



Public Housing Authority Commission Regular Meeting

Monday, May 10, 2021, 6:00 p.m.

Chandler City Council Chambers
88 E. Chicago St., Chandler, AZ

Commission Members

Chair Kevin Hartke
Vice Chair Mark Stewart
Commissioner René Lopez
Commissioner Christine Ellis
Commissioner OD Harris
Commissioner Terry Roe
Commissioner Matt Orlando
Commissioner Vanessa Dearmon



Pursuant to Resolution No. 4464 of the City of Chandler and to A.R.S. 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the general public that the PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY COMMISSION will hold a Regular Meeting open to the public on Monday, May 10, 2021, at 6:00 p.m., in the Chandler City Council Chambers, 88 E. Chicago Street, Chandler, Arizona. One or more members of the Commission may attend this meeting by telephone.

Persons with disabilities may request a reasonable modification or communication aids and services by contacting the City Clerk's office at 480-782-2181 (711 via AZRS). Please make requests in advance as it affords the City time to accommodate the request.

Agendas are available in the Office of the City Clerk, 175 S. Arizona Avenue.

Agenda

Call to Order/Roll Call

Scheduled/Unscheduled Public Appearances

Consent Agenda

1. **April 2021 Public Housing Authority Commission Minutes**

Move to approve the Public Housing Authority Commission meeting minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 5, 2021.

2. **Agreement No. HO1-031-4309, with DC Demo, LLC, dba RM3 Mechanical, for Public Housing Heat Pump Replacement Services**

Move that Public Housing Authority Commission (PHAC) approve Agreement No. HO1-031-4309, with DC Demo, LLC, dba RM3 Mechanical, for public housing heat pump replacement services, in an amount not to exceed \$257,860.

Adjourn



Public Housing Authority Commission Memorandum Neighborhood Resources Memo No. N/A

Date: May 10, 2021
To: Public Housing Authority Commission
Thru: Joshua H. Wright, Acting City Manager
 Debra Stapleton, Assistant City Manager
 Leah Powell, Neighborhood Resources Director
From: Amy Jacobson, Housing and Redevelopment Manager
Subject: Agreement No. HO1-031-4309, with DC Demo, LLC, dba RM3 Mechanical, for Public Housing Heat Pump Replacement Services

Proposed Motion:

Move that Public Housing Authority Commission (PHAC) approve Agreement No. HO1-031-4309, with DC Demo, LLC, dba RM3 Mechanical, for public housing heat pump replacement services, in an amount not to exceed \$257,860.

Background/Discussion:

This project consists of the removal and replacement of 51 package heat pumps that are over ten years old. The new HVAC units come with a ten-year warranty that reduces maintenance calls and costs for Housing staff. The units are energy efficient, which helps to achieve U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) mandated energy efficiency goals. This project is part of the Housing Division's ongoing Capital Improvement Program. HUD previously approved the HVAC replacement project in Housing's Five-Year Action Plan. While the bid is \$247,860, staff is including an additional \$10,000 in contingency for unforeseen costs during the replacement of the heat pumps for a total of \$257,860.

Evaluation:

On March 8, 2021, City staff issued an Invitation for Bid, No. HO1-031-4309 for public housing heat pump replacement services. Notification was sent to all registered vendors. Four proposals were received from the following offerors:

365 Mechanical, LLC	\$271,574.29
DC Demo, LLC, dba RM3 Mechanical	\$247,860
Mills Design Group, LLC	\$326,129
PM Plumbing & Mechanical, Inc.	\$257,247.72

Staff recommends award to DC Demo, LLC, dba RM3 Mechanical, as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

Financial Implications:

Fiscal Impact

Account No.	Fund Name	Program Name	Dollar Amount	CIP Funded Y/N
234.4650.6211.3CG019	PHA Capital Fund Program	Capital Fund Grant 2019	\$257,860	N

Attachments

Agreement #HO1-031-4309 - DC Demo



City Clerk Document No. _____

Public Housing Council Meeting Date: May 10, 2021

**CITY OF CHANDLER SERVICES AGREEMENT
PUBLIC HOUSING HEAT PUMP REPLACEMENT
CITY OF CHANDLER AGREEMENT NO. H01-031-4309**

THIS AGREEMENT (Agreement) is made and entered into by and between the City of Chandler, an Arizona municipal corporation (City), and DC Demo, LLC, dba, RM3 Mechanical (Contractor), an Arizona Limited Liability Company. City and Contractor may individually be referred to as Party and collectively referred to as Parties) and made _____, 20_____(Effective Date).

RECITALS

- A. City proposes to provide heat pump replacement services as more fully described in Exhibit A, which is attached to and made a part of this Agreement by this reference.
- B. Contractor is ready, willing, and able to provide the services described in Exhibit A for the compensation and fees set forth and as described in Exhibit B, which is attached to and made a part of this Agreement by this reference.
- C. City desires to contract with the Contractor to provide these services under the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual promises contained in this Agreement, City and Contractor agree as follows:

SECTION I: DEFINITIONS

For purposes of this Agreement, the following definitions apply:

Agreement means the legal agreement executed between the City and the Contractor

City means the City of Chandler, Arizona

Contractor means the individual, partnership, or corporation named in the Agreement

Days means calendar days

May, Should means something that is not mandatory but permissible

Shall, Will, Must means a mandatory requirement

SECTION II: CONTRACTOR'S SERVICES

Contractor must perform the services described in Exhibit A to the City's satisfaction within the terms and conditions of this Agreement and within the care and skill that a person who provides similar services in Chandler, Arizona exercises under similar conditions. All work or services furnished by Contractor under this Agreement must be performed in a skilled and workmanlike manner. Unless authorized by the City in writing, all fixtures, furnishings, and equipment furnished by Contractor as part of the work or services under this Agreement must be new, or the latest model, and of the most suitable grade and quality for the intended purpose of the work or service.

SECTION III: PERIOD OF SERVICE

Contractor must perform the services described in Exhibit A for the term of this Agreement.

Following execution of this Agreement by City, the Contractor will immediately commence work and will complete all services described within 90 days from the date the Contractor is notified to proceed.

SECTION IV: PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION AND FEES

Unless amended in writing by the Parties, Contractor's compensation and fees as more fully described in Exhibit B for performance of the services approved and accepted by the City under this Agreement must not exceed \$257,860. Contractor must submit requests for payment for services approved and accepted during the previous billing period and must include, as applicable, detailed invoices and receipts, a narrative description of the tasks accomplished during the billing period, a list of any deliverables submitted, and any subcontractor's or supplier's actual requests for payment plus similar narrative and listing of their work. Payment for those services negotiated as a lump sum will be made in accordance with the percentage of the work completed during the preceding billing period. Services negotiated as a not-to-exceed fee will be paid in accordance with the work completed on the service during the preceding month. All requests for payment must be submitted to the City for review and approval. The City will make payment for approved and accepted services within 30 days of the City's receipt of the request for payment. Contractor bears all responsibility and liability for any and all tax obligations that result from Contractor's performance under this Agreement.

LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: The CONTRACTOR understands that if Substantial Completion is not attained within the Contract Time as adjusted, the City will suffer damages, which are difficult to determine and accurately specify. The CONTRACTOR agrees that if Substantial Completion is not attained within the Contract Time as adjusted, the CONTRACTOR will pay as liquidated damages the amount of \$100 per calendar day.

SECTION V: GENERAL CONDITIONS

5.1 Records/Audit. Records of the Contractor's direct personnel payroll, reimbursable expenses pertaining to this Agreement and records of accounts between the City and Contractor must be kept on

the basis of generally accepted accounting principles and must be made available to the City and its auditors for up to three years following the City's final acceptance of the services under this Agreement. The City, its authorized representative, or any federal agency, reserves the right to audit Contractor's records to verify the accuracy and appropriateness of all cost and pricing data, including data used to negotiate this Agreement and any amendments. The City reserves the right to decrease the total amount of Agreement price or payments made under this Agreement or request reimbursement from the Contractor following final contract payment on this Agreement if, upon audit of the Contractor's records, the audit discloses the Contractor has provided false, misleading, or inaccurate cost and pricing data. The Contractor will include a similar provision in all of its contracts with subcontractors providing services under the Agreement Documents to ensure that the City, its authorized representative, or the appropriate federal agency, has access to the subcontractors' records to verify the accuracy of all cost and pricing data. The City reserves the right to decrease Contract price or payments made on this Agreement or request reimbursement from the Contractor following final payment on this Agreement if the above provision is not included in subcontractor agreements, and one or more subcontractors refuse to allow the City to audit their records to verify the accuracy and appropriateness of all cost and pricing data. If, following an audit of this Agreement, the audit discloses the Contractor has provided false, misleading, or inaccurate cost and pricing data, and the cost discrepancies exceed 1% of the total Agreement billings, the Contractor will be liable for reimbursement of the reasonable, actual cost of the audit.

5.2 Alteration in Character of Work. Whenever an alteration in the character of work results in a substantial change in this Agreement, thereby materially increasing or decreasing the scope of services, cost of performance, or Project schedule, the work will be performed as directed by the City. However, before any modified work is started, a written amendment must be approved and executed by the City and the Contractor. Such amendment must not be effective until approved by the City. Additions to, modifications, or deletions from this Agreement as provided herein may be made, and the compensation to be paid to the Contractor may accordingly be adjusted by mutual agreement of the Parties. It is distinctly understood and agreed that no claim for extra work done or materials furnished by the Contractor will be allowed by the City except as provided herein, nor must the Contractor do any work or furnish any materials not covered by this Agreement unless such work is first authorized in writing. Any such work or materials furnished by the Contractor without prior written authorization will be at Contractor's own risk, cost, and expense, and Contractor hereby agrees that without written authorization Contractor will make no claim for compensation for such work or materials furnished.

5.3 Termination for Convenience. The City and the Contractor hereby agree to the full performance of the covenants contained herein, except that the City reserves the right, at its discretion and without cause, to terminate or abandon any service provided for in this Agreement, or abandon any portion of the Project for which services have been performed by the Contractor. In the event the City abandons or suspends the services, or any part of the services as provided in this Agreement, the City will notify the Contractor in writing and immediately after receiving such notice, the Contractor must discontinue advancing the work specified under this Agreement. Upon such termination, abandonment, or suspension, the Contractor must deliver to the City all drawings, plans, specifications, special provisions, estimates and other work entirely or partially completed, together with all unused materials supplied by the City. The Contractor must appraise the work

Contractor has completed and submit Contractor's appraisal to the City for evaluation. The City may inspect the Contractor's work to appraise the work completed. The Contractor will receive compensation in full for services performed to the date of such termination. The fee shall be paid in accordance with Section IV of this Agreement, and as mutually agreed upon by the Contractor and the City. If there is no mutual agreement on payment, the final determination will be made in accordance with the Disputes provision in this Agreement. However, in no event may the payment exceed the payment set forth in this Agreement nor as amended in accordance with Alteration in Character of Work. The City will make the final payment within 60 days after the Contractor has delivered the last of the partially completed items and the Parties agree on the final payment. If the City is found to have improperly terminated the Agreement for cause or default, the termination will be converted to a termination for convenience in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

5.4 Termination for Cause. The City may terminate this Agreement for Cause upon the occurrence of any one or more of the following events: in the event that (a) the Contractor fails to perform pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, (b) the Contractor is adjudged a bankrupt or insolvent, (c) the Contractor makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, (d) a trustee or receiver is appointed for Contractor or for any of Contractor's property (e) the Contractor files a petition to take advantage of any debtor's act, or to reorganize under the bankruptcy or similar laws, (f) the Contractor disregards laws, ordinances, rules, regulations or orders of any public body having jurisdiction, or (g) the Contractor fails to cure default within the time requested. Where Agreement has been so terminated by City, the termination will not affect any rights of City against Contractor then existing or which may thereafter accrue.

5.5 Indemnification. The Contractor (Indemnitor) must indemnify, defend, save and hold harmless the City and its officers, officials, agents and employees (Indemnitee) from any and all claims, actions, liabilities, damages, losses or expenses (including court costs, attorneys' fees and costs of claim processing, investigation and litigation) (Claims) caused or alleged to be caused, in whole or in part, by the wrongful, negligent or willful acts, or errors or omissions of the Contractor or any of its owners, officers, directors, agents, employees, or subcontractors in connection with this Agreement. This indemnity includes any claim or amount arising out of or recovered under workers' compensation law or on account of the failure of the Contractor to conform to any federal, state or local law, statute, ordinance, rule, regulation or court decree. The Contractor must indemnify Indemnitee from and against any and all Claims, except those arising solely from Indemnitee's own negligent or willful acts or omissions. The Contractor is responsible for primary loss investigation, defense and judgment costs where this indemnification applies. In consideration of the award of this Agreement, the Contractor agrees to waive all rights of subrogation against Indemnitee for losses arising from or related to this Agreement. The obligations of the Contractor under this provision survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement.

5.6 Insurance Requirements. Contractor must procure insurance under the terms and conditions and for the amounts of coverage set forth in Exhibit C against claims that may arise from or relate to performance of the work under this Agreement by Contractor and its agents, representatives, employees, and subcontractors. Contractor and any subcontractors must maintain this insurance until all of their obligations have been discharged, including any warranty periods under this Agreement. These insurance requirements are minimum requirements for this Agreement and in no

way limit the indemnity covenants contained in this Agreement. The City in no way warrants that the minimum limits stated in Exhibit C are sufficient to protect the Contractor from liabilities that might arise out of the performance of the work under this Agreement by the Contractor, the Contractor's agents, representatives, employees, or subcontractors. Contractor is free to purchase such additional insurance as may be determined necessary.

5.7 Cooperation and Further Documentation. The Contractor agrees to provide the City such other duly executed documents as may be reasonably requested by the City to implement the intent of this Agreement.

5.8 Notices. Unless otherwise provided, notice under this Agreement must be in writing and will be deemed to have been duly given and received either (a) on the date of service if personally served on the party to whom notice is to be given, or (b) on the date notice is sent if by electronic mail, or (c) on the third day after the date of the postmark of deposit by first class United States mail, registered or certified, postage prepaid and properly addressed as follows:

For the City

Name: Larry Mickel
Title: Housing Project Coordinator
Address: 235 S. Arizona Ave.
Chandler, AZ 85225
Phone: 480-782-3204
Email: larry.mickel@chandleraz.gov

For the Contractor

Name: Ralph Morales, III
Title: Owner
Address: 2343 N. Hayden Rd.
Scottsdale, AZ 85257
Phone: 480-254-2106
Email: rmorales@rm3mechanical.com

5.9 Successors and Assigns. City and Contractor each bind itself, its partners, successors, assigns, and legal representatives to the other party to this Agreement and to the partners, successors, assigns, and legal representatives of such other party in respect to all covenants of this Agreement. Neither the City nor the Contractor may assign, sublet, or transfer its interest in this Agreement without the written consent of the other party. In no event may any contractual relation be created between any third party and the City.

5.10 Disputes. In any dispute arising out of an interpretation of this Agreement or the duties required not disposed of by agreement between the Contractor and the City, the final determination at the administrative level will be made by the City Purchasing and Materials Manager.

5.11 Completeness and Accuracy of Contractor's Work. The Contractor must be responsible for the completeness and accuracy of Contractor's services, data, and other work prepared or compiled under Contractor's obligation under this Agreement and must correct, at Contractor's expense, all willful or negligent errors, omissions, or acts that may be discovered. The fact that the City has accepted or approved the Contractor's work will in no way relieve the Contractor of any of Contractor's responsibilities.

5.12 Withholding Payment. The City reserves the right to withhold funds from the Contractor's payments up to the amount equal to the claims the City may have against the Contractor until such time that a settlement on those claims has been reached.

5.13 City's Right of Cancellation. The Parties acknowledge that this Agreement is subject to cancellation by the City under the provisions of Section 38-511, Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.).

5.14 Independent Contractor. For this Agreement the Contractor constitutes an independent contractor. Any provisions in this Agreement that may appear to give the City the right to direct the Contractor as to the details of accomplishing the work or to exercise a measure of control over the work means that the Contractor must follow the wishes of the City as to the results of the work only. These results must comply with all applicable laws and ordinances.

5.15 Project Staffing. Prior to the start of any work under this Agreement, the Contractor must assign to the City the key personnel that will be involved in performing services prescribed in the Agreement. The City may acknowledge its acceptance of such personnel to perform services under this Agreement. At any time hereafter that the Contractor desires to change key personnel while performing under the Agreement, the Contractor must submit the qualifications of the new personnel to the City for prior approval. The Contractor will maintain an adequate and competent staff of qualified persons, as may be determined by the City, throughout the performance of this Agreement to ensure acceptable and timely completion of the Scope of Services. If the City objects, with reasonable cause, to any of the Contractor's staff, the Contractor must take prompt corrective action acceptable to the City and, if required, remove such personnel from the Project and replace with new personnel agreed to by the City.

5.16 Subcontractors. Prior to beginning the work, the Contractor must furnish the City for approval the names of subcontractors to be used under this Agreement. Any subsequent changes are subject to the City's written prior approval.

5.17 Force Majeure. If either party is delayed or prevented from the performance of any act required under this Agreement by reason of acts of God or other cause beyond the control and without fault of the Party (financial inability excepted), performance of that act may be excused, but only for the period of the delay, if the Party provides written notice to the other Party within ten days of such act. The time for performance of the act may be extended for a period equivalent to the period of delay from the date written notice is received by the other Party.

5.18 Compliance with Laws. Contractor understands, acknowledges, and agrees to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 and the Drug Free Workplace Act of 1989. All services performed by Contractor must also comply with all applicable City of Chandler codes, ordinances, and requirements. Contractor agrees to permit the City to verify Contractor's compliance.

5.19 No Israel Boycott. By entering into this Agreement, Contractor certifies that Contractor is not currently engaged in, and agrees for the duration of the Agreement, not to engage in a boycott of Israel as defined by state statute.

5.20 Legal Worker Requirements. A.R.S. § 41-4401 prohibits the City from awarding a contract to any contractor who fails, or whose subcontractors fail, to comply with A.R.S. § 23-214(A). Therefore, Contractor agrees Contractor and each subcontractor it uses warrants their compliance with all federal immigration laws and regulations that relate to their employees and their compliance with § 23-214, subsection A. A breach of this warranty will be deemed a material breach of the Agreement and may be subject to penalties up to and including termination of the Agreement. City retains the legal right to inspect the papers of any Contractor's or subcontractor's employee who provides services under this Agreement to ensure that the Contractor and subcontractors comply with the warranty under this provision.

5.21 Lawful Presence Requirement. A.R.S. §§ 1-501 and 1-502 prohibit the City from awarding a contract to any natural person who cannot establish that such person is lawfully present in the United States. To establish lawful presence, a person must produce qualifying identification and sign a City-provided affidavit affirming that the identification provided is genuine. This requirement will be imposed at the time of contract award. This requirement does not apply to business organizations such as corporations, partnerships, or limited liability companies.

5.22 Covenant Against Contingent Fees. Contractor warrants that no person has been employed or retained to solicit or secure this Agreement upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee, and that no member of the Chandler City Council, or any City employee has any interest, financially, or otherwise, in Contractor's firm. For breach or violation of this warrant, the City may annul this Agreement without liability or, at its discretion, to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, the full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee.

5.23 Non-Waiver Provision. The failure of either Party to enforce any of the provisions of this Agreement or to require performance of the other Party of any of the provisions hereof must not be construed to be a waiver of such provisions, nor must it affect the validity of this Agreement or any part thereof, or the right of either Party to thereafter enforce each and every provision.

5.24 Disclosure of Information Adverse to the City's Interests. To evaluate and avoid potential conflicts of interest, the Contractor must provide written notice to the City, as set forth in this Section, of any work or services performed by the Contractor for third parties that may involve or be associated with any real property or personal property owned or leased by the City. Such notice must be given seven business days prior to commencement of the services by the Contractor for a third party, or seven business days prior to an adverse action as defined below. Written notice and disclosure must be sent to the City's Purchasing and Materials Manager. An adverse action under this Agreement includes, but is not limited to: (a) using data as defined in the Agreement acquired in connection with this Agreement to assist a third party in pursuing administrative or judicial action against the City; or (b) testifying or providing evidence on behalf of any person in connection with an

administrative or judicial action against the City; or (c) using data to produce income for the Contractor or its employees independently of performing the services under this Agreement, without the prior written consent of the City. Contractor represents that except for those persons, entities, and projects identified to the City, the services performed by the Contractor under this Agreement are not expected to create an interest with any person, entity, or third party project that is or may be adverse to the City's interests. Contractor's failure to provide a written notice and disclosure of the information as set forth in this Section constitute a material breach of this Agreement.

