

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. 9333 FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION FUNDING

## ATTENDANCE AT THE PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED

### **ISSUING DEPARTMENT:**

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PROPOSALS ARE DUE AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN BELOW NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019; 4:00 PM AT THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS STEPHEN P. CLARK CENTER 111 NW 1<sup>st</sup> STREET, SUITE 17-202 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33128-1983

THE CLERK OF THE BOARD BUSINESS HOURS ARE 8:00 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY. THE CLERK OF THE BOARD IS CLOSED ON HOLIDAYS OBSERVED BY THE COUNTY. ALL PROPOSALS RECEIVED AND TIME STAMPED BY THE CLERK OF THE BOARD PRIOR TO THE PROPOSAL SUBMITTAL DEADLINE SHALL BE ACCEPTED AS TIMELY SUBMISSIONS. PROPOSALS WILL BE OPENED PROMPTLY AT THE TIME AND PLACE SPECIFIED. PROPOSALS RECEIVED AFTER THE FIRST PROPOSAL HAS BEEN OPENED WILL NOT BE OPENED AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUBMITTING A RESPONSE TO THIS REQUEST FOR PRPOSALS (RFP) AT THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ON OR BEFORE THE STATED TIME AND DATE WILL BE SOLELY AND STRICTLY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PROPOSER. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DELAYS CAUSED BY ANY MAIL, PACKAGE OR COURIER SERVICE, INCLUDING THE U.S. MAIL, OR CAUSED BY ANY OTHER OCCURENCE. ALL EXPENSES INVOLVED WITH THE PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS TO THE COUNTY, OR ANY WORK PERFORMED IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, SHALL BE BORNE BY THE PROPOSER(S). REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR INQUIRIES MUST BE MADE IN WRITING AND RECEIVED BY THE COUNTY'S CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE. THE COUNTY WILL ISSUE RESPONSES TO INQUIRIES AND ANY CHANGES TO THIS RFP IT DEEMS NECESSARY IN WRITTEN ADDENDA ISSUED PRIOR TO THE PROPOSAL DUE DATE. PROPOSERS WHO OBTAIN COPIES OF THIS RFP FROM SOURCES OTHER THAN THE COUNTY'S OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET - GRANTS COORDINATION OR ITS WEBSITE AT https://www8.miamidade.gov/global/service.page?Mduid service=ser153511904736332 RISK THE POSSIBILITY OF NOT RECEIVING ADDENDA AND ARE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THOSE RISKS.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER AND DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE BASED ON AGE, GENDER IDENTITY, RACE, OR DISABILITY.

### FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

### 1.0 PROJECT OVERVIEW AND GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Miami-Dade County, hereinafter referred to as the County, as represented by the Miami-Dade County Office of Management and Budget - Grants Coordination (OMB-GC) is accepting proposals from non-profit 501(c)(3) organizations for the provision of environmental enhancement and education services for Miami-Dade County residents. The County anticipates awarding a contract(s) not to exceed twelve (12) months with the Contract Period starting on or after July 1, 2019.

### 1.1 Definitions

The following words and expressions used in this Request for Proposals (RFP) shall be construed as follows, except when it is clear from the context that another meaning is intended:

- A. The word "Contractor" to mean the Proposer that receives any award of a contract from the County as a result of this Request for Proposals, also to be known as "the prime Contractor" or "Provider."
- B. The word "County" to mean Miami-Dade County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida.
- C. The word "Proposer" to mean the person, firm, entity, or organization submitting a response to this RFP.
- D. The word "Department" to mean the Office of Management and Budget Grants Coordination.
- E. The word "Employee" to mean any person paid by the Contractor to furnish part-time or full-time labor hours in connection with the services to the County, whether directly or indirectly on behalf of the Contractor.
- F. The words "Environmental Education" to mean the increase of public awareness and knowledge about environmental issues; providing the public with the skills needed to make informed decisions and take responsible actions; enhancing critical-thinking, problem-solving, and effective decision-making skills; teaching individuals to weigh various sides of an environmental issue to make informed and responsible decisions. It does not advocate a particular viewpoint or course of action.
- G. The words "Scope of Services" to mean Section 3.0 of this RFP, which details the work to be performed by the Contractor.
- H. The word "Subcontractor" to mean any person, firm, entity, or organization, other than the employees of the Contractor, who contracts with the Contractor to furnish labor, or labor and materials, in connection with the Services to the County, whether directly or indirectly, on behalf of the Contractor.
- I. The word "Vendor" to mean any person, firm, entity, or organization other than the subcontractors or employees paid by the Contractor to furnish labor, including temporary employment, labor materials, supplies, products, and/or any other services directly in connection with the services to the County.
- J. The words "Work," "Services," "Program," or "Project" to mean all matters and things that will be required to be done by the Contractor in accordance with the Scope of Services and the terms and conditions of this RFP.

### 1.2 General Proposal Information

Note that this RFP is for the distribution of grants, and is not a competitive procurement process for: the purchase of goods and services; or the selection of persons or entities to construct public improvements, provide supplies, materials or services, or to lease any County property. The

County may, at its sole and absolute discretion, reject any and all or parts of any or all responses; accept parts of any and all responses; further negotiate project scope and fees with any proposer; postpone or cancel at any time this RFP process; or waive any irregularities in this RFP or in the responses received as a result of this process. The County reserves the right to request and evaluate additional information from any respondent after the submission deadline, as the County deems necessary.

Proposals shall be irrevocable until contract award unless the proposal is withdrawn. A proposal may be withdrawn in writing only, addressed to the County contact person for this RFP, prior to the proposal due date or upon the expiration of 180 calendar days after the opening of proposals.

Proposers are hereby notified that all information submitted as part of, or in support of proposals will be available for public inspection after opening of proposals, in compliance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, popularly known as the "Public Records Law." The Proposer shall not submit any information in response to this RFP that the Proposer considers to be a trade secret, proprietary, or confidential. The submission of any information to the County in connection with this RFP shall be deemed conclusively to be a waiver of any trade secret or other protection which would otherwise be available to the Proposer. In the event that the Proposer submits information to the County in violation of this restriction, either inadvertently or intentionally, and clearly identifies that information in the proposal as protected or confidential, the County shall endeavor to redact and return that information to the Proposer as quickly as possible, and if appropriate, evaluate the balance of the proposal. The redaction or return of information pursuant to this clause may render a proposal non-responsive.

Any Proposer may be found non-responsive if, at the time of proposal submission, it is involved in an ongoing bankruptcy as a debtor, or in a reorganization, liquidation, or dissolution proceeding, or if a trustee or receiver has been appointed over all or a substantial portion of the Proposer's property under federal bankruptcy law or any state insolvency law.

To request a copy of any ordinance, resolution and/or administrative order cited in this RFP, the Proposer must contact the Clerk of the Board at (305) 375-5126.

