

Supporting Contract Documents
Firm Information, Order Processing, Individual Contact,
and Customer Support Information
(Place after Tab 4a)

6. Contacts for Mohave:

Main Mohave representative contact: Tim Nolan

(Shall be the main point of contact for members and be responsible for member information requests.)

Title Principal Email address tim@arizonarec.com

Phone number (480) 788-3177 Fax (480) 636-7419

Contract Administrator contact: Staci Burbridge

(Shall be the main point of contact for contract information requests.)

Title Office Manager Email address staci@arizonarec.com

Phone number (480) 788-3177 Fax (480) 636-7419

Accounting contact: Staci Burbridge

(Shall be the main point of contact for accounting issues.)

Title Office Manager Email address staci@arizonarec.com

Phone number (480) 788-3177 Fax (480) 636-7419

Open Order/Status Report contact: Staci Burbridge

(Shall be the main point of contact regarding open orders and status reports.)

Title Office Manager Email address staci@arizonarec.com

Phone number (480) 788-3177 Fax (480) 636-7419

Audit contact: Tim Nolan

(Shall be the main point of contact for audit requests and clarifications.)

Title Principal Email address tim@arizonarec.com

Phone number (480) 788-3177 Fax (480) 636-7419

Reconciliation contact: Staci Burbridge

(Shall be the main point of contact for reconciliation report requests and/or clarifications and payment of administration fees.)

Title Office Manager Email address staci@arizonarec.com

Phone number (480) 788-3177 Fax (480) 636-7419

Escalation contact: Tim Nolan

*(Shall be the main point of contact when an issue needs to be escalated above the main contact and/or contract administrator for the IFB/contract. **This contact shall be a different individual than those named for the contacts listed above.**)*

Title Principal Email address tim@arizonarec.com

Phone number (480) 788-3177 Fax (480) 636-7419

Marketing contact: Tim Nolan

(Shall be the main point of contact for providing marketing information for Mohave's website.)

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Provide the requested customer support information for warranty and maintenance service offered by your firm, as applicable.

Do you provide warranty and maintenance for the items in the bid?

Yes, the following is applicable to our bid. (If yes, please provide the information below.)

No, the following is not applicable to our bid.

Describe the steps a member should take to activate a warranty and how they obtain warranty and maintenance service.

Warranties are provided on all products and services offered through Arizona Recreation Design. Each product manufacturer provides warranties specific to products they produce and raw materials used in the fabrication factored against the intended use of specific products. Most of the site furniture companies provide a similar warranty of ten (10) years for defects in material and workmanship. Play equipment manufacturers provide multiple levels of warranty depending on the projected wear and tear of a specific component. For example, a Plastic Slide and Vinyl-Coated Steel Decks have a fifteen (15) year warranty, but moving parts only carry a one (1) year warranty. The support posts/steel clamps/stainless steel hardware have limited warranties for as long as you own the product(s). Each manufacturer and/or product is different so member should consult with Arizona Recreation Design customer service for specific warranties. All installations provided by Arizona Recreation/JP & Sons Mohave IFB 190-1121 Joint Venture and our subcontractors offer a minimum of (1) one year warranty against failures from defects in materials and workmanship. Extended warranties may be available depending on specific parts or circumstances. Members should always contact Arizona Recreation Design with any questions about warranties. We have included a copy of each manufacturer's warranty in our bid binder (most are within the manufacturer's catalog).

Provide the name and address of the facility that will provide warranty and maintenance service, under an awarded contract. Additionally, provide a contact person and phone number for warranty and maintenance service. If there is more than one facility, provide the names and addresses for all facilities. Attach a list if necessary.

Arizona Recreation Design, Inc., located at 15825 S 46th St., Ste. 126, Phoenix, AZ 85048, will coordinate warranty and maintenance services on behalf of our manufacturers. Tim Nolan can be reached at (480) 788-3177 (tim@arizonarec.com)

Do you provide technical assistance via phone? Yes No If yes, provide a phone number and contact.

Tim Nolan, Arizona Recreation Design, Inc. (480) 788-3177

How many technicians are located at each warranty/service facility that would serve a Mohave contract?

Four (4) technicians

What is the value of parts inventory normally on hand at each warranty/service facility that would serve a Mohave contract?

Arizona Recreation Design, Inc. does not keep parts in stock in Phoenix, AZ. However, our fifteen (15) suppliers carry adequate inventory to provide warranty/service with fast turn around times.

What is your service response time for metropolitan areas (e.g., Phoenix, Tucson) and rural areas?

JP & Sons Contracting, Inc. can respond to service calls within metropolitan areas within forty-eight (48) hours and to rural areas within seventy-two (72) hours.

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Sample Supplemental or End User Agreement(s)
(Place after Tab 4b)

Will members be required to sign supplemental or end-user agreements (sales, maintenance)?
(See **4.1 Contract vendor documents** in the Special Terms and Conditions)

Yes No

If yes, review/revise your agreement(s) for terms that conflict with the Mohave terms and conditions. In addition, review for the following common issues:

Acceptable agreements **shall** include:

- o Non-appropriations clause;
- o Contract or agreement must be governed by the laws of the State of Arizona;
- o Net payment is thirty (30) days.

Agreements **shall not** include:

- o Terms beyond one year;
- o Waiver of right for a jury trial;
- o Requirement of upfront payment by member when purchase order is placed;
- o Entire agreement language;
- o Auto-renewal language.

Attach your reviewed/revise agreement(s). **Unacceptable agreement(s) may render your bid nonresponsive.**

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Extended Warranty and Maintenance Service Plan Information
(Place after Tab 4c)

Do you offer extended warranty or maintenance service plans? Yes No

If yes, provide a summary of the plans here and/or copies of the plans after this page. Include pricing for extended warranty or maintenance service plans in your price schedule after **Tab 3a**. Place any supplemental end-user agreement forms, which include terms and conditions and/or member signature after **Tab 4b**.

Special Terms and Conditions (Place after Tab 1d)

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1. BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS

It is preferred that the bidder has extensive knowledge and at least three (3) years experience with the provision, installation and maintenance of the product, material, process, or services offered. Mohave reserves the right to accept or reject newly-formed companies based solely on information provided in the bid and/or its own investigation of the company.

2. BID BONDS AND BONDING CAPACITY

2.1. Bid Bond: Bidder shall provide an original bid bond or alternate bid security in the amount of **\$100,000. Place after Tab 1f.** Note: Bid security as a percentage of the bid value (e.g. – 10% of contract award) is not acceptable.

2.2. Bonding Capacity: The required minimum single job bonding capacity for this contract shall be **\$500,000.** Bidder shall provide a letter from your bonding agency describing your current bonding capacity, as follows:

- Your single job bonding capacity.
- Your aggregate bonding capacity.
- An agent of your licensed bonding agency shall sign the letter.

If the original letter is not signed and/or has conflicting information, it shall render your bid nonresponsive. **Place letter from bonding agency after Tab 1f.**

3. DELIVERY

3.1. Default in one installment to constitute total breach: Contract vendor shall deliver conforming materials in each installment or lot under this contract and may not substitute nonconforming materials. Mohave reserves the right to declare a breach of contract if contract vendor delivers nonconforming materials to any member under this contract.

3.2. Defective goods: Contract vendor agrees to arrange and pay for return shipment of goods that arrive in a defective or non-operable condition.

3.3. Delivery time: Failure to deliver any order within the time frame specified on the purchase order may result in cancellation of that purchase order.

3.4. Improper delivery: If the goods or tender of delivery fail in any respect to conform to this contract, member may reject the whole, accept the whole, or accept any commercial unit or units and reject the rest.

3.5. Restocking fees: A restocking fee may only be charged on products ordered and delivered to member's site. Restocking fees in excess of fifteen percent (15%) shall not be allowed. Contract vendor may waive restocking fees. Restocking and return shipping charges shall be identified in the price workbook.

4. FORM OF CONTRACT

4.1. Contract vendor contract documents: If a firm submitting a bid requires member to sign an additional agreement, a copy of the proposed agreement shall be included with the bid.

If awarded a contract, any additional contract vendor's documents shall not become part of Mohave's contract unless, and until, an authorized representative of Mohave reviews and approves them.

Contract vendor agrees to provide Mohave a copy of any agreements that are revised during the term of an awarded contract, prior to having the member sign the agreement.

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4.2. Form of contract: The form of contract for this solicitation shall be the Invitation For Bid, the awarded bid(s), and properly issued member purchase orders referencing the requirements of the Invitation For Bid.

4.3. Parol evidence: The contract represents the final written expression of agreement. All agreements are contained herein and no other agreements or representations that materially alter it are acceptable.

5. INSTALLATION

Installation shall be scheduled directly with member and be done in a reasonable amount of time. Installation shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and shall be accomplished by skilled and properly licensed individuals.

6. INSURANCE

6.1. Certificate: Evidence of the required insurance shall be provided with your bid by means of a current certificate of insurance with the coverage's as stated within the requirements below. Before any orders are processed under an awarded contract, contract vendor shall provide a certificate that names Mohave Educational Services Cooperative, Inc. as the certificate holder.

Certificate (or certificates if using multiple carriers) shall include, at a minimum, coverage for:

- General Liability
- Automobile liability
- Umbrella or Excess Liability
- Workers' Compensation

In addition, contract vendor must be willing to provide, upon request, identical certificate of insurance to any member using this contract. Contract vendor must also be willing, upon request, to add any member as an additional insured entity. Any costs for adding a member as an additionally insured entity shall be clearly identified in submitted contract pricing. If no pricing is identified, adding a member as an additionally insured entity shall be provided at no additional cost.

Provide evidence of current insurance coverage after Tab 2c.

6.2. Deductibles: Contract vendor shall pay the deductibles required by the insurance provided under this contract.

6.3. Liability insurance: Prior to commencing services under this contract, contract vendor shall procure and maintain during the life of this agreement, comprehensive general liability insurance, to include automobile liability, providing limits of an aggregate amount of not less than \$2,000,000.

6.4. Scope of Insurance: Contract vendor's insurance shall provide adequate protection for contract vendor against damage claims which may arise from operations under this contract, whether such operations are by the insured or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by the insured. All insurance must be written by companies incorporated within the United States (exclusive of Territories or Possessions) and licensed or authorized to do business in Arizona.

6.5. Subcontractor insurance: Prior to commencing any work, any subcontractor shall procure and maintain at its own expense until final acceptance of the work, insurance coverage in a form and from insurers acceptable to the prime contractor. All subcontractors will provide workers' compensation insurance, which waives all subrogation rights against the prime contractor, member and Mohave.

6.6. Workers' compensation insurance: Contract vendor shall also procure and maintain during the life of this agreement, workers' compensation insurance for all of contract vendor's employees engaged in work under the contract. All workers' compensation insurance will be in compliance with Arizona state statute and evidenced by a certificate of insurance.

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7. MAINTENANCE FACILITIES AND SUPPORT

It is preferred that each contract vendor should have maintenance facilities and a maintenance support system available for servicing products throughout Arizona, or the regions specified in their bid. Maintenance facilities shall have sufficient parts inventory to provide quality service on products sold to members. Trained and qualified technicians shall be available to cover all parts of the state, or specific regions within the state for regional bids. It is preferred that maintenance services are available within 24 hours. If a third party is used to provide maintenance or warranty work, bidder shall include details of any such arrangement in the bid.

8. MANUFACTURER SUPPORT

Bidders submitting bids as a manufacturer's representative must be able, if requested by Mohave, to supplement the bid with a letter from the manufacturer certifying that bidder is a bona fide dealer for the equipment offered, and that bidder is authorized to submit a bid on such equipment.

9. MEMBER AGREEMENTS

Some members may request the addition of specific requirements that would apply to products and services purchased under an awarded contract. These additional requirements shall be addressed through the use of an additional member agreement. In any agreement between the contract vendor and a member based on this contract, the terms and conditions of this contract shall prevail. Contract vendor and member must agree to all provisions in any additional agreements. If agreement requirements result in additional costs to the contract vendor, the contract vendor shall be entitled to direct reimbursement for these costs, in addition and separate from approved contract pricing. A copy of the additional member agreement shall accompany the member's purchase order.

10. PRICING

10.1. Administration fee: Mohave's 1% administration fee shall be included in bidder's contract price. Contract vendor shall not add the administration fee to approved contract prices. The value of trade-ins or rebates shall not affect the amount of administration fee paid to Mohave.

10.2. Application of pricing: In Mohave's purchase order review process, the date of a valid contract vendor's quote or the date Mohave receives a member purchase order will generally be used to determine the contract pricing that is in effect for that order. The date Mohave receives a member purchase order will only be used to determine the contract pricing that is in effect for an order when a contract vendor's quote does not exist or is invalid. However, other factors may apply.

10.3. Basis for pricing: Contract pricing under this IFB shall be based upon:

1. Percent of discount(s) off manufacturer's price list(s) or catalog(s);
2. Firm fixed price with economic price adjustment.
 - Economic price adjustments are defined as an unexpected price increase for services, raw materials or that are outside the control of the bidder.
 - Any contingencies for economic price adjustments shall be identified in the bid.
 - Mohave shall make the sole determination whether contingencies for economic price adjustments identified in your bid are appropriate under an awarded contract; or
3. A combination of the above.

The price included in a catalog, price list, schedule or other form that:

- Is regularly maintained by a manufacturer, distributor or contractor;
- Is either published or otherwise available for inspection by customers; and/or
- States prices at which sales are currently or were last made to a significant number of buyers for the product, material, process or services.

Established catalog price is referred to as manufacturer's price list, price list, or catalogs throughout this solicitation.