5.25 Data Confidentiality and Data Security. As used in the Agreement, data means all information, whether written or verbal, including plans, photographs, studies, investigations, audits, analyses, samples, reports, calculations, internal memos, meeting minutes, data field notes, work product, proposals, correspondence and any other similar documents or information prepared by, obtained by, or transmitted to the Contractor or its subcontractors in the performance of this Agreement. The Parties agree that all data, regardless of form, including originals, images, and reproductions, prepared by, obtained by, or transmitted to the Contractor or its subcontractors in connection with the Contractor's or its subcontractor's performance of this Agreement is confidential and proprietary information belonging to the City. Except as specifically provided in this Agreement, Contractor or its subcontractors must not divulge data to any third party without the City's prior written consent. Contractor or its subcontractors must not use the data for any purposes except to perform the services required under this Agreement. These prohibitions do not apply to the following data provided to the Contractor or its subcontractors have first given the required notice to the City: (a) data which was known to the Contractor or its subcontractors prior to its performance under this Agreement unless such data was acquired in connection with work performed for the City; or (b) data which was acquired by the Contractor or its subcontractors in its performance under this Agreement and which was disclosed to the Contractor or its subcontractors by a third party, who to the best of the Contractor's or its subcontractors knowledge and belief, had the legal right to make such disclosure and the Contractor or its subcontractors are not otherwise required to hold such data in confidence; or (c) data which is required to be disclosed by virtue of law, regulation, or court order, to which the Contractor or its subcontractors are subject. In the event the Contractor or its subcontractors are required or requested to disclose data to a third party, or any other information to which the Contractor or its subcontractors became privy as a result of any other contract with the City, the Contractor must first notify the City as set forth in this Section of the request or demand for the data. The Contractor or its subcontractors must give the City sufficient facts so that the City can be given an opportunity to first give its consent or take such action that the City may deem appropriate to protect such data or other information from disclosure. Unless prohibited by law, within ten calendar days after completion or termination of services under this Agreement, the Contractor or its subcontractors must promptly deliver, as set forth in this Section, a copy of all data to the City. All data must continue to be subject to the confidentiality agreements of this Agreement. Contractor or its subcontractors assume all liability to maintain the confidentiality of the data in its possession and agrees to compensate the City if any of the provisions of this Section are violated by the Contractor, its employees, agents or subcontractors. Solely for the purposes of seeking injunctive relief, it is agreed that a breach of this Section must be deemed to cause irreparable harm that justifies injunctive relief in court. Contractor agrees that the requirements of this Section must be incorporated into all subcontracts

entered into by Contractor. A violation of this Section may result in immediate termination of this Agreement without notice.

5.26 Personal Identifying Information-Data Security. Personal identifying information, financial account information, or restricted City information, whether electronic format or hard copy, must be secured and protected at all times by Contractor and any of its subcontractors. At a minimum, Contractor must encrypt or password-protect electronic files. This includes data saved to laptop computers, computerized devices, or removable storage devices. When personal identifying information, financial account information, or restricted City information, regardless of its format, is no longer necessary, the information must be redacted or destroyed through appropriate and secure methods that ensure the information cannot be viewed, accessed, or reconstructed. In the event that data collected or obtained by Contractor or its subcontractors in connection with this Agreement is believed to have been compromised, Contractor or its subcontractors must immediately notify the City contact. Contractor agrees to reimburse the City for any costs incurred by the City to investigate potential breaches of this data and, where applicable, the cost of notifying individuals who may be impacted by the breach. Contractor agrees that the requirements of this Section must be incorporated into all subcontracts entered into by Contractor. It is further agreed that a violation of this Section must be deemed to cause irreparable harm that justifies injunctive relief in court. A violation of this Section may result in immediate termination of this Agreement without notice. The obligations of Contractor or its subcontractors under this Section must survive the termination of this Agreement.

5.27 Jurisdiction and Venue. This Agreement is made under, and must be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Arizona without regard to the conflicts or choice of law provisions thereof. Any action to enforce any provision of this Agreement or to obtain any remedy with respect hereto must be brought in the courts located in Maricopa County, Arizona, and for this purpose, each Party hereby expressly and irrevocably consents to the jurisdiction and venue of such court.

5.28 Survival. All warranties, representations, and indemnifications by the Contractor must survive the completion or termination of this Agreement.

5.29 Modification. Except as expressly provided herein to the contrary, no supplement, modification, or amendment of any term of this Agreement will be deemed binding or effective unless in writing and signed by the Parties.

5.30 Severability. If any provision of this Agreement or the application to any person or circumstance may be invalid, illegal or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application will not be affected and will be enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

5.31 Integration. This Agreement contains the full agreement of the Parties. Any prior or contemporaneous written or oral agreement between the Parties regarding the subject matter is merged and superseded.

5.32 Time is of the Essence. Time of each of the terms, covenants, and conditions of this Agreement is hereby expressly made of the essence.

5.33 Date of Performance. If the date of performance of any obligation or the last day of any time period provided for should fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday for the City, the obligation will be due and owing, and the time period will expire, on the first day after which is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal City holiday. Except as may otherwise be set forth in this Agreement, any performance provided for herein will be timely made if completed no later than 5:00 p.m. (Chandler time) on the day of performance.

5.34 Delivery. All prices are F.O.B. Destination and include all delivery and unloading at the specified destinations. The Contractor will retain title and control of all goods until they are delivered and accepted by the City. All risk of transportation and all related charges will be the responsibility of the Contractor. All claims for visible or concealed damage will be filed by the Contractor. The City will notify the Contractor promptly of any damaged goods and will assist the Contractor in arranging for inspection.

5.35 Third Party Beneficiary. Nothing under this Agreement will be construed to give any rights or benefits in the Agreement to anyone other than the City and the Contractor, and all duties and responsibilities undertaken pursuant to this Agreement will be for the sole and exclusive benefit of City and the Contractor and not for the benefit of any other party.

5.36 Conflict in Language. All work performed must conform to all applicable City of Chandler codes, ordinances, and requirements as outlined in this Agreement. If there is a conflict in interpretation between provisions in this Agreement and those in the Exhibits, the provisions in this Agreement prevail.

5.37 Document/Information Release. Documents and materials released to the Contractor, which are identified by the City as sensitive and confidential, are the City's property. The document/material must be issued by and returned to the City upon completion of the services under this Agreement. Contractor's secondary distribution, disclosure, copying, or duplication in any manner is prohibited without the City's prior written approval. The document/material must be kept secure at all times. This directive applies to all City documents, whether in photographic, printed, or electronic data format.

5.38 Exhibits. The following exhibits are made a part of this Agreement and are incorporated by reference:

Exhibit A - Project Description/Scope of Services
Exhibit B - Compensation and Fees
Exhibit C - Wage Decision
Exhibit D - Insurance

Exhibit E - Special Conditions
Exhibit F1-2 - Bonds
Exhibit G - HUD Requirements

5.39 Special Conditions. As part of the services Contractor provides under this Agreement, Contractor agrees to comply with and fully perform the special terms and conditions set forth in Exhibit D, which is attached to and made a part of this Agreement.

5.40 Cooperative Use of Agreement. In addition to the City of Chandler and with approval of the Contractor, this Agreement may be extended for use by other municipalities, school districts and government agencies of the State. Any such usage by other entities must be in accordance with the ordinance, charter and/or procurement rules and regulations of the respective political entity.

If required to provide services on a school district property at least five times during a month, the Contractor will submit a full set of fingerprints to the school of each person or employee who may provide such service. The District will conduct a fingerprint check in accordance with A.R.S. 41-1750 and Public Law 92-544 of all Contractors, subcontractors or vendors and their employees for which fingerprints are submitted to the District. Additionally, the Contractor will comply with the governing body fingerprinting policies of each individual school district/public entity. The Contractor, subcontractors, vendors and their employees will not provide services on school district properties until authorized by the District.

Orders placed by other agencies and payment thereof will be the sole responsibility of that agency. The City will not be responsible for any disputes arising out of transactions made by other agencies who utilize this Agreement.

5.41 Non-Discrimination and Anti-Harassment Laws. Contractor must comply with all applicable City, state, and federal non-discrimination and anti-harassment laws, rules, and regulations.

5.42 Licenses and Permits. Beginning with the Effective Date and for the full term of this Agreement, Contractor must maintain all applicable City, state, and federal licenses and permits required to fully perform Contractor's services under this Agreement.

5.43 Warranties. Contractor must furnish a two-year warranty on all work and services performed under this Agreement. Contractor must furnish, or cause to be furnished, a two-year warranty on all fixtures, furnishings, and equipment furnished by Contractor, subcontractors, or suppliers under this Agreement. Any defects in design, workmanship, or materials that do not comply with this Agreement must be corrected by Contractor (including, but not limited to, all parts and labor) at Contractor's sole cost and expense. All written warranties and redlines for as-built conditions must be delivered to the City on or before the City's final acceptance of Contractor's services under this Agreement.

5.44 Emergency Purchases. City reserves the rights to purchase from other sources those items, which are required on an emergency basis and cannot be supplied immediately by the Contractor.

5.45 Non-Exclusive Agreement. This agreement is for the sole convenience of the City of Chandler. The City reserves the right to obtain like goods or services from another source when necessary.

5.46 Performance and Payment Bonds. At the time City issues Notice of Contract Award, Contractor must provide a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in an amount equal to the full amount of the Contract Price.

Each such bond must be executed by a surety company or companies holding a Certificate of Authority to transact surety business in the State of Arizona, issued by the Director of the Arizona Department of Insurance and must be named in the current list of "Companies Holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and as Acceptable Reinsuring Companies" as published in Circular 570 (amended) by the Audit Staff Bureau of Accounts, U.S. Treasury Department. A copy of the Certificate of Authority must accompany the bonds. The Certificate must have been issued or updated within two (2) years prior to the execution of this Agreement. The bonds must be written or countersigned by an authorized representative of the surety who is either a resident of the state of Arizona or whose principal office is maintained in this state, as by law required.

The bonds must be made payable and be acceptable to City. The bond forms for the performance and payment bonds must be in the forms required under A.R.S. § 34-221, *et. Seq.*, as in Appendices 4 and 5 of these General Conditions.

Upon the request of any person or entity appearing to be a potential beneficiary of bonds covering payment of obligations arising under the Contract Documents, Contractor must promptly furnish a copy of the bonds or must permit a copy to be made.

All bonds submitted for this Project must be provided by a company which has been rated AM Best rating of A- or better for the prior four quarters by the latest edition of the 'Results Best's Key Rating Guide (Property/Casualty)' published by the A.M. Best Company.

5.47 Budget Approval Into Next Fiscal Year. This Agreement will commence on the Effective Date and continue in full force and effect until it is terminated or expires in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement. The Parties recognize that the continuation of this Agreement after the close of the City's fiscal year, which ends on June 30 of each year, is subject to the City Council's approval of a budget that includes an appropriation for this item as expenditure. The City does not represent that this budget item will be actually adopted. This determination is solely made by the City Council at the time Council adopts the budget.

This Agreement shall be in full force and effect only when it has been approved and executed by the duly authorized City officials.

FOR THE CITY

By: _____

Its: Mayor

FOR THE CONTRACTOR

By: R. Marabesto

Its: Owner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: _____
City Attorney *MM*

ATTEST:

By: _____
City Clerk

**EXHIBIT A TO AGREEMENT
SCOPE OF SERVICES**

Packaged Heat Pump Replacements Public Housing Scattered Sites

1. PROJECT SCOPE OF WORK

Contractor will remove and replace 51 package heat pumps and **one** condenser / air handler at 51 separate single family home sites. The Contractor shall replace units with an American Standard with minimum 14 SEER rating to ensure standardized HVAC systems for the City's public housing stock. Contractor shall verify unit size needed for each unit.

This project is funded by the Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD). Contractor shall comply with the HUD requirements as noted in the HUD documents included. This is a Labor Standards Act, Davis-Bacon and Related Acts (DBRA) wage rate project.

2. WORK UNDER THIS CONTRACT

The work under this contract shall be performed on 50 single family homes located within the City of Chandler. The Contractor shall provide all materials, equipment, tools, labor, services, transportation, and any incidental supplies required to remove the existing heat pump equipment, roof curbs, elbows, thermostats, thermostat wires, condensate lines, electrical disconnects, gas lines and replace the equipment as specified in this scope of work to provide a complete working system.

This project occurs on occupied Public Housing units where the protection of the residents and public is essential. **Residents will occupy these homes during heat pump replacement work.**

3. HOUSE LOCATIONS, NUMBER OF BEDROOMS, UNIT SF, and UTILITY

<i>Address</i>	<i>BedRm</i>	<i>Size SF</i>	<i>Utility</i>
13 S. Hamilton St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC
130 S. Dakota St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
188 W. Ironwood Drive	3	1668	ALL ELEC
198 W. Orchid Lane	3	1284	SWG
206 S. Oak Street	3	1423	ALL ELEC
2103 N. Bullmoose Dr.	3	1390	ALL ELEC
2200 W. Butler Drive	3	871	ALL ELEC
221 S. 95th Street	3	1053	ALL ELEC
2226 W. Monroe Street	3	1104	ALL ELEC
223 S. 132nd Street (site has 2 heat pumps)	4	1680	ALL ELEC
23 S. Hamilton St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC
3 S. Hamilton St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
319 W. Nopal Place	3	1024	ALL ELEC
328 S. Oregon St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC
33 S. Hamilton St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC

338 S. Oregon St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
354 S. Oregon St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
388 S. Oregon St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
400 S. Delaware St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC
401 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
401 S. Palm Lane	2	918	ALL ELEC
402 S. Colorado St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC
411 S. Palm Lane	2	918	ALL ELEC
43 S. Hamilton St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC
440 W. Harrison Street	4	1614	SWG
454 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
455 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
457 W. Erie Street	3	1079	SWG
485 W. Toledo Street	3	1677	SWG
489 S. Washington St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC
53 S. Hamilton St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC
538 W. Harrison Street	5	1416	SWG
556 W. Flint Street	3	918	SWG
564 W. Ironwood Street	4	2134	SWG
635 E. Manor Drive	3	1010	ALL ELEC
696 N. Evergreen Street	3	1120	SWG
701 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
721 S. Colorado St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC
741 S. Colorado St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC
744 W. Knox	3	1474	ALL ELEC
761 S. Colorado St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC
781 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC
797 W. Monterey Street	4	1088	SWG
801 S. Colorado St.	5	1720	ALL ELEC
840 W. Monterey Street	3	1230	SWG
840 W. Shannon Street	4	1626	SWG
864 N. California Street	3	1302	SWG
869 N. Alma School Road	4	1570	SWG
947 W. Park Ave.	3	1360	ALL ELEC
98 W. Oakland	3	1054	SWG

4. DEMOLITION

- A. Contractor shall remove from the Owner's property and legally dispose of all heat pump units, stands, elbows, and debris associated with this project.
- B. Contractor shall make such explorations and probes as are necessary to ascertain any required protective measures before proceeding with demolition, and installation work.

5. HEAT PUMP REPLACEMENT

- A. The Contractor shall provide and install 51 **American Standard** package heat pump or approved alternates, and 51 elbows and heat pump stands.
- B. The Contractor shall provide and install one **(1) American Standard** split system at **744 W. Knox.**
- C. **233 S. 132 St.** has **2** separate package heat pumps that the contract will replace.
- D. The package heat pumps shall be installed per manufacturer's installation instructions.
- E. There shall not be any gaps between the mating surface of the elbow and heat pump this includes the elbow splitter. All mating surface must be sealed with approved mastic.
- F. The heat pump and stand shall be level and mechanically fastened to the roof.
- G. The existing thermostat wire shall be replaced with new thermostat wire 18 gauge minimum.
- H. The existing disconnect shall be replaced with a new 60-amp, 240-volt, NON-fuse, metallic AC disconnect. Approved disconnects are GE model number TFN60RCP, Eaton model number DPU222RP, Square D model number TNA60R1CP or approved alternate. Mechanically fasten disconnect to a non-removable panel on the heat pump.
- I. The existing liquid tight flexible conduit and fittings running from the electrical roof stub to the new disconnect shall be replaced with new liquid tight flexible conduit and fittings.
- J. New stainless steel flexible gas lines shall be installed on the gas/electric package heat pump units.
- K. New 3/4" condensate lines with traps shall be installed on top of roof shingles and extended beyond the roof edge. The condensate line shall be secured every five (5) feet. Existing condensate lines that penetrate the roof shall be capped off with a PVC cap and abandoned.
- L. The existing thermostats shall be replaced with **compatible non programmable** thermostat.
- M. The Contractor shall be responsible for testing the new heat pumps and verify proper performance in the heating and cooling modes.
- N. The Contractor shall air balance the system after installation.
- O. All new ductwork joints, splices, and connections shall be installed and fastened per industry standards and sealed using a duct-seal product. The duct-seal shall be a brush on mastic suited for the application.
- P. Any removal or modification of roofing materials shall be repaired by the Contractor to industry standards.
- Q. Any damaged roof shingles resulting from demolition and installation shall be replaced with similar materials and shingles. The existing roof shingles are standard color laminated 35 year shingles which can be purchased off the shelf from building supply stores. Due to the age of the shingles exact matching of shingle colors is not expected.
- R. Contractor will properly repair any roof openings left as a result of moving or removing any roof mounted equipment. This will include, but not be limited to roof jacks, condensate lines, gas lines, electrical, and penetrations.

6. PERMITS & LICENSING

- A. The City of Chandler does **not** require a building permit for replacement of like HVAC equipment.
- B. Contractor is responsible for any permitting and licensing required by Federal, State, and Local agencies associated with this project.

7. WORK SCHEDULE

- A. The work will be performed in occupied homes. Work shall be scheduled to ensure that the air conditioning unit is working at the end of the day.
- B. In the event the contractor cannot provide a working heat pump unit by 4:00 PM, the contractor will be required to provide enough portable heating/cooling units to provide the resident with acceptable heating/cooling until the new unit is in service. The cost associated for temporary air conditioning will be the Contractor's responsibility.**
- C. Contractor will be permitted to perform demolition and installation work between the hours of 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Friday. Work is not permitted on City Holidays and weekends.
- D. Contractor must provide a construction schedule to include proposed work with dates, proposed start and completion.
- E. Contractor shall not perform work if there is a high probability for rain.

8. RESIDENT NOTIFICATION

Prior to starting any work, the selected Contractor must notify each resident, in writing, **a minimum of 48 hours in advance**, prior to entering the property. This will be accomplished with either a 3-part door hanger in both English and Spanish to be left on each door accessible from the front of the property, or a mailed letter in both English and Spanish. If a mailed letter is used, the Contractor must allow for sufficient transit time. The door hanger or letter will include the following information: Reference Type Work Being Done , Notice Date, Project Address, Project Start Date, Project Completion Date, Work Hours, Special Instructions , Name, Address and Phone Number of Company, Contact Person, and 24 Hour Emergency Phone Number. The door hanger or letter must be pre-approved by the Project Coordinator prior to being used. A copy of each door hanger or letter will be provided to the Project Coordinator.

In the event that the Contractor is unable to start a previously notified unit (i.e. rain, labor dispute, material shortage, schedule change, lack of workers, etc.), the contractor will be required to re-notify that resident with another 48-hour door hanger or letter.

9. CONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS

- A. The Contractor or Subcontractor(s) must possess one of the following Arizona Registrar of Contractors licenses: C-39, C-79, CR-39, CR-79, R-39, or R39R.
- B. The Contractor must provide proof of a minimum five (5) years' experience as an Arizona Registrar of Contractors licensed Contractor under one of the required licenses.
- C. Contractor or Subcontractor(s) shall have a minimum of five years' experience removing and installing package heat pump units.
- D. Contractor shall have at least one journeyman installer with a minimum of three years' experience installing package heat pump units performing the installation work.

10. POST AWARD SUBMITTALS

- A. Before ordering any heat pumps, associated materials and equipment, the Contractor shall submit manufactures cut sheets to the Project Coordinator for approval for the following items:
- Package Heat Pump Heat pump
 - Package Gas/Electric Heat pump
 - Heat pump Stand
 - Heat pump Elbow
 - Electrical Disconnect
 - Liquid Tight Flexible Conduit
 - Liquid Tight Flexible Conduit Fittings
 - Stainless Steel Flexible Gas Line
 - Thermostat
 - Duct-seal mastic
- B. Manufacturer's warranty on package heat pump units after final acceptance.
- C. Manufacturer's installation and owner's manuals.
- D. All required HUD documentation indicated in these Contract documents must be read, properly completed, signed, and returned.
- E. Certified Payroll Reports are due weekly.
- F. Section 3 forms are due with each pay application.
- G. Tenant notification sample letter or door hanger in English and Spanish for Project Coordinator approval.
- H. Contractor shall provide a written safety action plan for review and approval by the City.

11. QUALITY CONTROL

- A. All products, equipment, and materials shall be new, unused, and free of material defects.
- B. Where not more specifically described in any of the contract documents, workmanship shall conform to all of the methods and operations of best standards and accepted practices of the trade or trades involved, and shall include all items of fabrication, construction, or installation regularly furnished or required for completion of the services. All work shall be executed by personnel skilled in their respective lines of work.
- C. Housing Project Coordinator shall have the authority to reject any material or workmanship that he feels is not within code, specified type, or quality as specified. The Contractor will correct or replace rejected work at no additional expense to the City.
- D. Contractor shall complete one heat pump installation before proceeding with the remaining installations. Once accepted, this installation will set the standard for the remaining installations.
- E. Upon completion of all work, the contractor will notify the Project Coordinator and an inspection will be conducted prior to release of final payment. Any unfinished work noted during this inspection will be identified on a "punch-list" and will be furnished to the contractor by the Project Coordinator with a time line for completion of these items. Items identified, along with all submittals, must be completed prior to final payment being issued.

12. WARRANTY:

- A. Contractor will provide a full warranty on installed work, agreeing to provide the necessary labor and materials to correct any installation errors, and at no additional cost to the City. Period of warranty is for **two years**, and starts upon completion of the entire project.
- B. Contractor shall register all heat pumps and provide warranty cards to the City.
- C. Contractor will supply all materials, parts and labor, at no cost to the City to repair units during the two year warranty period. It will be the Contractor's responsibility to work with the manufacturer for parts and/or reimbursements for warranty labor.
- D. The Contractor shall be required to respond and repair a heat pump problem or failure within 72 hours of notification.