### 1.3 Aspirational Policy Regarding Diversity

Pursuant to Resolution No. R-1106-15 Miami-Dade County vendors are encouraged to utilize a diverse workforce that is reflective of the racial, gender, and ethnic diversity of Miami-Dade County and employ locally-based small firms and employees from the communities where work is being performed in their performance of work for the County. This policy shall not be a condition of contracting with the County, nor will it be a factor in the evaluation of solicitations unless permitted by law.

#### 1.4 Cone of Silence

Pursuant to Section 2-11.1(t) of the Miami-Dade County Code, as amended, a "Cone of Silence" is imposed upon each RFP or RFQ after advertisement and terminates at the time a written recommendation is issued. The Cone of Silence prohibits any communication regarding RFPs or RFQs between, among others:

- potential Proposers, service providers, lobbyists or consultants **and** the County's professional staff including, but not limited to, the County Mayor and the County Mayor's staff, County Commissioners and their respective staff;
- County Commissioners and their respective staff **and** the County's professional staff including, but not limited to, the County Mayor and the County Mayor's staff; or

• potential Proposers, service providers, lobbyists or consultants, any member of the County's professional staff, the Mayor, County Commissioners or their respective staff, and any member of the respective selection committee.

The provisions do not apply to, among other communications:

- oral communications with the staff of the Vendor Services Section, or the responsible Contracting Officer, provided the communication is limited strictly to matters of process or procedure already contained in the RFP document;
- oral communications at pre-proposal conferences and oral presentations before selection committees during any duly noticed public meeting, public presentations made to the Board of County Commissioners during any duly noticed public meeting; or
- · recorded contract negotiations and contract negotiation strategy sessions; or
- communications in writing at any time with any County employees, official or member of the Board of County Commissioners unless specifically prohibited by the applicable RFP or RFQ documents.

When the Cone of Silence is in effect, all potential vendors, service providers, bidders, lobbyists, and consultants shall file a copy of any written correspondence concerning the particular RFP or RFQ with the Clerk of the Board, which shall be made available to any person upon request. The County shall respond in writing (if County deems a response necessary) and file a copy with the Clerk of the Board, which shall be made available to any person upon request. Written communications may be in the form of e-mail sent to the RFP Contracting Officer, Daniel T. Wall dtw@miamidade.gov. with CODV to the Clerk of the Board CLERKBCC@MIAMIDADE.GOV.

### 1.5 Public Entity Crimes

Pursuant to Paragraph 2(a) of Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, a person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a proposal for a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a proposal on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit proposals on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and, may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017 for Category Two (\$10,000) for a period of thirty-six (36) months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

### 1.6 Lobbyist Contingency Fees

- A. In accordance with Section 2-11.1(s) of the Code of Miami-Dade County, after May, 16, 2003, no person may, in whole or in part, pay, give or agree to pay or give a contingency fee to another person. No person may, in whole or in part, receive or agree to receive a contingency fee.
- B. A contingency fee is a fee, bonus, commission or non-monetary benefit as compensation which is dependent on or in any way contingent upon the passage, defeat, or modification of: 1) any ordinance, resolution, action, or decision of the County Commission; 2) any action, decision, or recommendation of the County Mayor or any County board or committee; or 3) any action, decision, or recommendation of any County personnel during the time period of the entire decision-making process regarding such action, decision, or recommendation that foreseeably will be heard or reviewed by the County Commission or a County board or committee.

### 1.7 Collusion

A Proposer shall certify by completing and executing a Collusion Affidavit, attached hereto as Appendix H, that they are not related to any of the parties bidding in the competitive RFP, and that the Proposer's proposal is genuine and not a sham or is collusive or made in the interest of or on behalf of any person not named in the Collusion Affidavit. The Proposer must also certify that they have not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other proposer to put in a sham proposal, or any other person, firm, or corporation to refrain from proposing. The Proposer shall further certify that they have not in any manner sought by collusion to secure to the Proposer an advantage over any other proposer. Failure to provide a Collusion Affidavit within five (5) business days after the recommendation to award has been filed with the Clerk of the Board shall be cause for the contractor to forfeit their bid/proposal bond.

### 1.8 Background

In February of 2019, Miami-Dade County awarded and entered into contracts with qualified and eligible 501(c)(3) non-profit community-based organizations for funding that was allocated in the Budget of the 2017-18 Fiscal Year. In order for this particular type of funding allocation to progress and to be timely with the current fiscal year, the Office of Management and Budget, Grants Division, is again seeking proposals for Fiscal Year 2018-19, offering a distribution of grant funding to non-profit 501(c)(3) organizations for the provision of environmental enhancement and education services for Miami-Dade County residents. Please note that this RFP 9333 has added information to the Priority Requests provided in Section 3.0 Scope of Services.

While all of the proposal restrictions are listed below, each community-based organization that had been awarded funding under RFP 8733 for Fiscal Year 2017-18 when applying under this RFP 9333 may only seek funding for a program that is dissimilar to the one for which they are receiving County funds.

### **Proposal Restrictions:**

- Environmental Education should be a core mission of the community-based organization. The
  proposal must state the organization's mission and should provide documentation to
  substantiate that environmental education is a central component of the organization's goals,
  objectives, and activities.
- Project activities that receive funding through this RFP must take place during the twelve (12)
  month period that begins on or after July 1, 2019. A CBO grant award carries no commitment
  for future County support beyond this time period and scope of the project.
- All proposed activities must take place in Miami-Dade County and benefit Miami-Dade County residents.
- Due to the limited availability of funds, one-time events will not be considered for funding.
- All proposed activities must contain an environmental outreach and education component as part of their scope of services.
- Proposed scope of service must include a component that assists the funding departments (Department of Regulatory and Economic Resources, Division of Environmental Resources Management [RER-DERM]; Water and Sewer Department [WASD]; and Department of Solid Waste Management [SWM]) by providing staff upon request for presentations and other outreach activities. This outreach shall be based on the proposer's area of expertise.
- Proposers cannot receive more than one grant award under this RFP.
- Proposers that received funding and are currently under a contract following award under FY17-18 Environmental Education CBO Funding RFP No. 8733 may only seek funding for a program that is dissimilar to the one for which they had receiving County funds. In other

words, the agency's request in this new distribution effort must include its own unique program.

### 1.9 Projected Funding Levels

It is anticipated that maximum funding for Environmental Education Community-Based Organization (CBOs) under this RFP for (FY) 2018-19 is approximately \$730,000. That funding is contingent upon the continued availability and appropriation of funds by the County as well as all required administrative approvals at the following projected levels: \$430,000 from RER-DERM; \$200,000 from WASD; and, \$100,000 from SWM.

