIVENESS OF BIDS"). **DO NOT WRITE IN CHANGES ON ANY ITB SHEET.** The only recognized changes to the ITB prior to bid opening will be a written Addenda issued by the Department.

#### 21) RESPONSIVENESS OF BIDS

Bids may not be considered if not received by the Department on or before the date and time specified as the due date for submission. All bids must be typed or printed in ink. A responsive bid is an offer to provide the services specified in this Invitation to Bid in accordance with all requirements of this Invitation to Bid. Bids found to be non-responsive will not be considered. Bids may be rejected if found to be irregular or not in conformance with the requirements and instructions herein contained. A bid may be found to be irregular or non-responsive by reasons that include, but are not limited to, failure to utilize or complete prescribed forms, modifying the bid requirements, submitting conditional bids or incomplete bids, submitting indefinite or ambiguous bids, or executing forms or the bid sheet with improper and/or undated signatures. Other conditions which may cause rejection of bids include, evidence of collusion among bidders, obvious lack of experience or expertise to provide the required services, and failure to perform or meet financial obligations on previous contracts. ALL determinations of responsiveness will be the responsibility of the FDOT Procurement Office.

#### 22) BID SHEET

The bidder must use the attached Bid Sheet to submit its bid. The Bid Sheet must be signed and dated in ink by a representative who is authorized to contractually bind the bidder. All bid sheets and other documentation submitted in response to this solicitation must be executed and submitted in a sealed envelope. Indicate the bid number, with the time and date of the bid opening, on the envelope used to return the bid.

#### 23) ESTIMATED QUANTITIES

The Department anticipates purchasing the estimated quantities shown on the bid sheet(s), for a one (1) year period of any contract resulting from this bid. The estimated quantities are given only as a guideline for preparing your bid and should not be construed as representing the actual quantities to be authorized under this contract. The Vendor(s) shall supply, at bid prices, the actual quantities authorized regardless of whether the total of such quantities is more or less than anticipated. This bid and the resulting contract will be subject to annual appropriated funding.

#### 24) "DRUG-FREE WORK PLACE" PREFERENCE

Whenever two or more bids which are equal with respect to price, quality, and service are received, the Department shall determine the order of award first in accordance with section 295.187(4), Florida Statutes, giving preference to "Veteran Business Enterprise" then to bid responses from vendors that certify the business has implemented a drug-free workplace program in accordance with Section 287.087, Florida Statutes. The "Drug-Free Workplace Program Certification" must be completed and submitted with the bid response to be eligible for this preference.

#### 25) COPYRIGHTED MATERIAL

Copyrighted material will be accepted as part of a bid only if accompanied by a waiver that will allow the Department to make paper and electronic copies necessary for the use of Department staff and agents. It is noted that copyrighted material is not exempt from the Public Records Law, Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. Therefore, such material will be subject to viewing by the public, but copies of the material will not be provided to the public.

#### 26) ATTACHMENT TO ITB SUBMITTAL - CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

The Bidder must include any materials it asserts to be exempted from public disclosure under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, in a separate bound document labeled "Attachment to Invitation to Bid, Number DOT-ITB-25-2005-JB - Confidential Material". The Bidder must identify the specific Statute that authorizes exemption from the Public Records Law. Any claim of confidentiality on materials the Bidder asserts to be exempt from public disclosure and placed elsewhere in the bid will be considered waived by the Bidder upon submission, effective after opening.

#### 27) ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS:

#### **Electronic Bid Submittals**

Please follow the below instructions for the submittal of electronic bids, failure to do so, may result in your bid being found non-responsive. Non-responsive replies will not be evaluated.

- a) Subject line must show: DOT-ITB-25-2005-JB
- b) Email shall contain one file attachment marked as the following: DOT-ITB-25-2005-JB Bid Submittal
- c) Documents shall be submitted in portable document format (PDF) and have a size limit of 25MB.

- d) The body of the email shall not contain any information
- e) Bids shall be submitted to: <a href="mailto:D2.Purch@dot.state.fl.us">D2.Purch@dot.state.fl.us</a>

It is the bidder's responsibility to assure that the bid is delivered to the proper place <u>on or before</u> the Bid Due date and time (See Introduction Section 2 Timeline). Bids which for any reason are not so delivered, will not be considered.

#### 28) MODIFICATIONS, RESUBMITTAL AND WITHDRAWAL

Bidders may modify submitted bids at any time prior to the bid due date. Requests for modification of a submitted bid shall be in writing and must be signed by an authorized signatory of the bidder. Upon receipt and acceptance of such a request, the entire bid will be returned to the bidder and not considered unless resubmitted by the due date and time. Bidders may also send a change in a sealed envelope to be opened at the same time as the bid. The ITB number, opening date and time should appear on the envelope of the modified bid.

#### 29) POSTING OF INTENDED DECISION/AWARD

#### 29.1 - General:

The Department's decision will be posted on the Florida Vendor Information portal, at <a href="https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/">https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/</a>, on the date in the Timeline, and will remain posted for a period of seventy-two (72) hours. Any bidder who is adversely affected by the Department's recommended award or intended decision must file the following with the Department of Transportation, Clerk of Agency Proceedings, Office of the General Counsel, 605 Suwannee Street, Mail Station 58, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0450:

- 1. A written notice of protest within seventy-two (72) hours after posting of the Intended Award, (the notice of protest may be Faxed to 850-414-5264), and
- 2. A formal written protest and protest bond in compliance with Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, within ten (10) days of the date on which the written notice of protest is filed. At the time of filing the formal written protest, a bond (a cashier's check or money order may be accepted) payable to the Department must also be submitted in an amount equal to one percent (1%) of the estimated contract amount based on the contract price submitted by the protestor.

Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or failure to post the bond or other security required by law within the time allowed for filing a bond shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes.

#### 29.2 - Inability to Post:

If the Department is unable to post as defined above, the Department will notify all bidders by electronic notification on the Florida Vendor Information portal (see special condition 29.1, above) and/or telephone. The Department will provide notification of any future posting in a timely manner.

#### 29.3 - Request to Withdraw Bid:

Requests for withdrawal will be considered if received by the Department, in writing, within seventy-two (72) hours after the bid opening time and date. Requests received in accordance with this provision will be granted by the Department upon proof of the impossibility to perform based upon obvious error on the part of the bidder. Bidders that do not withdraw as stated above will forfeit their bid bond, if applicable.

#### 30) AWARD OF THE CONTRACT

Services will be authorized to begin when the Vendor receives the following document(s), as appropriate, indicating the encumbrance of funds and award of the contract:

A Purchase Order issued by the Department.

#### 31) RENEWAL

Upon mutual agreement, the Department and the Contract Vendor may renew the Contract for a period that may not exceed 3 years or the term of the original contract, whichever is longer. The renewal must be in writing and signed by both parties, and is subject to the same terms and conditions set forth in the initial contract and any written amendments signed by the parties. Any renewal shall specify the renewal price, as set forth in the solicitation response except that an agency may negotiate lower pricing. Renewal is contingent upon satisfactory performance evaluations and subject to the availability of funds.