13. SAFETY AND SITE PROTECTION

- A. This project occurs on occupied homes where the protection of the residents and the public is essential. The houses will be occupied during reroofing operations. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to maintain safety while work is being performed.
- B. The Contractor shall be responsible for all means and methods as they relate to safety and shall comply with all applicable local, state and federal requirements.
- C. The Contractor shall be responsible for providing, barricades, flagging, caution tape and other safety and traffic control equipment required to protect its employees, the public, surrounding areas and vehicles.
- D. All work shall be performed in compliance with OSHA regulations.
- E. Worker fall protection per OSHA safety regulations is required.
- F. Contractor must take necessary safety precautions to prevent any work related safety hazards for employees, residents and the public.
- G. Contractor shall be responsible for cleaning, repairing, or replacement of any damage to the City's and/or resident's property caused by the Contractor or Subcontractor(s) during the removal or installation of the items associated with this project.
- H. The Contractor will be responsible for immediately notifying the Housing Project Coordinator of any damage caused by the Contractor during contract activities.
- I. Contractor shall perform criminal history checks on all prospective employees performing work under this IFB and provide summaries of the results to the Contract Administrator if requested. Prospective employees whose criminal history check disclose a misdemeanor or felony involving public indecency or harm to persons or property will not be employed to perform work under this IFB. Criminal history checks will be completed at the sole expense of the Contractor.

14. CLEANUP

All work related materials and debris will be removed from the site on a daily basis. City dumpsters and/or resident trash containers shall not be used for disposal of any construction related material. It is the Contractor's responsibility to dispose of all material in an approved and lawful method.

15. CONTRACTOR'S USE OF PREMISES

- A. The Contractor shall provide his/her own power for equipment and tools.
- B. While on the City's premises, Contractor, its agents, employees, and Subcontractors shall conform in all respects with physical, fire, or other security regulations.

END OF SCOPE OF WORK

EXHIBIT B-PRICING

<i>Address</i>	<i>BedRm</i>	<i>Size SF</i>	<i>Utility</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>Make & Model</i>	<i>Cost</i>
13 S. Hamilton St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
130 S. Dakota St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	2.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
188 W. Ironwood Drive	3	1668	ALL ELEC	4	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4048-1000	\$4500
198 W. Orchid Lane	3	1284	SWG	3	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4036-1000	\$4500
206 S. Oak Street	3	1423	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
2103 N. Bullmoose Dr.	3	1390	ALL ELEC	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
2200 W. Butler Drive	3	871	ALL ELEC	2.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
221 S. 95th Street	3	1053	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
2226 W. Monroe Street	3	1104	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
223 S. 132nd Street (site has 2 heat pumps)	4	1680	ALL ELEC	2.5/2	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4030-1000	\$9000

23 S. Hamilton St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC	4	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4048-1000	\$4500
3 S. Hamilton St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4030-1000	\$4500
319 W. Nopal Place	3	1024	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
328 S. Oregon St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4030-100	\$4500
33 S. Hamilton St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
338 S. Oregon St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
354 S. Oregon St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-100	\$4500
388 S. Oregon St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
400 S. Delaware St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
401 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
401 S. Palm Lane	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500

402 S. Colorado St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
411 S. Palm Lane	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
43 S. Hamilton St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4032-1000	\$4500
440 W. Harrison Street	4	1614	SWG	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
454 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
455 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	2.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4030-1000	\$4500
457 W. Erie Street	3	1079	SWG	2.5	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4030-170	\$4500
485 W. Toledo Street	3	1677	SWG	4	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4030-170	\$4500
489 S. Washington St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC		American Standard/Trane.	\$4500
53 S. Hamilton St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
538 W. Harrison Street	5	1416	SWG		American Standard/Trane.	\$4500
556 W. Flint Street	3	918	SWG	3	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4036.170	\$4500

564 W. Ironwood Street	4	2134	SWG	5	American Standard/Trane.	\$4500
635 E. Manor Drive	3	1010	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
696 N. Evergreen Street	3	1120	SWG	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC036-1000	\$4500
701 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
721 S. Colorado St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
741 S. Colorado St.	4	1336	ALL ELEC	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
744 W. Knox	3	1474	ALL ELEC	3.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4042-1000	\$4500
761 S. Colorado St.	3	1150	ALL ELEC	3	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4036-1000	\$4500
781 S. Colorado St.	2	918	ALL ELEC	2.5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4030-1000	\$4500
797 W. Monterey Street	4	1088	SWG	3	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4048-190	\$4500
801 S. Colorado St.	5	1720	ALL ELEC	5	American Standard/Trane. 4WCC4060-1000	\$4500

840 W. Monterey Street	3	1230	SWG	3	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4036-170	\$4500
840 W. Shannon Street	4	1626	SWG	4	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4048-190	\$4500
864 N. California Street	3	1302	SWG	4	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4048-190	\$4500
869 N. Alma School Road	4	1570	SWG	3	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4036-170	\$4500
947 W. Park Ave.	3	1360	ALL ELEC		American Standard/Trane	\$4500
98 W. Oakland	3	1054	SWG	3	American Standard/Trane. 4YCC4036-170	\$4500

**EXHIBIT C
WAGE DECISION**

"General Decision Number: AZ20210001 01/01/2021

Superseded General Decision Number: AZ20200001

State: Arizona

Construction Type: Residential County:

Maricopa County in Arizona.

RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (consisting of single family homes and apartments up to and including 4 stories).

Note: Under Executive Order (EO) 13658, an hourly minimum wage of \$10.95 for calendar year 2021 applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2015.

If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must pay all workers in any classification listed on this wage determination at least \$10.95 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in calendar year 2021. If this contract is covered by the EO and a classification considered necessary for performance of work on the contract does not appear on this wage determination, the contractor must pay workers in that classification at least the wage rate determined through the conformance process set forth in 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(ii) (or the EO minimum wage rate, if it is higher than the conformed wage rate). The EO minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. Please note that this EO applies to the above-mentioned types of contracts entered into by the federal government that are subject to the Davis-Bacon Act itself, but it does not apply to contracts subject only to the Davis-Bacon Related Acts, including those set forth at 29 CFR 5.1(a)(2)-(60). Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

GLAZIER.	\$ 13.45	0.00
HVAC MECHANIC (Installation of HVAC Duct).	15.36	0.00
\$		
LABORER:Common or General.	\$ 10.18	0.00
LABORER:Grade Checker.....	\$ 16.83	0.45
LABORER:Mason Tender -Brick...	\$ 12.77	0.00
LABORER:Mason Tender - Cement/Concrete/Stone. \$	11.00	0.00
LABORER:Pipelayer.	\$ 13.00	0.00
OPERATOR: 18.29 Backhoe.....	\$	0.00
OPERATOR: 24.67 Excavator.....	\$	0.00
OPERATOR: 16.17 Forklift.....	\$	0.00
OPERATOR: 15.00 Loader (Front End).....	\$	0.00
OPERATOR: Paver (Asphalt, Aggregate, and Concrete). \$	20.75	0.00
OPERATOR: 16.24 Roller.....	\$	1.42
OPERATOR: 19.20 Scraper.	\$	1.52
OPERATOR: Tractor.	\$ 22.63	0.00
PAINTER: Brush, Roller and Spray, Excludes Drywall Finishing/Taping.	\$ 12.89	0.00
PLUMBER.	\$ 20.14	4.08
ROOFER.....	\$ 13.67	0.00
SPRINKLER FITTER (Fire Sprinklers).	17.73	0.00
\$		

TRUCK DRIVER:	17.02	0.00
Dump Truck.....\$		
TRUCK DRIVER:	14.50	0.00
Water Truck.....\$		

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

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Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2017. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work, up to 56 hours of paid sick leave each year.

Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness, injury or other health-related needs, including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill, injured, or has other health-related needs, including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from, or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is a victim of, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clauses (29CFR 5.5 (a) (1) (ii)).

The body of each wage determination lists the classification and wage rates that have been found to be prevailing for the cited type(s) of construction in the area covered by the wage determination. The classifications are listed in alphabetical order of ""identifiers"" that indicate whether the particular rate is a union rate (current union negotiated rate for local), a survey rate (weighted average rate) or a union average rate (weighted union average rate).

Union Rate Identifiers

A four letter classification abbreviation identifier enclosed in dotted lines beginning with characters other than ""SU"" or ""UAVG"" denotes that the union classification and rate were prevailing for that classification in the survey. Example: PLUM0198-005 07/01/2014. PLUM is an abbreviation identifier of the union which prevailed in the survey for this classification, which in this example would be Plumbers. 0198 indicates the local union number or district council number where applicable, i.e., Plumbers Local 0198. The next number, 005 in the example, is an internal number used in processing the wage determination. 07/01/2014 is the effective date of the most current negotiated rate, which in this example is July 1, 2014.

Union prevailing wage rates are updated to reflect all rate changes in the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) governing this classification and rate.

Survey Rate Identifiers

Classifications listed under the ""SU"" identifier indicate that no one rate prevailed for this classification in the survey and the published rate is derived by computing a weighted average rate based on all the rates reported in the survey for that classification. As this weighted average rate includes all rates reported in the survey, it may include both union and

non-union rates. Example: SULA2012-007 5/13/2014. SU indicates the rates are survey rates based on a weighted average calculation of rates and are not majority rates. LA indicates the State of Louisiana. 2012 is the year of survey on which these classifications and rates are based. The next number, 007 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 5/13/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

Survey wage rates are not updated and remain in effect until a new survey is conducted.

Union Average Rate Identifiers

Classification(s) listed under the UAVG identifier indicate that no single majority rate prevailed for those classifications; however, 100% of the data reported for the classifications was union data. EXAMPLE: UAVG-OH-0010 08/29/2014. UAVG indicates that the rate is a weighted union average rate. OH indicates the state. The next number, 0010 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the

wage determination. 08/29/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

A UAVG rate will be updated once a year, usually in January of each year, to reflect a weighted average of the current negotiated/CBA rate of the union locals from which the rate is based.

WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

1.) Has there been an initial decision in the matter? This can be:

- * an existing published wage determination
- * a survey underlying a wage determination
- * a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter a conformance (additional classification and rate)ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour Regional Office for the area in which the survey was conducted because those Regional Offices have responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write to:

Branch of Construction Wage Determinations
Wage and Hour Division
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

2.) If the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Write to:

Wage and Hour Administrator
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

The request should be accompanied by a full statement of the interested party's position and by any information (wage payment data, project description, area practice material, etc.) that the requestor considers relevant to the issue.

3.) If the decision of the Administrator is not favorable, an interested party may appeal directly to the Administrative Review Board (formerly the Wage Appeals Board). Write to:

Administrative Review Board
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

4.) All decisions by the Administrative Review Board are final.

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END OF GENERAL DECISION

**EXHIBIT D TO AGREEMENT
INSURANCE**

INSURANCE

General.

- A. At the same time as execution of this Agreement, the Contractor shall furnish the City a certificate of insurance on a standard insurance industry ACORD form. The ACORD form must be issued by an insurance company authorized to transact business in the State of Arizona possessing a current A.M. Best, Inc. rating of A-7, or better and legally authorized to do business in the State of Arizona with policies and forms satisfactory to City. Provided, however, the A.M. Best rating requirement shall not be deemed to apply to required Workers' Compensation coverage.
- B. The Contractor and any of its subcontractors shall procure and maintain, until all of their obligations have been discharged, including any warranty periods under this Agreement are satisfied, the insurances set forth below.
- C. The insurance requirements set forth below are minimum requirements for this Agreement and in no way limit the indemnity covenants contained in this Agreement.
- D. The City in no way warrants that the minimum insurance limits contained in this Agreement are sufficient to protect Contractor from liabilities that might arise out of the performance of the Agreement services under this Agreement by Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees, subcontractors, and the Contractor is free to purchase any additional insurance as may be determined necessary.
- E. Failure to demand evidence of full compliance with the insurance requirements in this Agreement or failure to identify any insurance deficiency will not relieve the Contractor from, nor will it be considered a waiver of its obligation to maintain the required insurance at all times during the performance of this Agreement.
- F. Use of Subcontractors: If any work is subcontracted in any way, the Contractor shall execute a written contract with Subcontractor containing the same Indemnification Clause and Insurance Requirements as the City requires of the Contractor in this Agreement. The Contractor is responsible for executing the Agreement with the Subcontractor and obtaining Certificates of Insurance and verifying the insurance requirements.

Minimum Scope and Limits of Insurance. The Contractor shall provide coverage with limits of liability not less than those stated below.

- A. *Commercial General Liability-Occurrence Form.* Contractor must maintain "occurrence" form Commercial General Liability insurance with a limit of not less than \$2,000,000 for each occurrence, \$4,000,000 aggregate. Said insurance must also include coverage for products

and completed operations, independent contractors, personal injury and advertising injury. If any Excess insurance is utilized to fulfill the requirements of this paragraph, the Excess insurance must be "follow form" equal or broader in coverage scope than underlying insurance.

B. *Automobile Liability-Any Auto or Owned, Hired and Non-Owned Vehicles*

Vehicle Liability: Contractor must maintain Business/Automobile Liability insurance with a limit of \$1,000,000 each accident on Contractor owned, hired, and non-owned vehicles assigned to or used in the performance of the Contractor's work or services under this Agreement. If any Excess or Umbrella insurance is utilized to fulfill the requirements of this paragraph, the Excess or Umbrella insurance must be "follow form" equal or broader in coverage scope than underlying insurance.

C. *Workers Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance:* Contractor must maintain Workers Compensation insurance to cover obligations imposed by federal and state statutes having jurisdiction of Contractor employees engaged in the performance of work or services under this Agreement and must also maintain Employers' Liability insurance of not less than \$1,000,000 for each accident and \$1,000,000 disease for each employee.

D. *Builders' Risk/Installation Floater Insurance.* The Contractor bears all responsibility for loss to all equipment or Work under construction. Unless waived in writing by the City the Contractor will purchase and maintain in force Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance on the entire Work until completed and accepted by the City. This insurance will be Special Causes of Loss policy form, (minimally including perils of fire, flood, lightning, explosion, windstorm and hail, smoke, aircraft and vehicles, riot and civil commotion, theft, vandalism, malicious mischief, and collapse), completed value, replacement cost policy form equal to the contract price and all subsequent modifications. The Contractor's Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance must be primary and not contributory.

1. Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance must cover the entire Work including reasonable compensation for architects and Contractors' services and expenses and other "soft costs" made necessary by an insured loss. Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance must provide coverage from the time any covered property comes under the Contractor's control and or responsibility, and continue without interruption during course of construction, renovation and or installation, including any time during which any project property or equipment is in transit, off site, or while on site for future use or installation. Insured property must include, but not be limited to, scaffolding, false work, and temporary buildings at the site. This insurance must also cover the cost of removing debris, including demolition as may be legally required by operation of any law, ordinance, regulation or code.
2. The Contractor must also purchase and maintain Boiler and Machinery insurance with the same requirements as Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance cited above if the Work to be performed involves any exposures or insurable property normally covered under a Boiler and Machinery insurance policy or made necessary as required by law or testing requirements in the performance of this Contract/Agreement. The Contractor

- will be responsible for any and all deductibles under these policies and the Contractor waives all rights of recovery and subrogation against the City under the Contractor's Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance described herein.
3. Builders' Risk/Installation Floater Insurance must be maintained until whichever of the following first occurs: (i) final payment has been made; or, (ii) until no person or entity, other than the City, has an insurable interest in the property required to be covered.
 - a. The Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance must be endorsed so that the insurance will not be canceled or lapse because of any partial use or occupancy by the City.
 - b. The Builders Risk/Installation Floater insurance must include as named insureds, the City, the Contractor, and all tiers of subcontractors and others with an insurable interest in the Work who will be named as additional insureds unless they are able to provide the same level of coverage with the City and Contractor named as additional insureds. Certificates must contain a provision that the insurance will not be canceled or materially altered without at least 30 days advance notice to the City. The City must also be named as a Loss Payee under the Builders' Risk/Installation Floater coverage.
 - c. The Builders Risk/Installation Floater insurance must be written using the Special Causes of Loss policy form, replacement cost basis.
 - d. All rights of subrogation under the Builders Risk/Installation Floater insurance are, by this Contract/Agreement, waived against the City, its officers, officials, agents and employees.
 - e. The Contractor is responsible for payment of all deductibles under the Builders' Risk/Installation Floater insurance policy.

Additional Policy Provisions Required.

- A. *Self-Insured Retentions or Deductibles.* Any self-insured retentions and deductibles must be declared and approved by the City. If not approved, the City may require that the insurer reduce or eliminate any deductible or self-insured retentions with respect to the City, its officers, officials, agents, employees, and volunteers.
 1. The Contractor's insurance must contain broad form contractual liability coverage.
 2. The Contractor's insurance coverage must be primary insurance with respect to the City, its officers, officials, agents, and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the City, its officers, officials, agents, and employees shall be in excess of the coverage provided by the Contractor and must not contribute to it.
 3. The Contractor's insurance must apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability.
 4. Coverage provided by the Contractor must not be limited to the liability assumed under the indemnification provisions of this Agreement.

5. The policies must contain a severability of interest clause and waiver of subrogation against the City, its officers, officials, agents, and employees, for losses arising from Work performed by the Contractor for the City.
6. The Contractor, its successors and or assigns, are required to maintain Commercial General Liability insurance as specified in this Agreement for a minimum period of three years following completion and acceptance of the Work. The Contractor must submit a Certificate of Insurance evidencing Commercial General Liability insurance during this three year period containing all the Agreement insurance requirements, including naming the City of Chandler, its agents, representatives, officers, directors, officials and employees as Additional Insured as required.
7. If a Certificate of Insurance is submitted as verification of coverage, the City will reasonably rely upon the Certificate of Insurance as evidence of coverage but this acceptance and reliance will not waive or alter in any way the insurance requirements or obligations of this Agreement.

B. *Insurance Cancellation During Term of Contract/Agreement.*

1. If any of the required policies expire during the life of this Contract/Agreement, the Contractor must forward renewal or replacement Certificates to the City within ten days after the renewal date containing all the required insurance provisions.
2. Each insurance policy required by the insurance provisions of this Contract/Agreement shall provide the required coverage and shall not be suspended, voided or canceled except after 30 days prior written notice has been given to the City, except when cancellation is for non-payment of premium, then ten days prior notice may be given. Such notice shall be sent directly to Chandler Law-Risk Management Department, Post Office Box 4008, Mailstop 628, Chandler, Arizona 85225. If any insurance company refuses to provide the required notice, the Contractor or its insurance broker shall notify the City of any cancellation, suspension, non-renewal of any insurance within seven days of receipt of insurers' notification to that effect.

C. *City as Additional Insured.* The policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:

1. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions: The City, its officers, officials, agents, and employees are additional insureds with respect to liability arising out of activities performed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor including the City's general supervision of the Contractor; Products and Completed operations of the Contractor; and automobiles owned, leased, hired, or borrowed by the Contractor.

2. The City, its officers, officials, agents, and employees must be additional insureds to the full limits of liability purchased by the Contractor even if those limits of liability are in excess of those required by this Agreement.

**EXHIBIT E TO AGREEMENT
SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

ACCESS TO SECURED FACILITIES

Contract Worker Access Controls, Badge and Key Access Requirements. A Contract Worker shall not be allowed to begin work in any City facility without: (A) The prior completion and the City's acceptance of the required background screening; and (B) when required, the Contract Worker's receipt of a City issued badge. A badge will be issued to a Contract Worker solely for access to the City facility(s) to which the Contract Worker is assigned. Each Contract Worker who enters a City facility must use the badge issued to the Contract Worker. Any and all fees associated with security badging will be assessed in compliance with Chandler City Code §4-22.

Key Access Procedures. If the Contract Worker's services require keyed access to enter a City facility(s), a separate key issue/return form must be completed and submitted by Contractor for each key issued.

Stolen or Lost Badges or Keys. Contractor shall report lost or stolen badges or keys to the City immediately. A new badge application or key issue form shall be completed and submitted along with payment of the applicable fees prior to issuance of a new badge or key.

Return of Badges or Keys. All badges and keys are the property of the City and must be returned to the City within one business day of when the Contract Worker's access to a City facility is no longer required to furnish the services under this Agreement. Contractor shall collect a Contract Worker's badge and key(s) upon the termination of the Contract Worker's employment; when the Contract Worker's services are no longer required at the particular City facility(s); or upon termination, cancellation or expiration of this Agreement.

Contractor's default under this Section shall include, but is not limited to the following: (1) Contract Worker gains access to a City facility(s) without the proper badge or key; (2) Contract Worker uses a badge or key of another to gain access to a City facility; (3) Contract Worker commences services under this Agreement without the proper badge, key or Background Screening; (4) Contract Worker or Contractor submits false information or negligently submits wrong information to the City to obtain a badge, key or applicable Background Screening; or (5) Contractor fails to collect and timely return Contract Worker's badge or key upon termination of Contract Worker's employment, reassignment of Contract Worker to another City facility or upon the expiration, cancellation or termination of this Agreement. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the access control, badge and key requirements in this Section are necessary to preserve and protect public health, safety and welfare. Accordingly, Contractor agrees to properly cure any default under this Section within three business days from the date notice of default is sent by the City. The parties agree that Contractor's failure to properly cure any default under this Section shall constitute a breach of this Section. In addition to any other remedy available to the City at law or in equity, Contractor shall be liable for and shall pay to the City the sum of \$1,000.00 for each breach by Contractor of this Section. The parties further agree that the sum fixed above is reasonable and approximates the actual or anticipated loss to the City at the time and making of this Agreement in the event that Contractor breaches this Section. Further, the parties expressly acknowledge and agree to the fixed sum set forth above because of the difficulty of proving the City's

actual damages in the event that Contractor breaches this Section. The parties further agree that three breaches by Contractor of this Section arising out of any default within a consecutive period of three months or three breaches by Contractor of this Section arising out of the same default within a period of 12 consecutive months shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement by Contractor and the City expressly reserves all of its rights, remedies and interests under this Agreement, at law and in equity including, but not limited to, termination of this Agreement.