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- 10.4. Initial catalogs/price lists:** A copy of the latest edition of the price list or catalog to which discount shall be applied shall be included with bid. Include a copy of the latest edition of all applicable price lists or catalogs to which discount shall be applied with your bid. Submission of outdated price lists or catalogs may result in rejection of bid.
- 10.5. Fixed prices:** Fixed price bids shall include prices for any and all items. Fixed prices shall be firm until each anniversary date of the contract, unless there is an occurrence of allowed contingencies for economic price adjustment outlined in the bid. If allowed contingencies for price adjustment occur, contract vendor shall submit a fully documented request for price adjustment to Mohave. The documentation must substantiate that any requested price increase was clearly unpredictable at the time of submittal and results from an increased cost to contract vendor that was out of contract vendor's control. Mohave shall review requests for fixed price adjustments to determine if the requested adjustments will be allowed. New fixed prices shall not apply until approved by Mohave. Price changes shall be a factor in contract renewal (contract modification).
- 10.6. Combination pricing:** Bids for combination contracts shall clearly identify items covered by discount(s) and those with fixed prices. Prices for such contracts shall be adjusted as identified for the appropriate contract type above.
- 10.7. Decimal places:** Pricing shall use a maximum of three (3) decimal places, unless specified otherwise.
- 10.8. Discounts:** Submitted pricing shall clearly identify the percent of discount to apply to the price list. If multiple discounts apply, bidder shall clearly indicate the discounts and applicable materials or services. Bidder shall agree that there will be no reduction in discount(s) during the term of contract.
- 10.9. New catalogs/price lists:** New price lists, workbooks and/or catalogs may be submitted for review throughout the term of the contract. Mohave will review new price lists, workbooks and/or catalogs to determine if the new prices or an alternative option is in the members' best interests. New price lists, workbooks and/or catalogs shall apply to the contract only upon approval from Mohave. New price lists, workbooks and/or catalogs found to be non-competitive at any time during the contract shall be grounds for terminating the contract. Any new catalogs/price lists shall meet requirements as stated in **Basis for pricing**.
- 10.10. Percent of discount as fixed price:** Percent of discount bids that are not based upon published price lists or catalogs will be administered as fixed price contracts.
- 10.11. Price reduction and adjustment:** Price reduction may be offered at any time during a contract and shall become effective upon notice of acceptance from Mohave. Price reductions (e.g., quantity discounts, time sensitive offers, bundles) must apply to all Mohave orders of similar size and scope. Price reductions limited to a single member are not acceptable. Special time-limited reductions are permissible under the following conditions: 1) reduction is available to all members equally; 2) reduction is for a specific time period, normally not less than thirty (30) days; 3) original price is not exceeded after the time-limit; and 4) Mohave has approved the new prices prior to any offer of the prices to a member. Mohave shall be the sole judge on the acceptance of price reductions under an awarded contract.
- 10.12. Reimbursement for transportation, mileage, lodging, meals and incidental expenses (M&IE):** Contract vendor may charge for transportation, mileage, lodging and M&IE costs for employees that are required to travel to perform services at member site under this contract. An overnight stay is required for lodging reimbursement. Mileage reimbursement shall be at a specified rate. Transportation charges are separate from mileage, and may include airfare, car rental, etc.

Reimbursements under this section shall not exceed the rates listed in approved pricing, and shall not exceed the actual charge. To be eligible for reimbursement, estimated charges must be on the quote and approved by the member. Receipts for such reimbursements must be provided upon request from the member.

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10.13. Travel/drive rates or mobilization: Contract vendor may charge for travel/drive rates or mobilization under this contract. Travel/drive rates are only applicable for out of area employees working under this contract. Charges under this section shall not exceed the rates listed in approved pricing. Such charges must be on the quote and approved by the member.

- Travel/drive rates may be an hourly rate or a per mile rate. If you are using a per mile rate, list your travel/drive reimbursement separately from mileage reimbursement.
- Mobilization charges are for the movement of equipment to the jobsite. Mobilization may be billed at a per mile rate or a flat rate.

11. SITE REQUIREMENTS

11.1. Cleanup: Contract vendor shall clean up and remove all debris resulting from their work as required or directed by member. Upon completion of the work, the premises shall be left in good repair and unobstructed condition.

11.2. Contract vendor employee fingerprinting: Contract vendor and its employees or subcontractors working under an awarded contract who are required to provide services on a regular basis at an individual school, shall obtain and present a valid Department of Public Safety fingerprint clearance card in accordance with ARS §15-512(H). The fingerprint card shall be issued pursuant to Title 41, Chapter 12, Article 3.1. Charges for such fingerprint checks will be the responsibility of the contract vendor, subcontractor or individual employee as determined by the member.

An exception to this requirement may be authorized in member's Governing Board policy, for persons who, "*as part of the normal job duties of the persons, are not likely to have independent access to or unsupervised contact with pupils.*"

Contract vendor and its employees or subcontractors shall not provide services on school district property until so authorized by the school district. Additionally, contract vendor shall comply with applicable governing board fingerprinting policy(ies) at the school district where services are provided.

11.3. Onsite Contract Vendor Responsibilities: The contract vendor is responsible for ensuring that all onsite work performed under this contract meets or exceeds the current OSHA standards, and is responsible for ensuring safe work performance of employees and subcontract vendors.

Contract vendor and its employees or subcontractors shall report accidents and incidents immediately to the member's responsible staff or its administration. The contract vendor is responsible for providing and obtaining appropriate medical and emergency assistance and notifying fire and law enforcement agencies, when necessary. Except for rescue and emergency measures, the scene of the accident or incident shall not be disturbed, and the operation shall not resume until authorized by the member's responsible staff or administration. The contract vendor must assist and cooperate fully with the investigation of the accident/incident and ensure availability of all information, personnel and data pertinent to the investigation.

For preemptive purposes, contract vendor and its employees or subcontractors shall immediately report to the member's responsible staff or administration all areas of concern that could potentially lead to accident or injury.

11.4. Preparation: Contract vendor shall not begin a project for which member has not prepared the site. Site preparation includes, but is not limited to: moving furniture, installing wiring for networks or power, and similar pre-installation requirements.

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11.5. Registered sex offender restrictions: For work to be performed at an Arizona school, contract vendor agrees that no employee or employee of a subcontractor who has been adjudicated to be a registered sex offender will perform work at any time when students are or are reasonably expected to be present. Contract vendor agrees that a violation of this condition shall be considered a material breach and may result in the cancellation of the purchase order at the member's discretion.

11.6. Safety measures: Contract vendor shall take all reasonable precautions for safety on the worksite, and shall erect and properly maintain all necessary safeguards for protection of workers and the public. Contract vendor shall post warning signs against all hazards created by its operation and work in progress. Proper precautions shall be taken pursuant to current Arizona law and standard practices to protect workers, general public, and existing structures from injury or damage.

11.7. Smoking: Persons working under the contract shall adhere to current local smoking policies.

11.8. Stored materials: Upon prior written agreement between the contract vendor and member, payment may be made for materials not incorporated in the work but delivered and suitably stored at the site or some other location, for installation at a later date. An inventory of the stored materials shall be provided to member prior to payment. Such materials shall be stored and protected in a secure location, and be insured for their full value by the contract vendor against loss and damage. Contract vendor agrees to provide proof of coverage and/or addition of member as an additional insured upon member's request. Additionally, if stored offsite, the materials shall also be clearly identified as property of member and be separated from other materials. Member shall be allowed reasonable opportunity to inspect and take inventory of stored materials, on or offsite, as necessary.

Payment for stored materials shall not constitute final acceptance of such materials. The contract vendor shall be responsible for the protection of all material and equipment, whether stored on or off site. Title for all work, materials and equipment shall pass to the member only upon final inspection and payment of remaining job costs.

12. SUBCONTRACTORS

12.1. Awarding subcontracts: Bidder agrees that any subcontract competitively solicited by contract vendor will not be awarded solely upon membership or non-membership in a union or professional association.

12.2. Entering subcontracts: Subcontracts shall incorporate by reference the terms and conditions of the Mohave contract.

12.3. Prime contractor: Contract vendor will be considered a prime contractor and not a subcontractor. Neither Mohave nor the member will establish a contractual relationship with subcontractors.

12.4. Subcontracts: No subcontracts shall be entered into with any unlicensed party. Contract vendor must use subcontractors openly, include such arrangements in the bid, and certify upon request that such use complies with the current rules of the Arizona Registrar of Contractors and the Arizona procurement rules and code. No subcontracting costs may be hidden in a cost bid to member.

12.5. Subcontractor payment: Contract vendor agrees to pay subcontractors within seven days after receipt of payment from member, as required in Arizona procurement rules and code. If contract vendor receives any interest monies for delay of payment from member, contract vendor will pay subcontractor the correct proportion of interest received. Complaints by subcontractor may be resolved as described in Arizona procurement rules and code. Failure to pay subcontractor for work faithfully performed and properly invoiced may result in the suspension or cancellation of this contract.

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12.6. Use of subcontractors: Use of subcontractors shall permit work to be managed effectively and without delay and shall not cause any disturbance or interference to the progress of the project (e.g. engaging in strike, work stoppage, picketing, ceasing work due to a labor dispute). Subcontractor shall not employ anyone whose employment may be objected to by prime contractor, member or Mohave.

13. TERM OF CONTRACT AND EXTENSION

13.1. Contract period: It is Mohave's intent to award a multi-term contract for the specified product, material, process, or services. The initial contract term shall be for one (1) calendar year from the effective date of contract award. By mutual written agreement between Mohave and contract vendor, the contract may be extended for up to four (4) consecutive additional 12-month periods, beginning immediately after expiration of the prior term. However, no contract extension (contract modification) exists unless and until contract vendor is so notified by Mohave.

13.2. Contract extension (contract modification): Conditions for contract extension (contract modification) may include, but are not limited to: contract usage, satisfactory performance of services during the preceding contract term, ability to continue to provide satisfactory services, continued adherence to the contract requirements, and continued competitive prices for the materials and services provided under the contract. Mohave shall prepare a performance report for all contracts prior to issuing any extension (contract modification). This performance report shall use past performance information gathered by your assigned Contract Specialist. Past performance information shall be used when determining whether a contract receives an extension (contract modification).

13.3. Month-to-month extensions (contract modification): Mohave reserves the right to offer month-to-month extensions (contract modification), if that is determined to be in the best interests of members.

14. TRADE-IN EQUIPMENT

Member and contract vendor shall determine values placed on trade-in products. The value of trade-in shall not affect the amount of administration fee paid to Mohave. Trade-in equipment shall be dismantled and removed at contract vendor's expense. The condition of trade-in equipment at the time it is turned over to contract vendor shall be the same as when the original agreement was made, except for normal wear and tear from use between the time of the offer and trade-in.

15. WARRANTY/QUALITY GUARANTEE

15.1. Extended warranties/service contracts: The contract vendor or a manufacturer may offer extended warranties available at extra cost for members that agree to a maintenance contract. The extended warranty contract shall be offered as a separate line item.

15.2. Fitness: Contract vendor warrants that any equipment or material supplied to Mohave or its members shall fully conform to all requirements of the contract, all representations of contract vendor, and shall be fit for all purposes and uses required by the contract.

15.3. Inspection: The warranties set forth in this section shall not be affected by inspection or testing of, or payment, for the product or materials to contract vendor by member.

15.4. Quality: Unless otherwise specified, contract vendor warrants that for a period of one (1) year / two (2) years (for construction contracts) after acceptance of the equipment or materials by member, they shall be:

- Of a quality to pass without objection in the industry or trade normally associated with them;
- Fit for the intended purpose(s) for which they are used;
- Of even kind, quantity and quality within each unit and among all units, within the variations permitted by the contract;
- Adequately contained, packaged and marked as the contract may require; and
- Conform to the written promises or affirmations of fact made by contract vendor.

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15.5. Warranty requirements: Contract vendor warrants that all products, materials, processes and services delivered under this contract shall conform to the specifications. Unless stated otherwise, all equipment shall carry a minimum 12-month manufacturer's warranty that includes parts and labor. Contract vendor agrees to help member reach resolution in a dispute with the manufacturer over warranty terms. Any extended manufacturer's warranty shall be passed on to member without exception. Mohave reserves the right to cancel the contract if contract vendor charges member for a replacement part that the contract vendor received at no cost under a warranty.

15.6. Warranty work: The contract vendor shall perform all warranty work and remain available to the member should continued service be required after warranty obligations are met.

**Special Terms and Conditions Acceptance Form
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Signature on Page 2 certifies complete acceptance of the Special Terms and Conditions in this solicitation, except as noted below (additional pages may be attached, if necessary).

Check one of the following responses to the Special Terms and Conditions:

- We take no exceptions/deviations to the Special Terms and Conditions.**

(Note: If nothing is listed below, it is understood that no exceptions/deviations are taken.)

- We take the following exceptions/deviations to the Special Terms and Conditions. All exceptions/deviations shall be clearly explained. Reference the corresponding Special Terms and Conditions that you are taking exceptions/deviations to. Clearly state if you are adding additional terms and conditions to the Special Terms and Conditions. Provide details on your exceptions/deviations below:**

(Note: All requested exceptions/deviations must be clearly explained. Reference the specific special terms and conditions that you are taking exceptions/deviations to, detail any proposed substitute special terms and conditions, and clearly demonstrate how Mohave and its membership will be better served by the substituted special terms and conditions. Unacceptable exceptions/deviations shall remove your bid from consideration for award. Mohave shall be the sole judge on the acceptance of exceptions/deviations and Mohave's decision shall be final.)

**General Terms and Conditions
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1. ADVERTISING

Bidder shall not advertise or publish information concerning this solicitation prior to an award being announced by Mohave. After award, contract vendor(s) may advertise the availability of products, materials, processes and services to members. Any promotional marketing materials using the Mohave logo shall be approved by a Mohave Contract Specialist in advance.

2. AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

Member fund availability is unknown to Mohave at the time this solicitation was issued. Use of any contract awarded by Mohave will be conditioned upon the availability of member funds.

3. BID OPENING

Bids shall be opened immediately following the bid due date and time. Pricing will be publicly read and recorded in the presence of witnesses. All other information in the bids shall remain confidential until after award of contracts, with the exception of review by Mohave staff and selected evaluators.

4. CANCELLATION

4.1. Cancellation Process: The following requirements shall apply to all cancellation notices issued under an awarded contract:

- A written notice of cancellation shall be sent to the contract vendor and the effective date of cancellation shall be the date specified within the written notice of cancellation.
- Upon cancellation, all products, materials, processes and services paid for by the member, along with documents, data and reports prepared by contract vendor under the contract shall become the property of the member.
- Contract vendor shall be entitled to receive just and equitable compensation in accordance with applicable contract pricing for authorized work in progress, authorized work completed and materials accepted before the effective date of the cancellation.
- Cancellation shall have no effect on projects in progress prior to the effective date of the cancellation.
- Contract vendor is obligated to continue submitting monthly reconciliation reports and administrative fee payments until all purchases are complete and closed.

4.2. Cancellation for bankruptcy or acquisition: Mohave reserves the right to cancel, or suspend the use of, any contract if contract vendor files for bankruptcy protection, or if the original contract holder is sold and ownership is transferred to a new party.

4.3. Cancellation for conflict of interest: Mohave may cancel this contract pursuant to ARS §38-511 for conflict of interest. Conflict of interest occurs if any person significantly involved in initiating, negotiating, securing, drafting or creating the contract on behalf of Mohave, is or becomes at any time while the contract or an extension (contract modification) of the contract is in effect, an employee of, or a consultant to, any other party to the contract, with respect to the subject matter of the contract. Members shall incur no penalty or further obligation if the contract is cancelled for conflict of interest.

4.4. Cancellation for convenience: Mohave reserves the right to immediately cancel the contract without penalty or recourse, in whole or in part, when Mohave determines that action to be in the best interests of its members.

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4.5. Cancellation for non-performance or contract vendor deficiency: Mohave may terminate any contract if members have not used the contract, or if purchase volume is determined to be "low volume" in any 12-month period. Mohave reserves the right to cancel the whole or any part of this contract due to failure by contract vendor to carry out any obligation, term or condition of the contract. Mohave may issue a written deficiency notice to contract vendor for acting or failing to act in any of the following:

- Failing to comply with the accepted terms and conditions of the contract;
- Providing material that does not meet the specifications of the contract;
- Providing work and/or material that was not awarded under the contract;
- Failing to adequately perform the services set forth in the scope of work and specifications;
- Failing to complete required work or furnish required materials within a reasonable amount of time;
- Failing to make progress in performance of the contract and/or giving Mohave reason to believe that contract vendor will not or cannot perform the requirements of the contract
- Failing to provide required performance bonds;
- Performing work or providing products, materials, processes or services under the contract prior to receiving a Mohave reviewed member purchase order for such work.

Upon receipt of a written deficiency notice, contract vendor shall have ten (10) days to provide a satisfactory response to Mohave to adequately address all issues of concern. Failure to adequately address all issues of concern may result in contract cancellation. Upon cancellation under this clause, all goods, materials and work paid for by the member, along with documents, data and reports prepared by contract vendor under the contract shall become the property of the member.

4.6. Cancellation for replacement: Mohave reserves the right to cancel a contract awarded under this solicitation, if a new solicitation has been issued and a contract has been awarded to the same contract vendor for similar products, materials, processes and services. Mohave may, at its option, either replace a contract resulting from this solicitation or delay a new award until the existing contract expires. The decision to delay or replace the contract rests solely with Mohave.

4.7. Contract vendor cancellation: Contract vendor may cancel this contract at any time upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to Mohave or at time of annual contract renewal (contract modification). Termination shall have no effect on projects in progress at the time the notice of cancellation is received by Mohave.

4.8. Continuation of performance: Contract vendor shall continue to perform in accordance with the requirements of the contract, up to the date of cancellation and as directed in the cancellation notice.

4.9. Gratuities: Mohave shall cancel this contract if it is found that gratuities in the form of entertainment, gifts or otherwise, were offered or given by contract vendor or any agent or representative of contract vendor, to any employee of Mohave or member with a view toward securing a contract or with respect to the performance of this contract. Officers, employees and agents are prohibited from soliciting or accepting gratuities, favors or anything of monetary value from contractors or parties of subcontractors under an awarded contract. Paying the expenses of normal business meals shall be in accordance with each member's policy regarding gratuities. Samples as requested in the solicitation and provided to Mohave for demonstration or evaluation are not considered gratuities.

5. CAPTIONS, HEADINGS AND ILLUSTRATIONS

The captions, illustrations, headings, and subheadings in this solicitation are for convenience and ease of perusal only, and in no way define, limit or describe the scope or intent of the request.

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6. CERTIFICATION

By signing the *Bid and Acceptance Form* (page 2 of the IFB), bidder certifies the following:

- Bidder has examined and understands the terms, conditions, scope of work, specifications and other documents in this solicitation.
- The submission of the bid did not involve collusion or other anticompetitive practices. Neither signatory nor any person on his behalf has connived or colluded to produce a deceptive show of competition in the matter of the bidding or award of a contract under this solicitation.
- Bidder has not given, offered to give, nor intends to give at any time hereafter any economic opportunity, future employment, gift, loan, gratuity, special discount, trip, favor, or service to a public servant in connection with the submitted bid.
- Neither bidder, nor any officer, director, partner, member or associate of bidder, nor any of its employees directly involved in obtaining contracts with the State of Arizona, Mohave Educational Services Cooperative, Inc., or any subdivision of the state has been convicted of false pretenses, attempted false pretenses, or conspiracy to commit false pretenses, bribery, attempted bribery or conspiracy to bribe under the laws of any state or federal government for acts or omissions after January 1, 1985.
- Bidder agrees to comply fully with any and all provisions of ARS Title 32, Chapter 10 (Registrar of Contractors) that may regulate bidder's business.
- Bidder shall not discriminate against any employee, or applicant for employment, in violation of federal and state laws (see Federal Executive Order 11246; and ARS Title 41, Chapter 9, Article 4).
- Bidder is not currently suspended, debarred or otherwise precluded from participating in any public procurement activity with any federal, state or local government entity.
- If awarded a contract, bidder agrees to promote, offer and sell under Mohave contract only those materials and/or services awarded to contract vendor by Mohave.
- If awarded a contract, bidder shall provide the equipment, commodities, and/or services to members of Mohave in accordance with the terms, conditions, scope of work, specifications, and other documents of this Invitation For Bid.
- If awarded a contract, bidder agrees that all staff and other individuals eligible to receive services shall have equal access to the services regardless of race, religion, color, sex, disability, age or national origin (including language minority individuals).
- Bidder and all proposed subcontractors comply and shall remain in compliance with the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act (FINA), all other federal immigration laws and regulations, ARS §41-4401, and ARS §23-214, which requires compliance with current federal immigration laws by Arizona employers, Arizona contractors and Arizona subcontractors in accordance with the E-Verify employee eligibility verification program.
- Bidder shall comply with ARS §35-393.01 and certify that they are not currently engaged in, and agree that for the duration of the contract to not engage in, a boycott of Israel. **(Note: Unless and until the District Court's injunction in *Jordahl v. Brnovich et al.*, Case No. 3:17-cv-08263 (D. Ariz.) is stayed or lifted, the Anti-Israel Boycott Provision (A.R.S. the Anti-Israel Boycott Provision (A.R.S. 35-393.01 (A)) is unenforceable and will take no action to enforce it. Compliance to this term and condition is not a mandatory part of the bid as long as the injunction remains in place. Bids will not be evaluated based on whether the bidder complied or deviated to this term and condition.)**
- If applicable to the products and services offered under this contract, Bidder shall comply with current applicable requirements of Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPPA), and accompanying regulations. Contract vendor agrees to work with the member in the course of performance so that the member and contract vendor are in compliance with HIPPA.

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7. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

7.1. Confidential information request: If bidder believes that its bid contains confidential trade secrets or other proprietary data not to be disclosed, a statement advising Mohave of this fact shall accompany the bid, and the information shall be so identified wherever it appears. Mohave shall review the statement and notify the bidder of their determination in writing whether the information shall be withheld or disclosed. Requests to deem the entire bid as confidential will not be considered.

7.2. Pricing: Mohave will not consider pricing to be confidential or proprietary.

7.3. Public record: All bids submitted in response to this solicitation shall become the property of Mohave. They will become a matter of public record available for review, subsequent to award of contract(s), with the exception of information deemed confidential by Mohave.

8. CONFIRMATION

If an apparent mistake in a bid, relevant to the award determination is discovered after opening and before award, Mohave shall contact the bidder for written confirmation of the bid. If bidder fails to act, the bidder shall be considered non-responsive.

Mohave may contact a bidder to confirm our understanding of the bid. Such contact shall be prior to award. Mohave shall obtain written confirmation from the bidder and shall retain the confirmation in the procurement file. Correction of mistakes in a bid shall only be allowed as described in Arizona procurement rules and code.

9. CONTRACT MANAGEMENT

9.1. Applicable law: The contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of Arizona, and suits pertaining to the contract may be brought only in courts in the State of Arizona.

9.2. Application of law: The Arizona Procurement Code, the Arizona State Board of Education School District Procurement Rules, and the Uniform Commercial Code (UCC) as adopted by the State of Arizona, are part of this document as if fully set forth herein. Any provision or clause required by law, rule or regulation to be included in the contract will be read and enforced as if in the contract, whether or not physically included. If any such provision is not included, or is not correctly included, contract will be amended in writing to make such inclusion or correction upon application from either party to contract.

9.3. Arbitration: After exhausting applicable administrative review, the parties to this contract may agree to resolve disputes arising out of or relating to this contract through arbitration, to the extent allowed by law.

9.4. Assignment: Contract vendor shall assign no right or interest in this contract without prior written permission from Mohave. No delegation of any duty of contract vendor shall be made without prior written permission from Mohave. Mohave shall not unreasonably withhold approval and shall notify contract vendor of its decision within fifteen (15) days of receipt of written notice from contract vendor.

9.5. Contract claims or controversies: The requirements of the Arizona procurement rules and code shall govern any contract awarded as a result of this solicitation, as well as any contract claims or controversies associated with it.

Formal contract claims and controversies between a member and contract vendor shall be resolved in accordance with R7-2-1155 through R7-2-1159, or ARS, Title 41, Chapter 23, Article 9, as applicable. The member's authorized representative shall serve as the district representative for resolution of such claims and controversies. ARS, Title 41, Chapter 23, Article 9 and the rules promulgated under it, or R7-2-1155 through R7-2-1159, as applicable, provide the exclusive procedure for asserting a cause against the member under the contract.

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9.6. Contract placed on hold: Mohave shall have the ability to place a contract on hold, if it is deemed necessary to address ongoing problems with an awarded contract. Details of the decision to place the contract on hold shall be provided in a written deficiency notice. A reasonable amount of time shall be provided to contract vendor to address issues in the written deficiency notice.

9.7. Modification of contract: An awarded contract may be modified for a variety of reasons. Contract modifications will be issued as deemed necessary by Mohave to address contractual issues that may arise.

9.8. Novation: If contract vendor sells or transfers all assets or the entire portion of the assets used to perform this contract, a successor in interest must guarantee to perform all obligations under this contract. Mohave reserves the right to accept or reject any new party. A simple change of name agreement will not change the contractual obligations of contract vendor.

9.9. Order cycle overview:

One, or both, of the following order cycles will apply to an awarded contract. A sample reconciliation report will be provided to contract vendors who have been awarded a contract. Instructions for filling out the purchase order, or Pcard process, will be contained in that sample reconciliation report.

For Procurements made with purchase orders:

1. Member forwards purchase orders to Mohave that lists the contract number, along with a copy of detailed contract vendor quote. Vendor listed on the purchase order is contract vendor.
2. Mohave reviews and emails member order with "*MESC Reviewed*" stamp, to contract vendor and member.
3. Contract vendor provides product/services.
4. Contract vendor invoices member.
5. Member pays contract vendor.
6. Contract vendor sends monthly Reconciliation Report to Mohave.
7. Contract vendor remits administration fee monthly, based on invoices paid.
8. Mohave audits selected invoices.

For Procurements made with Pcards:

1. Member purchases directly from contract vendor using a Pcard and forwards a copy of detailed contract vendor quote to Mohave (if applicable).
2. Mohave reviews and emails contract vendor quote with "*MESC Reviewed*" stamp, to contract vendor and member (if applicable).
3. Contract vendor provides product/services.
4. Contract vendor invoices member (if not previously paid with Pcard).
5. Member pays contract vendor (if not previously paid with Pcard).
6. Contract vendor sends monthly Reconciliation Report and copy of detailed Pcard transaction, invoice or quotation to Mohave.
7. Contract vendor remits administration fee monthly, based on Pcard purchases paid.
8. Mohave audits selected Pcard purchases.

9.10. Overcharges by antitrust violations: Mohave maintains that overcharges resulting from antitrust violations are borne by the purchaser. Therefore, to the extent permitted by law, contract vendor assigns to member any and all claims for such overcharges as to the products, materials, processes or services used to fulfill the contract.

9.11. Relationship of the parties: Vendors receiving contracts under this solicitation are independent contractors. Any party to the contract shall not be deemed to be the employee of another party to the contract.