### 2.0 RFP REQUIREMENTS

- A. Eligibility to apply for CBO funding is limited to 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations. An IRS letter of determination of 501(c)(3) status dated prior to the RFP submission deadline must be included as part of the agency's proposal submission. Include this documentation as directed in Section 7.6 of this RFP. The County, at its sole discretion, may consider any extenuating circumstances regarding the provision of required documentation if adequate justification, explanation, and supporting documentation is provided as it relates to IRS-related letters or forms. Failure to be a 501(c)(3) as of the time of the RFP submission deadline will render the proposal non-responsive.
- B. Multiple Applications: Organizations may NOT submit multiple applications and will not receive more than one grant under this RFP.
- C. Funding Cap: The maximum amount of funding that any one organization can request from this RFP cannot exceed **\$65,000**.
- D. Administrative Cost Cap: Administrative costs may not exceed 15% of the total funding received for any one program.
- E. Miami-Dade County Oversight: The Office of Management and Budget Grants Coordination is responsible for the continued development and implementation of the Environmental Education CBO funding process, including contract oversight and administration.
- F. Copies of the Miami-Dade County Request for Proposal No. 9333 "Environmental Education Community-Based Organization (CBO) Funding," are available at the following location:

Miami-Dade County
Office of Management and Budget, Grants Coordination
Stephen P. Clark Center
111 NW 1st Street, 22nd Floor
Miami, FL 33128
(305) 375-4742

or, a copy of all RFP files and subsequent addendum may be downloaded, after registering as a potential proposer, at

https://www8.miamidade.gov/global/service.page?Mduid\_service=ser153511904736332.

#### 3.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES

Below is the identified priority focus area with types of activities that may be proposed. This list does not represent an all-inclusive list, but it is a priority list and should be used to help identify various activities related to programs supporting countywide and/or neighborhood-based environmental resources, conservation, and educational services. The County, in its sole discretion, may award funds to any activity type listed herein or not listed herein, any combination of activity types, or no activity types. It is within the parameters of this RFP that at the sole discretion of the County, the County may allow re-negotiation of the contract scope of services of any proposer.

### **General Activity Requests**

- For those organizations targeting school-aged children, special emphasis is to be placed on serving critically low performing schools based on the most recent, publicly available list of low-scoring schools as determined by the State of Florida's testing scores.
- Special emphasis is to be placed on serving at-risk children and residents from economically disadvantaged urban neighborhoods with low-income and minority populations.
- Upon sufficient notice and mutual agreement, the organization will be available to conduct presentations (to schools, homeowners groups, community fairs, Commissioner events, residents, etc.) at the request of the Department of Regulatory and Economic Resources, Division of Environmental Resources Management (RER-DERM); Department of Solid Waste Management (SWM); and Water and Sewer Department (WASD).

### **Specific Activity Requests**

### PRIORITY 1 – WATER POLLUTION/WATER CONSERVATION/DRINKING WATER QUALITY

Conduct environmental education programs to educate businesses and residents (both adults and students) regarding water pollution, water conservation, and water quality issues. Main program topics to be provided by RER-DERM/SWM/WASD as well as some pamphlets and other outreach materials that can be reproduced/printed and disseminated by the provider organization. Programs may include one or more of the following:

- Conduct Neighborhood Environmental Awareness Campaigns to draw the connection between the urban landscape and surface water quality. The presentation will cover topics such as existing water quality programs, general water quality issues in Miami-Dade County, and household/business best management practices (BMPs). Presentations including methods of reducing pollution going into surface water bodies and neighborhood storm sewer systems will be awarded extra points. Presentations should also include information about avoiding floodwaters, for example during King Tide periods, and adopting good hygiene practices such as hand washing and showering after exposure.
- Lawn Care/Landscaping Chemicals Educate residents on the benefits of reducing irrigation
  and amounts of pesticides, herbicides, and fertilizers used on lawns and landscaping (benefits
  to water quality, water quantity, and health, as well as value of reduced costs); and the
  importance of adhering to the County's permanent water restrictions, which are available
  online at <a href="http://www.miamidade.gov/waterconservation/water-restrictions.asp">http://www.miamidade.gov/waterconservation/water-restrictions.asp</a>.

- Conduct educational programs to inform residents about high quality potable water available to Miami-Dade County residents and the benefits of drinking Miami-Dade water versus drinking bottled water.
- Conduct educational programs for residents about problems created by discharges from their kitchen and bathroom sink drains. This will include discharges of oil, cooking grease, old medications, and other chemicals. Provide educational information regarding the infrastructure damage, financial impact to repair, and environmental impact related to sewer breaks resulting from "disposable wipes" accumulating in the lines. Geographical areas that have significant blockages related to fats, oils, and grease are within the following zip codes: 33137, 33127, 33142, 33136, 33132, 33149, 33130, 33128, 33125, 33126, 33175, 33176, 33144, 33178, and 33175.
- Conduct educational programs on the source of Miami-Dade County's water and how it is treated and properly disposed.
- Conduct educational programs on the rationale and benefits of connecting commercial and residential properties to the regional sanitary sewer collection and treatment system. This should include information on the vulnerability of septic systems to flooding and increasing groundwater stages due to sea-level rise.
- Conduct educational programs for residents about: how salt-water intrusion affects water quality; how water consumption, water conservation, and sea level rise impact salt-water intrusion; WASD's numerous Water Conservation Rebate Programs whose information is available online at <a href="http://www.miamidade.gov/waterconservation/">http://www.miamidade.gov/waterconservation/</a>; or sources of water pollution in the urban environment, including urban stormwater run-off. This could include a review of the benefits of pervious, green spaces and vegetation to retain or partially treat urban stormwater. This could also include review of the hydrologic cycle and the typical precipitation patterns in the region and the impact rising groundwater has on flooding from rain events.
- Conduct educational programs for interest groups such as fishing clubs or boating associations regarding marine debris and proper disposal methods for bulky items such as crab traps and boats. Marine debris programs should also address litter in urban/upland areas and how debris makes its way to the ocean via storm drains and wind.
- Conduct educational programs about how one's activities directly affect the surrounding environment/water quality of our bays, ocean, and other water bodies, i.e., improper disposal of garbage, inappropriate flushing, etc.
- Coordinate and conduct an English, Spanish, and/or Creole water pollution/water conservation/water quality education program utilizing one or several media outlets such as video, radio, or print.
- Hands on educational projects (i.e., traveling demonstrations, models) on water quality issues.
- Participate in and lead volunteer groups at Biscayne Bay Cleanup Day or other Countysponsored marine debris removal events.

- Educate and encourage residents to adopt Florida Friendly Landscaping (FFL) programs available to Miami Dade County residents and the county-wide landscape irrigation rebate program that encourages FFL as well as the installation of high efficiency landscape retrofits and related rebates.
- Conduct educational programs on the benefits of composting select residential kitchen waste and yard waste, which converts materials that could wind up in a landfill into a useful product for enriched soil and gardens. Include information about the avoidance of energy and carbon emissions associated with transportation of compostable materials to a centralized final disposal site, and the availability of composting workshops hosted by the Miami-Dade County Department of Solid Waste Management, in cooperation with the Miami-Dade County Extension Service.

NOTE: All presentations should include an announcement of RER-DERM's 24-hour anonymous complaint line (http://www.miamidade.gov/environment/complaints.asp) and how to report illegal sewer connections or activity such as putting vegetation, litter, or other materials into storm drains or bodies of water.