Contractor and Subcontractor Worker Background Screening. Contract Worker Background Screening. Contractor agrees that all contract workers and subcontractors (collectively Contract Worker(s)) that Contractor furnishes to the City pursuant to this Agreement shall be subject to background and security checks and screening (collectively Background Screening) at Contractor's sole cost and expense as set forth in this Section. The Background Screening provided by Contractor shall comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations. Contractor further agrees that the Background Screening required in this Section is necessary to preserve and protect public health, safety and welfare. The Background Screening requirements set forth in this Section are the minimum requirements for this Agreement. The City in no way warrants that these minimum requirements are sufficient to protect Contractor from any liabilities that may arise out of Contractor's services under this Agreement or Contractor's failure to comply with this Section. Therefore, in addition to the specific measures set forth below, Contractor and its Contract Workers shall take such other reasonable, prudent and necessary measures to further preserve and protect public health, safety and welfare when providing services under this Agreement.

Background Screening Requirements and Criteria. Contractor agrees that it will verify legal Arizona worker status as required by Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §41-4401. Contractor further agrees that it will conduct a background check for real identity/legal name on all Contract Workers prior to proposing the Contract Worker to the City.

Additional City Rights Regarding Security Inquiries. In addition to the foregoing, the City reserves the right but not the obligations to: (1) have a Contract Worker be required to provide fingerprints and execute such other documentation as may be necessary to obtain criminal justice information pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1750(G) (4) or Chandler City Code § 4-22; (2) act on newly acquired information whether or not such information should have been previously discovered; (3) unilaterally change its standards and criteria relative to the acceptability of Contract Workers; and (4) object, at any time and for any reason, to a Contract Worker performing work (including supervision and oversight) under this Contract.

Contractor Certification. By executing this Agreement, Contractor certifies and warrants that Contractor has read the Background Screening requirements and criteria in this Section, understands them and that all Background Screening information furnished to the City is accurate and current. Also, by executing this Agreement, Contractor further certifies and warrants that Contractor has satisfied all such Background Screening requirements as required. A Contract Worker rejected for work under this Agreement shall not be proposed to perform work under other City contracts or engagements without the City's prior written approval.

Terms of This Section Applicable to all of Contractor's Contracts and Subcontracts. Contractor shall include the terms of this Section for Contract Worker Background Screening in all contracts and

subcontracts for services furnished under this Agreement including, but not limited to, supervision and oversight services.

Materiality of Background Screening Requirements: Indemnity. The Background Screening requirements of this Section are material to the City's entry into this Agreement and any breach of this Section by Contractor shall be deemed a material breach of this Agreement. In addition to the indemnity provisions set forth in Section 5.5, Indemnification, Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City for any and all Claims arising out of this Background Screening Section including, but not limited to, the disqualification of a Contract Worker by Contractor or the City for failure to satisfy this Section.

Continuing Duty: Audit. Contractor's obligations and requirements that Contract Workers satisfy this Background Screening Section shall continue throughout the entire term of this Agreement. Contractor shall notify the City immediately of any change to a Background Screening of a Contract Worker previously approved by the City. Contractor shall maintain all records and documents related to all Background Screenings and the City reserves the right to audit Contractor's compliance with this Section pursuant to Section 5.1, Records/Audit.

EXHIBIT F2
PAYMENT BOND

ARIZONA STATUTORY PAYMENT BOND
PURSUANT TO TITLES 28, 34, AND 41, OF THE ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES
(Penalty of this Bond must be 100% of the Contract amount)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT: _____ (hereinafter "Principal"), as Principal, and _____ (hereinafter "Surety"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____ with its principal office in the City of _____, holding a certificate of authority to transact surety business in Arizona issued by the Director of the Department of Insurance pursuant to Title 20, Chapter 2, Article 1, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the City of Chandler, (hereinafter "Obligee") County of Maricopa, State of Arizona, in the amount of _____ Dollars (\$_____), for the payment whereof, the said Principal and Surety bind themselves, and their heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS, the Principal has entered into a certain written Contract with the City of Chandler, dated the _____ day of _____, 20____, for **HEAT PUMP REPLACEMENT, HO1-031-4309**, which Contract is hereby referred to and made a part hereof as fully and to the same extent as if copies at length herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that if the Principal promptly pays all moneys due to all persons supplying labor or materials to the Principal or the Principal's subcontractors in the prosecution of the work provided for in said contract, this obligation is void. Otherwise it remains in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER that this bond is executed pursuant to the provisions of Title 34, Chapter 2, Article 2 Arizona Revised Statutes, and all liabilities on this bond shall be determined in accordance with the provisions, conditions and limitations of Title 34, Chapter 2, Article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes, to the same extent as if it were copied at length in this agreement.

The prevailing party in a suit on this bond shall recover as part of the judgment reasonable attorney fees that may be fixed by a judge of the court.

Witness our hands this _____ day of _____, 20____.

AGENT OF RECORD

PRINCIPAL SEAL

BY _____

AGENT ADDRESS

SURETY SEAL

General Conditions for Construction Contracts - Public Housing Programs

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
Office of Public and Indian Housing
OMB Approval No. 2577-0157 (exp. 3/31/2020)

Applicability. This form is applicable to any construction/development contract greater than \$150,000.

This form includes those clauses required by OMB's common rule on grantee procurement, implemented at HUD in 2 CFR 200, and those requirements set forth in Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 and its amendment by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992, implemented by HUD at 24 CFR Part 135. The form is required for construction contracts awarded by Public Housing Agencies (PHAs).

The form is used by Housing Authorities in solicitations to provide necessary contract clauses. If the form were not used, HAs would be unable to enforce their contracts.

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 1.0 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Responses to the collection of information are required to obtain a benefit or to retain a benefit.

The information requested does not lend itself to confidentiality.

HUD may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB number.

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1. Definitions

- (a) "Architect" means the person or other entity engaged by the PHA to perform architectural, engineering, design, and other services related to the work as provided for in the contract. When a PHA uses an engineer to act in this capacity, the terms "architect" and "engineer" shall be synonymous. The Architect shall serve as a technical representative of the Contracting Officer. The Architect's authority is as set forth elsewhere in this contract.
 - (b) "Contract" means the contract entered into between the PHA and the Contractor. It includes the forms of Bid, the Bid Bond, the Performance and Payment Bond or Bonds or other assurance of completion, the Certifications, Representations, and Other Statements of Bidders (form HUD-5370), these General Conditions of the Contract for Construction (form HUD-5370), the applicable wage rate determinations from the U.S. Department of Labor, any special conditions included elsewhere in the contract, the specifications, and drawings. It includes all formal changes to any of those documents by addendum, change order, or other modification.
 - (c) "Contracting Officer" means the person delegated the authority by the PHA to enter into, administer, and/or terminate this contract and designated as such in writing to the Contractor. The term includes any successor Contracting Officer and any duly authorized representative of the Contracting Officer also designated in writing. The Contracting Officer shall be deemed the authorized agent of the PHA in all dealings with the Contractor.
 - (d) "Contractor" means the person or other entity entering into the contract with the PHA to perform all of the work required under the contract.
 - (e) "Drawings" means the drawings enumerated in the schedule of drawings contained in the Specifications and as described in the contract clause entitled Specifications and Drawings for Construction herein.
 - (f) "HUD" means the United States of America acting through the Department of Housing and Urban Development including the Secretary, or any other person designated to act on its behalf. HUD has agreed, subject to the provisions of an Annual Contributions Contract (ACC), to provide financial assistance to the PHA, which includes assistance in financing the work to be performed under this contract. As defined elsewhere in these General Conditions or the contract documents, the determination of HUD may be required to authorize changes in the work or for release of funds to the PHA for payment to the Contractor. Notwithstanding HUD's role, nothing in this contract shall be construed to create any contractual relationship between the Contractor and HUD.
 - (g) "Project" means the entire project, whether construction or rehabilitation, the work for which is provided for in whole or in part under this contract.
 - (h) "PHA" means the Public Housing Agency organized under applicable state laws which is a party to this contract.
 - (j) "Specifications" means the written description of the technical requirements for construction and includes the criteria and tests for determining whether the requirements are met.
 - (l) "Work" means materials, workmanship, and manufacture and fabrication of components.
- (a) The Contractor shall furnish all necessary labor, materials, tools, equipment, and transportation necessary for performance of the work. The Contractor shall also furnish all necessary water, heat, light, and power not made available to the Contractor by the PHA pursuant to the clause entitled Availability and Use of Utility Services herein.
 - (b) The Contractor shall perform on the site, and with its own organization, work equivalent to at least [] (12 percent unless otherwise indicated) of the total amount of work to be performed under the order. This percentage may be reduced by a supplemental agreement to this order if, during performing the work, the Contractor requests a reduction and the Contracting Officer determines that the reduction would be to the advantage of the PHA.
 - (c) At all times during performance of this contract and until the work is completed and accepted, the Contractor shall directly superintend the work or assign and have on the work site a competent superintendent who is satisfactory to the Contracting Officer and has authority to act for the Contractor.
 - (d) The Contractor shall be responsible for all damages to persons or property that occur as a result of the Contractor's fault or negligence, and shall take proper safety and health precautions to protect the work, the workers, the public, and the property of others. The Contractor shall hold and save the PHA, its officers and agents, free and harmless from liability of any nature occasioned by the Contractor's performance. The Contractor shall also be responsible for all materials delivered and work performed until completion and acceptance of the entire work, except for any completed unit of work which may have been accepted under the contract.
 - (e) The Contractor shall lay out the work from base lines and bench marks indicated on the drawings and be responsible for all lines, levels, and measurements of all work executed under the contract. The Contractor shall verify the figures before laying out the work and will be held responsible for any error resulting from its failure to do so.
 - (f) The Contractor shall confine all operations (including storage of materials) on PHA premises to areas authorized or approved by the Contracting Officer.
 - (g) The Contractor shall at all times keep the work area, including storage areas, free from accumulations of waste materials. After completing the work and before final inspection, the Contractor shall (1) remove from the premises all scaffolding, equipment, tools, and materials (including rejected materials) that are not the property of the PHA and all rubbish caused by its work; (2) leave the work area in a clean, neat, and orderly condition satisfactory to the Contracting Officer; (3) perform all specified tests; and, (4) deliver the installation in complete and operating condition.
 - (h) The Contractor's responsibility will terminate when all work has been completed, the final inspection made, and the work accepted by the Contracting Officer. The Contractor will then be released from further obligation except as required by the warranties specified elsewhere in the contract.

3. Architect's Duties, Responsibilities, and Authority

- (a) The Architect for this contract, and any successor, shall be designated in writing by the Contracting Officer.

2. Contractor's Responsibility for Work

- (b) The Architect shall serve as the Contracting Officer's technical representative with respect to architectural, engineering, and design matters related to the work performed under the contract. The Architect may provide direction on contract performance. Such direction shall be within the scope of the contract and may not be of a nature which: (1) institutes additional work outside the scope of the contract; (2) constitutes a change as defined in the Changes clause herein; (3) causes an increase or decrease in the cost of the contract; (4) alters the Construction Progress Schedule; or (5) changes any of the other express terms or conditions of the contract.
- (c) The Architect's duties and responsibilities may include but shall not be limited to:
- (1) Making periodic visits to the work site, and on the basis of his/her on-site inspections, issuing written reports to the PHA which shall include all observed deficiencies. The Architect shall file a copy of the report with the Contractor's designated representative at the site;
 - (2) Making modifications in drawings and technical specifications and assisting the Contracting Officer in the preparation of change orders and other contract modifications for issuance by the Contracting Officer;
 - (3) Reviewing and making recommendations with respect to - (i) the Contractor's construction progress schedules; (ii) the Contractor's shop and detailed drawings; (iii) the machinery, mechanical and other equipment and materials or other articles proposed for use by the Contractor; and, (iv) the Contractor's price breakdown and progress payment estimates; and,
 - (4) Assisting in inspections, signing Certificates of Completion, and making recommendations with respect to acceptance of work completed under the contract.

4. Other Contracts

The PHA may undertake or award other contracts for additional work at or near the site of the work under this contract. The Contractor shall fully cooperate with the other contractors and with PHA employees and shall carefully adapt scheduling and performing the work under this contract to accommodate the additional work, heeding any direction that may be provided by the Contracting Officer. The Contractor shall not commit or permit any act that will interfere with the performance of work by any other contractor or by PHA employees

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5. Pre-construction Conference and Notice to Proceed

- (a) Within ten calendar days of contract execution, and prior to the commencement of work, the Contractor shall attend a preconstruction conference with representatives of the PHA, its Architect, and other interested parties convened by the PHA. The conference will serve to acquaint the participants with the general plan of the construction operation and all other requirements of the contract. The PHA will provide the Contractor with the date, time, and place of the conference.
- (b) The contractor shall begin work upon receipt of a written Notice to Proceed from the Contracting Officer or designee. The Contractor shall not begin work prior to receiving such notice.

6. Construction Progress Schedule

- (a) The Contractor shall, within five days after the work commences on the contract or another period of time determined by the Contracting Officer, prepare and submit to the Contracting Officer for approval three copies of a practicable schedule showing the order in which the Contractor proposes to perform the work, and the dates on which the Contractor contemplates starting and completing the several salient features of the work (including acquiring labor, materials, and equipment). The schedule shall be in the form of a progress chart of suitable scale to indicate appropriately the percentage of work scheduled for completion by any given date during the period. If the Contractor fails to submit a schedule within the time prescribed, the Contracting Officer may withhold approval of progress payments or take other remedies under the contract until the Contractor submits the required schedule.
- (b) The Contractor shall enter the actual progress on the chart as required by the Contracting Officer, and immediately deliver three copies of the annotated schedule to the Contracting Officer. If the Contracting Officer determines, upon the basis of inspection conducted pursuant to the clause entitled Inspection and Acceptance of Construction, herein that the Contractor is not meeting the approved schedule, the Contractor shall take steps necessary to improve its progress, including those that may be required by the Contracting Officer, without additional cost to the PHA. In this circumstance, the Contracting Officer may require the Contractor to increase the number of shifts, overtime operations, days of work, and/or the amount of construction plant, and to submit for approval any supplementary schedule or schedules in chart form as the Contracting Officer deems necessary to demonstrate how the approved rate of progress will be regained.
- (c) Failure of the Contractor to comply with the requirements of the Contracting Officer under this clause shall be grounds for a determination by the Contracting Officer that the Contractor is not prosecuting the work with sufficient diligence to ensure completion within the time specified in the Contract. Upon making this determination, the Contracting Officer may terminate the Contractor's right to proceed with the work, or any separable part of it, in accordance with the Default clause of this contract.

7. Site Investigation and Conditions Affecting the Work

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that it has taken steps reasonably necessary to ascertain the nature and location of the work, and that it has investigated and satisfied itself as to the general and local conditions which can affect the work or its cost, including but not limited to, (1) conditions bearing upon transportation, disposal, handling, and storage of materials; (2) the availability of labor, water, electric power, and roads; (3) uncertainties of weather, river stages, tides, or similar physical conditions at the site; (4) the conformation and conditions of the ground; and (5) the character of equipment and facilities needed preliminary to and during work performance. The Contractor also acknowledges that it has satisfied itself as to the character, quality, and quantity of surface and subsurface materials or obstacles to be encountered insofar as this information is

reasonably ascertainable from an inspection of the site, including all exploratory work done by the PHA, as well as from the drawings and specifications made a part of this contract. Any failure of the Contractor to take the actions described and acknowledged in this paragraph will not relieve the Contractor from responsibility for estimating properly the difficulty and cost of successfully performing the work, or for proceeding to successfully perform the work without additional expense to the PHA.

- (b) The PHA assumes no responsibility for any conclusions or interpretations made by the Contractor based on the information made available by the PHA. Nor does the PHA assume responsibility for any understanding reached or representation made concerning conditions which can affect the work by any of its officers or agents before the execution of this contract, unless that understanding or representation is expressly stated in this contract.

8. Differing Site Conditions

- (a) The Contractor shall promptly, and before the conditions are disturbed, give a written notice to the Contracting Officer of (1) subsurface or latent physical conditions at the site which differ materially from those indicated in this contract, or (2) unknown physical conditions at the site(s), of an unusual nature, which differ materially from those ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inhering in work of the character provided for in the contract.
- (b) The Contracting Officer shall investigate the site conditions promptly after receiving the notice. Work shall not proceed at the affected site, except at the Contractor's risk, until the Contracting Officer has provided written instructions to the Contractor. If the conditions do materially so differ and cause an increase or decrease in the Contractor's cost of, or the time required for, performing any part of the work under this contract, whether or not changed as a result of the conditions, the Contractor shall file a claim in writing to the PHA within ten days after receipt of such instructions and, in any event, before proceeding with the work. An equitable adjustment in the contract price, the delivery schedule, or both shall be made under this clause and the contract modified in writing accordingly.
- (c) No request by the Contractor for an equitable adjustment to the contract under this clause shall be allowed, unless the Contractor has given the written notice required; provided, that the time prescribed in (a) above for giving written notice may be extended by the Contracting Officer.
- (d) No request by the Contractor for an equitable adjustment to the contract for differing site conditions shall be allowed if made after final payment under this contract.

9. Specifications and Drawings for Construction

- (a) The Contractor shall keep on the work site a copy of the drawings and specifications and shall at all times give the Contracting Officer access thereto. Anything mentioned in the specifications and not shown on the drawings, or shown on the drawings and not mentioned in the specifications, shall be of like effect as if shown or mentioned in both. In case of difference between drawings and specifications, the specifications shall govern. In case of discrepancy in the figures, in the drawings, or in the specifications, the matter shall be

promptly submitted to the Contracting Officer, who shall promptly make a determination in writing. Any adjustment by the Contractor without such a determination shall be at its own risk and expense. The Contracting Officer shall furnish from time to time such detailed drawings and other information as considered necessary, unless otherwise provided.

- (b) Wherever in the specifications or upon the drawings the words "directed", "required", "ordered", "designated", "prescribed", or words of like import are used, it shall be understood that the "direction", "requirement", "order", "designation", or "prescription", or the Contracting Officer is intended and similarly the words "approved", "acceptable", "satisfactory", or words of like import shall mean "approved by", or "acceptable to", or "satisfactory to" the Contracting Officer, unless otherwise expressly stated.
- (c) Where "as shown" "as indicated", "as detailed", or of similar import are used, it shall be understood that the reference is made to the drawings accompanying this contract unless stated otherwise. The word "provided" as used herein shall be understood to mean "provide complete in place" that is "furnished and installed".
- (d) "Shop drawings" means drawings, submitted to the PHA by the Contractor, subcontractor, or any lower tier subcontractor, showing in detail (1) the proposed fabrication and assembly of structural elements and (2) the installation (i.e., form, fit, and attachment details) of materials of equipment. It includes drawings, diagrams, layouts, schematics, descriptive literature, illustrations, schedules, performance and test data, and similar materials furnished by the Contractor to explain in detail specific portions of the work required by the contract. The PHA may duplicate, use, and disclose in any manner and for any purpose shop drawings delivered under this contract.
- (e) If this contract requires shop drawings, the Contractor shall coordinate all such drawings, and review them for accuracy, completeness, and compliance with other contract requirements and shall indicate its approval thereon as evidence of such coordination and review. Shop drawings submitted to the Contracting Officer without evidence of the Contractor's approval may be returned for resubmission. The Contracting Officer will indicate an approval or disapproval of the shop drawings and if not approved as submitted shall indicate the PHA's reasons therefore. Any work done before such approval shall be at the Contractor's risk. Approval by the Contracting Officer shall not relieve the Contractor from responsibility for any errors or omissions in such drawings, nor from responsibility for complying with the requirements of this contract, except with respect to variations described and approved in accordance with (f) below.
- (f) If shop drawings show variations from the contract requirements, the Contractor shall describe such variations in writing, separate from the drawings, at the time of submission. If the Architect approves any such variation and the Contracting Officer concurs, the Contracting Officer shall issue an appropriate modification to the contract, except that, if the variation is minor or does not involve a change in price or in time of performance, a modification need not be issued.
- (g) It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to make timely requests of the PHA for such large scale and full size drawings, color schemes, and other additional information, not already in his possession, which shall be

required in the planning and production of the work. Such requests may be submitted as the need arises, but each such request shall be filed in ample time to permit appropriate action to be taken by all parties involved so as to avoid delay.

- (h) The Contractor shall submit to the Contracting Officer for approval four copies (unless otherwise indicated) of all shop drawings as called for under the various headings of these specifications. Three sets (unless otherwise indicated) of all shop drawings, will be retained by the PHA and one set will be returned to the Contractor. As required by the Contracting Officer, the Contractor, upon completing the work under this contract, shall furnish a complete set of all shop drawings as finally approved. These drawings shall show all changes and revisions made up to the time the work is completed and accepted.
- (i) This clause shall be included in all subcontracts at any tier. It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to ensure that all shop drawings prepared by subcontractors are submitted to the Contracting Officer.

10. As-Built Drawings

- (a) "As-built drawings," as used in this clause, means drawings submitted by the Contractor or subcontractor at any tier to show the construction of a particular structure or work as actually completed under the contract. "As-built drawings" shall be synonymous with "Record drawings."
- (b) As required by the Contracting Officer, the Contractor shall provide the Contracting Officer accurate information to be used in the preparation of permanent as-built drawings. For this purpose, the Contractor shall record on one set of contract drawings all changes from the installations originally indicated, and record final locations of underground lines by depth from finish grade and by accurate horizontal offset distances to permanent surface improvements such as buildings, curbs, or edges of walks.
- (c) This clause shall be included in all subcontracts at any tier. It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to ensure that all as-built drawings prepared by subcontractors are submitted to the Contracting Officer.