9.12. Severability: The provisions of this contract are severable to the extent that any provision or application held to be invalid shall not affect any other provision or application of the contract which may remain in effect without the invalid provision or application.

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9.13. Successful performance: The sections of the solicitation defining the scope of services, requirements, or qualifications are not to be construed as a complete listing that exempts successful bidder from reasonable services required to ensure successful performance under the contract.

9.14. Title: Purchase orders placed under this contract are on behalf of Mohave's members. As such, title to goods passes directly from contract vendor to member.

10. COOPERATIVE PURCHASING

10.1. Cooperative purchasing: This contract is based on the need for Mohave to provide the economic benefits of volume purchasing and reduction in administrative costs through cooperative purchasing to members. Any bid that prohibits sales to specific types of members (e.g., state agencies or local government units) may not be considered. Sales without restriction to any members are preferred.

10.2. Cooperative purchasing agreements: Cooperative Purchasing Agreements between Mohave and its members have been established under Arizona procurement rules and code for use of contracts.

10.3. Most favored customer relationship: Nothing in this solicitation is intended to establish a most favored customer relationship between Mohave and contract vendor. Contract vendor may respond to any solicitation without regard to this contract. Bidder agrees all prices, terms, warranties, and benefits granted by bidder to members through this contract are comparable to or better than the equivalent terms offered by bidder to any present customer meeting the same qualifications or requirements. If contract vendor offers lower prices to any of its other customers, it may lower its prices to Mohave at the same time by written notice.

10.4. Eligible agencies: Any contract awarded from this solicitation shall be available to all Mohave members. Members shall have a current signed Mohave Cooperative Purchase Agreement. Member is defined as a local or public procurement unit, or a governmental public entity that is a political subdivision for purposes of federal income tax, or a nonprofit educational or public health institution that is a political subdivision for purposes of federal income tax or meets the requirements of Section 115 of the Internal Revenue Code. Mohave has approximately 450 members including public school districts, community colleges, city and county governments and political subdivisions throughout Arizona. A list of members may be found on Mohave's website, www.mesc.org. Actual use of any contract shall be at the sole discretion of Mohave's members.

11. ESTIMATED QUANTITIES

Mohave anticipates considerable activity resulting from this solicitation. An estimate of purchases is provided in the Scope of Work (page 6) of the requested materials or services. However, no commitment of any kind is made concerning quantities to be acquired. Mohave does not guarantee usage. Usage depends on the actual needs of members and marketing by contract vendor.

12. EVALUATION and AWARD

12.1. Basis of award: Award(s) will be made to the responsive and responsible bidder(s) whose bid(s) is (are) determined in writing to be the low responsive and responsible bid or bids. Mohave reserves the right to use model projects/market baskets to determine the ranking of bids. It is Mohave's intent to award a complete line of products, when possible and advantageous.

12.2. Exceptions/deviations to requirements: All requested exceptions/deviations must be clearly explained. Unacceptable exceptions/deviations shall remove your bid from consideration for award. Mohave shall be the sole judge on the acceptance of exceptions/deviations and Mohave's decision shall be final.

12.3. Formation of contract: A response to this solicitation is an offer to contract with Mohave based upon the terms, conditions, scope of work, specifications and amendment(s) contained in this bid. A bid does not become a contract unless and until Mohave accepts it. A contract is formed when a Mohave administrator signs the award document.

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- 12.4. Effect of price:** No contract shall be awarded solely on the basis of price.
- 12.5. Market basket:** If bidder is providing an alternative product in the required Market Basket, bidder must provide specifications for those products. *White papers are not specifications and are not acceptable.*
- 12.6. Multiple award:** To assure that our contracts meet the requirements of all members, Mohave may award multiple contracts. Bidder should consider this fact in preparing their response. The decision to award multiple contracts, award a single contract, or make no award rests solely with Mohave.
- A multiple award shall be made only if the procurement officer determines in writing that a multiple award is necessary and is advantageous to Mohave members. A multiple award shall be limited to the least number of contracts necessary to meet the requirements of the using agencies. Mohave shall make the sole determination of the least number of contracts required to meet the need. Mohave's basis for determining whether to award multiple contracts shall be based upon considerations for the large number of members, diverse types of members, location of members throughout Arizona and members' past usage of similar contracts.
- Criteria for selecting vendors for multiple contracts shall be based upon considerations for members' experience with existing products and systems, brand continuity for parts replacement and future expansion, contract vendor's ability to provide for our large, diverse membership, bonding capacity, Mohave's past experience with contracts for similar product/services, and/or other relevant criteria. Multiple contracts may also be awarded based on individual line items or groups of line items, incrementally, or by designated regions.
- 12.7. Non-exclusive contract:** Any contract resulting from this solicitation shall be awarded with the understanding and agreement that it is for the sole convenience of Mohave's members. Mohave and its members reserve the right to obtain like goods and services from other sources.
- 12.8. Past performance information:** Past Performance Information (PPI) is relevant information regarding a contract vendor's actions under previously awarded contracts to public agencies. It includes contract vendor's record of performance under such contracts including, but not limited to: conformance to the terms, conditions, specifications and scope of work of the contracts, responsiveness to, and correction of, contract claims and controversies, and satisfaction of the contracting entities. PPI shall be a factor in evaluation and award.
- 12.9. Price workbook:** All bidders must complete the 190 Playground, Splash Pad, Outdoor Fitness and Related Equipment workbook titled "**190 Playground.xlsx**". Provide two (2) CDs, USBs, or similar electronic media devices with the completed workbook in your response. Paper copies of the workbook are required. Failure to complete and submit the 190 Playground, Splash Pad, Outdoor Fitness and Related Equipment workbook shall render your bid nonresponsive. ***Place after Tab 3a.*** If awarded a contract, all future pricing updates shall be based on the electronic workbook, or similar approved format.
- 12.10. Pricing extension errors:** In case of error in extension of prices in the bid, unit prices shall govern.
- 12.11. Responsible bidder:** A responsible bidder is a firm or person who at the time of contract award has the capability to perform the contract requirements and the integrity and reliability that will assure good faith performance. Mohave shall determine a bidder to be responsible before awarding a contract to bidder.
- 12.12. Responsive bids:** A responsive bid conforms in all respects to the material requirements of the solicitation. Bids must be responsive to receive award consideration. Mohave reserves the right to waive minor informalities.

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13. FEDERAL and STATE REQUIREMENTS

13.1. Affordable Care Act requirements: Contract vendor understands and agrees that it shall be solely responsible for compliance with the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, Public Law 111-148 and the Health Care Education Reconciliation Act, Public Law 111-152 (collectively the Affordable Care Act "ACA"). Contract vendor shall bear sole responsibility for providing health care benefits for its employees who provide services to the member as required by state or federal law.

13.2. Audit rights: In accordance with applicable Arizona law, contract vendor's and subcontractor's books and records related to this contract may be audited at a reasonable time and place, for five years after completion of the contract.

13.3. Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act and Environmental Protection Agency Regulations: Contract vendor and its subcontractors shall comply with all applicable standards, orders or requirements issued under section 306 of the Clean Air Act, section 508 of the Clean Water Act, Executive Order 11738 and Environmental Protection Agency regulations (7 CFR 3016.36 (i) (12)). This shall only apply to federally funded projects subject to the Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act and current applicable EPA regulations.

13.4. Compliance with federal and state requirements: Contract vendor agrees, when working on any federally assisted projects with more than \$2,000 in labor costs, to comply with the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, the Davis-Bacon Act, the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, the Equal Opportunity Employment requirements as amended by Executive Order. In such projects, contract vendor agrees to post wage rates at the work site and submit a copy of their payroll to the member for their files.

In addition, to comply with the Copeland Act, contract vendor must submit weekly payroll records to the member. Contract vendor must keep records for three years and allow the federal grantor agency access to these records, upon demand. Contract vendor also agrees to comply with State of Arizona Executive Order 75-5, as amended by Executive Order 99-4.

When working on any projects funded with federal grant monies, contract vendor agrees to comply with the administrative requirements for grants and cooperative agreements to state, local and federally recognized Indian tribal government contract provisions.

The forms listed below are incorporated by reference into this solicitation and any resultant contract.

- HUD-5369, Instructions to Bidders for Contracts, Public and Indian Housing Programs
- HUD-5369-A, Representations, Certifications, and Other Statements of Bidders, Public and Indian Housing Programs
- HUD-5369-B, Instructions to Offerors Non-Construction
- HUD-5369-C, Certifications and Representations of Offerors Non-Construction Contract
- HUD-5370, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction
- HUD-5370-C1, General Conditions for Non-Construction Contracts Section 1 (With or Without Maintenance Work)
- HUD-5370-C2, General Conditions for Non-Construction Contracts Section 1 (With Maintenance Work)

For federally funded projects only, the requirements of an applicable form shall supersede conflicting requirements in this solicitation. The forms may be accessed via HUDClips (<http://www.hud.gov>).

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13.5. Compliance with workforce requirements: Pursuant to ARS §41-4401, contract vendor and subcontractor(s) warrant their compliance with all federal and state immigration laws and regulations that relate to their employees, and compliance with ARS §23-214 subsection A, which states, "...every employer, after hiring an employee, shall verify the employment eligibility of the employee through the E-Verify program." [To register for E-Verify, go to: <https://e-verify.uscis.gov/enroll/startpage.aspx>.]

Mohave reserves the right to cancel or suspend the use of any contract for violations of immigration laws and regulations. Mohave and its members reserve the right to inspect the papers of any contract vendor or subcontract employee who works under this contract to ensure compliance with the warranty above.

13.6. Contract vendor employee work eligibility: By entering into the contract, contract vendor warrants compliance with ARS §41-4401, ARS §23-214, the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act (FINA), and all other current federal immigration laws and regulations. Mohave and/or Mohave members may request verification of compliance from any contract vendor or subcontractor performing work under this contract. Mohave and its members reserve the right to confirm compliance. Should Mohave or its members suspect or find that the contract vendor or any of its subcontractors are not in compliance, Mohave may pursue any and all remedies allowed by law, including, but not limited to suspension of work, termination of the contract for default, and suspension and/or debarment of the contract vendor. All costs necessary for compliance are the responsibility of the contract vendor.

13.7. Davis-Bacon wage decisions: For federally funded projects subject to the Davis-Bacon Act, the member shall specify the applicable Davis-Bacon wage decision, prior to the contract vendor providing a firm price quotation for the proposed project. The wage decision shall be identified by the WD Number, modification number, and date of the wage decision. Davis-Bacon wage decisions may be accessed via www.wdol.gov or by requesting a copy from the member.

13.8. Energy Policy and Conservation Act: Contract vendor and its subcontractors shall comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency (7 CFR 3016.36 (i) (13)). This shall only apply to federally funded projects subject to current applicable energy policies and the Energy Conservation Act.

13.9. Non-compliance: All federally assisted contracts with members that exceed \$10,000 may be terminated by the federal grantee for noncompliance by contract vendor. In projects that are not federally funded, bidder must agree to meet any federal, state or local requirements, as necessary. In addition, if compliance with the federal regulations increases the contract costs beyond the agreed on costs in this solicitation, the additional costs may only apply to the portion of the work paid by the federal grantee.

13.10. Offshore performance of work prohibited: Due to security and identity protection concerns, direct services under this contract shall be performed within the borders of the United States. Any services that are described in the specifications or scope of work that directly serve the State of Arizona or its clients and may involve access to secure or sensitive data or personal client data or development or modification of software for the state shall be performed within the borders of the United States. Unless specifically stated otherwise in the specifications, this definition does not apply to indirect or 'overhead' services, redundant back-up services or services that are incidental to the performance of the contract. This provision applies to work performed by subcontractors at all tiers.

13.11. Procurement of recovered material: Contract vendor and its subcontractors shall comply with section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, as stated in 2 CFR 200.321.

13.12. Rights to inventions: Rights to inventions made under a contract or agreement as specified under Appendix II to 2 CFR shall apply for federally funded projects.

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13.13. Subcontracts: Prime Contractor, if subcontracts are to be let, will allow all business to have an equal opportunity to sign up as a prospective bidder for work assigned under this contract.

13.14. Terrorism country divestments: In accordance with ARS §35-392, Mohave and its members are prohibited from purchasing from a company that is in violation of the Export Administration Act. By entering into the contract, contract vendor warrants compliance with the Export Administration Act.

13.15. Compliance to USDA solicitation requirements:

- Bidder certifies that all pricing in their proposal has been arrived at independently, without consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor certification regarding non-collusion.
- Bidder agrees to comply fully with U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Arizona Department of Education, U. S. Accounting Office, or any of their duly authorized representative to allow access to any books, documents, papers, and records of the bidder, which are directly pertinent to the specific contract, for the purpose of audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. Additionally, the bidder shall provide all documents as necessary for the independent auditor to conduct the school food authority (SFA) single audit (if applicable). In the event of any unresolved audit findings, the records shall be retained beyond the five (5) year period for as long as required for resolution of these issues raised by the audit.
- Bidder agrees to comply with all mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency as cited in the State Energy Conservation Plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Public Law 94-163).
- Bidder shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375 of October 13, 1967, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations, 41 CFR Part 60 3016.36(i)(3).
- Bidder shall comply with the following civil rights laws as amended: Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975; Department of Agriculture regulations on nondiscrimination 7 CFR 210.23 (b); Title 7 CFR parts 15, 15a, and 15b; the Americans with Disabilities Act; and the FNS Instruction 113-6; "Civil Rights Compliance and Enforcement in School Nutrition Programs".
- Bidder shall comply with the provisions of the Consumer Product Safety Act.
- Bidder shall disclose all discounts, rebates, allowances and incentives received by the bidder from its suppliers. If the bidder receives a discount, rebate, allowance, or incentive from any supplier, the bidder shall disclose and return to the SFA, (if applicable), the full amount of the discount, rebate, or applicable credit that is received based on the purchases made on behalf of the SFA. The bidder shall identify the amount of each discount, rebate and other applicable credit on bills and invoices presented to the SFA for payment and individually identify the amount as a discount, rebate, or in the case of other applicable credits, the nature of the credit according to 7 CFR 210.21(f)(1)(iv).
- Bidder shall agree no expenditure may be made from the nonprofit school food service account for any cost resulting from a procurement failing to meet the requirements of the requirements for prohibited expenditures or as required in 7 CFR §210.21 or 7 CFR §210.21(f)(2).