#### 32) ATTACHED FORMS

Exhibit A – Scope of Services

Exhibit B – Bid Sheet

Exhibit C – Method of Compensation

Minimum Qualifications Statement

Drug-Free Workplace Program Certification (Form 375-040-18)

Vendor Certification Regarding Scrutinized Companies Lists (Form 375-030-60)

**DBE** Participation Statement

**Bid Opportunity List** 

E-Verify Form

Affidavit Regarding Labor and Services

PO Terms and Conditions

#### 33) TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### 33.1 General Contract Conditions (PUR 1000)

The State of Florida's General Contract Conditions are outlined in form PUR 1000, which is a downloadable document incorporated into this Invitation to Bid (ITB) by reference. Any terms and conditions set forth in this ITB document take precedence over the PUR 1000 form where applicable. <a href="http://www.dms.myflorida.com/content/download/2933/11777/1000.pdf">http://www.dms.myflorida.com/content/download/2933/11777/1000.pdf</a>

#### The following paragraphs do not apply to this Invitation to Bid:

Paragraph 31, Dispute Resolution - PUR 1000

Paragraph 40, PRIDE – PUR 1000, when federal funds are utilized.

#### 33.2 General Instructions to Respondents (PUR 1001)

The State of Florida's General Instructions to Respondents are outlined in form PUR 1001, which is a downloadable document incorporated into this Invitation to Bid (ITB) by reference. Any terms and conditions set forth in this ITB document take precedence over the PUR 1001 form where applicable. http://www.dms.myflorida.com/content/download/2934/11780/1001.pdf

#### The following paragraphs do not apply to this Invitation to Bid:

Paragraph 3, Electronic Submission – PUR 1001

Paragraph 4, Terms and Conditions - PUR 1001

Paragraph 5, Questions - PUR 1001

#### 33.3 MFMP Purchase Order Terms and Conditions

All MFMP Purchase Order contracts resulting from this solicitation will include the terms and conditions of this solicitation and the State of Florida's standardized Purchase Order Terms and Conditions, which can be found at the Department of Management Services website at the following link: <a href="http://www.dms.myflorida.com/content/download/117735/646919/Purchase Order Terms Sept 1, 2015.pdf">http://www.dms.myflorida.com/content/download/117735/646919/Purchase Order Terms Sept 1, 2015.pdf</a> Section 8(B), PRIDE, is not applicable when using federal funds.

#### 34) ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

All responses are subject to the terms and conditions of this solicitation, which, in case of conflict, shall have the following order of precedence listed:

Special Conditions
Scope of Services
Bid Sheet
MFMP Purchase Order Terms and Conditions
Appendix I (Terms for Federal Aid Contracts)
Instructions to Respondents (PUR 1001)
General Conditions (PUR 1000)
Introduction Section

#### 35) LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

The Vendor acknowledges that failure to complete the services by the completion date designated on the contract document may cause the Department to incur damages that, at present are, and upon the occurrence of the failure to timely complete the services may be, difficult to determine. Moreover, the Parties wish to avoid lengthy and expensive litigation relating to failure to complete the services on time. Therefore, in the event the Vendor fails to complete the authorized services by the completion date designated on the contract document, the Department shall exercise the remedy of liquidated damages against the Vendor, in accordance with Exhibit A - Scope of Services. The Parties agree that if the Department allows the Vendor to continue and finish the services, or any part of it, after the expiration of the time allowed, that the Department's action shall in no way act as a waiver on the part of the Department of the liquidated damages due under this contract. The Vendor shall pay said sum to the Department not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages.

#### 36) ALTERNATES

ALTERNATE BRANDS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR THIS BID. BID AS SPECIFIED.

#### 37) PRODUCT REQUIREMENTS/SPECIFICATIONS

Any deviation from specifications indicated herein must be clearly pointed out; otherwise, it will be considered that items offered are in strict compliance with these specifications, and successful bidder will be held responsible, therefore. Deviations must be explained in detail on separate attached sheet(s).

#### **BID CHECKLIST**

### (DOES NOT NEED TO BE RETURNED WITH YOUR BID)

This Checklist is provided <u>as a guideline</u>, <u>only</u>, to assist bidders in the preparation of their bid response. Included are some important matters that the bidder should check. <u>This checklist is just a guideline</u>, <u>and is not intended to include all matters required by the ITB.</u> <u>Bidders are responsible to read and comply with the ITB in its entirety.</u>

Check	off eacl	n the following:
	1.	The "Bid Sheet" has been filled out completely, signed, and enclosed in the bid response.
	2.	The Federal Employers Identification Number or Social Security Number has been entered in the space provided.
	3.	"Drug-Free Workplace Program Certification" form has been read, signed, and enclosed in the bid response, if applicable.
	4.	"Scrutinized Companies Lists" certification form has been read, signed, and enclosed in the bid response.
	5.	The Scope of Services section has been thoroughly reviewed for compliance to the bid requirements.
	6.	The prices bid have been reviewed for accuracy and all price corrections have been initialed in ink.
	7.	The <a href="https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/">https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com/</a> website has been checked and any Addendums posted have been completed, signed, and included in the bid response.
	8.	The bid response must be received, at the location specified, <b>on or before</b> the Bid Due Date and Time designated in the ITB.
	9.	Electronic Submission of Proposal guidelines laid out in Special Condition 27 are strictly followed.

### EXHIBIT A SCOPE OF SERVICES

#### 1.0 General

The Vendor shall provide Road Weather Information Systems (RWIS) equipment and services to the Department of Transportation (hereinafter referred to "Department or "FDOT"), North Florida Regional Transportation Management Center (RTMC).

#### 2.0 Equipment

Vendor will ship and deliver Road Weather Information Systems (RWIS) equipment/hardware upon receipt of purchase order for the type defined herein. This equipment/hardware will be type-specific so that the quantities and types of parts match specific Road Weather Information Systems (RWIS) systems. The Vendor shall provide equipment and hardware which includes, but is not limited, to:

Qty	Description
1	RWIS WS600: Smart Weather Sensor
1	Lufft-Communicator (LOOM)
1	RWIS VS2K: Visibility Sensor
1	RWIS RLS: Radar Level Sensor
1	RWIS Solar Panel
1	RWIS Solar Charger
1	RWIS Battery

#### 3.0 Deliverables

The Contractor shall provide the deliverables described in the table below to the Department's Project Manager. During the Contract term, deliverable due dates may be modified, if approved in writing, in advance, by the Department.

	DELIVERABLES		
	Deliverable	Completion Due Date	
1.	RWIS WS600: Smart Weather Sensor	Within 60-days of purchase order issuance.	
2	Lufft-Communicator (LOOM)	Within 60-days of purchase order issuance.	
3	RWIS VS2K: Visibility Sensor	Within 60-days of purchase order issuance.	
4	RWIS RLS: Radar Level Sensor	Within 60-days of purchase order issuance.	
5	RWIS Solar Panel	Within 60-days of purchase order issuance.	

6	RWIS Solar Charger	Within 60-days of purchase order issuance.
7	RWIS Battery	Within 60-days of purchase order issuance.