### PRIORITY 2 – URBAN FORESTRY

Conduct environmental education programs to educate businesses and residents (both adults and students) regarding urban forestry and tree canopy issues. Main program topics to be provided by RER-DERM as well as some pamphlets and other outreach materials that can be reproduced/printed and disseminated by the provider organization. Programs may include one or more of the following:

- Native vegetation plantings and/or exotic plant removal from publicly owned coastal dune, wetland, pineland, and hardwood hammock communities in Miami-Dade County by volunteer groups. (Provider will need to obtain Miami-Dade County approval of dates/times and activities on these properties.) Plantings of appropriate vegetation in swale areas to improve drainage, shade, and air quality may also be considered, if appropriate government approvals and permits are obtained.
- Removal of Exotic Vegetation targeting prohibited and controlled species on other publicly owned park lands and public rights of way (appropriate government approvals shall be obtained).
- Conduct educational programs on the rationale and benefits of environmentally sensitive land acquisition and management through the Environmentally Endangered Lands Program. This should include information on threatened/endangered species and critical habitat.
- Conduct tree planting demonstrations at Adopt-a-Tree events.
- Participate in and lead volunteer groups at Adopt-a-Tree events.
- Lead hands-on educational projects (i.e., traveling demonstrations, models) designed to promote urban forestry and the proper planting, care, and maintenance of trees.

- Conduct educational programs about the important role vegetation / green infrastructure plays
  in protecting and improving water and air quality in our community, and how it can help
  mitigate the impact of climate change.
- Provide educational programs about how coastal forests and other vegetation protect the community from storms, slow erosion by stabilizing shorelines, help manage storm water and improve water quality, and provide essential habitat.
- Conduct educational programs about the County's tree resources preservation program
  including a brief summary of County regulations regarding permitting for tree removal work,
  work in Natural Forest Communities, and impacts to specimen-sized trees. This should also
  include information on improper and over trimming of trees and the importance of adhering to
  the County's permanent water restrictions which are available online at
  <a href="http://www.miamidade.gov/waterconservation/water-restrictions.asp">http://www.miamidade.gov/waterconservation/water-restrictions.asp</a>
- Coordinate and conduct an English, Spanish, and/or Creole education program focusing on the importance of trees utilizing one or several media outlets, such as video, radio, digital, or print.

NOTE: All presentations should include an announcement of RER-DERM's 24-hour anonymous complaint line and how to report anyone who illegally dumps materials/trash/garbage or releases animals into natural areas, sells or plants invasive exotics, cuts down specimen size or protected trees (e.g., mangroves), hat-racks trees, etc.

#### PRIORITY 3 - RECYCLING and SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

- Conduct educational programs to inform residents about problems created by placing unacceptable materials such as plastic bags, Styrofoam, fast food containers, garden hoses and electrical cords in Miami-Dade County's curbside recycling carts. Include information about the physical damage and financial costs of facility shut downs required to repair processing equipment at recycling plants when unacceptable materials are placed in recycling carts.
- Conduct educational programs to inform residents about problems created by improper disposal of household hazardous waste including propane tanks, solvents, motor oil, pesticides, electronics, and fluorescent light bulbs. Include information about the availability of two Household Chemical Collection Centers open to Miami-Dade County residents, as well as potential injury to waste management employees and the physical and financial damage caused to Miami-Dade County's Waste-to Energy facility when propane tanks and other potentially explosive items are disposed of with regular household waste.
- Conduct educational programs on the benefits of composting select residential kitchen waste and yard waste, which converts materials that could wind up in a landfill into a useful product for enriched soil and gardens. Include information about the avoidance of energy and carbon emissions associated with transportation of compostable materials to a centralized final disposal site, and the availability of composting workshops hosted by the Miami-Dade County Department of Solid Waste Management, in cooperation with the Miami-Dade County Extension Service.
- Conduct educational programs on the societal, environmental, and financial problems caused by illegal dumping and littering. Include information on the millions of dollars spent on

enforcement and cleanup costs, and the availability of the 311Direct mobile application for reporting illegal dumping. Additionally, promote participation in the County's "Let's Clean Things Up" program designed to prevent and abate litter and to foster community pride.

 Conduct educational programs on Miami-Dade County's integrated waste management system, highlighting the Waste-to-Energy facility's purpose of volume reduction by recovering metals for recycling and converting waste into either power that is supplied to the electrical grid or biomass fuel.

### PRIORITY 4 – GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL

- Provide performance-oriented programs in English, Spanish, and/or Creole, targeting mixed audiences with special emphasis on water quality protection, water conservation, and/or general environmental quality, including how they may be influenced by climate change. The intolerance of the County's natural environment of the Everglades and Biscayne Bay to phosphorous pollution shall be emphasized in any programs relating to environmental water quality protection.
- Conduct hands-on educational projects (i.e., traveling demonstrations, models, etc.) on general environmental issues and potential influences resulting from climate change.
- Lead performance-oriented programs or hands on educational projects or programs that help the target audience understand the relationships between air, water, and natural resources environmental quality with shocks (such as hurricanes, infrastructure failure, or flooding) and stressors (such as sea level rise, climate change, poverty, or overtaxed transportation systems). Educational programs could include information on how rising groundwater can impact public and private infrastructure, including septic tank systems.

NOTE: All presentations should include an announcement of RER-DERM's 24-hour anonymous complaint line and what may constitute illegal activity and how to report it.

#### 4.0 AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

Proposers must submit, as directed in Section 7.6 of this RFP, a complete copy of their organization's most current certified audit with the original application verifying that the agency is on sound financial footing and able to implement a funded service on a reimbursement basis. Financial statements do not represent a complete audit. If a certified audit is not available, financial statements and detailed plans to comply with contractual audit requirements must be submitted as part of the proposal narrative. At a minimum, your organization's most current signed and dated IRS Form 990 must be submitted in the name of the Proposer. Failure to submit the IRS Form 990 may cause the County to reject your proposal and your proposal may not be forwarded to an Evaluation/Selection committee.

### 5.0 APPLICATION PROCEDURES AND TIMELINE

### FY 2018-19 Environmental Education CBO Funding RFP No. 9333 Anticipated Timeline

April 1, 2019	RFP Released (12:00 p.m.) and published on Website
April 8, 2019	Pre-Proposal Conference (2:00-4:00 pm.)
May 1, 2019	Proposal Submission Deadline (4:00 pm.)
May 2-8, 2019	Staff Review and Sorting of Proposals
May 8, 2019	Selection Committee Training/Kickoff Meeting
May 8-13, 2019	Cure Period
May 31, 2019	Review/Selection Committee Meeting
June 6-10, 2019	Proposers Notified and Appeals Process Starts/Ends
June 13, 2019	Mayor Approves Final Recommendations for Grant Awards
June 14, 2019	Contract Execution Process Begins
July 1, 2019	Contract Period Begins

Any and all dates may be extended at the County's sole discretion. All Proposers who registered by signing the pick-up log at OMB-GC or registered electronically will be notified of the new deadline(s).