11. Material and Workmanship

- (a) All equipment, material, and articles furnished under this contract shall be new and of the most suitable grade for the purpose intended, unless otherwise specifically provided in this contract. References in the contract to equipment, material, articles, or patented processes by trade name, make, or catalog number, shall be regarded as establishing a standard of quality and shall not be construed as limiting competition. The Contractor may, at its option, use any equipment, material, article, or process that, in the judgment of, and as approved by the Contracting Officer, is equal to that named in the specifications, unless otherwise specifically provided in this contract.
- (b) Approval of equipment and materials.
 - (1) The Contractor shall obtain the Contracting Officer's approval of the machinery and mechanical and other equipment to be incorporated into the work. When requesting approval, the Contractor shall furnish to the Contracting Officer the name of the manufacturer, the model number, and other information concerning the performance, capacity, nature, and rating of the

machinery and mechanical and other equipment. When required by this contract or by the Contracting Officer, the Contractor shall also obtain the Contracting Officer's approval of the material or articles which the Contractor contemplates incorporating into the work. When requesting approval, the Contractor shall provide full information concerning the material or articles. Machinery, equipment, material, and articles that do not have the required approval shall be installed or used at the risk of subsequent rejection.

- (2) When required by the specifications or the Contracting Officer, the Contractor shall submit appropriately marked samples (and certificates related to them) for approval at the Contractor's expense, with all shipping charges prepaid. The Contractor shall label, or otherwise properly mark on the container, the material or product represented, its place of origin, the name of the producer, the Contractor's name, and the identification of the construction project for which the material or product is intended to be used.
- (3) Certificates shall be submitted in triplicate, describing each sample submitted for approval and certifying that the material, equipment or accessory complies with contract requirements. The certificates shall include the name and brand of the product, name of manufacturer, and the location where produced.
- (4) Approval of a sample shall not constitute a waiver of the PHA right to demand full compliance with contract requirements. Materials, equipment and accessories may be rejected for cause even though samples have been approved.
- (5) Wherever materials are required to comply with recognized standards or specifications, such specifications shall be accepted as establishing the technical qualities and testing methods, but shall not govern the number of tests required to be made nor modify other contract requirements. The Contracting Officer may require laboratory test reports on items submitted for approval or may approve materials on the basis of data submitted in certificates with samples. Check tests will be made on materials delivered for use only as frequently as the Contracting Officer determines necessary to insure compliance of materials with the specifications. The Contractor will assume all costs of retesting materials which fail to meet contract requirements and/or testing materials offered in substitution for those found deficient.
- (6) After approval, samples will be kept in the Project office until completion of work. They may be built into the work after a substantial quantity of the materials they represent has been built in and accepted.
- (c) Requirements concerning lead-based paint. The Contractor shall comply with the requirements concerning lead-based paint contained in the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. 4821-4846) as implemented by 24 CFR Part 35.

12. Permits and Codes

- (a) The Contractor shall give all notices and comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations. Notwithstanding the requirement of the Contractor to comply with the drawings and specifications in the contract, all work installed shall comply with all applicable codes and regulations as amended by any

waivers. Before installing the work, the Contractor shall examine the drawings and the specifications for compliance with applicable codes and regulations bearing on the work and shall immediately report any discrepancy it may discover to the Contracting Officer. Where the requirements of the drawings and specifications fail to comply with the applicable code or regulation, the Contracting Officer shall modify the contract by change order pursuant to the clause entitled Changes herein to conform to the code or regulation.

- (b) The Contractor shall secure and pay for all permits, fees, and licenses necessary for the proper execution and completion of the work. Where the PHA can arrange for the issuance of all or part of these permits, fees and licenses, without cost to the Contractor, the contract amount shall be reduced accordingly.

13. Health, Safety, and Accident Prevention

- (a) In performing this contract, the Contractor shall:
 - (1) Ensure that no laborer or mechanic shall be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous, or dangerous to his/her health and/or safety as determined under construction safety and health standards promulgated by the Secretary of Labor by regulation;
 - (2) Protect the lives, health, and safety of other persons;
 - (3) Prevent damage to property, materials, supplies, and equipment; and,
 - (4) Avoid work interruptions.
- (b) For these purposes, the Contractor shall:
 - (1) Comply with regulations and standards issued by the Secretary of Labor at 29 CFR Part 1926. Failure to comply may result in imposition of sanctions pursuant to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (Public Law 91-54, 83 Stat. 96), 40 U.S.C. 3701 et seq.; and
 - (2) Include the terms of this clause in every subcontract so that such terms will be binding on each subcontractor.
- (c) The Contractor shall maintain an accurate record of exposure data on all accidents incident to work performed under this contract resulting in death, traumatic injury, occupational disease, or damage to property, materials, supplies, or equipment, and shall report this data in the manner prescribed by 29 CFR Part 1904.
- (d) The Contracting Officer shall notify the Contractor of any noncompliance with these requirements and of the corrective action required. This notice, when delivered to the Contractor or the Contractor's representative at the site of the work, shall be deemed sufficient notice of the noncompliance and corrective action required. After receiving the notice, the Contractor shall immediately take corrective action. If the Contractor fails or refuses to take corrective action promptly, the Contracting Officer may issue an order stopping all or part of the work until satisfactory corrective action has been taken. The Contractor shall not base any claim or request for equitable adjustment for additional time or money on any stop order issued under these circumstances.
- (e) The Contractor shall be responsible for its subcontractors' compliance with the provisions of this clause. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract as the PHA, the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, or the Secretary of Labor shall direct as a means of enforcing such provisions.

14. Temporary Heating

The Contractor shall provide and pay for temporary heating, covering, and enclosures necessary to properly protect all work and materials against damage by dampness and cold, to dry out the work, and to facilitate the completion of the work. Any permanent heating equipment used shall be turned over to the PHA in the condition and at the time required by the specifications.

15. Availability and Use of Utility Services

- (a) The PHA shall make all reasonably required amounts of utilities available to the Contractor from existing outlets and supplies, as specified in the contract. Unless otherwise provided in the contract, the amount of each utility service consumed shall be charged to or paid for by the Contractor at prevailing rates charged to the PHA or, where the utility is produced by the PHA, at reasonable rates determined by the Contracting Officer. The Contractor shall carefully conserve any utilities furnished without charge.
- (b) The Contractor, at its expense and in a manner satisfactory to the Contracting Officer, shall install and maintain all necessary temporary connections and distribution lines, and all meters required to measure the amount of each utility used for the purpose of determining charges. Before final acceptance of the work by the PHA, the Contractor shall remove all the temporary connections, distribution lines, meters, and associated paraphernalia.

16. Protection of Existing Vegetation, Structures, Equipment, Utilities, and Improvements

- (a) The Contractor shall preserve and protect all structures, equipment, and vegetation (such as trees, shrubs, and grass) on or adjacent to the work site, which are not to be removed under this contract, and which do not unreasonably interfere with the work required under this contract.
- (b) The Contractor shall only remove trees when specifically authorized to do so, and shall avoid damaging vegetation that will remain in place. If any limbs or branches of trees are broken during performance of this contract, or by the careless operation of equipment, or by workmen, the Contractor shall trim those limbs or branches with a clean cut and paint the cut with a tree-pruning compound as directed by the Contracting Officer.
- (c) The Contractor shall protect from damage all existing improvements and utilities (1) at or near the work site and (2) on adjacent property of a third party, the locations of which are made known to or should be known by the Contractor. Prior to disturbing the ground at the construction site, the Contractor shall ensure that all underground utility lines are clearly marked.
- (d) The Contractor shall shore up, brace, underpin, secure, and protect as necessary all foundations and other parts of existing structures adjacent to, adjoining, and in the vicinity of the site, which may be affected by the excavations or other operations connected with the construction of the project.
- (e) Any equipment temporarily removed as a result of work under this contract shall be protected, cleaned, and replaced in the same condition as at the time of award of this contract.

- (f) New work which connects to existing work shall correspond in all respects with that to which it connects and/or be similar to existing work unless otherwise required by the specifications.
- (g) No structural members shall be altered or in any way weakened without the written authorization of the Contracting Officer, unless such work is clearly specified in the plans or specifications.
- (h) If the removal of the existing work exposes discolored or unfinished surfaces, or work out of alignment, such surfaces shall be refinished, or the material replaced as necessary to make the continuous work uniform and harmonious. This, however, shall not be construed to require the refinishing or reconstruction of dissimilar finishes previously exposed, or finished surfaces in good condition, but in different planes or on different levels when brought together by the removal of intervening work, unless such refinishing or reconstruction is specified in the plans or specifications.
- (i) The Contractor shall give all required notices to any adjoining or adjacent property owner or other party before the commencement of any work.
- (j) The Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless the PHA from any damages on account of settlement or the loss of lateral support of adjoining property, any damages from changes in topography affecting drainage, and from all loss or expense and all damages for which the PHA may become liable in consequence of such injury or damage to adjoining and adjacent structures and their premises.
- (k) The Contractor shall repair any damage to vegetation, structures, equipment, utilities, or improvements, including those that are the property of a third party, resulting from failure to comply with the requirements of this contract or failure to exercise reasonable care in performing the work. If the Contractor fails or refuses to repair the damage promptly, the Contracting Officer may have the necessary work performed and charge the cost to the Contractor.

17. Temporary Buildings and Transportation of Materials

- (a) Temporary buildings (e.g., storage sheds, shops, offices, sanitary facilities) and utilities may be erected by the Contractor only with the approval of the Contracting Officer and shall be built with labor and materials furnished by the Contractor without expense to the PHA. The temporary buildings and utilities shall remain the property of the Contractor and shall be removed by the Contractor at its expense upon completion of the work. With the written consent of the Contracting Officer, the buildings and utilities may be abandoned and need not be removed.
- (b) The Contractor shall, as directed by the Contracting Officer, use only established roadways, or use temporary roadways constructed by the Contractor when and as authorized by the Contracting Officer. When materials are transported in prosecuting the work, vehicles shall not be loaded beyond the loading capacity recommended by the manufacturer of the vehicle or prescribed by any federal, state, or local law or regulation. When it is necessary to cross curbs or sidewalks, the Contractor shall protect them from damage. The Contractor shall repair or pay for the repair of any damaged curbs, sidewalks, or roads.

18. Clean Air and Water

The contractor shall comply with the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 USC 7401 et seq., the Federal Water Pollution Control Water Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq., and standards issued pursuant thereto in the facilities in which this contract is to be performed.

19. Energy Efficiency

The Contractor shall comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub.L. 94-163) for the State in which the work under the contract is performed.

20. Inspection and Acceptance of Construction

- (a) Definitions. As used in this clause -
 - (1) "Acceptance" means the act of an authorized representative of the PHA by which the PHA approves and assumes ownership of the work performed under this contract. Acceptance may be partial or complete.
 - (2) "Inspection" means examining and testing the work performed under the contract (including, when appropriate, raw materials, equipment, components, and intermediate assemblies) to determine whether it conforms to contract requirements.
 - (3) "Testing" means that element of inspection that determines the properties or elements, including functional operation of materials, equipment, or their components, by the application of established scientific principles and procedures.
- (b) The Contractor shall maintain an adequate inspection system and perform such inspections as will ensure that the work performed under the contract conforms to contract requirements. All work is subject to PHA inspection and test at all places and at all reasonable times before acceptance to ensure strict compliance with the terms of the contract.
- (c) PHA inspections and tests are for the sole benefit of the PHA and do not: (1) relieve the Contractor of responsibility for providing adequate quality control measures; (2) relieve the Contractor of responsibility for loss or damage of the material before acceptance; (3) constitute or imply acceptance; or, (4) affect the continuing rights of the PHA after acceptance of the completed work under paragraph (j) below.
- (d) The presence or absence of the PHA inspector does not relieve the Contractor from any contract requirement, nor is the inspector authorized to change any term or condition of the specifications without the Contracting Officer's written authorization. All instructions and approvals with respect to the work shall be given to the Contractor by the Contracting Officer.
- (e) The Contractor shall promptly furnish, without additional charge, all facilities, labor, and material reasonably needed for performing such safe and convenient inspections and tests as may be required by the Contracting Officer. The PHA may charge to the Contractor any additional cost of inspection or test when work is not ready at the time specified by the Contractor for inspection or test, or when prior rejection makes reinspection or retest necessary. The PHA shall perform all inspections and tests in a manner that will not unnecessarily delay the work. Special, full size, and performance tests shall be performed as described in the contract.

- (f) The PHA may conduct routine inspections of the construction site on a daily basis.
- (g) The Contractor shall, without charge, replace or correct work found by the PHA not to conform to contract requirements, unless the PHA decides that it is in its interest to accept the work with an appropriate adjustment in contract price. The Contractor shall promptly segregate and remove rejected material from the premises.
- (h) If the Contractor does not promptly replace or correct rejected work, the PHA may (1) by contract or otherwise, replace or correct the work and charge the cost to the Contractor, or (2) terminate for default the Contractor's right to proceed.
- (i) If any work requiring inspection is covered up without approval of the PHA, it must, if requested by the Contracting Officer, be uncovered at the expense of the Contractor. If at any time before final acceptance of the entire work, the PHA considers it necessary or advisable, to examine work already completed by removing or tearing it out, the Contractor, shall on request, promptly furnish all necessary facilities, labor, and material. If such work is found to be defective or nonconforming in any material respect due to the fault of the Contractor or its subcontractors, the Contractor shall defray all the expenses of the examination and of satisfactory reconstruction. If, however, such work is found to meet the requirements of the contract, the Contracting Officer shall make an equitable adjustment to cover the cost of the examination and reconstruction, including, if completion of the work was thereby delayed, an extension of time.
- (j) The Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer, in writing, as to the date when in its opinion all or a designated portion of the work will be substantially completed and ready for inspection. If the Architect determines that the state of preparedness is as represented, the PHA will promptly arrange for the inspection. Unless otherwise specified in the contract, the PHA shall accept, as soon as practicable after completion and inspection, all work required by the contract or that portion of the work the Contracting Officer determines and designates can be accepted separately. Acceptance shall be final and conclusive except for latent defects, fraud, gross mistakes amounting to fraud, or the PHA's right under any warranty or guarantee.

21. Use and Possession Prior to Completion

- (a) The PHA shall have the right to take possession of or use any completed or partially completed part of the work. Before taking possession of or using any work, the Contracting Officer shall furnish the Contractor a list of items of work remaining to be performed or corrected on those portions of the work that the PHA intends to take possession of or use. However, failure of the Contracting Officer to list any item of work shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for complying with the terms of the contract. The PHA's possession or use shall not be deemed an acceptance of any work under the contract.
- (b) While the PHA has such possession or use, the Contractor shall be relieved of the responsibility for (1) the loss of or damage to the work resulting from the PHA's possession or use, notwithstanding the terms of the clause entitled Permits and Codes herein; (2) all maintenance costs on the areas occupied; and, (3) furnishing heat, light, power, and water used in the areas

occupied without proper remuneration therefore. If prior possession or use by the PHA delays the progress of the work or causes additional expense to the Contractor, an equitable adjustment shall be made in the contract price or the time of completion, and the contract shall be modified in writing accordingly.

22. Warranty of Title

The Contractor warrants good title to all materials, supplies, and equipment incorporated in the work and agrees to deliver the premises together with all improvements thereon free from any claims, liens or charges, and agrees further that neither it nor any other person, firm or corporation shall have any right to a lien upon the premises or anything appurtenant thereto.

23. Warranty of Construction

- (a) In addition to any other warranties in this contract, the Contractor warrants, except as provided in paragraph (j) of this clause, that work performed under this contract conforms to the contract requirements and is free of any defect in equipment, material, or workmanship performed by the Contractor or any subcontractor or supplier at any tier. This warranty shall continue for a period of _____ (one year unless otherwise indicated) from the date of final acceptance of the work. If the PHA takes possession of any part of the work before final acceptance, this warranty shall continue for a period of (one year unless otherwise indicated) from the date that the PHA takes possession.
- (b) The Contractor shall remedy, at the Contractor's expense, any failure to conform, or any defect. In addition, the Contractor shall remedy, at the Contractor's expense, any damage to PHA-owned or controlled real or personal property when the damage is the result of—
 - (1) The Contractor's failure to conform to contract requirements; or
 - (2) Any defects of equipment, material, workmanship or design furnished by the Contractor.
- (c) The Contractor shall restore any work damaged in fulfilling the terms and conditions of this clause. The Contractor's warranty with respect to work repaired or replaced will run for (one year unless otherwise indicated) from the date of repair or replacement.
- (d) The Contracting Officer shall notify the Contractor, in writing, within a reasonable time after the discovery of any failure, defect or damage.
- (e) If the Contractor fails to remedy any failure, defect, or damage within a reasonable time after receipt of notice, the PHA shall have the right to replace, repair or otherwise remedy the failure, defect, or damage at the Contractor's expense.
- (f) With respect to all warranties, express or implied, from subcontractors, manufacturers, or suppliers for work performed and materials furnished under this contract, the Contractor shall:
 - (1) Obtain all warranties that would be given in normal commercial practice;
 - (2) Require all warranties to be executed in writing, for the benefit of the PHA; and,
 - (3) Enforce all warranties for the benefit of the PHA.
- (g) In the event the Contractor's warranty under paragraph (a) of this clause has expired, the PHA may bring suit at its own expense to enforce a subcontractor's, manufacturer's or supplier's warranty.

- (h) Unless a defect is caused by the negligence of the Contractor or subcontractor or supplier at any tier, the Contractor shall not be liable for the repair of any defect of material or design furnished by the PHA nor for the repair of any damage that results from any defect in PHA furnished material or design.
- (i) Notwithstanding any provisions herein to the contrary, the establishment of the time periods in paragraphs (a) and (c) above relate only to the specific obligation of the Contractor to correct the work, and have no relationship to the time within which its obligation to comply with the contract may be sought to be enforced, nor to the time within which proceedings may be commenced to establish the Contractor's liability with respect to its obligation other than specifically to correct the work.
- (j) This warranty shall not limit the PHA's rights under the Inspection and Acceptance of Construction clause of this contract with respect to latent defects, gross mistakes or fraud.

24. Prohibition Against Liens

The Contractor is prohibited from placing a lien on the PHA's property. This prohibition shall apply to all subcontractors at any tier and all materials suppliers.

Administrative Requirements

25. Contract Period

this contract within _____ calendar days of the effective date of the contract, or within the time schedule established in the notice to proceed issued by the Contracting Officer.

26. Order of Provisions

In the event of a conflict between these General Conditions and the Specifications, the General Conditions shall prevail. In the event of a conflict between the contract and any applicable state or local law or regulation, the state or local law or regulation shall prevail; provided that such state or local law or regulation does not conflict with, or is less restrictive than applicable federal law, regulation, or Executive Order. In the event of such a conflict, applicable federal law, regulation, and Executive Order shall prevail.

27. Payments

- (a) The PHA shall pay the Contractor the price as provided in this contract.
- (b) The PHA shall make progress payments approximately every 30 days as the work proceeds, on estimates of work accomplished which meets the standards of quality established under the contract, as approved by the Contracting Officer. The PHA may, subject to written determination and approval of the Contracting Officer, make more frequent payments to contractors which are qualified small businesses.
- (c) Before the first progress payment under this contract, the Contractor shall furnish, in such detail as requested by the Contracting Officer, a breakdown of the total contract price showing the amount included therein for each principal category of the work, which shall substantiate the payment amount requested in order to provide a

basis for determining progress payments. The breakdown shall be approved by the Contracting Officer and must be acceptable to HUD. If the contract covers more than one project, the Contractor shall furnish a separate breakdown for each. The values and quantities employed in making up this breakdown are for determining the amount of progress payments and shall not be construed as a basis for additions to or deductions from the contract price. The Contractor shall prorate its overhead and profit over the construction period of the contract.

- (d) The Contractor shall submit, on forms provided by the PHA, periodic estimates showing the value of the work performed during each period based upon the approved submitted not later than _____ days in advance of the date set for payment and are subject to correction and revision as required. The estimates must be approved by the Contracting Officer with the concurrence of the Architect prior to payment. If the contract covers more than one project, the Contractor shall furnish a separate progress payment estimate for each.
- (e) Along with each request for progress payments and the required estimates, the Contractor shall furnish the following certification, or payment shall not be made: I hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that:
 - (1) The amounts requested are only for performance in accordance with the specifications, terms, and conditions of the contract;
 - (2) Payments to subcontractors and suppliers have been made from previous payments received under the contract, and timely payments will be made from the proceeds of the payment covered by this certification, in accordance with subcontract agreements; and,
 - (3) This request for progress payments does not include any amounts which the prime contractor intends to withhold or retain from a subcontractor or supplier in accordance with the terms and conditions of the subcontract.

Name:

Title:

Date:

- (f) Except as otherwise provided in State law, the PHA shall retain ten (10) percent of the amount of progress payments until completion and acceptance of all work under the contract; except, that if upon completion of 50 percent of the work, the Contracting Officer, after consulting with the Architect, determines that the Contractor's performance and progress are satisfactory, the PHA may make the remaining payments in full for the work subsequently completed. If the Contracting Officer subsequently determines that the Contractor's performance and progress are unsatisfactory, the PHA shall reinstate the ten (10) percent (or other percentage as provided in State law) retainage until such time as the Contracting Officer determines that performance and progress are satisfactory.
- (g) The Contracting Officer may authorize material delivered on the site and preparatory work done to be taken into consideration when computing progress payments.