#### 4.0 Performance Standards and Liquidated Damages

The Department has developed the following Performance Standards which shall be met by the Vendor in performance and delivery of services. The Department reserves the right to impose liquidated damages upon the Vendor for failure to comply with the performance standard requirements as set forth in the table below. Liquidated Damages imposed will be deducted from the Vendor's subsequent invoice.

PERFORMANCE STANDARDS AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES	
Performance Standard Requirement Liquidated Damages to be Imposed	
1 Road Weather Information Systems Equipment and Hardware.  LCOM, weather sensors, cables, power supplies and associated. hardware.	\$100.00, per day, for each day past the delivery date, until accepted by the Department in writing.

#### 5.0 Compensation

	D <sub>escr</sub> i <sub>pt</sub> i <sub>on</sub>	Qty	Unit Purchase Price	Extended Purchase Price
1	RWIS WS600: Smart Weather Sensor Weather Sensor	20	TBD	TBD
2	Lufft-Communicator (LCOM)	20	TBD	TBD
3	RWIS VS2K: Visibility Sensor	20	TBD	TBD
4	RWIS RLS: Radar Level Sensor	20	TBD	TBD
5	RWIS Solar Panel	50	TBD	TBD
6	RWIS Solar Charger	20	TBD	TBD
7	RWIS Battery	50	TBD	TBD
		GR	AND TOTAL	TBD

#### 6.0 Contract Term

As indicated in the Purchase Order begin and end date. This Contract may not be renewed.

#### **Exhibit B**

#### **BID SHEET**

BID TITLE: Road Weather Information Systems for FDOT RTMC

Please provide prices for all items listed in Section A. Contract will be awarded based on the lowest grand total for Section A. Purchases will be made on a as needed basis.

NOTE: Delivery and Shipping Cost should be included in all bid prices. Separate quotes will be obtained.

#### **Section A**

Line	Description	Quantity	Unit Price
Item			
1	RWIS WS600: Smart Weather Sensor Weather Sensor	20	\$
2	Lufft Communicator (LCOM)	20	\$
3	RWIS Visibility Sensor (VS2K)	20	\$
4	RWIS RLS: Radar Level Sensor	20	\$
5	RWIS Solar Options: Solar Panel	50	\$
6	RWIS Solar Options: Solar Charger	20	\$
7	RWIS Solar Options: Battery	50	\$
		GRAND TOTAL	\$

**DELIVERY:** Delivery will be made within <u>60</u> days after receipt of Purchase Order

#### **MFMP Transaction Fee:**

All payment(s) to the vendor resulting from this competitive solicitation **WILL** be subject to the MFMP Transaction Fee in accordance with the referenced Form PUR 1000 General Contract Condition #14. The Transaction Fees imposed shall be based upon the date of issuance of the payment.

**NOTE:** In submitting a response, the bidder acknowledges they have read and agree to the solicitation terms and conditions and their submission is made in conformance with those terms and conditions.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** I certify that I have read and agree to abide by all terms and conditions of this solicitation and that I am authorized to sign for the bidder. I certify that the response submitted is made in conformance with all requirements of the solicitation.

Bidder:	FEID#
Address:	
Phone:	E-mail:
Authorized Signature:	Date:
Printed/Typed:	Title:

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### PUBLIC RECORDS PROVISIONS FOR PURCHASE ORDERS (CONTRACTUAL SERVICES)

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Purchase Requisition No.:	
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WHEREAS, the Parties have agreed to the terms and conditions set forth herein.

The Consultant/Contractor/Vendor shall comply with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. Specifically, the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor shall:

- (1) Keep and maintain public records required by the Department to provide goods and perform services.
- (2) Upon request from the Department's custodian of public records, provide the Department with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by law.
- (3) Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the Agreement term and following completion of the Agreement if the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor does not transfer the records to the Department.
- (4) Upon completion of the Agreement, transfer, at no cost, to the Department, all public records in possession of the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor or keep and maintain public records required by the Department to perform the service. If the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor transfers all public records to the Department upon completion of the Agreement, the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the Agreement, the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the Department, upon request from the Department's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the Department.

Failure by the Consultant/Contractor/Vendor to comply with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, shall be grounds for immediate unilateral cancellation of this Agreement by the Department.

IF THE CONSULTANT/CONTRACTOR/VENDOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE CONSULTANT'S/CONTRACTOR'S/VENDOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:

District 2

386-758-3727 D2prcustodian@ dot.State.FL.us Florida Department of Transportation District 2 - Office of General Counsel 1109 South Marion Avenue, MS 2009 Lake City, FL 32025

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Purchase Order No.:
Appropriation Bill Number(s) / Line Item Number(s) for 1st year of
contract, pursuant to s. 216.313, F.S.: N/A
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#### SERVICES AND PERFORMANCE

- A. The Department does hereby retain the Vendor to furnish, within the manner and at the location specified, certain services, information and items as specified in the competitive procurement documents, the completed purchase order form, and attached Exhibits which are integral parts of this purchase order contract (hereinafter called the Purchase Order). If additional terms and conditions of the Vendor are attached, only those provisions not in conflict with the State of Florida Purchase Order Conditions and Instructions and Purchase Order Terms and Conditions, whether generic or specific, shall take precedence over and supersede any inconsistent or conflicting provision in the State of Florida Purchase Order Conditions and Instructions, and any attached terms and conditions of the Vendor.
- B. Before making any additions or deletions to the work described in this Purchase Order, and before undertaking any changes or revisions to such work, the parties shall negotiate any necessary cost changes and the Department shall issue a Change Order covering such work and compensation. Reference herein to this Purchase Order shall be considered to include any Change Orders.
- C. All tracings, plans, specifications, maps, computer files, and reports prepared or obtained under this Purchase Order, as well as all data collected, together with summaries and charts derived therefrom, shall be the exclusive property of the Department without restriction or limitation on their use and shall be made available, upon request, to the Department at any time during the performance of such services and/or upon completion or termination of this Purchase Order. Upon delivery to the Department of said document(s), the Department shall become the custodian thereof in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. The Vendor shall not copyright any material and products or patent any invention developed under this Purchase Order. The Department shall have the right to visit the site for inspection of the work and the products of the Vendor at any time.
- D. All final plans, documents, reports, studies, and other data prepared by the Vendor shall bear the professional's seal/signature, in accordance with applicable Florida law that governs and Administrative Rules promulgated by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, and guidelines published by the Department, in effect at the time of execution of this Purchase Order. In the event that changes in the statute or rules create a conflict with the requirements of the published guidelines, requirements of the statute and rules shall take precedence.
- E. The Vendor agrees to provide project schedule progress reports in a format acceptable to the Department and at intervals established by the Department. The Department shall be entitled at all times to be advised, at its request, as to the status of work being done by the Vendor and of the details thereof. Coordination shall be maintained by the Vendor with representatives of the Department, or of other agencies interested in the project on behalf of the Department. Either party to the Purchase Order may request and be granted a conference.
- F. All services shall be performed by the Vendor to the satisfaction of the Director who shall decide all questions, difficulties and disputes of any nature whatsoever that may arise under or by reason of this Purchase Order. The Director's decision upon all claims, questions, and disputes shall be final and binding upon all parties. Adjustments of compensation and contract time because of any major changes in the work that may become necessary or desirable shall be left to the absolute discretion of the Director.