### 5.1 Designated Contact Person and Technical Assistance

Miami-Dade County is committed to providing technical assistance to prospective Proposers for this RFP. Proposers for these funds are encouraged to submit any written questions about the programmatic or technical aspects of this RFP in writing to the County by delivery, fax, or e-mail prior to the submission deadline of proposals.

### Please address all correspondence to the Designated Contact Person for this RFP:

Daniel T. Wall
Office of Management and Budget
Grants Coordination
111 NW 1st Street, 22nd Floor
Miami, Florida 33128

Office: (305) 375-4742 / Fax: (305) 375-4454

E-mail: dtw@miamidade.gov

### 5.2 Pre-Proposal Conference

Attendance at the scheduled Pre-Proposal Conference is strongly encouraged. This session will provide an opportunity for Proposers to raise questions about any requirements of this RFP. The Pre-Proposal Conference will be held on the following date and time:

Stephen P. Clark Building 111 NW 1st Street, Miami, Florida 33128 18<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room 18-4 **Monday, April 8, 2019; 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm** 

#### 5.3 Additional Information/Addenda

Miami-Dade County will issue responses to inquiries and any other corrections or amendments it deems necessary in a written addenda or addendum issued prior to the Application Due Date. Proposers should not rely on any representations, statements, or explanations other than those made in this RFP or in any written addendum to this RFP. Where there appears to be conflict between the RFP and any addendum issued, the last addendum issued shall prevail. It is the Proposer's responsibility to ensure receipt of all addenda/um. The Proposer should verify with the Designated Contracting Officer prior to submitting an application that all addenda/um have been received. Any and all addenda/um will be sent via e-mail to all registered participants in this RFP process and will be made available on the website for the Office of Management and Budget - Grants Coordination at

https://www8.miamidade.gov/global/service.page?Mduid service=ser153511904736332. Proposers are required to acknowledge the number of addenda received as part of their application. (See the Acknowledgement of Receipt of Addenda Form included in Section 7.6 of this RFP.)

Proposers who obtain copies of this RFP and who do not register by signing a pick-up log at OMB-GC or registering electronically with their contact information, or who obtain copies from sources other than those listed in this section of the RFP risk the potential of not receiving a complete document and/or any addenda/um, as their names will not be included on the list of registered agencies participating in the process for this particular RFP. Any such Proposers are solely responsible for those risks.

### 5.4 Proposal Deadline

Proposers must submit a signed original, clearly labeled as such, **SINGLE-SIDED**, plus three (3) copies of their application in a sealed envelope or container addressed to Daniel T. Wall, Miami-Dade County, Office of Management and Budget - Grants Coordination (OMB-GC) to:

Miami-Dade County Clerk of the Board Stephen P. Clark Center 111 NW 1st Street, Suite 17-202 Miami, FL 33128

Applications are due to the Clerk's Office on or before 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1, 2019.

Applications may be mailed, sent by courier, express-mailed, or hand-delivered to Clerk's Office. Applications cannot be faxed or e-mailed. Proposers are solely responsible for completing the

RFP application and following all instructions (required forms, attachments, etc.), and submitting the materials on time, on or before the submission deadline to the Clerk's Office. The Clerk's Office is open only between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays, excluding County observed holidays.

Only the original proposal needs to include all required attachments. All documents are to be provided single-sided.

- **5.5** Packaging/Labeling FY 2018-19 Environmental Education CBO RFP No. 9333 The information identified in Appendix A, entitled "Label", must be affixed to the outside of the sealed envelope or container.
- **5.6 Minimum Requirements for FY 2018-19 Environmental Education CBO RFP No. 9333** All applications will be screened by Miami-Dade County's Office of Management and Budget Grants Coordination, to ensure compliance with the following minimum requirements for the Environmental Education Community-Based Organization Funding Request for Proposal No. 9333:
  - 1. Timely and complete submission of the application package (See Section 7.6, Application Checklist for Fully Completed Application and Prescribed Order);
  - 2. Must provide an IRS letter of determination documenting 501(c)3 status, a copy of the most recent IRS Form 990, and proof of submission;
  - 3. Must provide services in Miami-Dade County;
  - 4. Must submit one copy of applicant's last completed fiscal audit and/or financial statements and/or bank statements (submit in the original);
  - 5. Must provide a copy of the current or most recent annual agency-wide operating budget and describe how the program will be implemented on a reimbursement basis;
  - 6. Must provide copies of the two (2) most recent independent site visit monitoring reports issued by applicable funding sources;
  - 7. Must provide a copy of the organization's Mission Statement; and
  - 8. Submission of one signed original plus three (3) copies of the application package.

Miami-Dade County is not responsible for making copies or otherwise fulfilling the application requirements for Proposers who do not submit the required documentation and number of copies. It is the Proposers' responsibility to ensure that their application is timely and complete when submitted and that it contains the necessary components, documentation, and attachments as required by Miami-Dade County.

### 5.7 Preliminary Screening, Due Diligence (R-630-13), and Report Card (R-142-15)

All proposals will be screened by the Office of Management and Budget - Grants Coordination for compliance with minimum requirements as described in Section 5.6 of this RFP. Proposals that meet the minimum requirements will be considered reviewable. It is the responsibility of the Proposer to verify if their proposal has passed preliminary screening and to correct any and/or all RFP submission requirement deficiencies. Proposers failing to do so will risk that their proposal will not be forwarded for review to the Evaluation/Selection Committees.

As required by Resolution No. R-630-13, a due diligence search and review will be conducted by OMB staff for each Proposer and any proposed subcontractors utilizing a standard checklist developed for this purpose (Appendix I). The CBO Application Report Card results for the proposal will be shared with the proposer and the proposer shall be given the opportunity to respond in writing during the cure period. The results of this review will be taken into account by

the Evaluation/Selection Committee when scoring and making award recommendations and will serve as the basis for the CBO Application Report Card in accordance with Resolution No. R-142-15. The CBO Application Report Card will utilize a three (3) tiered rating scale of:

- a) Green "Compliant"
- b) Yellow "Caution"
- c) Red "Concern"

Ratings will be assigned, as follows:

- a) Green No adverse findings
- b) Yellow One (1) or more unconfirmed, questionable, or minor findings such as late filings
- Red One or more serious findings, violations, or judgements such as an OIG report that includes serious negative findings; criminal disclosure; inactive corporate status; in arrears to IRS or another government entity

### 5.8 Past Performance

A Proposer's past performance as a prime contractor or subcontractor on previous Miami-Dade County contracts shall be considered in evaluating the proposals received for funding under this RFP.

### 5.9 RFP Postponement or Cancellation

If for any reason, funds are no longer available to support these projects, Miami-Dade County reserves the right to postpone or cancel this RFP at any time. Miami-Dade County may, at its sole and absolute discretion, reject any and all, or parts of any and all applications; re-advertise this RFP; postpone or cancel this RFP process; or waive any irregularities in this RFP, or in any application(s) received as a result of this RFP.