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14. FORCE MAJEURE

Except for payments of sums due, neither party shall be liable to the other, nor be deemed in default under this contract, if and to the extent that such party's performance of this contract is prevented by reason of force majeure. The term "force majeure" means an occurrence that is beyond the control of the party affected and occurs without its fault or negligence, including, but not limited to the following: acts of God (e.g. fire, flood, snow, earthquakes, tornadoes, violent winds, hail storms); acts of the public enemy; war; riots; strikes; mobilization; labor disputes; civil disorders; lockouts; injunctions-intervention-acts, or failures or refusals to act by government authority; and other similar occurrences beyond the control of the party declaring force majeure, which such party is unable to prevent by exercising reasonable diligence. The force majeure shall be deemed to commence when the party declaring it notifies the other party of the existence of the force majeure, and shall be deemed to continue as long as the results or effects of the force majeure prevent the party from resuming performance in accordance with the contract. Force majeure shall not include late deliveries of equipment or materials caused by congestion at a manufacturer's plant or elsewhere, an oversold condition of the market, inefficiencies, or similar occurrences. If either party is delayed at any time by force majeure, the delayed party shall notify the other party in writing of such delay within forty-eight (48) hours.

15. INDEMNIFICATION

15.1. General indemnification: To the extent permitted by law, Mohave and its members shall be indemnified and held harmless by contract vendor for its vicarious liability as a result of entering into this contract. Each party to the contract is responsible for its own negligence. Contract vendor agrees to save and hold harmless Mohave and/or its members from any and all liability for loss or damage to persons or property arising out of the work required by the contract. Contract vendor further agrees to waive any right of recovery against Mohave and/or its members for damage to the property of contract vendor, whether caused by negligence on the part of Mohave and/or its members or otherwise. This provision includes specifically the waiver of right of recovery against Mohave and/or its members for damage to property under contract and not yet formally accepted by member even though said property at the time of loss may be occupied, in whole or in part, by member.

15.2. Modification by member: Contract vendor shall have no obligation with respect to any patent and copyright infringement claim based upon member's modification of the equipment and/or software, or its operation or use with apparatus, data or programs not furnished by contract vendor. However, one member's action will not preclude contract vendor's obligation to members who have not modified their equipment or software.

15.3. Patent and copyright indemnification: To the extent permitted by law, contract vendor shall indemnify and hold harmless Mohave and its members against any liability, including costs and expenses, for infringement of any patent, trademark or copyright arising out of contract performance or use by Mohave and its members of materials furnished or work performed under this contract. Mohave and its members shall reasonably notify contract vendor of any claim for which it may be liable under this paragraph.

16. LICENSES

A contract vendor shall maintain in current status all federal, state and local licenses, bonds and permits required for the operation of the business conducted by contract vendor. The contract vendor shall remain fully informed of and in compliance with all current ordinances and regulations pertaining to the lawful provision of services under the contract. Mohave reserves the right to stop work and/or cancel the contract of any contract vendor whose license(s) expire, lapse, are suspended or terminated. Contract vendor shall immediately notify Mohave of any expiration, lapse, suspension or termination of license(s).

17. BID ACCEPTANCE PERIOD/WITHDRAWAL

17.1. Late bids: Except as authorized by Arizona procurement rules and code, late bids shall not be considered. Bidder shall be responsible for all shipping costs when requesting the return of a late bid.

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17.2. Withdrawal of bid: A bidder may withdraw a bid in writing at any time before bid opening if the withdrawal is received before the bid due date and time at the location designated in the invitation for bids for receipt of bids. After the opening time and date, bids may not be withdrawn, except as allowed by Arizona procurement rules and code.

18. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of a conflict in the provisions of the contract as accepted by Mohave, the following order of precedence shall prevail:

1. Special terms and conditions
2. General terms and conditions
3. Scope of work and specifications
4. Attachments and exhibits
5. Documents referenced or included in the solicitation

19. ORDERING CYCLE

19.1. Acceptance of orders: This contract is for the sole use of Mohave and its members. All quotations provided to members must be based on prices in the contract and include the correct Mohave contract number. Contract vendor may only refuse a Mohave reviewed order under this contract after providing written documentation acceptable to Mohave describing the circumstances that warrant refusal. Improper documentation and/or frequent refusals may result in contract cancellation. Mohave may require the contract vendor to reject any purchase orders received from members based on this contract that may not comply with Mohave's rules, processes or standards.

19.2. Audit of contract activity: Mohave will audit some of the invoices related to this contract. The contract vendor agrees to provide all documentation necessary for Mohave to audit purchases made under contract, including invoices and credits issued to members, in a timely fashion.

19.3. Contract vendor contacts: Contract vendor agrees to assign only one contact person for each of the following: accounting, audit, contract administration, escalation, main member contact, open order/status report, and reconciliation. These contacts may be the same person, with the exception of the escalation contact. The name(s) of the contact persons will be provided to Mohave.

19.4. Open order and status reports: Mohave will send contract vendor open order and status reports on a periodic basis. Contract vendor agrees to reply to information requests in a timely fashion.

19.5. Orders in process: Member purchase orders dated on or before the contract cancellation and/or expiration date, will be processed and are considered valid until order fulfillment, or cancellation by the member. Any such order must be in the possession of Mohave within a reasonable amount of time. Acceptance of such orders shall be at the sole discretion of Mohave.

19.6. Purchase verification: It is the member's independent responsibility to verify that quotations and purchase orders comply with the terms of the award of a contract or procurement.

19.7. Quotations: Quotations with no end date are considered invalid after sixty (60) days from the issue date.

20. PAYMENT

20.1. Contacting member about payment: Contract vendor may contact member for payment for a product or service delivered to the member under the contract. Such contact shall be professional and courteous.

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20.2. Contract vendor invoice: All invoices shall list the applicable member purchase order number and Mohave contract number. Contract vendor will invoice members directly. All transactions are payable in U.S. currency only. Contract vendor shall invoice member after delivery of goods and/or services. Goods and services shall be invoiced at applicable contract prices, which include Mohave's 1% administration fee.

Mohave's administration fee is included in the invoice amount paid by the member. Contract vendor shall remit administration fee to Mohave monthly. Administration fee shall be calculated at .0099 of the subtotal amount. The Mohave administration fee shall not be calculated on ancillary charges (e.g. performance bonds, shipping, transaction privilege tax, transportation charges, mileage, lodging, meals and incidental expenses (M&IE), permits).

20.3. Contract vendor payment: Member shall issue payment to contract vendor after receipt of invoice.

20.4. Correct invoicing: Contract products/services may not be invoiced greater than the purchase order. If incorrect invoices are discovered, contract vendor must correct invoices resulting in excess charges, no matter the cause of the error. Any excess payment must be returned to member within the time allowed by law, in the form of a check or credit memo, as determined by the member.

If a member is invoiced at less than contract prices, contract vendor will invoice the member for the difference unless Mohave approves the undercharge.

If contract pricing in effect on the contract has gone down between the time of the order and the invoice date, contract vendor may invoice at the current contract price.

20.5. Credit hold: Contract vendor agrees to advise Mohave's Procurement Manager within five (5) days if member(s) are placed on credit hold.

20.6. Payment time: Payment terms are net thirty (30) days from receipt of contract vendor's invoice.

20.7. Prepayment: In accordance with the Uniform System of Financial Records and ARS §15-905(N), prepayments may be requested on items that normally require prepayment in order to be procured or to receive a discounted price. Items not meeting these prepayment specifications may be paid only after receipt of goods and services.

20.8. Progress payments: Members may make progress payments under the following conditions: 1) Member and contract vendor agree to the terms of the progress payments prior to issuing a purchase order; 2) the purchase order describes the amounts/percentages to be paid and the dates/frequency of payment; 3) member accepts responsibility for verifying the validity of each payment application; 4) payments are made only after goods and/or services are verified; and 5) any such payments are made in full compliance with member's local governing entity rules and any and all other applicable state rules and regulations.

20.9. Quick pay discounts: Quick pay discounts may be offered to members, provided they have received the materials or services, and that such discounts are available equally to all members. Mohave must approve such discounts in writing and before they are offered to members.

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20.10. Reporting and payment of administration fees to Mohave: The contract vendor agrees to provide a Reconciliation Report detailing activity under the contract, and payment for Mohave administration fees for invoices paid or Pcard transactions made in the previous month.

Purchases made with purchase orders: Items in the report must include member names, PO numbers, amounts, administration fees, invoice numbers, invoice dates and credit/return information for all invoices paid in the prior month.

Purchases made with Pcards: The report must be identified as Pcard (or as a credit card) when submitted. Items in the report must include member names, notation that the purchase was made with a Pcard, date of transaction, job number designation, amounts, administration fees, invoice numbers (if applicable), invoice dates (if applicable) and credit/return information for all invoices paid in the prior month. An electronic copy (e.g. PDF) of the detailed Pcard sales receipt, invoice, or quotation shall be provided for review.

Payment and report are due as per a schedule agreed upon by Mohave and contract vendor. The initial due date shall be the **10th, 15th, 20th, 25th or 30th** of the following month and will be specified in an award notification letter. If no invoices were paid under the contract in the previous month, the contract vendor will provide notice of no activity. A sample reconciliation report will be made available upon award of contract.

Make Mohave administration fees payable to Mohave Educational Services Coop., Inc. Payments shall be mailed to:
625 E. Beale St.
Kingman, AZ 86401

21. PREPARATION OF BID and BID FORMAT

21.1. Modification of bid: A bidder may modify a bid in writing at any time before bid opening if the modification is received before the bid due date and time at the location designated in the invitation for bids for receipt of bids.

21.2. Bid forms: The forms and format contained in the solicitation shall be used. Bidders may reproduce the forms and retype the information, but all of the required information must be presented in the tab order requested. Electronic or faxed bids shall not be considered.

21.3. Bidder responsibility: Bidder shall examine the entire solicitation, seek clarification of any item or requirement that may not be clear, and check all responses for accuracy before submitting bid. Failure to examine any requirements shall be at bidder's risk. Negligence in preparing a bid confers no right of withdrawal after due date and time.

21.4. Cost of bid preparation: Mohave will not reimburse the cost of developing, presenting, or providing any response to this solicitation.

22. PRODUCT LINES

22.1. Current products: Bids shall be for materials and equipment in current production and marketed to the general public and education/government agencies at the time the bid is submitted.

22.2. Discontinued products: If a product or model is discontinued by the manufacturer, contract vendor may substitute a new product or model if the replacement product meets or exceeds the specifications and performance of the discontinued model and if the discount is the same or greater than the discontinued model.

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22.3. New products/services: New products/services must be submitted and approved by Mohave, prior to being offered to member. Mohave may reject any additions without cause. New products and/or services that meet the scope of work may be added to the contract. Contract vendor may replace or add product lines to an existing contract if the line is replacing or supplementing products on contract, is equal or superior to the original products offered, is discounted in a similar or to a greater degree, and if the products meet the requirements of the solicitation. No products and/or services may be added to avoid competitive procurement requirements. Mohave may require additions to be submitted with documentation from members demonstrating an interest in, or a potential requirement for, the new product or service.

22.4. Options: Optional equipment for products under contract may be added to the contract at the time they become available under the following conditions: 1) the option is priced at a discount similar to other options; 2) the option is an enhancement to the unit that improves performance or reliability.

22.5. Product line: Bidders with a published catalog may submit the entire catalog. Mohave reserves the right to select products within the catalog for award without having to award all contents. Mohave may reject any addition of equipment options without cause.

23. PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS REGISTRATION

Any bidder submitting a perfunctory bid with no serious intent of being accepted may be removed from Mohave's prospective bidders list. Any vendor not responding to two (2) consecutive Invitations for Bid for similar procurements may be removed from the prospective bidders. A "no bid" response or request to remain on the list is sufficient to keep a vendor on the Prospective Bidders Registration.

24. PROTESTS

Protests shall be filed with Anita McLemore, C.P.M., the Executive Director (the District Representative), and shall be resolved in accordance with Arizona procurement rules and code, ARS, Title 41, Chapter 23, Article 9 (<https://www.azleg.gov/arstitle>) and State Board Rules R7-2-1001 through R7-2-1196 (<https://azsos.gov/rules/arizona-administrative-code>). *A protest must be in writing and must be filed with the Executive Director at 625 E. Beale Street, Kingman, Arizona, 86401.* Protests based upon alleged improprieties in a solicitation shall be filed before the due date and time for responses to the solicitation. The interested party shall file the protest within ten (10) days after Mohave makes the procurement file available for public inspection. A protest filed on the tenth day must be received by 5:00 p.m., local Arizona time. The interested party may file a written request for an extension. The written request shall be filed before the time limit specified above and shall set forth good cause as to the specific action or inaction of Mohave that resulted in the interested party being unable to file the protest before the time limit specified above.

A protest shall be in writing and shall include the following information:

- The name, address and telephone number of the interested party;
- The signature of the interested party or the interested party's representative;
- Identification of the solicitation by contract number;
- A detailed statement of the legal and factual grounds of protest including copies of any relevant documents;
- The form of relief requested.