Reference herein to the Director shall mean the Department's	
Director of Operations	

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#### 2. TERM

A. Initial Term. Unless otherwise specified, this Purchase Order begins on the date of issuance.

Services to be rendered by the Vendor shall be completed by the date specified on the Purchase Order.

B, EXTENSIONS. In the event that circumstances arise which make performance by the Vendor impracticable or impossible within the time allowed or which prevent a new contract from being executed, the Department, in its discretion, may grant an extension of this Purchase Order. Extension of this Purchase Order must be in writing for a period not to exceed six (6) months and is subject to the same terms and conditions set forth in this Purchase Order and any written amendments signed by the parties; provided the Department may, in its discretion, grant a proportional increase in the total dollar amount based on the method and rate established herein. There may be only one extension of this Purchase Order unless the failure to meet the criteria set forth in this Purchase Order for completion of this Purchase Order is due to events beyond the control of the Vendor.

It shall be the responsibility of the Vendor to ensure at all times that sufficient time remains in the Project Schedule within which to complete services on the project. In the event there have been delays which would affect the project completion date, the Vendor shall submit a written request to the Department which identifies the reason(s) for the delay and the amount of time related to each reason. The Department shall review the request and make a determination as to granting all or part of the requested extension.

#### 3. COMPENSATION AND PAYMENT

- A. Payment shall be made only after receipt and approval of goods and services unless advance payments are authorized by the Chief Financial Officer of the State of Florida under Chapters 215 and 216, Florida Statutes. Deliverable(s) must be received and accepted in writing by the Contract Manager on the Department's invoice transmittal forms prior to payment. If the Department determines that the performance of the Vendor is unsatisfactory, the Department shall notify the Vendor of the deficiency to be corrected, which correction shall be made within a time-frame to be specified by the Department. The Vendor shall, within five days after notice from the Department, provide the Department with a corrective action plan describing how the Vendor will address all issues of contract non-performance, unacceptable performance, failure to meet the minimum performance levels, deliverable deficiencies, or contract non-compliance. If the corrective action plan is unacceptable to the Department, the Vendor shall be assessed a non-performance retainage equivalent to 10% of the total invoice amount. The retainage shall be applied to the invoice for the then-current billing period. The retainage shall be withheld until the vendor resolves the deficiency. If the deficiency is subsequently resolved, the Vendor may bill the Department for the retained amount during the next billing period. If the Vendor is unable to resolve the deficiency. the funds retained will be forfeited at the end of the agreement period.
- B. Vendors providing goods and services to the Department should be aware of the following time frames. Upon receipt, the Department has five (5) working days to inspect and approve the goods and services, unless the Purchase Order specifies otherwise. The Department has 20 days to deliver a request for payment (voucher) to the Department of Financial Services. The 20 days are measured from the latter of the date the invoice is received or the goods or services are received, inspected, and approved. Interest penalties of less than one (1) dollar shall not be enforced unless the Vendor requests payment. Invoices which have to be returned to a Vendor because of Vendor preparation errors shall result in a delay in the payment. The invoice payment requirements do not start until a properly completed invoice is provided to the Department.
- C. The State of Florida, through the Department of Management Services, has instituted MyFloridaMarketPlace, a statewide eProcurement system. Pursuant to Section 287.057(23), Florida Statutes, all payments shall be assessed a transaction fee of one percent (1%), which the Vendor shall pay to the State. For payments within the State accounting system (FLAIR or its successor), the transaction fee shall, when possible, be automatically deducted from payments to the Vendor. If automatic deduction is not possible, the Vendor shall pay the transaction fee pursuant to Rule 60A-1.031(2), Florida Administrative Code. By submission of these reports and corresponding payments, Vendor certifies their correctness. All such reports and payments shall be

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subject to audit by the State or its designee. The Vendor shall receive a credit for any transaction fee paid by the Vendor for the purchase of any item(s) if such item(s) are returned to the Vendor through no fault, act, or omission of the Vendor. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a transaction fee is non-refundable when an item is rejected or returned, or declined, due to the Vendor's failure to perform or comply with specifications or requirements of the Purchase Order. Failure to comply with these requirements shall constitute grounds for declaring the Vendor in default and recovering reprocurement costs from the Vendor in addition to all outstanding fees. VENDORS DELINQUENT IN PAYING TRANSACTION FEES MAY BE EXCLUDED FROM CONDUCTING FUTURE BUSINESS WITH THE STATE.

- D. Records of costs incurred under terms of this Purchase Order shall be maintained and made available upon request to the Department at all times during the period of this Purchase Order and for three years after final payment for the work pursuant to this Purchase Order is made. Copies of these documents and records shall be furnished to the Department upon request. Records of costs incurred shall include the Vendor's general accounting records and the project records, together with supporting documents and records, of the Vendor\_and all subcontractors performing work on the project, and all other records of the Vendor and subcontractors considered necessary by the Department for a proper audit of project costs.
- E. The Department, during any fiscal year, shall not expend money, incur any liability, or enter into any contract which, by its terms, involves the expenditure of money in excess of the amounts budgeted as available for expenditure during such fiscal year. Any contract, verbal or written, made in violation of this subsection is null and void, and no money may be paid on such contract. The Department shall require a statement from the comptroller of the Department that funds are available prior to entering into any such contract or other binding commitment of funds. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the making of contracts for periods exceeding one year, but any contract so made shall be executory only for the value of the services to be rendered or agreed to be paid for in succeeding fiscal years. Accordingly, the State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under this Contract is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Legislature.
- F. The bills for any travel expenses, when authorized by terms of this Agreement and by the Department's Project Manager, shall be submitted on the Department's Travel Form No. 300-000-06 and will be paid in accordance with Section 112.061, F.S and the most current version of the Disbursement Handbook for Employees and Managers.

#### 4. <u>INDEMNITY AND PAYMENT FOR CLAIMS</u>

A. INDEMNITY: To the extent permitted by Florida Law, the Vendor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Department, and its officers and employees from liabilities, damages, losses, and costs, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees, to the extent caused by the negligence, recklessness, or intentional wrongful misconduct of the Vendor and persons employed or utilized by the Vendor in the performance of this Purchase Order.

It is specifically agreed between the parties executing this Purchase Order that it is not intended by any of the provisions of any part of the Purchase Order to create in the public or any member thereof, a third party beneficiary hereunder, or to authorize anyone not a party to this Purchase Order to maintain a suit for personal injuries or property damage pursuant to the terms or provisions of this Purchase Order.

PAYMENT FOR CLAIMS: The Vendor guaranties the payment of all just claims for materials, supplies, tools, or labor and other just claims against the Vendor or any subcontractor, in connection with the Purchase Order. The Department's final acceptance and payment does not release the Vendor's bond until all such claims are paid or released.