Material delivered to the Contractor at locations other than the site may also be taken into consideration if the Contractor furnishes satisfactory evidence that (1) it has acquired title to such material; (2) the material is properly stored in a bonded warehouse, storage yard, or similar suitable place as may be approved by the Contracting Officer; (3) the material is insured to cover its full value; and (4) the material will be used to perform this contract. Before any progress payment which includes delivered material is made, the Contractor shall furnish such documentation as the Contracting Officer may require to assure the protection of the PHA's interest in such materials. The Contractor shall remain responsible for such stored material notwithstanding the transfer of title to the PHA.

- (h) All material and work covered by progress payments made shall, at the time of payment become the sole property of the PHA, but this shall not be construed as (1) relieving the Contractor from the sole responsibility for all material and work upon which payments have been made or the restoration of any damaged work; or, (2) waiving the right of the PHA to require the fulfillment of all of the terms of the contract. In the event the work of the Contractor has been damaged by other contractors or persons other than employees of the PHA in the course of their employment, the Contractor shall restore such damaged work without cost to the PHA and to seek redress for its damage only from those who directly caused it.
- (i) The PHA shall make the final payment due the Contractor under this contract after (1) completion and final acceptance of all work; and (2) presentation of release of all claims against the PHA arising by virtue of this contract, other than claims, in stated amounts, that the Contractor has specifically excepted from the operation of the release. Each such exception shall embrace no more than one claim, the basis and scope of which shall be clearly defined. The amounts for such excepted claims shall not be included in the request for final payment. A release may also be required of the assignee if the Contractor's claim to amounts payable under this contract has been assigned.
- (j) Prior to making any payment, the Contracting Officer may require the Contractor to furnish receipts or other evidence of payment from all persons performing work and supplying material to the Contractor, if the Contracting Officer determines such evidence is necessary to substantiate claimed costs.
- (k) The PHA shall not; (1) determine or adjust any claims for payment or disputes arising there under between the Contractor and its subcontractors or material suppliers; or, (2) withhold any moneys for the protection of the subcontractors or material suppliers. The failure or refusal of the PHA to withhold moneys from the Contractor shall in no wise impair the obligations of any surety or sureties under any bonds furnished under this contract.

28. Contract Modifications

- (a) Only the Contracting Officer has authority to modify any term or condition of this contract. Any contract modification shall be authorized in writing.
- (b) The Contracting Officer may modify the contract unilaterally (1) pursuant to a specific authorization stated in a contract clause (e.g., Changes); or (2) for administrative matters which do not change the rights or

responsibilities of the parties (e.g., change in the PHA address). All other contract modifications shall be in the form of supplemental agreements signed by the Contractor and the Contracting Officer.

- (c) When a proposed modification requires the approval of HUD prior to its issuance (e.g., a change order that exceeds the PHA's approved threshold), such modification shall not be effective until the required approval is received by the PHA.

29. Changes

- (a) The Contracting Officer may, at any time, without notice to the sureties, by written order designated or indicated to be a change order, make changes in the work within the general scope of the contract including changes:
 - (1) In the specifications (including drawings and designs);
 - (2) In the method or manner of performance of the work;
 - (3) PHA-furnished facilities, equipment, materials, services, or site; or,
 - (4) Directing the acceleration in the performance of the work.
- (b) Any other written order or oral order (which, as used in this paragraph (b), includes direction, instruction, interpretation, or determination) from the Contracting Officer that causes a change shall be treated as a change order under this clause; provided, that the Contractor gives the Contracting Officer written notice stating (1) the date, circumstances and source of the order and (2) that the Contractor regards the order as a change order.
- (c) Except as provided in this clause, no order, statement or conduct of the Contracting Officer shall be treated as a change under this clause or entitle the Contractor to an equitable adjustment.
- (d) If any change under this clause causes an increase or decrease in the Contractor's cost of, or the time required for the performance of any part of the work under this contract, whether or not changed by any such order, the Contracting Officer shall make an equitable adjustment and modify the contract in writing. However, except for a adjustment based on defective specifications, no proposal for any change under paragraph (b) above shall be allowed for any costs incurred more than 20 days (5 days for oral orders) before the Contractor gives written notice as required. In the case of defective specifications for which the PHA is responsible, the equitable adjustment shall include any increased cost reasonably incurred by the Contractor in attempting to comply with the defective specifications.
- (e) The Contractor must assert its right to an adjustment under this clause within 30 days after (1) receipt of a written change order under paragraph (a) of this clause, or (2) the furnishing of a written notice under paragraph (b) of this clause, by submitting a written statement describing the general nature and the amount of the proposal. If the facts justify it, the Contracting Officer may extend the period for submission. The proposal may be included in the notice required under paragraph (b) above. No proposal by the Contractor for an equitable adjustment shall be allowed if asserted after final payment under this contract.
- (f) The Contractor's written proposal for equitable adjustment shall be submitted in the form of a lump sum proposal supported with an itemized breakdown of all increases and decreases in the contract in at least the following details:

- (1) Direct Costs. Materials (list individual items, the quantity and unit cost of each, and the aggregate cost); Transportation and delivery costs associated with materials; Labor breakdowns by hours or unit costs (identified with specific work to be performed); Construction equipment exclusively necessary for the change; Costs of preparation and/ or revision to shop drawings resulting from the change; Worker's Compensation and Public Liability Insurance; Employment taxes under FICA and FUTA; and, Bond Costs when size of change warrants revision.
- (2) Indirect Costs. Indirect costs may include overhead, general and administrative expenses, and fringe benefits not normally treated as direct costs.
- (3) Profit. The amount of profit shall be negotiated and may vary according to the nature, extent, and complexity of the work required by the change. The allowability of the direct and indirect costs shall be determined in accordance with the Contract Cost Principles and Procedures for Commercial Firms in Part 31 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR 1-31), as implemented by HUD Handbook 2210.18, in effect on the date of this contract. The Contractor shall not be allowed a profit on the profit received by any subcontractor. Equitable adjustments for deleted work shall include a credit for profit and may include a credit for indirect costs. On proposals covering both increases and decreases in the amount of the contract, the application of indirect costs and profit shall be on the net-change in direct costs for the Contractor or subcontractor performing the work.
- (g) The Contractor shall include in the proposal its request for time extension (if any), and shall include sufficient information and dates to demonstrate whether and to what extent the change will delay the completion of the contract in its entirety.
- (h) The Contracting Officer shall act on proposals within 30 days after their receipt, or notify the Contractor of the date when such action will be taken.
- (i) Failure to reach an agreement on any proposal shall be a dispute under the clause entitled Disputes herein. Nothing in this clause, however, shall excuse the Contractor from proceeding with the contract as changed.
- (j) Except in an emergency endangering life or property, no change shall be made by the Contractor without a prior order from the Contracting Officer.

30. Suspension of Work

- (a) The Contracting Officer may order the Contractor in writing to suspend, delay, or interrupt all or any part of the work of this contract for the period of time that the Contracting Officer determines appropriate for the convenience of the PHA.
- (b) If the performance of all or any part of the work is, for an unreasonable period of time, suspended, delayed, or interrupted (1) by an act of the Contracting Officer in the administration of this contract, or (2) by the Contracting Officer's failure to act within the time specified (or within a reasonable time if not specified) in this contract an adjustment shall be made for any increase in the cost of performance of the contract (excluding profit) necessarily caused by such unreasonable suspension, delay, or interruption and the contract modified in writing accordingly. However, no adjustment shall be made under this clause for any suspension, delay, or interruption to the extent that performance would have

been so suspended, delayed, or interrupted by any other cause, including the fault or negligence of the Contractor or for which any equitable adjustment is provided for or excluded under any other provision of this contract.

- (c) A claim under this clause shall not be allowed (1) for any costs incurred more than 20 days before the Contractor shall have notified the Contracting Officer in writing of the act or failure to act involved (but this requirement shall not apply as to a claim resulting from a suspension order); and, (2) unless the claim, in an amount stated, is asserted in writing as soon as practicable after the termination of the suspension, delay, or interruption, but not later than the date of final payment under the contract.

31. Disputes

- (a) "Claim," as used in this clause, means a written demand or written assertion by one of the contracting parties seeking, as a matter of right, the payment of money in a sum certain, the adjustment or interpretation of contract terms, or other relief arising under or relating to the contract. A claim arising under the contract, unlike a claim relating to the contract, is a claim that can be resolved under a contract clause that provides for the relief sought by the claimant. A voucher, invoice, or other routine request for payment that is not in dispute when submitted is not a claim. The submission may be converted to a claim by complying with the requirements of this clause, if it is disputed either as to liability or amount or is not acted upon in a reasonable time.
- (b) Except for disputes arising under the clauses entitled Labor Standards - Davis Bacon and Related Acts, herein, all disputes arising under or relating to this contract, including any claims for damages for the alleged breach thereof which are not disposed of by agreement, shall be resolved under this clause.
- (c) All claims by the Contractor shall be made in writing and submitted to the Contracting Officer for a written decision. A claim by the PHA against the Contractor shall be subject to a written decision by the Contracting Officer.
- (d) The Contracting Officer shall, within 60 (unless otherwise indicated) days after receipt of the request, decide the claim or notify the Contractor of the date by which the decision will be made.
- (e) The Contracting Officer's decision shall be final unless the Contractor (1) appeals in writing to a higher level in the PHA in accordance with the PHA's policy and procedures, (2) refers the appeal to an independent mediator or arbitrator, or (3) files suit in a court of competent jurisdiction. Such appeal must be made within (30 unless otherwise indicated) days after receipt of the Contracting Officer's decision.
- (f) The Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of this contract, pending final resolution of any request for relief, claim, appeal, or action arising under or relating to the contract, and comply with any decision of the Contracting Officer.

32. Default

- (a) If the Contractor refuses or fails to prosecute the work, or any separable part thereof, with the diligence that will insure its completion within the time specified in this contract, or any extension thereof, or fails to complete said work within this time, the Contracting Officer may, by written notice to the Contractor, terminate the right to

proceed with the work (or separable part of the work) that has been delayed. In this event, the PHA may take over the work and complete it, by contract or otherwise, and may take possession of and use any materials, equipment, and plant on the work site necessary for completing the work. The Contractor and its sureties shall be liable for any damage to the PHA resulting from the Contractor's refusal or failure to complete the work within the specified time, whether or not the Contractor's right to proceed with the work is terminated. This liability includes any increased costs incurred by the PHA in completing the work.

- (b) The Contractor's right to proceed shall not be terminated or the Contractor charged with damages under this clause if—
- (1) The delay in completing the work arises from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor. Examples of such causes include (i) acts of God, or of the public enemy, (ii) acts of the PHA or other governmental entity in either its sovereign or contractual capacity, (iii) acts of another contractor in the performance of a contract with the PHA, (iv) fires, (v) floods, (vi) epidemics, (vii) quarantine restrictions, (viii) strikes, (ix) freight embargoes, (x) unusually severe weather, or (xi) delays of subcontractors or suppliers at any tier arising from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of both the Contractor and the subcontractors or suppliers; and
 - (2) The Contractor, within days (10 days unless otherwise indicated) from the beginning of such delay (unless extended by the Contracting Officer) notifies the Contracting Officer in writing of the causes of delay. The Contracting Officer shall ascertain the facts and the extent of the delay. If, in the judgment of the Contracting Officer, the findings of fact warrant such action, time for completing the work shall be extended by written modification to the contract. The findings of the Contracting Officer shall be reduced to a written decision which shall be subject to the provisions of the Disputes clause of this contract.
- (c) If, after termination of the Contractor's right to proceed, it is determined that the Contractor was not in default, or that the delay was excusable, the rights and obligations of the parties will be the same as if the termination had been for convenience of the PHA.

33. Liquidated Damages

- (a) If the Contractor fails to complete the work within the time specified in the contract, or any extension, as specified in the clause entitled Default of this contract, the Contractor shall pay to the PHA as liquidated damages, the sum of \$ _____ [Contracting Officer insert amount] for each day of delay. If different completion dates are specified in the contract for separate parts or stages of the work, the amount of liquidated damages shall be assessed on those parts or stages which are delayed. To the extent that the Contractor's delay or nonperformance is excused under another clause in this contract, liquidated damages shall not be due the PHA. The Contractor remains liable for damages caused other than by delay.
- (b) If the PHA terminates the Contractor's right to proceed, the resulting damage will consist of liquidated damages until such reasonable time as may be required for final

completion of the work together with any increased costs occasioned the PHA in completing the work.

- (c) If the PHA does not terminate the Contractor's right to proceed, the resulting damage will consist of liquidated damages until the work is completed or accepted.

34. Termination for Convenience

- (a) The Contracting Officer may terminate this contract in whole, or in part, whenever the Contracting Officer determines that such termination is in the best interest of the PHA. Any such termination shall be effected by delivery to the Contractor of a Notice of Termination specifying the extent to which the performance of the work under the contract is terminated, and the date upon which such termination becomes effective.
- (b) If the performance of the work is terminated, either in whole or in part, the PHA shall be liable to the Contractor for reasonable and proper costs resulting from such termination upon the receipt by the PHA of a properly presented claim setting out in detail: (1) the total cost of the work performed to date of termination less the total amount of contract payments made to the Contractor; (2) the cost (including reasonable profit) of settling and paying claims under subcontracts and material orders for work performed and materials and supplies delivered to the site, payment for which has not been made by the PHA to the Contractor or by the Contractor to the subcontractor or supplier; (3) the cost of preserving and protecting the work already performed until the PHA or assignee takes possession thereof or assumes responsibility therefore; (4) the actual or estimated cost of legal and accounting services reasonably necessary to prepare and present the termination claim to the PHA; and (5) an amount constituting a reasonable profit on the value of the work performed by the Contractor.
- (c) The Contracting Officer will act on the Contractor's claim within days (60 days unless otherwise indicated) of receipt of the Contractor's claim.
- (d) Any disputes with regard to this clause are expressly made subject to the provisions of the Disputes clause of this contract.

35. Assignment of Contract

The Contractor shall not assign or transfer any interest in this contract; except that claims for monies due or to become due from the PHA under the contract may be assigned to a bank, trust company, or other financial institution. Such assignments of claims shall only be made with the written concurrence of the Contracting Officer. If the Contractor is a partnership, this contract shall inure to the benefit of the surviving or remaining member(s) of such partnership as approved by the Contracting Officer.

36. Insurance

- (a) Before commencing work, the Contractor and each subcontractor shall furnish the PHA with certificates of insurance showing the following insurance is in force and will insure all operations under the Contract:
- (1) Workers' Compensation, in accordance with state or Territorial Workers' Compensation laws.
 - (2) Commercial General Liability with a combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage of not less than \$ _____ [Contracting Officer insert amount]

per occurrence to protect the Contractor and each subcontractor against claims for bodily injury or death and damage to the property of others. This shall cover the use of all equipment, hoists, and vehicles on the site(s) not covered by Automobile Liability under (3) below. If the Contractor has a "claims made" policy, then the following additional requirements apply: the policy must provide a "retroactive date" which must be on or before the execution date of the Contract; and the extended reporting period may not be less than five years following the completion date of the Contract.

- (3) Automobile Liability on owned and non-owned motor vehicles used on the site(s) or in connection therewith for a combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage of not less than \$ _____ [Contracting Officer insert amount] per occurrence.
- (b) Before commencing work, the Contractor shall furnish the PHA with a certificate of insurance evidencing that Builder's Risk (fire and extended coverage) Insurance on all work in place and/or materials stored at the building site(s), including foundations and building equipment, is in force. The Builder's Risk Insurance shall be for the benefit of the Contractor and the PHA as their interests may appear and each shall be named in the policy or policies as an insured. The Contractor in installing equipment supplied by the PHA shall carry insurance on such equipment from the time the Contractor takes possession thereof until the Contract work is accepted by the PHA. The Builder's Risk Insurance need not be carried on excavations, piers, footings, or foundations until such time as work on the superstructure is started. It need not be carried on landscape work. Policies shall furnish coverage at all times for the full cash value of all completed construction, as well as materials in place and/or stored at the site(s), whether or not partial payment has been made by the PHA. The Contractor may terminate this insurance on buildings as of the date taken over for occupancy by the PHA. The Contractor is not required to carry Builder's Risk Insurance for modernization work which does not involve structural alterations or additions and where the PHA's existing fire and extended coverage policy can be endorsed to include such work.
- (c) All insurance shall be carried with companies which are financially responsible and admitted to do business in the State in which the project is located. If any such insurance is due to expire during the construction period, the Contractor (including subcontractors, as applicable) shall not permit the coverage to lapse and shall furnish evidence of coverage to the Contracting Officer. All certificates of insurance, as evidence of coverage, shall provide that no coverage may be canceled or non-renewed by the insurance company until at least 30 days prior written notice has been given to the Contracting Officer.

37. Subcontracts

- (a) Definitions. As used in this contract -
- (1) "Subcontract" means any contract, purchase order, or other purchase agreement, including modifications and change orders to the foregoing, entered into by a subcontractor to furnish supplies, materials, equipment, and services for the performance of the prime contract or a subcontract.

(2) "Subcontractor" means any supplier, vendor, or firm that furnishes supplies, materials, equipment, or services to or for the Contractor or another subcontractor.

- (b) The Contractor shall not enter into any subcontract with any subcontractor who has been temporarily denied participation in a HUD program or who has been suspended or debarred from participating in contracting programs by any agency of the United States Government or of the state in which the work under this contract is to be performed.
- (c) The Contractor shall be as fully responsible for the acts or omissions of its subcontractors, and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them as for the acts or omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor shall insert appropriate clauses in all subcontracts to bind subcontractors to the terms and conditions of this contract insofar as they are applicable to the work of subcontractors.
- (e) Nothing contained in this contract shall create any contractual relationship between any subcontractor and the PHA or between the subcontractor and HUD.

38. Subcontracting with Small and Minority Firms, Women's Business Enterprise, and Labor Surplus Area Firms

The Contractor shall take the following steps to ensure that, whenever possible, subcontracts are awarded to small business firms, minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms:

- (a) Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- (b) Ensuring that small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- (c) Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises;
- (d) Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirements of the contract permit, which encourage participation by small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises; and
- (e) Using the services and assistance of the U.S. Small Business Administration, the Minority Business Development Agency of the U.S. Department of Commerce, and State and local governmental small business agencies.

39. Equal Employment Opportunity

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

- (a) The Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or handicap.
- (b) The Contractor shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or handicap. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, (1) employment, (2) upgrading, (3) demotion, (4) transfer, (5) recruitment or recruitment advertising, (6) layoff or termination, (7) rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and (8) selection for training, including apprenticeship.

- (c) The Contractor shall post in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment the notices to be provided by the Contracting Officer that explain this clause.
- (d) The Contractor shall, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or handicap.
- (e) The Contractor shall send, to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, the notice to be provided by the Contracting Officer advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this clause, and post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- (f) The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, as amended, and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor.
- (g) The Contractor shall furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246, as amended, Section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto. The Contractor shall permit access to its books, records, and accounts by the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
- (h) In the event of a determination that the Contractor is not in compliance with this clause or any rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part, and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts, or Federally assisted construction contracts under the procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246, as amended. In addition, sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked against the Contractor as provided in Executive Order 11246, as amended, the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.
- (i) The Contractor shall include the terms and conditions of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by the rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued under Executive Order 11246, as amended, so that these terms and conditions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development or the Secretary of Labor may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance; provided that if the Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into the litigation to protect the interests of the United States.
- (j) Compliance with the requirements of this clause shall be to the maximum extent consistent with, but not in derogation of, compliance with section 7(b) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act and the Indian Preference clause of this contract.
- 40. Employment, Training, and Contracting Opportunities for Low-Income Persons, Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968.**
- (a) The work to be performed under this contract is subject to the requirements of section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. 1701u (section 3). The purpose of section 3 is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD assistance or HUD-assisted projects covered by section 3, shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.
- (b) The parties to this contract agree to comply with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR Part 135, which implement section 3. As evidenced by their execution of this contract, the parties to this contract certify that they are under no contractual or other impediment that would prevent them from complying with the Part 135 regulations.
- (c) The contractor agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which the contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other understanding, if any, a notice advising the labor organization or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this section 3 clause, and will post copies of the notice in conspicuous places at the work site where both employees and applicants for training and employment positions can see the notice. The notice shall describe the section 3 preference, shall set forth minimum number and job titles subject to hire, availability of apprenticeship and training positions, the qualifications for each; and the name and location of the person(s) taking applications for each of the positions; and the anticipated date the work shall begin.
- (d) The contractor agrees to include this section 3 clause in every subcontract subject to compliance with regulations in 24 CFR Part 135, and agrees to take appropriate action, as provided in an applicable provision of the subcontract or in this section 3 clause, upon a finding that the subcontractor is in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR Part 135. The contractor will not subcontract with any subcontractor where the contractor has notice or knowledge that the subcontractor has been found in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR Part 135.
- (e) The contractor will certify that any vacant employment positions, including training positions, that are filled (1) after the contractor is selected but before the contract is executed, and (2) with persons other than those to whom the regulations of 24 CFR Part 135 require employment opportunities to be directed, were not filled to circumvent the contractor's obligations under 24 CFR Part 135.
- (f) Noncompliance with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR Part 135 may result in sanctions, termination of this contract for default, and debarment or suspension from future HUD assisted contracts.
- (g) With respect to work performed in connection with section 3 covered Indian housing assistance, section 7(b) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 450e) also applies to the work to be performed under this contract. Section 7(b) requires that to the greatest extent feasible (i) preference and opportunities for training and employment shall be given to Indians, and (ii) preference in the award of contracts and subcontracts shall be given to Indian organizations and Indian-owned Economic Enterprises. Parties to this contract that are subject to the provisions of section 3 and section 7(b) agree to comply with section 3 to the maximum extent feasible, but not in derogation of compliance with section 7(b).