### 5.10 Costs Incurred by Proposers

Any and all expenses involved in the preparation and submission of applications under this RFP, or any work performed in connection with development and submission of the application shall be borne by the Proposer(s). No payment will be made for any responses received by Miami-Dade County or for any other effort required of, or made by the Proposers prior to commencement of work, as defined by a contract to be entered between Miami-Dade County and the entity approved for funding under this RFP.

### 5.11 Changes/Updates of Proposer's Location or Contact Information

It is the responsibility of the Proposer to update its application concerning any changes in its contact information (i.e., telephone number, address, e-mail address).

### 5.12 Withdrawal of Applications

Applications shall be irrevocable until contracts are awarded unless the application is withdrawn. An application may be withdrawn, in writing only, addressed to Miami-Dade County's Designated Contracting Officer for this RFP as listed in Section 5.1.

### 5.13 Ex-Parte Communication

Ex-parte communication regarding this RFP is prohibited between any Proposer and (1) the County's professional staff including, but not limited to, the County Mayor and the County Mayor's staff, County Commissioners and their respective staff; (2) County Commissioners and their respective staff and the County's professional staff including, but not limited to, the County Mayor and the County Mayor's staff; or (2) potential Proposers, service providers, lobbyists or

consultants, any member of the County's professional staff, the Mayor, County Commissioners or their respective staff, **and** any member of the respective selection committee.

Proposers who directly contact any of the before-mentioned persons, risk elimination of their applications from consideration.

### 5.14 Proprietary/Confidential Information

Proposers are hereby notified that all information submitted as part of, or in support of, proposals will be available for public inspection after opening of proposals, in compliance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, popularly known as "Public Records Law." Also, all meetings held in conjunction with this RFP process shall be held in compliance with Chapter 286, Florida Statutes, popularly known as the "Sunshine Law."

### 5.15 Miami-Dade County Affidavits and Contract Requirements

For purposes of this RFP, completion of Miami-Dade County Affidavits and required documents is a condition of submitting a proposal (Appendix E). All organizations awarded funding under this RFP will enter into a contract with Miami-Dade County. Funded agencies will be required to complete the Internal Services Department (ISD) Procurement Management's Vendor Registration Package, and to properly execute the Registration Package and required forms prior to the execution of a contract with Miami-Dade County for FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Organization funds. Failure to register and complete the required forms in a timely manner will result in the rejection of the application.

Section 7.5 of this RFP contains a description of the vendor registration requirements for Miami-Dade County. A list of the required affidavits are included in Appendix E. Proposers may contact the Miami-Dade County ISD Procurement Management at (305) 375-5289 for guidance in completing the Vendor Registration Package and the Vendor Registrations Affidavit Forms (Appendix G). To request a copy of any ordinance, resolution and/or administrative order cited in this RFP, the Proposer must contact the Clerk of the Board at (305) 375-5126.

Please note that it is not necessary to submit a vendor registration application or complete the vendor affidavits (Appendix G) prior to notification of award for the FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Organization Funding RFP No. 9333.

### 5.16 Affirmative Action/Non-Discrimination in Employment, Promotion and Procurement Practices (Ordinance 98-30)

In accordance with County Ordinance No. 98-30, as codified in Section 2-8.1.5 of the County Code, entities with annual gross revenues in excess of \$5,000,000.00 seeking to contract with the County shall, as a condition of receiving a County contract, have: i) a written affirmative action plan that sets forth the procedures the entity utilizes to assure that it does not discriminate in its employment and promotion practices; and, ii) a written procurement policy that sets forth the procedures the entity utilizes to assure that it does not discriminate against minority and womenowned businesses in its own procurement of goods, supplies, and services. Such affirmative action plans and procurement policies shall provide for periodic review to determine their effectiveness in assuring the entity does not discriminate in its employment, promotion, and procurement practices. The foregoing notwithstanding, firms whose Boards of Directors are representative of the population make-up of the nation are exempt from this requirement and must submit, in writing, a detailed listing of their Boards of Directors, showing the race and ethnicity of each board member, to the County's Department of Business Development. Firms claiming exemption must submit, as part of their proposal to be filed with the Clerk of the Board, an appropriately completed and signed Affirmative Action Plan Exemption Affidavit in accordance

with Ordinance 98-30. These submittals shall be subject to periodic reviews to assure that the entities do not discriminate in their employment and procurement practices against minorities and women-owned businesses. It will be the responsibility of each firm to provide verification of their gross annual revenues to determine the requirement for compliance with the Ordinance. Those firms that do not exceed \$5 million annual gross revenues must clearly state so in their proposal.

Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 11A of the Code of Miami-Dade County, All contractors and subcontractors performing work in connection with this Contract shall provide equal opportunity for employment because of race, religion, color, age, sex, national origin, status as a victim of domestic violence, dating violence or stalking, gender identity or gender expression, sexual orientation, disability, or marital status. The aforesaid provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Proposer agree to post in conspicuous place available for employees and applicants for employment, such notices as may be required by the Miami-Dade County Commission on Human Rights, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, Florida Commission on Human Relations or other authority having jurisdiction over the work setting forth the provisions of the nondiscrimination law.

### 5.17 Rights of Protest

This section describes the appeals procedure for this RFP. The basis of any appeal for these grants is limited to failure on the part of the County to follow the process outlined in this RFP document. A written intent to file an informal protest shall be filed with the Clerk of the Board and mailed to the Issuing Department (OMB – GC) within two (2) County workdays of the filing of the Mayor's recommendation. The Mayor's recommendation to award will be e-mailed to all applicants to RFP No. 9333. This two-day period begins on the County workday after the filing of the Mayor's recommendation. Such written intent to file an informal protest shall state the particular grounds upon which it is based.

The protester shall then file all pertinent documents and supporting evidence with the Clerk of the Board and mail a copy to the Issuing Department (OMB – GC) within two (2) County workdays after the last date to file the written intent of informal protest. This two-day period begins on the County workday after the last date to file the written intent of informal protest. A decision regarding the validity of the informal protest will be made within two (2) County workdays of the last day to file pertinent documents and supporting evidence by a three (3) member Informal Appeals Panel appointed by the Issuing Department. This two-day period begins on the County workday after the last date to file pertinent documents and supporting evidence. Appellants will be notified of the Panel's decision within one (1) day of the Informal Appeals Panel's meeting. This one-day period begins on the County workday after the meeting.

### 6.0 EVALUATION AND SELECTION PROCESS OF APPLICATIONS

The opening of the first sealed FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Organization Funding RFP No. 9333 proposal package will take place at **EXACTLY** 4:01 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1, 2019, at the Clerk's Office, Miami-Dade County.

### 6.1 Individual and Committee Proposal Rating and Ranking

Reviewable proposals will be evaluated by Evaluation/Selection Committee comprised of one (1) non-voting chair representing the issuing department and three (3) voting members comprised of: an appointee from each of the Departments that provided funding (RER-DERM, WASD, and SWM). Evaluation/Selection Committee members will have the appropriate professional experience and/or subject knowledge to evaluate proposals. The County will strive to ensure that

the Evaluation/Selection Committee is balanced with regard to ethnicity and gender, and that all reviewers are screened for any potential conflicts of interest.