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В.	LIABILITY INSURANCE. (Select and complete as appropriate):						
		No general liability insurance required.					
		The Vendor shall carry and keep in force during the term of this Purchase Order a general liability insurance policy or policies with a company or companies authorized to do business in Florida, affording public liability insurance with combined bodily injury limits of at least $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$					
		The Vendor shall have and maintain during the term of this Purchase Order, a professional liability insurance policy or policies or an irrevocable letter of credit established pursuant to chapter 675 and section 337.106, Florida Statutes, with a company or companies authorized to do business in the State of Florida, affording liability coverage for the professional services to be rendered in accordance with this Purchase Order in the amount of \$					
C.	WORKERS' COMPENSATION. The Vendor shall also carry and keep in force Workers' Compensation insurance as required for the State of Florida under the Workers' Compensation Law.						
D.	PERF	ORMANCE AND PAYMENT BOND. (Select as appropriate):					
	$\boxtimes$	No Bond required.					
		Prior to commencement of any services pursuant to this Purchase Order and at all times during the term hereof, including renewals and extensions, the Vendor will supply to the Department and keep in force a bond provided by a surety authorized to do business in the State of Florida, payable to the Department and conditioned for the prompt, faithful, and efficient performance of this Purchase Order according to the terms and conditions hereof and within the time periods specified herein, and for the prompt payment of all persons furnishing labor, materials, equipment, and supplies therefor.					
E.	Purcha of Flor to be i comm	IFICATION. With respect to any general liability insurance policy required pursuant to this ase Order, all such policies shall be issued by companies licensed to do business in the State ida. The Vendor shall provide to the Department certificates showing the required coverage n effect with endorsements showing the Department to be an additional insured prior to encing any work under this Contract. Policies that include Self Insured Retention (SIR) will accepted. The certificates and policies shall provide that in the event of any material change					

#### 5. <u>COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS</u>

A. The Vendor agrees that it shall make no statements, press releases, or publicity releases concerning this Purchase Order or its subject matter or otherwise disclose or permit to be disclosed any of the data or other information obtained or furnished in compliance with this Purchase Order, or any particulars thereof, during the period of the Purchase Order, without first notifying the Department's Contract Manager and securing prior written consent.

given to the Department or as provided in accordance with Florida law.

in or cancellation of the policies reflecting the required coverage, thirty days advance notice shall be

- B. If the Vendor is licensed by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to perform the services herein contracted, then section 337.162, Florida Statutes, applies as follows:
  - (1) If the Department has knowledge or reason to believe that any person has violated the provisions of state professional licensing laws or rules, it shall submit a complaint regarding the violations to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation. The complaint shall be confidential.
  - (2) Any person who is employed by the Department and who is licensed by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation and who, through the course of the person's employment, has knowledge to believe that any person has violated the provisions of state

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professional licensing laws or rules shall submit a complaint regarding the violations to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation. Failure to submit a complaint about the violations may be grounds for disciplinary action pursuant to chapter 455, Florida Statutes, and the state licensing law applicable to that licensee. The complaint shall be confidential.

- (3) Any complaints submitted to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation are confidential and exempt from Section 119.07(1), Florida Statutes, pursuant to chapter 455, Florida Statutes, and applicable state law.
- C. The Vendor covenants and agrees that it and its employees and agents shall be bound by the standards of conduct provided in applicable Florida law and applicable rules of the Board of Business and Professional Regulation as they relate to work performed under this Purchase Order. The Vendor further covenants and agrees that when a former state employee is employed by the Vendor, the Vendor shall require that strict adherence by the former state employee to Sections 112.313 and 112.3185, Florida Statutes, is a condition of employment for said former state employee. These statutes will by reference be made a part of this Purchase Order as though set forth in full. The Vendor agrees to incorporate the provisions of this paragraph in any subcontract into which it might enter with reference to the work performed pursuant to this Purchase Order.
- D. The Vendor agrees to comply with the Title VI Nondiscrimination Contract Provisions, Appendices A and E, available at <a href="http://www.fdot.gov/procurement/index.shtm">http://www.fdot.gov/procurement/index.shtm</a>, incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Agreement.
- E. Any intellectual property developed as a result of this Agreement will belong to and be the sole property of the State. This provision will survive the termination or expiration of the Agreement.
- F. The Vendor agrees to comply with s.20.055(5), Florida Statutes, and to incorporate in all subcontracts the obligation to comply with s.20.055(5), Florida Statutes.

#### 6. TERMINATION AND DEFAULT

- A. This Purchase Order may be canceled by the Department in whole or in part at any time the interest of the Department requires such termination. The Department further reserves the right to terminate or cancel this Purchase Order in the event an assignment is made for the benefit of creditors.
- B. If the Department determines that the performance of the Vendor is not satisfactory, the Department shall have the option of (a) immediately terminating the Purchase Order, or (b) notifying the Vendor of the deficiency with a requirement that the deficiency be corrected within a specified time, otherwise the Purchase Order will be terminated at the end of such time, or (c) take whatever action is deemed appropriate by the Department.
- C. If the Department requires termination of the Purchase Order for reasons other than unsatisfactory performance of the Vendor, the Department shall notify the Vendor of such termination, with instructions as to the effective date of termination or specify the stage of work at which the Purchase Order is to be terminated.
- D. If the Purchase Order is terminated before performance is completed, the Vendor shall be paid only for that work satisfactorily performed for which costs can be substantiated. Such payment, however, may not exceed an amount which is the same percentage of the agreement price as the amount of work satisfactorily completed is a percentage of the total work called for by this Purchase Order. All work in progress shall become the property of the Department and shall be turned over promptly by the Vendor.
- E. A Vendor is ineligible to enter into a contract with the Department for goods or services of any amount if, at the time of entering into such contract, the Vendor is on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to Section 215.4725, Florida Statutes, or is engaged in a boycott of Israel. Section 287.135, Florida Statutes, also prohibits companies from entering into a contract for goods or services of \$1 million or more that are on either the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector Lists which were created pursuant to s. 215.473, Florida Statutes. If the Department

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determines the Vendor submitted a false certification under Section 287.135 of the Florida Statutes, the Department shall either terminate the Contract after it has given the Vendor notice and an opportunity to demonstrate the Department's determination of false certification was in error pursuant to Section 287.135 of the Florida Statutes, or maintain the Contract if the conditions of Section 287.135 of the Florida Statutes are met.