Should Mohave prevail in an appeal of a decision issued by the Executive Director, appellant waives any objection to the hearing officer awarding Mohave its reasonable attorneys fees and costs along with the costs for the hearing.

25. RIGHT TO ASSURANCE

Whenever one party to the contract has a good faith reason to question the other party's intent to perform, they may demand that the other party give written assurance of its intent to perform. If a demand is made and no written assurance is given within ten (10) days, the demanding party may treat this failure as an anticipatory breach of the contract.

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26. SAFETY STANDARDS

Items supplied under the contract shall comply with current applicable Occupational Safety and Health Standards of the Arizona Industrial Commission, National Electric Code, and National Fire Protection Association Standards.

27. SHIPPING

27.1. Shipping terms/transfer of title: Shipments shall be F.O.B. destination. Title and risk of loss of material shall not pass to member until member receives the material at delivery point, unless otherwise provided in the solicitation.

27.2. Shipment under reservation: Contract vendor is not authorized to ship materials under reservation and no tender of a bill of lading will operate as a tender of the materials.

27.3. Shipping charges: Prices that include shipping to any location in Arizona, delivered to the specific receiving point identified in the purchase order, are preferred. If shipping is charged, it shall be that member is not charged more than the actual invoiced amount for shipping, and is prepaid by the contract vendor (PP&A). It is the member's responsibility to confirm shipping charges under the contract.

27.4. Shipping errors/risk of transportation: Shipping errors will be at contract vendor's expense. If contract vendor ships a product that was not ordered, contract vendor shall pay for return shipment at the convenience of member. All risk of transportation and all related charges shall be contract vendor's responsibility. Contract vendor shall file all claims for visible or concealed damage. Member will notify contract vendor promptly of any damaged goods and shall assist contract vendor in arranging for inspection.

28. SUSPENSION OR DEBARMENT STATUS

Bidder shall include a letter in its bid notifying Mohave of any debarment, suspension or other lawful action taken by any federal, state or local government within the last five years that precludes bidder or its employees from participating in any public procurement activity. Such letter shall provide name and address of the public procurement unit, effective date, duration, and relevant circumstances of the suspension or debarment. Failure to supply such letter or not disclose all pertinent information shall result in cancellation of any contract. **Letter shall be placed after Tab 1a.**

29. TAXES

29.1. Federal Excise Tax: Most members are exempt from paying Federal Excise Tax.

29.2. Payment of taxes: Member is responsible for payment of all taxes listed on the invoice. Contract vendor is responsible for collecting such taxes and shall forward all taxes to the proper revenue office. All applicable taxes must be listed as a separate item on all invoices and will be paid by member issuing the purchase order.

29.3. Property taxes: Arizona public agencies may not pay state property taxes. (Arizona Constitution, Article 9, Section 2).

29.4. Reservation or tribal tax: If goods or services are subject to reservation or tribal tax, contract vendor shall include such taxes as a separate item on the original invoice to the member.

29.5. Transaction Privilege Tax (Sales Tax): Members may be liable for Arizona Transaction Privilege Taxes, which may include state, county and city taxes. Contract vendor is responsible for charging taxes correctly.

29.6. Taxes on construction: Contract vendors for construction-related projects must follow the latest tax requirements as described in current Arizona Administrative Code and Department of Revenue transaction privilege tax procedures.

30. TIME (DEFINITION OF)

Periods of time, stated as a number of days, shall be in calendar days, not business days.

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1. BID SECURITY

1.1. Bid security requirement: School procurement rules [R7-2-1102 (A)] and as applicable in ARS §34-608 and §41-2573, require that all competitive sealed bidding for construction have bid security, if the amount of the construction contract will exceed the amount established by ARS §15-213(A). Bid security as a percentage of the bid amount is unacceptable, as this is a term contract with no specific bid amount. Bid security must be in the amount stated in "*Bid Bonds and Bonding Capacity.*"

1.2. Form of bid security: Acceptable bid security for this IFB will be a certified or cashier's check, or an annual or one time bid bond underwritten by a surety company licensed to issue bid bonds in Arizona [R7-2-1102 (B, C), ARS §34-608 and §41-2573]. Bid security may be provided using the form found in this IFB, with the principal being the prime contractor and the Obligee being Mohave Educational Services Cooperative, Inc. An agent of your licensed bonding agency shall sign the bond. If the original bond is not signed and/or has conflicting information, it shall render your bid nonresponsive.

2. CHANGE ORDERS

2.1. Adherence to specifications and drawings: The contract vendor shall follow the requirements of all specifications and drawings as closely as actual construction and work of contract vendors shall permit. Should existing conditions or limitations require a major change or rearrangement, the change shall be allowed only upon issuance of a written change order.

2.2. Change order requirement: Member and contract vendor shall establish a procedure for identifying and approving changes to the work. Member shall notify Mohave of any change that revises the cost of the project. Contract vendor shall not begin the revised work prior to receipt of the Mohave reviewed member change order.

Contract vendor agrees to follow all applicable rules and regulations for any change orders, including R7-2-1005 and as applicable in ARS §41-2552.

Change orders shall be properly documented in writing. Minor changes mutually agreed between the member and the contract vendor that do not involve compensation may be made without informing Mohave.

2.3. Costs for changes associated with improper checking or coordination: The cost of any change in construction due to improper checking of site and/or other conditions, or coordination by contract vendor, shall be borne by the contract vendor, and the contract vendor shall not be entitled to reimbursement for such costs.

3. CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

3.1. Compensation: Compensation for received goods, terms of progress payments, and a schedule of payments shall be described in the contract. The agreement shall state that Mohave will not be responsible for any late fees due the contract vendor by the member.

3.2. Member delays: As required by ARS §15-213 (D), the contract vendor shall negotiate with member for the recovery of damages related to expenses incurred by the contract vendor for a delay for which the member is responsible, which is unreasonable under the circumstances and which is not within the contemplation of the parties to the contract between the two parties. Any such negotiations shall not void any provisions between the parties that require notice of delays, provide for arbitration or other procedure for settlement or provides for liquidated damages.

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- 3.3. Construction contract requirement:** In any contract between the contract vendor and a member based on this contract, the terms and conditions of this contract shall prevail. In any contract between the member and the contract vendor, the scope of work shall include all specifications, drawings, and other official documents. All applicable codes around which the contract is made shall be included, as will any technical specifications and general conditions. The contract vendor shall acquire and pay for all permits and approvals from local, county, state and federal offices needed to accomplish the work. Contract vendor shall be entitled to direct reimbursement for the cost of such permits.
- 3.4. Form of construction contracts:** A contract between the member and the contract vendor for construction shall be an industry standard agreement. The parties may agree to use the American Institute of Architects (AIA) General Conditions of Contract for Construction Form A201 as a guide.
- 3.5. Member representative:** All formal contact between the contract vendor and/or contract vendor's personnel and the member shall be processed through the member representative. The member shall designate the member representative at the time of purchase.
- 3.6. Terms of acceptance:** Terms for acceptance by the owner and title to work must be clearly agreed upon and described in the contract. If any part of the construction requires the member to assume control before the completion, this shall be defined. Both parties shall agree on the definition of what constitutes final acceptance. Upon completion of the project, the worksite shall be left in a condition equal to or better than before the project.
- 3.7. Void provisions:** A provision, covenant, clause or understanding in, collateral to or affecting a construction contract that makes the contract subject to the laws of another state or that requires any litigation, arbitration or other dispute resolution proceeding arising from the contract to be conducted in another state is against public policy of the State of Arizona and is void and unenforceable. (ARS §15-213 and §34-227)
- 3.8. Work performed by the member:** Work to be performed by the member must be clearly described and agreed upon prior to project start up.

4. CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

- 4.1. Schedule adjustment:** The member retains the right to extend the schedule of work or to suspend the work, and to direct the contract vendor to resume work when appropriate. The agreement must describe an equitable adjustment for added costs caused by any suspension. Any increases shall be invoiced per approved contract pricing as allowed in the agreement.
- 4.2. Schedule requirement:** A schedule for performance of work that can be met without planned overtime is the responsibility of the contract vendor.
- 4.3. Work crew size:** The cost for each project shall include all costs of all necessary trained personnel to complete the project on, or before, the completion date(s) set forth in the contract. The member shall not incur additional expense for upsized crews, nor overtime costs, which might be necessary for the contract vendor to complete the project on schedule.

5. COORDINATION

- 5.1. Conflict with member activities:** The contract vendor and member shall coordinate activities so as to avoid conflicts. The contract vendor shall make every reasonable effort not to interrupt scheduled member activities with work under the contract. The contract vendor shall notify the member of any construction work that may negatively impact scheduled member activities.
- 5.2. Coordination with other vendors:** The contract vendor shall coordinate with other contractors.
- 5.3. Interruption of other work:** The contract vendor shall employ such methods or means as will not cause any interruption of, or interference with, work of any other contractor on the project site.

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6. DELIVERY OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

- 6.1. Condition of materials on delivery:** The contract vendor shall deliver materials to the worksite in new, dry, unopened, and well-marked containers showing product and contract vendor's name. Damaged or unlabeled materials will not be accepted.
- 6.2. Delivery requirement:** The contract vendor shall deliver materials in sufficient quantity to allow for continuity of work. Delivery shall be coordinated with the member's representative.
- 6.3. Precautions:** The contract vendor shall take all necessary precautions to protect its materials from damage, theft and misuse. The member shall have no responsibility for such precautions or protection.
- 6.4. Rejected and damaged material:** Damaged or rejected materials shall be immediately removed from the work area.

7. INSURANCE

Course of Construction Insurance: Upon request from member, contract vendor shall purchase and maintain course of construction insurance equal to the estimated replacement cost of the property after completion of the entire work at the site as called for in the purchase order. The insurance form will be an "all risk" type policy with standard exclusions. Coverage shall include temporary structures, scaffolding and office trailers at the site, as well as materials and equipment at the site destined to become a permanent part of the property. Any additional costs associated with course of construction insurance must be identified in the quote.

8. LABOR PRACTICES

- 8.1. Labor practices:** The contract vendor must agree to treat its labor in keeping with its labor contract agreement and to the best interest of the member. Any overtime practices or retroactive agreements with labor unions that would be to the detriment of the member must be limited to only those approved by the member.
- 8.2. Labor requirements:** The method and manner of performance must be stated in quotes and/or project documents: employees of the contract vendor are not employees of the member; the level of competency of the personnel will be subject to approval by the member; the contract vendor must agree to comply with all current applicable federal, state, and local laws; adjoining property owners must not be annoyed by noise, pollutants, material hauling operations; procedures for dealing with fire, theft, and storm damage must be established; methods the contract vendor will use to guarantee safe job practices relating to the health and welfare of the member employees and contract vendor employees will be clearly stated in quotes and/or project documents.
- 8.3. Quality of work:** All work under the contract shall be accomplished by experienced craftsmen, helpers and laborers under the supervision of the foreman or supervisor.
- 8.4. Removal of Employee or Representative:** The member shall have the right to require the contract vendor to remove from the project any employee or representative of the contract vendor, its subcontractors or suppliers that the member may deem incompetent, careless, insubordinate, or otherwise unacceptable.
- 8.5. Supervision:** The contract vendor shall furnish the services of an experienced foreman or supervisor who will continually be in charge of work on the project. The foreman or supervisor shall provide continuous supervision, coordination and inspection of the work required under the contract.

9. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

Any agreements on liquidated damages and early completion incentives shall be between the member and the contract vendor and must be agreed upon in writing prior to start up. If the member declines liquidated damages or early incentive agreement, the contract vendor shall obtain a written and signed statement to this effect. Mohave shall not be a party to liquidated damages or early completion incentive agreements.

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10. LITIGATION FOR NONPAYMENT OR NONPERFORMANCE

All litigation for nonpayment or nonperformance shall be filed as allowed in R7-2-1103 (F).

11. MEMBER COSTS

Temporary electrical service and the cost for power, the cost for water, and other member costs will be identified in writing and agreed upon.

12. PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS

12.1. Issuing performance and payment bonds: It shall be the sole responsibility of the member to determine if any applicable performance and payment bonding requirements apply to the procurement under an awarded contract. Member must request that the contract vendor provide the performance and payment bonds that meets the requirements prior to project implementation.

The contract vendor shall supply Mohave with a copy of the procured bonds upon request. If the contract vendor fails to deliver any required performance or payment bonds requested by the member, the contract with Mohave may be cancelled.

12.2. Payment bond requirement: An irrevocable payment bond shall be executed in an amount equal to 100% of the price specified in the contract between the member and the contract vendor by a surety company authorized to do business in Arizona. This bond will protect all persons supplying labor and material to the contract vendor for the performance of the work provided in the contract.

12.3. Performance bond requirement: An irrevocable performance bond shall be executed in an amount equal to 100% of the price specified in the contract between the member and the contract vendor by a surety company authorized to do business in Arizona.

13. PROGRESS PAYMENTS

13.1. Progress Payments on Construction: R7-2-1105 allows for progress payments if the contract vendor agrees to adhere to ARS §41-2577 (B) (D) (F) and as applicable in ARS §34-221. All progress payments must be invoiced to the member; it is the responsibility of the member to review and approve any estimates of work completed. If the member issues a written statement to the bidder that the estimate of work is not approved and certified, the member may withhold an amount from the progress payment the member reasonably expects to incur in correcting the deficiency set forth in the written finding, as permitted in R7-2-1105 (A). In such cases, the bidder agrees to hold Mohave harmless for any deficiency of payment.

Progress payments may be made to the contract vendor on the basis of a duly certified and approved estimate of work performed during the preceding month. The contract vendor must agree to pay any subcontractors or material suppliers within seven days of their receipt of the progress payment, unless otherwise agreed on in writing between the parties.