The Evaluation/Selection Committee members will evaluate and rank proposals on the criteria listed below. The criteria are itemized with their respective weights for a maximum total of 105 points. A Proposer may receive the maximum points or a portion of this score depending on the merit of its proposal, as judged by Evaluation/Selection Committee in accordance with the criteria listed below.

#### 6.2 Evaluation Criteria

Section	Maximum Points
Statement of Need	20
2. Past Performance	-5
3. Organizational Capacity and Staffing Plan	20
4. Program Plan	35
5. Collaborations, Partnerships, and Coordination of Services	10
6. Budget and Budget Narrative	10
7. Proposer will provide information on reducing or eliminating pollutants g	joing 5
into surface water bodies and local storm sewer structures.	
8. Proposer offers services that provide an option to do presentations or appart at events for the funding department upon request to increase outreach educational opportunities. Proposer describes anticipated challenge service provision and how the organization proposes to overcome the challenges.	and es in
Maximum Sc	ore: 105

### 6.3 Development of Evaluation/Selection Committee Recommendations

Evaluation/Selection Committee process: Following the preliminary screening, the merits of the reviewable applications will be evaluated by an Evaluation/Selection Committee appointed by the County Mayor. Committee members will receive training from the Office of Management and Budget - Grants Coordination on the nature of the funding priorities, the use of the rating form, confidentiality issues, Cone of Silence regulations, rating criteria, scoring, and other pertinent areas of the evaluation process.

Each reviewer in the committee will receive a copy of the RFP, a set of RFP proposals, and the corresponding rating forms at the evaluation/selection committee meeting(s). Reviewers may read and review each proposal individually or as a group, they will discuss each application as a group, and will score each proposal independently. At that time, each reviewer will disclose their individual scores for the separate sections of the proposal and the overall score. Any major discrepancies in scores among reviewers in the team will be openly discussed and an opportunity to re-assess the scores will be provided given the discussion and the reasons shared among committee members regarding the score difference.

Criteria 2 will allow members of the Evaluation/Selection Committee to deduct up to five (5) points from the total score or rating based on significant or frequent past performance issues, negative findings from the due diligence review, and/or the results of the CBO application report card.

Individual Committee members' scores will be totaled and averaged to yield the Committee's aggregate final score for each proposal. These final scores will determine the ranking and will serve as one factor to be considered in making a recommendation with respect to funding.

Additional factors that will be considered by Evaluation/Selection Committee in making funding recommendations include, but are not limited to:

- The total amount of funding allocated for services under this RFP
- The amount of funding allocated
- Each proposal's satisfactory review by the Evaluation/Selection Committee
- The geographic distribution of services
- Previous program performance
- The results of the due diligence review and the CBO application report card

With the assistance of staff, the Evaluation/Selection Committee and the County reserves the right to review and/or fund a proposal from a different category of funding than that which was requested. Staff working with the Evaluation/Selection Committee may determine a reasonable administrative percentage, not to exceed 15%, for each Proposer organization and program.

Evaluation/Selection Committee will consider and discuss staff recommendations and all of the above factors when developing funding recommendations and rationale. Evaluation/Selection Committee will utilize a consensus-based process for determining final recommended funding allocations. At the discretion of the Evaluation/Selection Committee, a proposal with a lower score may be recommended for funding instead of a proposal with a higher score in order to achieve maximum geographic coverage for a particular service.

### **6.4** Proposal Evaluation Criteria: See also Appendix C for further details.

### 1. Statement of Need

(20 points)

- Proposer identifies the compelling need, problem, or condition of the targeted area.
- Proposer identifies the specific neighborhood or demographic of this targeted area.
- Proposer provides an estimate of the numbers of clients to be served and describes the proposed service approach/intervention.

### 2. <u>Past Performance</u>

(-5 points)

Within the past three years, the agency has:

- Satisfactorily met all its outcomes and performance measures in contracts between the agency and Miami-Dade County and/or other funding sources.
- Proposer was required to submit a corrective action plan to the County and/or other funding sources. If so, was the plan(s) submitted in a timely fashion and was it approved by Miami-Dade County and/or other funding sources? Was the corrective action plan(s) implemented successfully?
- Was a contract prematurely terminated by Miami-Dade County and/or other funding sources? Did the agency take the recommended corrective action steps to solve the problem(s)?

### 3. <u>Organizational Capacity and Staffing Plan</u>

(20 points)

- The organization's mission and goals are in line with addressing the statement of need.
- Proposer identifies past experience providing the proposed services or presents a clear plan for developing the capacity to provide the proposed services.

- Proposer demonstrates that sufficient administrative and management capabilities, experience, and internal support resources will be available to the program.
- Proposer demonstrates cultural and linguistic competency to serve the client group.
- Proposer describes the organization's capacity to develop and/or maintain appropriate
  mechanisms and record-keeping activities to document the delivery of proposed
  services, keep track of measurable outcomes, and prepare program and fiscal reports.
- Proposer describes staff's experience, ability, and education to carry out proposed services.
- Proposer demonstrates that personnel and/or subcontractors are culturally competent to deal with a diverse client population in terms of language, ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation, etc.

### 4. Proposed Program Plan

(35 points)

- Proposer demonstrates knowledge of the community subject matter that will be addressed.
- Proposer describes an effective strategy for meeting each of the Activity Requests described in the Scope of Services under which funding is sought.
- Project narrative includes a clear and detailed discussion of expected outputs, outcomes, and performance indicators.
- Proposer has demonstrated experience in providing programming consistent with the proposed Priority Area(s) as delineated in the relevant Scope of Services descriptions.
- Proposer identifies the activities and resources necessary to assure that the target population participate in program activities to the fullest extent possible.
- Proposer provides assurance that the project manager and key staff will devote sufficient time and have the relevant education and/or practical experience.
- Proposer describes the process(es) to be used to evaluate and monitor the quality of the services provided. Proposer to include statistics or other data demonstrating past success of similar services, if provided in the past.
- Proposer provides a schedule of hours of operation and location of service sites.
- Proposer identifies when and whose responsibility it is to collect and report programmatic and financial data.

## 5. <u>Collaborations, Partnerships, Coordination of Services, Leveraging, and Civic Engagement</u> (10 points)

- Proposer describes existing collaborations or efforts to develop collaborations to coordinate provision of services to the target population(s) with other community partners.
- Proposer describes how the organization will coordinate services with other entities providing similar services to similar populations.
- Proposer provides a description of the organization's ability to leverage and maximize other funding streams.

### 6. Budget and Budget Narrative and Justification

(10 points)

- Budget is reasonable, allowable, and cost effective in relation to the activities to be undertaken.
- Proposer accurately and thoroughly completes all required budget forms and provides required information in all fields included in these forms.
- Narrative Budget Justification fully documents how each line item cost was derived and how it correlates to the proposed services and numbers of clients to be served.