#### 7. ASSIGNMENT AND SUBCONTRACTS

- The Vendor shall maintain an adequate and competent staff so as to enable Vendor to timely A. perform under this Purchase Order and must be authorized to do business within the State of Florida and may associate with it such subcontractors, for the purpose of its services hereunder, without additional cost to the Department, other than those costs within the limits and terms of this Purchase Order. The Vendor is fully responsible for satisfactory completion of all subcontracted work. The Vendor, however, shall not sublet, assign, or transfer any work under this Purchase Order to other than subcontractors specified in the proposal, bid and/or Purchase Order without the prior written consent of the Department.
- B. Select the appropriate box:

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$\boxtimes$	The following provision is not applicable to this Purchase Order.
	The following provision is hereby incorporated in and made a part of this Purchase Order:

It is expressly understood and agreed that any articles that are the subject of, or required to carry out this Purchase Order shall be purchased from a nonprofit agency for the blind or for the severely handicapped that is qualified pursuant to Chapter 413, Florida Statutes, in the same manner and under the same procedures set forth in Section 413.036(1) and (2), Florida Statutes; and for purposes of this Contract the person, firm, or other business entity carrying out the provisions of this Purchase Order shall be deemed to be substituted for the state agency insofar as dealings with such qualified nonprofit agency are concerned. RESPECT of Florida provides governmental agencies within the State of Florida with quality products and services produced by persons with disabilities. Available pricing, products, and delivery schedules may be obtained by contacting:

> **RESPECT** 2475 Apalachee Pkwy Tallahassee, Florida 32301-4946 Phone: (850) 487-1471

The following provision is hereby incorporated in and made a part of this Purchase Order:

It is expressly understood and agreed that any articles that are the subject of, or required to carry out this Purchase Order shall be purchased from the corporation identified under Chapter 946, Florida Statutes, in the same manner and under the procedures set forth in section 946.515(2) and (4), Florida Statutes; and for purposes of this Purchase Order, the person, firm, or other business entity (Vendor) carrying out the provisions of this Purchase Order shall be deemed to be substituted for this agency (Department) insofar as dealings with such corporation are concerned.

The "Corporation identified" is Prison Rehabilitative Industries and Diversified Enterprises, Inc. (PRIDE). Available pricing, products, and delivery schedules may be obtained by contacting:

> **PRIDE Enterprises** 12425 - 28th Street, North St. Petersburg, Florida 33716-1826 Telephone: (800) 643-8459

This Purchase Order involves the expenditure of Federal funds and hence, Section 946.515, as noted above, does not apply. However, Appendix I is applicable to all parties and is hereof made a part of this Purchase Order.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS** 8.

Α. The Vendor and its employees, agents, representatives, or subcontractors are not employees of the Department and are not entitled to the benefits of State of Florida employees. Except to the extent

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expressly authorized herein, Vendor and its employees, agents, representatives, or subcontractors are not agents of the Department or the State for any purpose or authority such as to bind or represent the interests thereof, and shall not represent that it is an agent or that it is acting on the behalf of the Department or the State. The Department shall not be bound by any unauthorized acts or conduct of the Vendor or its employees, agents, representatives, or subcontractors. Vendor agrees to include this provision in all its subcontracts under this Purchase Order.

- B. All words used herein in the singular form shall extend to and include the plural. All words used in the plural form shall extend to and include the singular. All words used in any gender shall extend to and include all genders.
- C. It is understood and agreed by the parties hereto that if any part, term or provision of this Purchase Order is by the courts held to be illegal or in conflict with any law of the State of Florida, the validity of the remaining portions or provisions shall not be affected, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be construed and enforced as if the Purchase Order did not contain the particular part, term or provision held to be invalid.
- D. This Purchase Order shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.
- E. In any legal action related to this Purchase Order, instituted by either party, the Vendor hereby waives any and all privileges and rights it may have under Chapter 47 and section 337.19, Florida Statutes, relating to venue, as it now exists or may hereafter be amended, and any and all such privileges and rights it may have under any other statute, rule, or case law, including, but not limited to those grounded on convenience. Any such legal action may be brought in the appropriate Court in the county chosen by the Department and in the event that any such legal action is filed by Vendor, Vendor hereby consents to the transfer of venue to the county chosen by the Department upon the Department filing a motion requesting the same.
- F. Time is of the essence as to each and every obligation under this Purchase Order.
- G. If this Purchase Order involves the purchase or maintenance of information technology as defined in Section 282.0041, Florida Statutes, the selected provisions of the attached Appendix II are made a part of this Purchase Order and shall take precedence over any inconsistent provisions in this Purchase Order.
- H. If this Purchase Order is the result of a formal solicitation (Invitation to Bid, Request for Proposal or Invitation to Negotiate), the Department of Management Services Forms PUR1000 and PUR1001, included in the solicitation, are incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Purchase Order.
- I. This Purchase Order embodies the whole agreement of the parties. There are no promises, terms, conditions, or obligations other than those contained herein, and this Purchase Order shall supersede all previous communications, representations, or agreements, either verbal or written, between the parties hereto.
- J. The Department may grant the Vendor's employees or subconsultants access to the Department's secure networks as part of the project. In the event such employees' or subconsultants' participation in the project is terminated or will be terminated, the Vendor shall notify the Department's project manager no later than the employees' or subconsultants' separation date from participation in the project or immediately upon the Vendor acquiring knowledge of such termination of employees' or subconsultants' participation in the project, whichever occurs later.

#### K. Vendor/Contractor:

- 1. shall utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the Vendor/Contractor during the term of the contract; and
- 2. shall expressly require any subcontractors performing work or providing services pursuant to the state contract to likewise utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the subcontractor during the contract term; and

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3. shall adhere to requirements in section 448.095, Florida Statutes.

The provisions in the PURCHASE ORDER TERMS & CONDITONS constitute an integral part of the Purchase Order contract. The Vendor acknowledges acceptance of the terms and conditions of this Purchase Order by providing the services described in this Purchase Order.

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### TERMS FOR FEDERAL AID CONTRACTS (APPENDIX I):

CONTRACT (Purchase Order) # \_\_\_\_\_

During the performance of this Agreement, the contractor, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor") agrees as follows:

- A. It is understood and agreed that all rights of the Florida Department of Transportation relating to inspection, review, approval, patents, copyrights, and audit of the work, tracing, plans, specifications, maps, data, and cost records relating to this Agreement shall also be reserved and held by authorized representatives of the United States of America.
- B. It is understood and agreed that, in order to permit federal participation, no supplemental agreement of any nature may be entered into by the parties hereto with regard to the work to be performed hereunder without the approval of U.S. Department of Transportation (hereinafter "USDOT"), not withstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement.
- C. Compliance with Regulations: The Contractor shall comply with the regulations relative to nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the USDOT, Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement.
- D. Nondiscrimination: The Contractor, with regard to the work performed during the Agreement, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The Contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the Agreement covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.
- E. Solicitations for Subcontractors, including Procurements of Materials and Equipment: In all solicitations made by the Contractor, either by competitive bidding or negotiation for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment; each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the Contractor of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion or family status.
- F. Information and Reports: The Contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a Contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the Contractor shall so certify to the Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
- G. Sanctions for Noncompliance: In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this Agreement, the Florida Department of Transportation shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
  - withholding of payments to the Contractor under the Agreement until the Contractor complies, and/or
  - b. cancellation, termination or suspension of the Agreement, in whole or in part.
- H. Incorporation of Provisions: The Contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (C) through (I) in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the Florida Department of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administration, Federal Transit Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, and/or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. In the event a Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the Contractor may request the Florida Department of Transportation to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the Florida Department of Transportation, and, in addition, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to

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### TERMS FOR FEDERAL AID CONTRACTS (APPENDIX I):

protect the interests of the United States.