13.2. Schedule of payments: Once all bonds are in place, the contract vendor and the member will agree upon a schedule of payments based on identifiable milestones.

If any payment is delayed beyond 30 days from the due date, the bidder agrees not to charge Mohave interest on the late payment. Any late charges will be the total responsibility of the member. The bidder may extend any due date to avoid the requirement to pay interest in R7-2-1105 (D) and ARS §41-2577 (E) and as applicable in ARS §34-221.

Acceptance of final payment is a waiver of all claims except unsettled claims previously made in writing.

13.3. Subcontractor notification: A subcontractor to the prime contractor may request, in writing, that member notify the subcontractor in writing within five (5) days from payment of each progress payment made to the prime contractor [R7-2-1105 (C) and ARS §41-2577 (C) and as applicable in ARS §34-221]. Upon request, the prime contractor must provide Mohave or the members with a contact name, title, company name, mailing address and fax number for all subcontractors and suppliers that are covered by a payment bond.

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14. PROJECT ADVERTISING

The contract vendor must agree that the member reserves the right to release information about the project and that any advertising of the project by the contract vendor must be approved by the member.

15. PROJECT COMPLETION

15.1. Project documents: Upon completion of the work, the contract vendor shall present the member with all documents necessary to closeout the project. Maintenance manuals, drawings, warranties on installed equipment, etc., shall be given to the member.

15.2. Unfinished work: Even if final payments are made, if the member discovers an unfinished job that should have been completed, the contract vendor shall complete the work in a timely fashion at no additional cost.

16. PUBLIC WORKS

16.1. Preservation: The contract vendor shall be responsible for the preservation of all public and private property included on or adjacent to the worksite. This requirement shall apply to the surface and hidden features of the property.

16.2. Receipt of public funds: Contract vendors and subcontractors will meet the requirements of ARS Title 34, Article 3, for eligibility to receive public funds.

16.3. Residency requirement: ARS §34-302 states that only persons who have been for not less than one year a bona fide resident of Arizona shall be employed in the performance in any public work. A public works contract is defined in ARS §34-321 as "*a contract to which the state or a political subdivision is a party involving the employment of laborers, workmen or mechanics in the construction, alteration or repair of public buildings or improvements.*" It shall be the responsibility of the contract vendor to comply with these laws, when applicable.

16.4. Restoration: The contract vendor shall repair, rebuild or otherwise acceptably restore any property on or adjacent to the worksite that was damaged during the course of work on the project. Such restoration shall be at the contract vendor's expense, and is not subject to reimbursement by the member.

16.5. Public building rules, regulations and codes: Construction work on public buildings shall be in compliance with the state fire code unless a fire code has been adopted by the city, town, county or fire district in which the building is located. Public buildings shall be constructed in compliance with applicable building, plumbing, electrical, fire prevention and mechanical codes adopted by the city, town, county or fire district in which the building is located. If a public building is built in an area that has not adopted local codes, the building shall be designed or constructed according to the state fire code adopted by the state fire marshal and the building, plumbing, electrical, fire prevention and mechanical codes that apply in the largest city in the county in which the building is located. Public buildings are subject to those codes that apply and are in effect when the building is designed or constructed and to the currently adopted codes when a building is found to be structurally unsafe, without adequate egress, or a fire hazard or are otherwise dangerous to human life. "Public Building" means a building or appurtenance to a building that is built in whole or in part with public monies (see ARS §34-461).

17. RETENTION

17.1. Retention requirement: Ten (10) percent of all contract payments shall be retained by the member as insurance of proper performance of the contract vendor. Contract vendor agrees to identify the amount to be retained on invoices to member for each progress payment.

When fifty (50) percent of the work is completed, one half of the amount retained shall be paid to the contract vendor if the contract vendor requests payment and if the member is satisfied with the progress of the work.

**Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction
(Place after Tab 1c)**

After the work is fifty (50) percent completed, no more than five percent of the amount of any subsequent progress payments shall be retained, unless the governing board of the member determines satisfactory progress is not being made, at which point ten percent retention shall be reinstated.

17.2. Substitute security: If the member and the contract vendor agree to a substitute security, the agreement must be in full compliance with R7-2-1104 (D, E, F, G), or 41-2576 as applicable to the purchasing member. If a substitute security is agreed to, the contract vendor must provide Mohave and the member with a signed and acknowledged waiver of any right or power of the obligor to set off any claim against Mohave, or the member in relationship to the security assigned.

18. RULES, REGULATIONS AND CODES

18.1. Certification of personnel regarding renovations, repair, and painting: Personnel performing renovations, repair, and painting activities that disturb lead-based paint in target housing and child-occupied facilities constructed before 1978, shall comply with Part II, Environmental Protection Agency, 40 CFR Part 745, Lead; Renovation, Repair, and Painting program; Lead Hazard Information Pamphlet (<http://www.epa.gov/>).

18.2. Compliance: All work will be accomplished in conformance to current applicable OSHA safety requirements, and any additional federal, state, or local fire or safety requirement. When specifications or scope of work will result in a violation of a code or result in an unsafe condition, the contract vendor must inform the member of the situation. The contract vendor will not construct any device or produce any condition that intentionally violates a fire or safety code or safety standard.

18.3. Hazard notification: Contract vendor must advise member whenever work is expected to be hazardous.

18.4. Liens/serial numbers: All materials shall be free of liens. Bids must be for equipment on which the original manufacturer's serial number has not been altered in any way.

19. SURETY COMPANIES

Surety companies issuing bid bonds, performance bonds and/or payment bonds under this contract must be licensed by the Arizona Department of Insurance. Evidence of such license will be the name of the surety company as found in the license search database provided by the Arizona Department of Insurance (www.insurance.az.gov).

20. WORKSITE

20.1. Site access: The member shall provide an all-weather road to the site and prepare the site with room for construction equipment.

20.2. Site conditions: The condition of the site before start up shall be agreed upon between the member and the contract vendor and shall be written into the contract.

**General Terms and Conditions and
Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction Acceptance Form
(Place after Tab 1c)**

Signature on Page 2 certifies complete acceptance of the General Terms and Conditions and the Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction in this solicitation, except as noted below (additional pages may be attached, if necessary).

Check one of the following responses to the General Terms and the Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction:

- We take no exceptions/deviations to the General Terms and Conditions and the Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction.

(Note: If nothing is listed below, it is understood that no exceptions/deviations are taken.)

- We take the following exceptions/deviations to the General Terms and Conditions and the Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction. All exceptions/deviations shall be clearly explained. Reference the corresponding general terms and conditions and/or Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction that you are taking exceptions/deviations to. Clearly state if you are adding additional terms and conditions to the General Terms and Conditions and the Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction. Provide details on your exceptions/deviations below:

(Note: All requested exceptions/deviations must be clearly explained. Reference the specific terms and conditions that you are taking exceptions/deviations to, detail any proposed substitute terms and conditions, and clearly demonstrate how Mohave and its membership will be better served by the substituted terms and conditions. Unacceptable exceptions/deviations shall remove your bid from consideration for award. Mohave shall be the sole judge on the acceptance of exceptions and Mohave's decision shall be final.)

Arizona Recreation/JP & Sons Mohave IFB 190-1121 Joint Venture Agreement

AGREEMENT made as of the 15th day of November In the year 2019

BETWEEN the following:

Arizona Recreation Design, Inc.
15825 S 46th Street
Suite 126
Phoenix, AZ 85048

And

JP and Sons Contracting, Inc.
18937 E Via Del Verde
Queen Creek, AZ 85142

(Individually the "Member" and collectively the "Members").

BACKGROUND

- A. The Members wish to enter into an association of mutual benefit and agree to jointly invest and set up a joint venture enterprise.
- B. This Agreement sets out the terms and conditions governing this association.

IN CONSIDERATION OF and as a condition of the Members entering into this Agreement and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which consideration is acknowledged, the Members agree as follows:

1. By this Agreement the Members enter into a joint venture (the "Venture") in accordance with the laws of the State of Arizona. The rights and obligations of the Members will be as stated in the applicable legislation of the State of Arizona (The "Act") except as otherwise provided here.
2. The business name of the Venture will be Arizona Recreation/JP & Sons Mohave IFB 190-1121 Joint Venture.
3. The exclusive purpose of the Venture (the "Purpose") will be to furnish and install play and recreational equipment under the Mohave Cooperative Contract IFB 190-1121.
4. The duration of this Venture (the "Term") will begin on November 15, 2019 and continue in full force and effect until the occurrence of the following event: Expiration of Awarded Mohave Contract 190-1121.
5. The Term may be extended with the unanimous consent of all Members.
6. The principal office of the business of the Venture will be located at 15825 S 46th Street, Suite 126, Phoenix, AZ 85048 or such other place as the Members may from time to time designate.
7. The Venture will be directed, controlled and managed by a management committee (the "Management Committee"). Within the limits of the Purpose of the Venture and the terms of this Agreement, the Management Committee will have full authority to bind the Members in all matters relating to the direction, control and management of the Venture. Authority to bind the Venture in contract or in any third party business relation lies exclusively with the Management Committee, or its delegate.
8. The Management Committee will consist of one representative (the "Representative") for each Member unless otherwise agreed by all the Members. Each Representative will have the authority to bind their respective Member in decision relating to the Venture. Each Member may replace its Representative or appoint a temporary alternate at its own discretion on reasonable notice to the remaining Members.

9. All actions and decision respecting the appointment of an accounting firm for the Venture require the consent and agreement of a majority of the Management Committee.
10. A manager or managers may be appointed by the Management Committee where necessary or desirable. Duties of managers will be determined by the Management Committee.
11. Except as otherwise specified in this agreement, the duties and obligations of the Management Committee in relation to the Venture will include the following:
 - a. Managing the day to day business of the Venture;
 - b. Monitoring, controlling and directing the financial, business and operational affairs of the Venture;
 - c. Proper maintenance of books of account and financial records according to accepted accounting practices;
 - d. Monitoring, analyzing and acting on all issues over which it would have express or implied authority according to this Agreement; and
 - e. All responsibilities attached to hiring of production and administration staff including any required labor negotiations, and all responsibilities attached to hiring of third party contractors.
12. Each Member will be responsible for its respective duties as follows:

Member	Duties Description
Arizona Recreation Design -	Prepare and submit bid to Mohave Supply products as dictated per Contract 190-1121 Oversee contract administration including monthly reconciliation reporting Submit monthly payments to JP and Sons following Mohave payment schedule
JP & Sons Contracting -	Responsible for management and operation of installation services offered under Contract 190-1121

13. Duties of Members may be amended, from time to time, by decision of the Members, provided that the Members' interests are not affected except with the unanimous consent of the Members.
14. No capital contributions will be made by either Member.
15. Accurate and complete books of account of the transactions of the Venture will be kept in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and at all reasonable times will be available and open to inspection and examination by any Member. The books and records of the Venture will reflect all the Ventures' transactions and will be appropriate and adequate for the business conducted by the Venture.
16. The funds of the Venture will be placed in such investments and banking accounts as will be designated by the Members.
17. Regular Member meetings will be held as required. Minutes of the meetings will be maintained on file.
18. Any Member can call a special meeting to resolve urgent issues that require a vote and that cannot wait for the next regularly scheduled meeting. When calling a special meeting, all Members must be provided with reasonable notice. Where a special meeting has been called, the meeting will be restricted to the specific purpose for which the meeting was called.
19. All meetings will be held at a time and in a location that is reasonable, convenient and practical considering the situation of all Members.
20. Any vote required by the Members will be determined such that each Member receives one vote carrying equal weight.
21. This Agreement may be amended only with the unanimous consent of all Members.

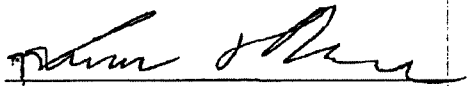
22. No new Members may be admitted into the Venture.
23. Where a Member is in breach of the Agreement and that Member has not remedied the breach on notice from the Venture and after a reasonable period then the remaining Member will have the right to terminate this Agreement with regard to that individual defaulting Member (an "Involuntary Withdrawal") and take whatever action necessary to protect the interests of the Venture.
24. If the Venture is harmed as a result of an individual Member's action or failure to act, then that individual Member will be liable for that harm. If more than one Member is at fault, then they will be jointly and severally liable for that harm.
25. Each Member will indemnify the other Member against all losses, costs and claims that may arise in the event of the Venture being terminated as a result of breach of the Agreement by that Member.
26. If a Member is placed in bankruptcy, or withdraws voluntarily from the Venture, or if there is an Operation of Law against a Member, the other Member will be entitled to proceed as if the Member had breached this Agreement.
27. Distribution of any amount owing to a dissociated Member will be made according to the percentage of ownership as described in the Valuation of Interest or as otherwise may be agreed in writing.
28. The Venture will be dissolved and its assets liquidated in the event of any of the following:
 - a. The Term expires and is not extended;
 - b. A unanimous vote by the Members to dissolve the Venture;
 - c. On satisfaction of the Purpose;
 - d. Loss or incapacity through any means of substantially all of the Venture's assets; or
 - e. Where only one Member remains.
29. On dissolution, the Venture will be liquidated promptly and within a reasonable time.
30. On liquidation of the Venture assets, distribution of any amounts to Members will be made in proportion to their respective capital accounts or as otherwise agreed in writing.
31. No allowance will be made for goodwill, trade name, patents or other intangible assets.
32. No Member may assign their Venture interest to a third party without the consent of all Members.
33. Any management vote required will be determined such that each Representative receives one vote carrying equal weight unless otherwise agreed by all the Members.
34. A Member will be free of liability to the Venture where the Member is prevented from executing their obligations under this Agreement in whole or in part due to force majeure where the Member has communicated the circumstance of that event to any and all other Members and taken any and all appropriate action to mitigate that event. Force majeure will include, but not be limited to, earthquake, typhoon, flood, fire, and war or any other unforeseen and uncontrollable event.
35. Provided a Member has the consent of the majority of the other Members, the Members to this Agreement and their respective affiliates may have interests in businesses other than the Venture. Neither the Venture nor any other member will have any rights to the assets, income, or profits of any such business, venture, or transaction. Any and all businesses, ventures, or transactions with any appearance of conflict of interest must be fully disclosed to all other Members. Failure to disclose any potential conflicts of interest will be deemed an Involuntary Withdrawal by the offending Member and may be treated accordingly by the remaining Member.
36. All matters related to this Agreement and the Venture will be treated by the Members as confidential and no Member will disclose or allow to be disclosed any Venture matter or matters, directly or indirectly, to any third party without the prior written approval of all Members except where the information properly comes into the public domain.