41. Interest of Members of Congress

No member of or delegate to the Congress of the United States of America shall be admitted to any share or part of this contract or to any benefit that may arise therefrom.

42. Interest of Members, Officers, or Employees and Former Members, Officers, or Employees

No member, officer, or employee of the PHA, no member of the governing body of the locality in which the project is situated, no member of the governing body of the locality in which the PHA was activated, and no other public official of such locality or localities who exercises any functions or responsibilities with respect to the project, shall, during his or her tenure, or for one year thereafter, have any interest, direct or indirect, in this contract or the proceeds thereof.

43. Limitations on Payments made to Influence Certain Federal Financial Transactions

- (a) The Contractor agrees to comply with Section 1352 of Title 31, United States Code which prohibits the use of Federal appropriated funds to pay any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with any of the following covered Federal actions: 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; or the modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (b) The Contractor further agrees to comply with the requirement of the Act to furnish a disclosure (OMB Standard Form LLL, Disclosure of Lobbying Activities) if any funds other than Federal appropriated funds (including profit or fee received under a covered Federal transaction) have been paid, or will be paid, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with a Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

44. Royalties and Patents

The Contractor shall pay all royalties and license fees. It shall defend all suits or claims for infringement of any patent rights and shall save the PHA harmless from loss on account thereof; except that the PHA shall be responsible for all such loss when a particular design, process or the product of a particular manufacturer or manufacturers is specified and the Contractor has no reason to believe that the specified design, process, or product is an infringement. If, however, the Contractor has reason to believe that any design, process or product specified is an infringement of a patent, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Contracting Officer. Failure to give such notice shall make the Contractor responsible for resultant loss.

45. Examination and Retention of Contractor's Records

- (a) The PHA, HUD, or Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives shall, until 3 years after final payment under this contract, have access to and the right to examine any of the Contractor's directly pertinent books, documents, papers, or other records involving transactions related to this contract for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts, and transcriptions.
- (b) The Contractor agrees to include in first-tier subcontracts under this contract a clause substantially the same as paragraph (a) above. "Subcontract," as used in this clause, excludes purchase orders not exceeding \$10,000.
- (c) The periods of access and examination in paragraphs (a) and (b) above for records relating to (1) appeals under the Disputes clause of this contract, (2) litigation or settlement of claims arising from the performance of this contract, or (3) costs and expenses of this contract to which the PHA, HUD, or Comptroller General or any of their duly authorized representatives has taken exception shall continue until disposition of such appeals, litigation, claims, or exceptions.

46. Labor Standards - Davis-Bacon and Related Acts

If the total amount of this contract exceeds \$2,000, the Federal labor standards set forth in the clause below shall apply to the development or construction work to be performed under the contract.

- (a) Minimum Wages.
 - (1) All laborers and mechanics employed under this contract in the development or construction of the project(s) involved will be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a week, and without subsequent deduction or rebate on any account (except such payroll deductions as are permitted by regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor under the Copeland Act (29 CFR Part 3)), the full amount of wages and bona fide fringe benefits (or cash equivalents thereof) due at time of payment computed at rates not less than those contained in the wage determination of the Secretary of Labor which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, regardless of any contractual relationship which may be alleged to exist between the Contractor and such laborers and mechanics. Contributions made or costs reasonably anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits under Section 1(b)(2) of the Davis-Bacon Act on behalf of laborers or mechanics are considered wages paid to such laborers or mechanics, subject to the provisions of 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(iv); also, regular contributions made or costs incurred for more than a weekly period (but not less often than quarterly) under plans, funds, or programs which cover the regular weekly period, are deemed to be constructively made or incurred during such weekly period. Such laborers and mechanics shall be paid the appropriate wage rate and fringe benefits in the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed, without regard to skill, except as provided in 29 CFR 5.5(a)(4). Laborers or mechanics performing work in more than one classification may be compensated at the rate specified for each classification for the time actually worked therein; provided, that the employer's payroll records accurately set forth the time spent in each classification in which work is performed. The wage determination (including any additional classification and wage rates conformed under 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(ii) and the Davis-Bacon poster (WH-1321) shall

be posted at all times by the Contractor and its subcontractors at the site of the work in a prominent and accessible place where it can be easily seen by the workers.

- (2) (i) Any class of laborers or mechanics, including helpers, which is not listed in the wage determination and which is to be employed under the contract shall be classified in conformance with the wage determination. HUD shall approve an additional classification and wage rate and fringe benefits therefor only when all the following criteria have been met: (A) The work to be performed by the classification requested is not performed by a classification in the wage determination; and (B) The classification is utilized in the area by the construction industry; and (C) The proposed wage rate, including any bona fide fringe benefits, bears a reasonable relationship to the wage rates contained in the wage determination.
- (ii) If the Contractor and the laborers and mechanics to be employed in the classification (if known), or their representatives, and HUD or its designee agree on the classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits where appropriate), a report of the action taken shall be sent by HUD or its designee to the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Employee Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, DC 20210. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will approve, modify, or disapprove every additional classification action within 30 days of receipt and so advise HUD or its designee or will notify HUD or its designee within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary.
- (iii) In the event the Contractor, the laborers or mechanics to be employed in the classification or their representatives, and HUD or its designee do not agree on the proposed classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits, where appropriate), HUD or its designee shall refer the questions, including the views of all interested parties and the recommendation of HUD or its designee, to the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division for determination. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will issue a determination within 30 days of receipt and so advise HUD or its designee or will notify HUD or its designee within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary.
- (iv) The wage rate (including fringe benefits where appropriate) determined pursuant to subparagraphs (a)(2)(ii) or (iii) of this clause shall be paid to all workers performing work in the classification under this contract from the first day on which work is performed in classification.
- (3) Whenever the minimum wage rate prescribed in the contract for a class of laborers or mechanics includes a fringe benefit which is not expressed as an hourly rate, the Contractor shall either pay the benefit as stated in the wage determination or shall pay another bona fide fringe benefit or an hourly cash equivalent thereof.
- (4) If the Contractor does not make payments to a trustee or other third person, the Contractor may consider as part of the wages of any laborer or mechanic the

amount of any costs reasonably anticipated in providing bona fide fringe benefits under a plan or program; provided, that the Secretary of Labor has found, upon the written request of the Contractor, that the applicable standards of the Davis-Bacon Act have been met. The Secretary of Labor may require the Contractor to set aside in a separate account assets for the meeting of obligations under the plan or program.

- (b) Withholding of funds. HUD or its designee shall, upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor, withhold or cause to be withheld from the Contractor under this contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime Contractor, or any other Federally-assisted contract subject to Davis-Bacon prevailing wage requirements, which is held by the same prime Contractor, so much of the accrued payments or advances as may be considered necessary to pay laborers and mechanics, including apprentices, trainees, and helpers, employed by the Contractor or any subcontractor the full amount of wages required by the contract. In the event of failure to pay any laborer or mechanic, including any apprentice, trainee, or helper, employed or working in the construction or development of the project, all or part of the wages required by the contract, HUD or its designee may, after written notice to the Contractor, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds until such violations have ceased. HUD or its designee may, after written notice to the Contractor, disburse such amounts withheld for and on account of the Contractor or subcontractor to the respective employees to whom they are due.
- (c) Payrolls and basic records.
- (1) Payrolls and basic records relating thereto shall be maintained by the Contractor during the course of the work and preserved for a period of three years thereafter for all laborers and mechanics working in the construction or development of the project. Such records shall contain the name, address, and social security number of each such worker, his or her correct classification, hourly rates of wages paid (including rates of contributions or costs anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits or cash equivalents thereof of the types described in section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-Bacon Act), daily and weekly number of hours worked, deductions made, and actual wages paid. Whenever the Secretary of Labor has found, under 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(iv), that the wages of any laborer or mechanic include the amount of costs reasonably anticipated in providing benefits under a plan or program described in section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-Bacon Act, the Contractor shall maintain records which show that the commitment to provide such benefits is enforceable, that the plan or program is financially responsible, and that the plan or program has been communicated in writing to the laborers or mechanics affected, and records which show the costs anticipated or the actual cost incurred in providing such benefits. Contractors employing apprentices or trainees under approved programs shall maintain written evidence of the registration of apprenticeship programs and certification of trainee programs, the registration of the apprentices and trainees, and the ratios and wage rates prescribed in the applicable programs.

- (2) (i) The Contractor shall submit weekly for each week in which any contract work is performed a copy of all payrolls to the Contracting Officer for transmission to HUD or its designee. The payrolls submitted shall set out accurately and completely all of the information required to be maintained under subparagraph (c)(1) of this clause. This information may be submitted in any form desired. Optional Form WH-347 (Federal Stock Number 029-005-00014-1) is available for this purpose and may be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. The Contractor is responsible for the submission of copies of payrolls by all subcontractors. (Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under OMB Control Number 1214-0149.)
- (ii) Each payroll submitted shall be accompanied by a "Statement of Compliance," signed by the Contractor or subcontractor or his or her agent who pays or supervises the payment of the persons employed under the contract and shall certify the following:
- (A) That the payroll for the payroll period contains the information required to be maintained under paragraph (c) (1) of this clause and that such information is correct and complete;
- (B) That each laborer or mechanic (including each helper, apprentice, and trainee) employed on the contract during the payroll period has been paid the full weekly wages earned, without rebate, either directly or indirectly, and that no deductions have been made either directly or indirectly from the full wages earned, other than permissible deductions as set forth in 29 CFR Part 3; and
- (C) That each laborer or mechanic has been paid not less than the applicable wage rates and fringe benefits or cash equivalents for the classification of work performed, as specified in the applicable wage determination incorporated into the contract.
- (iii) The weekly submission of a properly executed certification set forth on the reverse side of Optional Form WH-347 shall satisfy the requirements for submission of the "Statement of Compliance" required by subparagraph (c)(2)(ii) of this clause.
- (iv) The falsification of any of the above certifications may subject the Contractor or subcontractor to civil or criminal prosecution under Section 1001 of Title 18 and Section 3729 of Title 31 of the United States Code.
- (3) The Contractor or subcontractor shall make the records required under subparagraph (c)(1) available for inspection, copying, or transcription by authorized representatives of HUD or its designee, the Contracting Officer, or the Department of Labor and shall permit such representatives to interview employees during working hours on the job. If the Contractor or subcontractor fails to submit the required records or to make them available, HUD or its designee may, after written notice to the Contractor, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds. Furthermore, failure to submit the required records upon request or to

make such records available may be grounds for debarment action pursuant to 29 CFR 5.12.

- (d) (1) Apprentices. Apprentices will be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work they performed when they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a bona fide apprenticeship program registered with the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Apprenticeship and Training, Employer and Labor Services (OATELS), or with a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by OATELS, or if a person is employed in his or her first 90 days of probationary employment as an apprentice in such an apprenticeship program, who is not individually registered in the program, but who has been certified by OATELS or a State Apprenticeship Agency (where appropriate) to be eligible for probationary employment as an apprentice. The allowable ratio of apprentices to journeymen on the job site in any craft classification shall not be greater than the ratio permitted to the Contractor as to the entire work force under the registered program. Any worker listed on a payroll at an apprentice wage rate, who is not registered or otherwise employed as stated in this paragraph, shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed. In addition, any apprentice performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed. Where a contractor is performing construction on a project in a locality other than that in which its program is registered, the ratios and wage rates (expressed in percentages of the journeyman's hourly rate) specified in the Contractor's or subcontractor's registered program shall be observed. Every apprentice must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the registered program for the apprentice's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeyman hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Apprentices shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the apprenticeship program. If the apprenticeship program does not specify fringe benefits, apprentices must be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed on the wage determination for the applicable classification. If the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division determines that a different practice prevails for the applicable apprentice classification, fringes shall be paid in accordance with that determination. In the event OATELS, or a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by OATELS, withdraws approval of an apprenticeship program, the Contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize apprentices at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.
- (2) Trainees. Except as provided in 29 CFR 5.16, trainees will not be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work performed unless they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a program which has received prior approval, evidenced by formal certification by the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration. The ratio of trainees to journeymen on the job site shall not be greater than permitted under

the plan approved by the Employment and Training Administration. Every trainee must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the approved program for the trainee's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeyman hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Trainees shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the trainee program. If the trainee program does not mention fringe benefits, trainees shall be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed in the wage determination unless the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division determines that there is an apprenticeship program associated with the corresponding journeyman wage rate in the wage determination which provides for less than full fringe benefits for apprentices. Any employee listed on the payroll at a trainee rate who is not registered and participating in a training plan approved by the Employment and Training Administration shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate in the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed. In addition, any trainee performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate in the wage determination for the work actually performed. In the event the Employment and Training Administration withdraws approval of a training program, the Contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize trainees at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.

- (3) Equal employment opportunity. The utilization of apprentices, trainees, and journeymen under this clause shall be in conformity with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Executive Order 11246, as amended, and 29 CFR Part 30.
- (e) Compliance with Copeland Act requirements. The Contractor shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR Part 3, which are hereby incorporated by reference in this contract.
- (f) Contract termination; debarment. A breach of this contract clause may be grounds for termination of the contract and for debarment as a Contractor and a subcontractor as provided in 29 CFR 5.12.
- (g) Compliance with Davis-Bacon and related Act requirements. All rulings and interpretations of the Davis-Bacon and related Acts contained in 29 CFR Parts 1, 3, and 5 are herein incorporated by reference in this contract.
- (h) Disputes concerning labor standards. Disputes arising out of the labor standards provisions of this clause shall not be subject to the general disputes clause of this contract. Such disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the procedures of the Department of Labor set forth in 29 CFR Parts 5, 6, and 7. Disputes within the meaning of this clause include disputes between the Contractor (or any of its subcontractors) and the PHA, HUD, the U.S. Department of Labor, or the employees or their representatives.
- (i) Certification of eligibility.
 - (1) By entering into this contract, the Contractor certifies that neither it (nor he or she) nor any person or firm who has an interest in the Contractor's firm is a person or firm ineligible to be awarded contracts by the United States Government by virtue of section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1).

- (2) No part of this contract shall be subcontracted to any person or firm ineligible for award of a United States Government contract by virtue of section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1).
 - (3) The penalty for making false statements is prescribed in the U. S. Criminal Code, 18 U.S.C. 1001.
- (j) Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act. As used in this paragraph, the terms "laborers" and "mechanics" include watchmen and guards.
 - (1) Overtime requirements. No contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics, including watchmen and guards, shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic in any workweek in which the individual is employed on such work to work in excess of 40 hours in such workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in such workweek.
 - (2) Violation; liability for unpaid wages; liquidated damages. In the event of any violation of the provisions set forth in subparagraph (j)(1) of this clause, the Contractor and any subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable for the unpaid wages. In addition, such Contractor and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory), for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic (including watchmen and guards) employed in violation of the provisions set forth in subparagraph (j)(1) of this clause, in the sum of \$10 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard workweek of 40 hours without payment of the overtime wages required by provisions set forth in subparagraph (j)(1) of this clause.
 - (3) Withholding for unpaid wages and liquidated damages. HUD or its designee shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the Contractor or subcontractor under any such contract or any Federal contract with the same prime Contractor, or any other Federally-assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, which is held by the same prime Contractor, such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such Contractor or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the provisions set forth in subparagraph (j)(2) of this clause.
 - (k) Subcontracts. The Contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts all the provisions contained in this clause, and such other clauses as HUD or its designee may by appropriate instructions require, and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these provisions in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime Contractor shall be responsible for the compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with all these provisions.

47. Non-Federal Prevailing Wage Rates

- (a) Any prevailing wage rate (including basic hourly rate and any fringe benefits), determined under State or tribal law to be prevailing, with respect to any employee in any trade or position employed under the contract, is inapplicable to the contract and shall not be enforced against the Contractor or any subcontractor, with respect to employees engaged under the contract whenever such non-Federal prevailing wage rate exceeds:
 - (1) The applicable wage rate determined by the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141 et seq.) to be prevailing in the locality with respect to such trade;
- (b) An applicable apprentice wage rate based thereon specified in an apprenticeship program registered with the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) or a DOL-recognized State Apprenticeship Agency; or
- (c) An applicable trainee wage rate based thereon specified in a DOL-certified trainee program.

48. Procurement of Recovered Materials.

- (a) In accordance with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, the Contractor shall procure items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 CFR Part 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition. The Contractor shall procure items designated in the EPA guidelines that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable unless the Contractor determines that such items: (1) are not reasonably available in a reasonable period of time; (2) fail to meet reasonable performance standards, which shall be determined on the basis of the guidelines of the National Institute of Standards and Technology, if applicable to the item; or (3) are only available at an unreasonable price.
- (b) Paragraph (a) of this clause shall apply to items purchased under this contract where: (1) the Contractor purchases in excess of \$10,000 of the item under this contract; or (2) during the preceding Federal fiscal year, the Contractor: (i) purchased any amount of the items for use under a contract that was funded with Federal appropriations and was with a Federal agency or a State agency or agency of a political subdivision of a State; and (ii) purchased a total of in excess of \$10,000 of the item both under and outside that contract.

PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY REQUIREMENTS

Contractors, Service Providers, Professional & Technical Providers and their subcontractors are advised that HUD “Section 3” regulations apply.

Section 3 Overview

Section 3 is a provision of the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u) (section 3), which recognizes that HUD funds are typically one of the largest sources of federal funding expended in communities. Section 3 is intended to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by certain HUD financial assistance shall, to the greatest extent feasible, and consistent with existing Federal, State and local laws and regulations, be directed to low- and very low income persons, particularly those who are recipients of government assistance for housing, and to business concerns which provide economic opportunities to low- and very low-income persons.

The City of Chandler’s Housing Rehabilitation Program uses federal funding through HUD, and is required to administer the Section 3 provisions, and follow 24 CFR- HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, Part 135 - ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOW- AND VERY LOW-INCOME PERSONS of the Code of Federal Regulation pertaining to low and very low income person(s). Contractors, Service Providers, Professional & Technical Providers and their subcontractors are advised that HUD “Section 3” regulations apply to all program activities which generate employment opportunities.

ATTACHMENTS: COMPLETE AND SUBMIT TO THE CITY OF CHANDLER

- Attachment 1/ Statement of Workforce Needs** - (Fill out, sign, date and submit to the City of Chandler)

- Attachment 2/ Certification for Business Concerns Seeking SECTION 3 Preference in Contracting and Demonstration of Capacity** – Fill out, sign, date and submit to the City of Chandler. All information is required if seeking Section 3 preference or not.)

- Attachment 3/ HUD FY 2020 Income** – *(Required document; sign, date and submit with sealed bid acknowledging that this document was provided)*

- Attachment 4/ Section 3 Income Verification/ Self-Certification**-(*Fill out, sign, date and submit 1 form for every employee to the City of Chandler only if applying for self-certification for Section 3*)

- Attachment 5/ Section 3 Compliance Certification**- (*Required document; fill out, sign, date and submit to the City of Chandler*)

REQUIREMENTS / ATTACHMENT 1

SECTION 3 STATEMENT OF WORKFORCE NEEDS

The Workforce Need Statement Worksheet gathers the following required information:

1. **employees you will need on this project** – how many people will you to hire?
2. **employees currently filling each position** – how many people are already working?
3. **estimated employees needed to fill each position** – subtract the number of employees currently filling each position from number of employees needed for each positions to complete the estimated number of employees.
4. **estimated number of Section 3 employees to be hired to fill the open positions** – use column 3 to estimate the number of Section 3 residents you anticipate hiring.

Professional Service Provider Information:	
Company Name:	<u>RM3 Mechanical</u>
Owner(s) Name:	<u>Ralph Morales III</u>
Address:	<u>2343 N Hayden Rd</u>
Phone:	<u>480 254-2106</u> Email: <u>Rmorales@rm3mechanical.com</u>

TYPE OF BUSINESS: Corporation Partnership Sole Proprietorship

Estimated Project Workforce Breakdown
(Do not leave blank spaces)

Job Category	Total Estimated Positions Needed (this Project)	Number of positions occupied by permanent employees	Number of positions not occupied	Number of positions to be filled with Section 3 Residents (this project)
Professionals	0	0	0	0
Technicians	2	2	0	0
Office/Clerical	1	1	0	0
Officials/Managers	1	1	0	0
Sales	1	1	0	0
Craft Workers (skilled)	0	0	0	0
Equipment Operators (semi-skilled)	0	0	0	0
Laborers (unskilled)	0	0	0	0
Service Workers	0	0	0	0
Other Construction Trades	0	0	0	0
TOTALS				

By signing below, I am certifying that the above information is an accurate estimate of workforce needs for this project.

R Morales III
Authorized Signature

4, 8, 21
Date

REQUIREMENTS / ATTACHMENT 3

**HUD FY 2020 INCOME LIMITS - MARICOPA COUNTY
CDBG and HOME FUNDED PROGRAMS/PROJECTS**

The FY 2020 Income Limits are in effect as of July 1, 2020. For all CDBG & HOME programs/projects, moderate-income is defined at or below 80% of Area Median Income (AMI) but greater than 50% AMI; low-income is defined at or below 50% of AMI.