- I. Compliance with Nondiscrimination Statutes and Authorities: Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., 78 stat. 252), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin); and 49 CFR Part 21; The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 U.S.C. § 4601), (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects); Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973, (23 U.S.C. § 324 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex); Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, (29 U.S.C. § 794 et seq.), as amended, (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR Part 27; The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age); Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982, (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended, (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex); The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, (PL 100-209), (Broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, The Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms "programs or activities" to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal-aid recipients, sub-recipients and contractors, whether such programs or activities are Federally funded or not); Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing entities (42 U.S.C. §§ 12131 -- 12189) as implemented by USDOT regulations at 49 C.F.R. parts 37 and 38; The Federal Aviation Administration's Non-discrimination statute (49 U.S.C. § 47123) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex); Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, which ensures non-discrimination against minority populations by discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations; Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination because of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, you must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to your programs (70 Fed. Reg. at 74087 to 74100); Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq).
- J. Interest of Members of Congress: No member of or delegate to the Congress of the United States shall be admitted to any share or part of this Agreement or to any benefit arising therefrom.
- K. Interest of Public Officials: No member, officer, or employee of the public body or of a local public body during his tenure or for one year thereafter shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in this contract or the proceeds thereof. For purposes of this provision, public body shall include municipalities and other political subdivisions of States; and public corporations, boards, and commissions established under the laws of any State.
- L. Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises ("DBE"): The Contractor shall agree to abide by the following statement from 49 CFR 26.13(b). The statement that follows shall be included in all subsequent agreements between the Contractor and any sub-contractor or contractor:

"The contractor, sub recipient or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the recipient deems appropriate."

Pursuant to 49 CFR 26.11(c) , the Contractor shall submit the bid opportunity list at the time of contract execution, and shall enter DBE commitment and payment information in the Florida Department of Transportation's Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) system. The Contractor shall request access to the EOC system using Form No. 275-021-30.

- M. It is mutually understood and agreed that the willful falsification, distortion or misrepresentation with respect to any facts related to the project(s) described in this Agreement is a violation of the Federal Law. Accordingly, United States Code, Title 18, Section 1020, is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement.
- N. It is understood and agreed that if the Contractor at any time learns that the certification it provided the Florida Department of Transportation in compliance with 49 CFR, Section 26.51, was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances, the Contractor shall provide immediate written notice to the Florida Department of Transportation. It is further agreed that the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transaction" as set forth in 49 CFR, Section 29.510, shall be included by the Contractor in all lower tier covered transactions and in all aforementioned federal regulation.

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### TERMS FOR FEDERAL AID CONTRACTS (APPENDIX I):

- O. The Florida Department of Transportation hereby certifies that neither the Contractor nor the Contractor's representative has been required by the Florida Department of Transportation, directly or indirectly as an express or implied condition in connection with obtaining or carrying out this Agreement, to
  - employ or retain, or agree to employ or retain, any firm or person, or
  - 2. pay, or agree to pay, to any firm, person, or organization, any fee, contribution, donation, or consideration of any kind;

The Florida Department of Transportation further acknowledges that this Agreement will be furnished to a federal agency, in connection with this Agreement involving participation of Federal-Aid funds, and is subject to applicable State and Federal Laws, both criminal and civil.

- P. The Contractor hereby certifies that it has not:
  - 1. employed or retained for a commission, percentage, brokerage, contingent fee, or other consideration, any firm or person to solicit or secure this contract (except a bona fide employee or Agency); or
  - agreed, as an express or implied condition for obtaining this contract, to employ or retain the services of any firm or person in connection with carrying out this contract; or
  - 3. paid, or agreed to pay, to any firm, organization or person any fee contribution, donation, or consideration of any kind for, or in connection with, procuring or carrying out the contract (except a bona fide employee or Agency).

The Contractor further acknowledges that this Agreement will be furnished to the Florida Department of Transportation and a federal agency in connection with this contract involving participation of Federal-Aid funds, and is subject to applicable State and Federal Laws, both criminal and civil.

- Q. Federal-aid projects for highway construction shall comply with the Buy America provisions of 23 CFR 635.410, as amended (where applicable).
- R. Except as otherwise provided under 41 CFR Part 60, all contracts that meet the definition of federally assisted construction contract" in 41 CFR Part 60-1.3 shall comply with the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 CFR 60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity" (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 CFR Part, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," and implementing regulations at 41 CFR part 60, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor" (where applicable).
- S. Clean Air Act: The Contractor agrees to comply with applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq.

The Contractor agrees to report each violation to the Department of Transportation (Department) and understands and agrees that the Department will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office.

The Contractor agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract exceeding \$150,000 financed in whole or in part with Federal assistance provided by FEMA.

T. Federal Water Pollution Control Act: The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.

The Contractor agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract exceeding \$150,000 financed in whole or in part with Federal assistance provided by FEMA.

U. Byrd Anti-Lobbying: Contractors awarded a contract of \$100,000 or more shall file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Each tier shall also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the recipient who in turn will forward the certification(s) to the awarding agency.

CERTIFICATION FOR DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES ON FEDERAL AID CONTRACTS: (Compliance with 49CFR, Section 20.100 (b)) (1) The Contractor certifies that: (a) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence either directly or indirectly an officer or employee of any state or

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Federal agency, a member of the Florida Legislature, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement. (b) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities". (2) This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure. (3) The Contractor also certifies by signing this contract that the Contractor shall require the language of this certification be included in all lower tier subcontracts, which exceed \$100,000 and that all such subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

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#### **AFFIDAVIT REGARDING LABOR AND SERVICES**

PROCUREMENT

Effective July 1, 2024, pursuant to §787.06(13), Florida Statutes, when a contract is executed, renewed, or extended between a nongovernmental entity and a governmental entity, the nongovernmental entity must provide the governmental entity with an affidavit signed by an officer or a representative of the nongovernmental entity under penalty of perjury attesting that the nongovernmental entity does not use coercion for labor or services.

Nongovernmental Entity's Name:	
Address: Phone Number:	
Authorized Representative's Name:	
Authorized Representative's Title:	
Email Address:	
	Affidavit
Ι,	, as authorized representative attest that
	does not use coercion for labor or services as defined in §787.06,
Florida Statutes.	
are true.	
(Signature of authorized representative	e) Date
STATE	
COUNTY OF	
day of , (year), by	re me, by means of physical presence or online notarization, this
Notary Public	
Commission Expires	
Personally Known OR Produced Identif	fication
Type of Identification Produced	

#### **ANTICIPATED DBE PARTICIPATION STATEMENT**

The Prime contractor is encouraged to complete this form and submit this form with your bid/price proposal/reply.

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Submission of this form is not mandatory.
Procurement Number:
Contractor's Name:
Contractor's FEID Number:
ls the prime contractor a Florida Department of Transportation Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)? ( yes ☐ ) (no ☐ )
Expected amount of contract dollars to be subcontracted to DBE(s): \$
OR
It is our intent to subcontract % of the contract dollars to DBE(s). Listed below are the proposed DBE subcontractors:
DBE (s) Name  Type of Work/Specialty  Dollar Amount/Percentage
Submitted by: Title:
Submitted by: Title: Title:
Date:

Note: This information is used to track and report anticipated DBE participation in FDOT contracts. The anticipated DBE amount will not become part of the contractual terms.