37. This section will survive for one year after the expiration or termination of this Agreement or dissolution of the Venture.
38. The Member expressly state the English language is to be the language of choice for this Agreement and all other notices and agreements required by the Venture.
39. The Venture will insure all its assets against loss where reasonable and standard practice in the industry.
40. Each Member will be indemnified and held harmless by the Venture from any and all harm or damages of nature relating to the Member's participation in the Venture affairs except where such harm or damages results from the gross negligence or willful misconduct on the part of the Member.
41. No Member will be liable to the Venture or to any other Member for any error in judgment or any act or failure to act where made in good faith. The Member will be liable for any and all acts or failures to act resulting from gross negligence or willful misconduct.
42. The venture may acquire insurance on behalf of any Member, employee, agent or other person engaged in the business interest of the Venture against any liability asserted against them or incurred by them while acting in good faith on behalf of the Venture.
43. Members will use their best efforts, fairly and in good faith to facilitate the success of the Venture.
44. Where allowed by statute, title to all Venture property, including intellectual property, will remain in the name of the Venture. Where joint ventures are not recognized by statute as separate legal entities, Venture property, including intellectual property, will be held in the name of one or more Members. In all cases Venture property will be applied by the Members exclusively for the benefit and purposes of the Venture and in accordance with this Agreement.
45. The Members submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of the State of Arizona for the enforcement of this Agreement and for any arbitration award or decision arising from this Agreement.
46. All Members represent and warrant that they have all authority, licenses and permits to execute and perform this Agreement and their obligations under this Agreement and that the representative of each Member has been fully authorized to execute this Agreement.
47. Each Member represents and warrants that this Agreement is not in violation of any and all agreements and constitutional documents of the individual Member.
48. For the purpose of the Agreement, the following terms are defined as follows:
 - a. **"Capital Contributions"** The Capital Contribution to the Venture actually made by the Members, including property, cash and any additional capital contributions made.
 - b. **"Majority Vote"** A Majority Vote is any amount greater than one-half of the authorized votes.
 - c. **"Operation of Law"** The Operation of Law means rights or duties that are cast upon a party by the law, without any act or agreement on the part of the individual including but not limited to an assignment for the benefit of creditors, a divorce, or a bankruptcy.
49. This Venture is termed a contractual joint venture and will not constitute a partnership. Members will provide services to one another at an arms' length basis while remaining independent business entities. There will be no pooling of profits and losses. Each Member is responsible only for its own actions and no Member is an agent for any other Member. Members will not be jointly or severally liable for the actions of other Members.
50. Time is of the essence in this Agreement.
51. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts. Facsimile signatures are binding and are considered to be original signatures.
52. Headings are inserted for the convenience of the Members only and are not to be considered when interpreting this Agreement. Words in the singular mean and include the plural and vice versa. Words in the

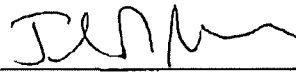
masculine gender include the feminine gender and vice versa. Words in the neuter gender include the masculine gender and the feminine gender and vice versa.

53. If any term, covenant, condition or provision of the Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, it is the Members' intent that such a provision be reduced in scope by the court only to the extent deemed necessary by that court to render the provision reasonable and enforceable and the remainder of the provisions of this Agreement will in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated as a result.
54. This Agreement contains the entire agreement between the Members. All negotiations and understandings have been included in this Agreement. Statements or representations which may have been made by any Member in the negotiations of this Agreement may in some way be inconsistent with this final written Agreement. All such statements are declared to be of no value in this Agreement. Only the written terms of this Agreement will bind the Members.
55. This Agreement and the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement apply to and are binding upon the Members' successors, assigns, executors, administrators, beneficiaries, and representatives.
56. Any notices or delivery required here will be deemed completed when hand delivered, delivered by agent, or seven (7) days after being placed in the post, postage prepaid, to the Members at the addresses contained in this Agreement or as the Members may later designate in writing.
57. All of the rights, remedies and benefits provided by this Agreement will be cumulative and will not be exclusive of any other such rights, remedies and benefits allowed by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Members have duly affixed their signatures under hand and seal on this 15th day of November, 2019.



Tim Nolan - Arizona Recreation Design, Inc.
(Member)



Joseph Perkins, Jr. - JP & Sons Contracting, Inc.
(Member)

Bid Bond
(Place after Tab 1f)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT, ARIZONA RECREATION/JP & SONS MOHAVE IFB 190-1121 JOINT VENTURE

(hereinafter called Principal), as Principal, and TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of CT, with its principal office in the city of Hartford,

(hereinafter called the Surety), as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto Mohave Educational Services Cooperative, Inc. in the State of Arizona, (hereinafter called the Obligee) in the amount of \$100,000 for 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 submitted a bid for Playgrounds, Splash Pads, Outdoor Fitness and Related Equipment.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Obligee shall accept the bid of the Principal and the Principal shall enter into a contract with the Obligee in accordance with the terms of such bid, and give such bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or contract documents with good and sufficient surety for the faithful performance of such contract and for the prompt payment of labor and material furnished in the prosecution thereof, or in the event of the failure of the Principal to enter into such contract and give such bond or bonds, if the Principal shall pay to the Obligee the difference not to exceed the penalty hereof between the amount specified in said bid and such larger amount for which the Obligee may in good faith contract with another party to perform the work covered by said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

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

Witness our hands this 18th day of November, 2019.

ARIZONA RECREATION/JP & SONS MOHAVE IFB 190-1121
JOINT VENTURE

PRINCIPAL

SEAL

BY

TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA
SURETY

SEAL

Jennifer Williams
BY Jennifer Williams, Attorney-In-Fact

Aon Risk Services Central, Inc.


AGENCY OF RECORD

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY SURETY

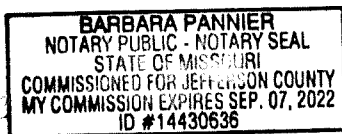
STATE OF MISSOURI
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS CITY

On this 18th day of November, 2019, before me, Barbara Pannier, a Notary Public, within and for said County and State, personally appeared Jennifer Williams to me personally known to be the Attorney-in-Fact of and for Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America and acknowledged that s/he executed the said instrument as the free act and deed of said Company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office in the aforesaid County, the day and year in this certificate first above written.



Notary Public in the State of Missouri
County of St. Louis City





**Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company
St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company**

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint **Jennifer Williams** of **ST LOUIS Missouri**, their true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact to sign, execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, recognizances, conditional undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed, and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed, this 3rd day of February, 2017.



State of Connecticut

City of Hartford ss.

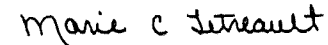
By: 
Robert L. Raney, Senior Vice President

On this the 3rd day of February, 2017, before me personally appeared Robert L. Raney, who acknowledged himself to be the Senior Vice President of Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

My Commission expires the 30th day of June, 2021




Marie C. Tetreault, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is granted under and by the authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, which resolutions are now in full force and effect, reading as follows

RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents to act for and on behalf of the Company and may give such appointee such authority as his or her certificate of authority may prescribe to sign with the Company's name and seal with the Company's seal bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking, and any of said officers or the Board of Directors at any time may remove any such appointee and revoke the power given him or her; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is in writing and a copy thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary; and it is

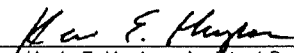
FURTHER RESOLVED, that any bond, recognizance, contract of indemnity, or writing obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking shall be valid and binding upon the Company when (a) signed by the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary and duly attested and sealed with the Company's seal by a Secretary or Assistant Secretary; or (b) duly executed (under seal, if required) by one or more Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents pursuant to the power prescribed in his or her certificate or their certificates of authority or by one or more Company officers pursuant to a written delegation of authority; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of each of the following officers: President, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, any Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto appointing Resident Vice Presidents, Resident Assistant Secretaries or Attorneys-in-Fact for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by such facsimile signature and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding on the Company in the future with respect to any bond or understanding to which it is attached.

I, Kevin E. Hughes, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which remains in full force and effect.

Dated this 18th day of November, 2019




Kevin E. Hughes, Assistant Secretary

To verify the authenticity of this Power of Attorney, please call us at 1-800-421-3880.
Please refer to the above-named Attorney-in-Fact and the details of the bond to which the power is attached.



940 West Port Plaza
St. Louis, MO 63146

Thomas G. Tedesco
Commercial Surety
Travelers Bond
Phone: (314) 579-8306
Fax: (888) 400-6771
TTedesco@Travelers.com

11/18/2019

RE: Arizona Recreation Design, Inc. – Surety Reference Letter

To Whom It May Concern,

We are providing this information at the request of Arizona Recreation Design, Inc. Travelers has been providing surety bonds for PlayPower Holdings, Inc. and their direct subsidiary Arizona Recreation Design, Inc. We have an aggregate surety limit of \$25 million with open capacity.

We continue to be confident in this principal's ability to perform and we recommend them for your favorable consideration. Travelers has not been required to perform under a labor and material payment bond or performance bond for the referenced company. Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America is rated A++ by A.M. Best.

Please note that the decision to issue a performance and payment bond for is a matter between PlayPower Holdings and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America and will be subject to our standard underwriting at the time of the final bond request, this includes the review of the bond form, contract terms and our other normal underwriting criteria. We assume no liability to third parties or to you if for any reason we do not execute said bonds.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY
COMPANY OF AMERICA

Thomas G. Tedesco

Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America is rated A++ (Superior) by A.M. Best Financial Size Category XIII (\$1.25 Billion to \$1.5 Billion).

A.M. Best's rating of A+ applies to certain insurance subsidiaries of Travelers that are members of the Travelers Insurance Companies pool; other subsidiaries are included in another rating pool or are separately rated. For a listing of companies rated by A.M. Best and other rating services visit www.travelers.com. Ratings listed herein are as of May 30, 2006, are used with permission, and are subject to changes by the rating services. For the latest rating, access ambest.com.

11/19/2019

Re: J.P. & Sons Contracting, Inc.

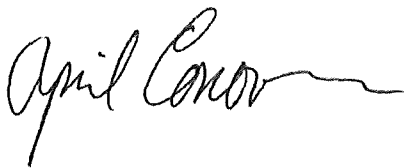
We are writing this letter at the request of J.P. & Sons Contracting, Inc..

Please be advised that we have been acting Surety for J.P. & Sons Contracting, Inc. since 05/08/2018. We have favorably considered them for single projects of \$400,000.00 and aggregate limits of \$400,000.00. These figures represent a guideline and are not a strict limitation.

RLI Insurance Company is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois and is authorized to do business in all 50 states. **RLI Insurance Company** has an A.M. Best Rating of A+XI.

This letter should not be construed as a commitment to write any specific bond and is being provided to give you an understanding of the limits we have previously considered for J.P. & Sons Contracting, Inc.. Should you require them to furnish a bid and/or performance and payment bonds, please be advised that we would be willing to consider issuance of such bonds subject to review of the contract terms, acceptable financing and J.P. & Sons Contracting, Inc. compliance with underwriting conditions at the time a request for bonds is made.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "April Conover". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

April Conover
Underwriter
RLI Insurance Company

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
ATTN: Customer Care and Outreach
PO BOX 29032
Phoenix, AZ 85038-9032



ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
TRANSACTION PRIVILEGE TAX LICENSE
NOT TRANSFERABLE

The licensee listed below is licensed to conduct business upon the condition that taxes are paid to Arizona Department of Revenue as required under provisions of A.R.S. Title 42, Chapter 5, Article 1.

2019

ISSUED TO: ARIZONA RECREATION DESIGN
INCORPORATED
PO BOX 93398
PHOENIX AZ 85070

ALL communications and reports MUST REFER to this LICENSE NO.

LICENSE: 20577071
START DATE: 07/01/2010
ISSUED: 12/04/2018
EXPIRES: 12/31/2019

LOCATION: CODE 001
ARIZONA RECREATION DESIGN
INCORPORATED
15825 S 46TH ST STE 129
PHOENIX, AZ 85048
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ATTN: Customer Care and Outreach
PO BOX 29032
Phoenix, AZ 85038-9032



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TRANSACTION PRIVILEGE TAX LICENSE
NOT TRANSFERABLE

The licensee listed below is licensed to conduct business upon the condition that taxes are paid to Arizona Department of Revenue as required under provisions of A.R.S. Title 42, Chapter 5, Article 1.

2019

ISSUED TO: JP & SONS CONTRACTING INC
1517 W 7TH ST
MESA AZ 85201

ALL communications and reports MUST REFER to this LICENSE NO.

► **LICENSE:** 20111791
START DATE: 04/01/2006
ISSUED: 12/25/2018
EXPIRES: 12/31/2019

LOCATION: CODE 001
JP & SONS CONTRACTING
18937 E VIA DEL VERDE ST
QUEEN CREEK, AZ 85242
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