2020 Income Limit Categories	MAXIMUM INCOME BY HOUSEHOLD SIZE							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Persons In Household	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
0-30% AMI (Extremely Low Income)	16,350	18,700	21,050	23,350	25,250	27,100	29,000	30,850
31 - 50% (Very Low Income)	27,250	31,1500	35,050	38,900	42,050	45,150	48,250	51,350
51-60% (Low Income)	32,700	37,380	42,060	46,680	50,460	54,180	57,900	61,620
61-80% (Moderate Income)	43,600	49,800	56,050	62,250	67,250	72,250	77,200	82,200

**REQUIREMENTS / ATTACHMENT 2
 CERTIFICATION FOR SEEKING SECTION 3 PREFERENCE
 IN CONTRACTING WITH THE CITY OF CHANDLER PROJECTS & DEMONSTRATION OF CAPABILITY**

Company Name: RH3 Mechanical
 Company Owner(s): Ralph Morales III
 Address: 2343 N Hayden Rd
 Phone: 480 294 2106 Fax: _____ Email: RMorales@RH3mechanical.com
 Business Type: Corporation Partnership Sole Proprietorship

SECTION 3 DETERMINATION:

If the answer to any of the questions below is YES, the business qualifies as a Section 3 Business Concern. Please provide the required documentation as needed to the City of Chandler.

1. Is the business owned (51% or more) by individuals whose household incomes are NO GREATER THAN 80% of Area Median Income? (Please see attachment 3) Yes No

If yes, the business is considered a 'Section 3 Resident-Owned Enterprise'. One form of documentation is needed for each of the business owners:

Federal Income Tax Returns W-2 Income Statements Paycheck Stubs
 Evidence of Public Assistance Other:

2. Do 30% (or more) of your full time, permanent employees have household incomes that are NO GREATER THAN 80% of Area Median Income? (Please see attachment 3) Yes No

If yes, the business is considered a Section 3 Business Concern. Please provide the following:

List of all current Full Time employees (attach a separate sheet to this form)
 Self-Certification Income Form (see attachment 4) for all employees earning less than 80% of median income

3. Will you subcontract more than 25% of this contract with any business that is either 51% owned by Section 3 residents or 30% or more of its employees are Section 3 residents? Yes No

If yes, please provide the following documentation:

List of subcontracted Section 3 business(es) and subcontract amount
 Evidence which identifies the subcontractor is considered a Section 3 Business Concern (Sections 1 and 2 above provide examples of evidence to be used to identify a Section 3 Business Concern)

R Morales III
 Authorized Signature

4, 8, 21
 Date

REQUIREMENTS / ATTACHMENT 4

**SECTION 3 INCOME VERIFICATION AND SELF CERTIFICATION
FOR PERMANENT FULLTIME EMPLOYEES**

Date: _____ Last 4 No.SSN _____

Name: _____
Last Name First Name M.I.

Address: _____
Street City Zip

Male: Female: Phone No. _____

It is the policy of these employers to provide equal opportunity to all of the employees and applicants for employment and to ensure that there be no discrimination against any persons on the grounds of race, color, national origin, political affiliation, sexual preference, age, or sex. The following questions are for the purpose of tracking the hiring benefits of this project and are optional and will remain confidential. This information will not be made a part of your personnel records.

Race/Ethnic Group (check) African American Am. Indian / Native American
 Asian / Pacific Islander Caucasian Hispanic / Latino Other

Annual Household Income (Please check one income box for your family size)

Family Size	Yearly Household Income			
	Less than		or	greater than
1 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$38,750	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$38,751 <input type="checkbox"/>
2 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$44,250	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$44,251 <input type="checkbox"/>
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$49,800	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$49,801 <input type="checkbox"/>
4 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$55,300	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$55,301 <input type="checkbox"/>
5 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$59,750	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$59,751 <input type="checkbox"/>
6 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$64,150	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$64,151 <input type="checkbox"/>
7 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$68,600	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$68,601 <input type="checkbox"/>
8 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$73,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	or	\$73,001 <input type="checkbox"/>

This income can be verified by:

- Federal Income Tax Returns / W2s Stubs
- Pay Stubs / Other Income
- _____ Housing Authority
- AHCCS, ALTCS, TANF, or Food Stamp Recipient

Certification and Agreement

This information will be used to ensure compliance with U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Section 3 eligibility requirements. With your signature, you are certifying that the above information is correct to the best of your knowledge; falsifying information on this form is a federal offense. The penalty for making false statements is prescribed in the US Criminal Code 18 U.S.C. 1001.

Signature of Employee

____/____/____
Date

REQUIREMENTS /ATTACHMENT 5

SECTION 3 COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOW AND VERY LOW INCOME PERSONS

The Section 3 Compliance Certification form is provided to ensure that each entity contracting with the City of Chandler federally funded projects are aware of the requirements and clauses that will be required in all Section 3 covered contracts.

The City of Chandler Housing & Redevelopment Division will ensure that the following clauses are included in all Section 3 covered contracts. The Professional & Technical Service provider will be bound by its provisions.

Every applicant, recipient, contracting part, Contractor, Professional & Technical Service providers and subcontractors shall incorporate, or cause to be incorporated, in all Contractors for work in connection with a Section 3 covered project, the following clause:

- A. The work to be performed under this contract is subject to the requirements of section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S. C. 1701u (section 3). The purpose of section 3 is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD assistance of HUD-assisted projects covered by section 3, shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.
- B. The parties to this contract agree to comply with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR part 135, which implement section 3. As evidenced by their execution of this contract, the parties to this contract certify that they are under no contractual or other impediment that would prevent them from complying with the part 135 regulations.
- C. The Professional & Technical Service provider agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other understanding, if any, a notice advising the labor organization or workers' representative of the Professional & Technical Service provider commitments under this section 3 clause, and will post copies of the notice in conspicuous places at the work site where both employees and applicants for training and employment positions can see the notice. The notice shall describe the section 3 preference, shall set forth minimum number and job titles subject to hire, availability of apprenticeship and training positions, the qualifications for each; and the name and location of the person(s) taking applications for each of the positions; and the anticipated date the work shall begin.
- D. The Professional & Technical Service provider agrees to include this section 3 clause in every subcontract subject to compliance with regulations in 24 CFR part 135, and agrees to take appropriate action, as provided in an applicable provision of the subcontract or in this section 3 clause, upon a finding that the subcontractor is in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR part 135. The Professional & Technical Service provider will not subcontract with any subcontractor where the Professional & Technical Service provider has notice or knowledge that the subcontractor has been found in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR part 135.
- E. The Professional & Technical Service provider will certify that any vacant employment positions, including training positions, that are filled (1) after the Professional & Technical Service provider is selected but before the contract is executed, and (2) with persons other

than those to whom the regulations of 24 CFR part 135 require employment opportunities to be directed, were not filled to circumvent the Professional & Technical Service providers obligations under CFR part 135.

- F. Noncompliance with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR part 135 may result in sanctions, termination of this contract for default, and debarment or suspension from future HUD assisted contracts.

This form provides technical specifications as part of the HUD requirements pertaining to Section 3. The Professional & Technical Service provider that is selected for this project will be required to provide this form to any subcontractor hired for this project. If you are the selected Professional & Technical Service provider for this project, you must agree to comply with Steps 1, 2 & 3 below:

1. You must sign and date this form for every pay period in connection with this project and include with your Pay Application, and Davis-Bacon Certified Payroll Report:
2. In connection with this project, you must also complete, sign, date, and submit a progress report for every pay period worked, to the City of Chandler.

I have read, understand, and agree to comply with these requirements as stated above.

RH3 Mechanical
Company Name (please print)

Ralph Morales III
Authorized Name (please print)

owner
Title of Person Authorized to Sign (please print)

R Morales III
Signature

Date: 4/8/21



City Council Memorandum City Clerk's Office Memo No. N/A

Date: May 10, 2021
To: Public Housing Authority Commission
From: City Clerk's Office
Subject: April 2021 Public Housing Authority Commission Minutes

Proposed Motion:

Move to approve the Public Housing Authority Commission meeting minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 5, 2021.

Background/Discussion

Attached for approval are the Public Housing Authority Commission minutes for the meeting held on April 5, 2021.

Attachments

April 5, 2021 PHAC Minutes



PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY COMMISSION

Regular Meeting Minutes

Monday, April 5, 2021

MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY COMMISSION (PHAC) OF THE CITY OF CHANDLER, ARIZONA, held in the Council Chambers, 88 E. Chicago St., on Monday, April 5, 2021.

CHAIRMAN KEVIN HARTKE CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER at 6:00 p.m.

The following members answered roll call:

Kevin Hartke	Chairman
Mark Stewart	Vice Chairman
OD Harris	Commissioner
René Lopez	Commissioner
Terry Roe	Commissioner
Christine Ellis	Commissioner
Matt Orlando	Commissioner
Vanessa Dearmon	Commissioner

Also in attendance:

Joshua Wright	Acting City Manager
Kelly Schwab	City Attorney
Dana DeLong	Recording Secretary

UNSCHEDULED PUBLIC APPEARANCES

None.

CONSENT AGENDA – DISCUSSION

COMMISSIONER ELLIS asked for a presentation on Consent Agenda Item No. 2.

AMY JACOBSON, Housing and Redevelopment Manager, presented the following presentation.

- Public Housing Authority 2021 Annual Plan
- PHA Plan
 - Required by HUD due April 17, 2021
 - Annual Plan July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022
 - Administrative Plan for Housing Choice Voucher (HCV)
 - Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy for Public Housing (ACOP)
 - 2021 Capital Fund Plan

- Public Process
 - Requires 45 day public comment period Jan 24 through March 8, 2021
 - Public Hearing February 10, 2021
 - Resident Advisory Board Meetings December 17, 2020 and February 25, 2021
 - Housing and Human Services Commission February 10 and March 3, 2021
- Chandler Housing and Redevelopment
 - Serving low income public housing residents since 1972
 - 303 public housing and 486 Housing Choice Vouchers
 - Family Self-Sufficiency Program
 - High Performing Public Housing Authority
 - Update policy annually – regulatory and discretionary
- Summary of Annual Policy Changes
 - HCV
 - Briefing (Virtual or In-person)
 - Foreclosure Prevention
 - Public Housing
 - Repeated Late Payment
 - Over Income
 - Assistance Animals
 - Updated Utility Allowance 2021

COMMISSIONER HARRIS asked how income is verified and if that includes overtime.

MS. JACOBSON said they verify income on an annual basis. If a family increases their income or decreases their income they are required within 10 days to notify the housing authority who then would adjust their rent based on the situation so it is 30% income to housing.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS asked if they made more money as overall income because of overtime or a bonus but the base is the same and if that was separated.

MS. JACOBSON said in that situation they look at adjusted income. There could be reasons why they would not include certain income. If there is an increase because of seasonal jobs that would be categorized as all income earned and would be a change of income.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS clarified they calculate the total income.

MS. JACOBSON said yes.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS said they have call centers who have a low base pay and someone may make additional commission, but that may not be consistent. Councilmember Harris said in two years because they consistently made that they may be evicted or told to leave.

MS. JACOBSON said they would be in consultation with that family. If they are over income staff would ask how they are gaining that additional income. If it is not consistent in the next year, staff would reevaluate their income and they may not terminate services because it was not a consistent income. In the third year if they

are over income it may be different, but staff is looking at longevity of the income stream over the next few years.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS asked if that was a current policy for certain exceptions. Councilmember Harris asked if people should be told to leave if they made an abnormal amount of income during those two years. Councilmember Harris said if there are going to be exceptions they need to be clear. Councilmember Harris said HUD already regulates this and we would be adding additional regulations as a City. Councilmember Harris said their over income may not be enough for them to be total self-sufficient depending on their situation.

MS. JACOBSON said they currently do not have anyone over income in public housing. Ms. Jacobson said the over income is calculated on an annual basis and a family of two would be over income if they made \$74,760 living in public housing. Ms. Jacobson said if they are consistently going over income then the housing authority has an option to terminate assistance at that time. Ms. Jacobson said they are really looking into specific circumstances for each family. They want to make sure they are housing eligible people based on HUD regulations and they have over 1,000 people on the wait list.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS said they want to help people in the situation now. Councilmember Harris said \$74,000 is a lot of money, but it is not a lot of money once it is taxed.

COMMISSIONER ELLIS said she wanted to ensure there was an exit plan for those who entered public housing. Commissioner Ellis said HUD has their own rules that the City follows and the City is putting in guidelines to help more people. The program is meant to empower people to get out of poverty. Commissioner Ellis said there are services to help them do that. This City thrives on communication and staff would communicate with the tenants to navigate their contract and then transitioning out of housing. Commissioner Ellis asked how people are exiting the program.

MS. JACOBSON said since the Public Housing Family Self Sufficiency Program established in 2017, there have been 26 graduates, and six of them are buying homes. Ms. Jacobson said the program is in the voucher program as well which has an even higher number of successes. Ms. Jacobson said they do counseling with families at least four times a year, but it is often a lot more. Chandler is a high performing PHAs and other jurisdictions look to us.

COMMISSIONER ELLIS asked if someone needs to be over income for three years before they do anything.

MS. JACOBSON said it is two years and they monitor them each year and see if it is consistent and the correct income. Ms. Jacobson said they do third party verification of the income with the employer.

COMMISSIONER ELLIS said this program was meant to help people out of poverty and over the years this program became a place where people just state in order to not move out. Councilmember Ellis said they need to look into a safety net and reexamine the contract verbiage.

COMMISSIONER LOPEZ said they need to be in compliance with HUD and that was the reason for making these changes.

MS. JACOBSON said the regulatory requirement is HUD requires a PHA to monitor the over income family for two years. The discretionary piece is that there could be a termination of services after two years or the family can pay fair market rent and live in public housing until they chose to leave. Ms. Jacobson said even in that scenario staff is still working with families to reach the next step.

COMMISSIONER LOPEZ said according to HUD requirements in Section 8 it does include all income and that should be considered. Commissioner Lopez said they look at this by a case by case basis and it does allow staff discretion to continue to work with them on that third year since they are over income. Commissioner Lopez said the policy states they would terminate services, but did not go down the path of offering fair market rent.

MS. JACOBSON said they did not.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS asked about late payments in the new policy. Commissioner Harris said if someone is late six times within the duration of time then staff could move forward with eviction. The policy would change the six times to four times. Commissioner Harris asked how many people have violated the six times.

MS. JACOBSON said she did not have the numbers. Ms. Jacobson said after the fifth day, if a resident has not paid their rent, then staff issues a 14 day notice to pay their rent. If they communicate and ask for a rent extension then it is granted up to the 15th day of the month. If they do not pay on the 15th day then another 14 day notice is issued for the late payment. Ms. Jacobson said in this policy that could be done four times and the fifth time would be a non-negotiable incurable lease violation. Ms. Jacobson said if there is a change in income then the family could be evaluated to have the rent amount changed. Ms. Jacobson said there are multiple times for a family to communicate with staff to work with them.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS asked why the Commission should update the policy to bring it from six to four if there is no data to prove that it would help other people who are waiting for a spot. These details are important to the residents and they should not change a policy there are not issues with.

MS. JACOBSON said with this policy it is discretionary. If the recommendation is to maintain it at the six times then staff could do a substantial amendment because this plan is due to HUD on April 17, 2021. Ms. Jacobson said staff works with the families and they do not want them to get to that fifth time and staff works with them so they do not get to that point. In public housing, they could live there and not have income but if they do have income it is their responsibility to notify income changes so their rent could be adjusted accordingly. There is something not working in terms of communication if someone were to get to the sixth time.

COMMISSIONER HARRIS said there is not sufficient information to make the policy change.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked how many people are on the public housing waiting list not including vouchers.

MS. JACOBSON said 1,096 families.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked if they had to be Chandler residents.

MS. JACOBSON said no, it is an open waitlist.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked how many people have been asked to leave in the last 10 years.

MS. JACOBSON said unless they are not eligible income wise or they violate the lease they are not asked to leave. Evictions do not happen often.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO said they do not want them to be evicted. Staff works with them to get to the next step of their lives. Commissioner Orlando asked where the six times comes from.

MS. JACOBSON said it has been historically in the policy. Ms. Jacobson said they consult with industry professionals and the change from six to four was a recommendation from them to stay on top of policy changes to monitor programs.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked if other cities are doing the same.

MS. JACOBSON said she would have to look for the policy. For the over income policy, it varies across the PHAs.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked if this was reviewed each year.

MS. JACOBSON said yes.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked if this would be brought to Council next year.

MS. JACOBSON said yes.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked if they would have additional metrics to see how this policy has done.

MS. JACOBSON said yes.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked staff if the evictions increase because of this policy that it is brought back to Council to inform them of the situation.

MS. JACOBSON said yes.

COMMISSIONER ORLANDO asked if this was to be modified back it would be done next year.

MS. JACOBSON said yes.

COMMISSIONER ELLIS asked what is being done to help people to exit out of the program. With this policy, notice after notice is being sent and they need to identify the bad actors so they can help the people that really need help and if that was the point of these changes.

MS. JACOBSON said that was correct.

CONSENT AGENDA – MOTION AND VOTE

COMMISSIONER ROE MOVED TO APPROVE THE CONSENT AGENDA OF THE APRIL 5TH, 2021, PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY COMMISSION MEETING; SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER ELLIS.

MOTION CARRIED BY MAJORITY (7-1), COMMISSIONER HARRIS DISSENTING.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

1. March 2021 Public Housing Authority Commission Minutes
Move to approve the Public Housing Authority Commission meeting minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 22, 2021.
2. 2021 Annual Plan and Capital Fund Approval
Move the Public Housing Authority Commission pass and adopt Resolution No. HO160 approving the submission of the City of Chandler Housing and Redevelopment 2021 Annual Plan and Capital Fund for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2021, and certifying compliance with related regulations.

BACKGROUND FROM COUNCIL MEMO:

The City's Housing and Redevelopment Division (the Public Housing Agency/PHA) administers 303 units of Low Rent Public Housing and 486 Housing Choice Vouchers (HCV) (formerly known as Section 8). Each year, on or before April 17th, the Public Housing Agency (PHA) is required to submit an Annual Plan to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for its housing programs, which includes public housing and housing choice voucher programs. The Annual Plan is a comprehensive guide to the PHA policies, programs, operations, and strategies for meeting local housing needs and goals. Each year, staff reviews policies and revises supporting documents, as needed. The Annual Plan process is part of the Five-Year PHA plan. This Annual Plan represents the second year of the Five-Year Plan.

This year, the City will be submitting to HUD the 2021 Annual Plan and Capital Fund. The process allows for community input from program participants and the general public. The 45-day comment period ran from January 24, 2021, through March 8, 2021, and a public hearing was conducted on February 10, 2021. Four Resident Advisory Board (RAB) meetings were held, where the 2021 Annual Plan and Capital Fund documents and policies were presented and discussed. Meetings were held on December 17, 2020, and February 25, 2021, in both English and Spanish.

The Housing Choice Voucher Administrative Plan and Public Housing Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy (ACOP) were revised to incorporate policy changes. A summary of the substantive updates is outlined below:

Lease Termination Due to Repeated Late Payments

Currently, repeated late payment of rent in the Public Housing program constitutes a lease violation and, on the sixth (6th) late payment, the City of Chandler Housing and

Redevelopment Division (COCHRD) will proceed with termination of assistance. The new proposed policy will change the six (6) late payments to four (4) late payments, where on the fourth (4th) late payment, COCHRD will proceed with termination of assistance.

Over-Income Families

PHAs have the discretion to allow for tenants to remain in public housing if they are over income, and recently HUD provided guidance that allows for the family to pay fair market rent if they continue to be housed. It has been COCHRD's long-standing policy to allow families that exceed the over-income threshold to remain in housing while providing them community resources for a move-on strategy. The revised policy states that COCHRD will monitor the family's over-income status for the entire two years and the family will be notified of their status at each point of the process during the two years. If they continue to be over-income at the end of the two-year over-income limit, then the family will be given a final 30-day notice of termination of assistance based on the income information on file. If the family's income should change before the termination date to the point where the family is no longer over-income, COCHRD will void the termination. The over-income limits are updated when the new income limits are announced by HUD each year. COCHRD does not currently have any public housing families that have met the over-income threshold.

Earned Income Disallowance

Earned Income Disregard (EID) encourages tenants to enter the workforce by excluding earned income from the calculation of rent for a specific period of time. EID does not apply at move-in. The period of time a family is eligible for EID has changed from 24 months of exclusion within a 48-month period, to 24 months within a 24-month period.

The Federal Regulation Streamlining Final Rule contained changes to streamline regulatory requirements for HCV and Public Housing programs to incentivize persons with disabilities to obtain employment. The current change is an update to the policy to remove the previous lifetime maximum of 48 months in which a family may take the opportunity to receive the EID. During the first year of EID, earned income would be 100 percent excluded for the first 12 consecutive months. During the second year of EID, earned income would be 50 percent excluded for the last 12 months. No extensions are allowed.

Income and Assets

HUD changed the temporary provision of allowing families to self-certify assets less than \$5,000 in order to give PHAs the option to accept it as a permanent policy. COCHRD has revised both the HCV Administrative Plan and ACOP to reflect this new policy. Verification of assets \$5,000 and above requires third party verification or the submission of bank statements. The temporary provision expired, but HUD allowed PHAs to continue using this as a policy.

Utility Allowance

The utility allowance is the amount that a housing authority determines is necessary to cover

the resident's reasonable utility costs. The utility allowance schedules are reviewed annually for both housing programs and are recommended for adjustment when a cumulative change of 10% or more occurs. Prior to beginning this update, a consultant was hired to do a comparison of the existing utility rates and charges and Housing's current utility rate schedules in the Housing Choice Voucher and Public Housing Programs. A revised utility allowance for 2021 will be established for both programs effective July 1, 2021.

Financial Implications:

HUD funds the costs associated with the Public Housing and Housing Choice Voucher Programs.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

ATTEST:

Dana DeLong, Recording Secretary

Kevin Hartke, Chairman

Approved: _____, 2021