## BID OPPORTUNITY LIST FOR COMMODITIES & CONTRACTUAL SERVICES

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Pr	ime Contractor:			
Αd	ddress/Phone Number:			
Pr	ocurement Number:			
49 Di su co pr	OCFR Part 26.11 The list is intended to be a listing of all OT-assisted contracts. The list must include all firms the applies materials on DOT-assisted projects, including be ontacting you and expressing an interest in teaming with ovide information for Numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4, and should 7 for themselves, and their subcontractors.	Il firms tha at bid on p oth DBEs n you on a	at are participating prime contracts, o and non-DBEs. T a specific DOT-as	g, or attempting to participate, on r bid or quote subcontracts and his list must include all subcontractors sisted project. Prime contractors must
2. 3. 4.	Federal Tax ID Number:	• - -	☐ DBE ☐ Non-DBE	7. Annual Gross Receipts  Less than \$1 million  Between \$1 - \$5 million  Between \$5 - \$10 million  Between \$10 - \$15 million  More than \$15 million
2. 3. 4.	Federal Tax ID Number:  Firm Name: Phone: Address:  Year Firm Established:	• • •	□ DBE □ Non-DBE	7. Annual Gross Receipts  Less than \$1 million  Between \$1 - \$5 million  Between \$5 - \$10 million  Between \$10 - \$15 million  More than \$15 million
2. 3. 4.	Federal Tax ID Number:  Firm Name: Phone: Address:  Year Firm Established:	- -	□ DBE □ Non-DBE	7. Annual Gross Receipts  Less than \$1 million  Between \$1 - \$5 million  Between \$5 - \$10 million  Between \$10 - \$15 million  More than \$15 million
2. 3.	Federal Tax ID Number:  Firm Name: Phone: Address:	6.	☐ DBE ☐ Non-DBE	7. Annual Gross Receipts  Less than \$1 million  Between \$1 - \$5 million  Between \$5 - \$10 million  Between \$10 - \$15 million  More than \$15 million
5.	Year Firm Established:	• •		

AS APPLICABLE, PLEASE SUBMIT THIS FORM WITH YOUR:

BID SHEET (Invitation to Bid – ITB)
PRICE PROPOSAL (Request for Proposal – RFP)
REPLY (Invitation to Negotiate – ITN)

#### STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

#### DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PROGRAM CERTIFICATION

PROCUREMENT

287.087 Preference to businesses with drug-free workplace programs. --Whenever two or more bids, proposals, or replies that are equal with respect to price, quality, and service are received by the state or by any political subdivision for the procurement of commodities or contractual services, a bid, proposal, or reply received from a business that certifies that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program shall be given preference in the award process. In order to have a drug-free workplace program, a business shall:

- (1) Publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
- (2) Inform employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the business's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
- (3) Give each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
- (4) In the statement specified in subsection (1), notify the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employee will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the employer of any conviction of, or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of Chapter 893 or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than 5 days after such conviction.
- (5) Impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community by, any employee who is so convicted.
  - (6) Make a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of this section.

Does the individual responding to this solicitation certify that their firm has implemented a drug-free workplace program in accordance with the provision of Section 287.087, Florida Statutes, as stated above?	
☐ YES	
□NO	
NAME OF BUSINESS:	

Contract No:
Financial Project No(s):
Project Description:
In accordance with the contract, the Vendor/Consultant/Contractor hereby acknowledges and certifies compliance with Section 448.095, Florida Statutes. The Vendor/Consultant/Contractor shall register with and use the E-Verify system to verify the work authorization status of all newly hired employees. The Vendor/Consultant/Contractor shall utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system, in accordance with the terms governing use of the system. The Vendor/Consultant/Contractor shall comply with Section 448.095, Florida Statutes, for the duration of the contract term, including any extensions or renewal periods.
Company/Firm:
Authorized Signature:
Title:
Date:

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RON DESANTIS GOVERNOR 1109 South Marion Avenue Lake City, FL 32025-5874 JARED W. PERDUE, P.E. SECRETARY

## DISTRICT TWO PROCUREMENT OFFICE

# ADDENDUM 1 DOT-ITB-25-2005-JB Road Weather Information Systems for FDOT RTMC

Addendum No. 1 hereby incorporates the following:

1. Provides Answers to Questions received.

The	Bidder	must	ackno	wledge	receipt	of	this	Addendun	n by	completing	and	returning	to	the
Proc	urement	Office	with its	bid pacl	kage by c	or be	efore	the time ar	id dat	e of the bid	openi	ng. <b>Failur</b>	e to	o do
so may deem the Bidder non-responsive.														

Company Name	
Signature	
Date	

Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or failure to post the bond or other security required by law within the time allowed for filing a bond shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes.

Question		Answer	
1.	What is the overview of your project/application? Are there any special considerations we should be aware of?	1.	FDOT is purchasing Road Weather sensors to replace ones that are approaching end of life.
2.	Is the equipment part of an ongoing project, or a new project? (The manufacturer has asked this)	2.	New project/ in house install.
3.	What specific parameters is DOT looking to measure?	3.	We are looking into measuring wind, water, and fog.
4.	How does DOT plan to retrieve your data from the instrument? Will the data be remotely? If so, please provide the method of telemetry DOT will utilize in their network.	4.	FDOT utilizes the NOAA site and a state intranet site that works with NOAA.
5.	Are all 20 of these RWIS going into existing cabinets?	5.	All RWIS will be going to existing cabinets
6.	If so, would the DOT like the system built onto Din Rail or all new Back Panels?	6.	No preference on DIN rail or Back panel, basically whatever is currently used in the existing cabinets
7.	Do you have the existing cabinet dimensions?	7.	We do not currently have the dimensions of the cabinets.
8.	Scope of work is to deliver all bid items which looks to be hardware only. Is that correct?	8.	That is correct
9.	Will installation be handled by others as part of a separate contract?	9.	Installation will be handled by our ITS Maintenance Contractor.
10.	Will any commissioning (site turn on) be required by the manufacturer or will the same company who installs also be doing the commissioning?	10.	Our ITS maintenance contractor will handle turn on but will need tech support from vendor.
11.	Will there be any FDOT field acceptance testing required? If so will this also be completed by the installation team?	11.	Both will be handled by our maintenance contractor.
12.	It appears that the contract term is 3 years. Does this just mean that pricing is to be held for 3 years should there be spares or additional sites needed?	12.	3-year contract on pricing of the equipment. May need to purchase more and/or spares.
13.	Is the DOT providing communication via router or fiber in the cabinets?	13.	These devices communicate via fiber or satellite- based communication with NOAA GOES satellite
14.	Do the liquidated damages apply to just the delivery of the items within 60 days being that the installation timeline will be out of the winning vendors control?	14.	Just the delivery of the items.
15.	In regards to the solar panel, charger and battery solution. How many days of autonomy do you require? We are currently running the calculation with 4 days of autonomy. Will that suffice?	15.	Yes, the 4 days autonomy will suffice for the solar panel, charger and battery solution.