- 7. Provision of Services to Reduce Pollution of Surface Water Bodies- (5 points)
  - Proposer offers environmental education services focusing on reducing or eliminating sources of pollutants going into surface water bodies and neighborhood storm sewer structures.
- 8. Ability to Provide Services and Presentations

(5 points)

 Proposer offers services that provide an option to do presentations or appear at events on behalf of the funding department, upon request, to increase outreach and educational opportunities.

#### 6.5 Oral Presentations

Upon completion of the technical criteria evaluation indicated above, rating and ranking, the Evaluation/Selection Committee may choose to conduct an oral presentation with the Proposer(s) which the Evaluation/Selection Committee deems to warrant further consideration based on, among other considerations, scores in clusters and/or maintaining competition. (See Appendix E-Lobbyist Registration for Oral Presentation regarding registering speakers in the proposal for oral presentations.) Upon completion of the oral presentation(s), the Evaluation/Selection Committee will re-evaluate, re-rate, and re-rank the proposals remaining in consideration based upon the written documents combined with the oral presentation.

### 6.6 Negotiations

The County may award a contract on the basis of initial offers received, without discussions. Therefore, each initial offer should contain the Proposer's best terms from a monetary and technical standpoint.

The Evaluation/Selection Committee will evaluate, score and rank proposals, and submit the results of their evaluation to the County Mayor with their recommendation. The Mayor or Mayor's designee will determine with which Proposer(s) the County shall negotiate, if any. In his sole discretion, the County Mayor or designee may direct negotiations with the highest ranked Proposer, negotiations with multiple Proposers, or may request best and final offers.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the County and said Proposer(s) cannot reach agreement on a contract, the County reserves the right to terminate negotiations and may, at the Mayor's or designee's discretion, begin negotiations with the next highest ranked Proposer(s). This process may continue until a contract acceptable to the County has been executed or all proposals are rejected. No Proposer shall have any rights against the County arising from such negotiations or termination thereof.

Any Proposer recommended for contract negotiations shall:

- a. Complete a Collusion Affidavit, in accordance with Sections 2-8-1.1 and 10-33.1 of the Miami-Dade County Code as amended by Ordinance 08-113. (If a Proposer fails to submit the required Collusion Affidavit, said Proposer shall be ineligible for award.)
- b. Provide its most recent certified business financial statements as of a date not earlier than the end of the Proposer's preceding official tax accounting period, together with a statement in writing, signed by a duly authorized representative, stating that the present financial condition is materially the same as that shown on the balance sheet and income statement submitted, or explaining the material change in the financial condition. A copy

of the most recent business income tax return will be accepted, if certified financial statements are unavailable.

c. Provide information concerning any prior or pending litigation, either civil or criminal, involving a governmental agency or which may affect the performance of the services to be rendered herein, in which the Proposer, any of its employees or subcontractors is or has been involved within the last three years.

#### 6.7 Contract Award

Any contract, resulting from this RFP, will be submitted to the Mayor or designee for approval. All Proposers will be notified in writing when the Mayor or designee makes an award recommendation. The Contract award, if any, shall be made to the Proposer whose proposal shall be deemed by the County to be in the best interest of the County. Notwithstanding the rights of protest described in Section 5.15, the County's decision of whether to make the award and to which Proposer(s) shall be final.

### 6.8 Selection and Notification of Funded Proposals

The Evaluation/Selection Committee's final scores, rankings, and recommendations will be submitted to the Mayor who will make the final funding decisions. All Proposers will be notified of the status of their proposal. It is anticipated that contract negotiations with Miami-Dade County will begin on or about June 14, 2019.

### 6.9 Miami-Dade County Conditions of Contract Award

All organizations awarded funding under the FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Organization Funding RFP No. 9333 will be entering into a contract with Miami-Dade County. Section 7.5 of the RFP includes a detailed description of the Vendor Registration Package requirements for Miami-Dade County, including a list of the required Vendor Affidavit Forms, which are included for informational purposes in this RFP only, in Appendix G.

Please note that it is not necessary to submit the Vendor Registration Package (Application) or complete the Vendor Affidavit Forms prior to being granted an award and entering into contract negotiations with the County.

### 7.0 GENERAL CONDITIONS

### 7.1 Contract Award(s)

The award recommendation(s), if any, shall be made to the Proposer(s) whose application(s) are in the best interest of Miami-Dade County. The County's decision of whether to make the award(s) and which application(s) is in the best interest of the County shall be final, following the appeal process. The final dollar amount of any award made resultant to this RFP will be determined by Miami-Dade County.

### 7.2 Contract Term

The contract period for awards under the FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Organization Funding RFP No. 9333 will be for a twelve (12) month period with an anticipated start date on or after July 1, 2019.

### 7.3 Miami-Dade County Vendor Registration Package

To be recommended for award the County will require that organizations complete a Miami-Dade County Business Entity Registration Application with all required disclosure affidavits. Small organizations that are defined as having an annual operating budget of \$500,000 or less may not

be required to complete The Miami-Dade County Business Entity Registration Application, which must be returned to the Internal Services Department, Procurement Management, Purchasing Division, within fourteen (14) days of notification of the intent to recommend for award. In the event the Miami-Dade County Business Entity Registration Application is not properly completed and returned within the specified time, the County may award to the next ranked proposer. A copy of the new Vendor Registration Package is included as Appendix G to this RFP.

### 7.4 Contracting Process

The successful Proposer(s) will be required to submit all documents deemed necessary at the County's sole discretion for contract development (i.e. revised budget, scope of service, vendor application, affidavits, resolution from organization's Board of Directors, and Certificate of Insurance) before the contract is submitted for final execution by the County. A current certificate of insurance must be submitted before payment can be made.

### 7.5 Rules, Regulations, and Licensing Requirements

The Proposer shall comply with all laws, ordinances and regulations applicable to the services contemplated herein, including but not limited to those applicable to conflict of interest and collusion, as well as any laws relating to required background screening of Proposer's employees, volunteers, and subcontracted personnel. Proposers are presumed to be familiar with all federal, state and local laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations that may in any way affect the program for which Proposer submitted an application, including but not limited to Executive Order No. 11246 entitled "Equal Opportunity" and as amended by Executive Order No. 11375, as supplemented by the Department of Labor Regulations (41 CFR, Part 60), the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and implementing regulations, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, Chapter 553 of Florida Statues, Chapter 11A of the Code of Miami-Dade County and any and all other local, State and Federal directives, ordinances, rules, orders, and laws relating to people with disabilities.

No individual or entity who is in arrears in any payment under a contract, promissory note or other loan document with the county, or any of its agencies or instrumentalities, including the Public Health Trust, either directly or indirectly through a corporation, partnership or joint venture in which the individual has a controlling financial interest as defined in 2-11.1(b)(8) of the Miami-Dade County Code shall be allowed to receive any additional County contracts, purchase orders, or extensions of County contracts until either the arrearage has been paid in full, or the County has agreed in writing to a repayment schedule.

### 7.6 APPLICATION CHECKLIST FOR APPLICATION AND PRESCRIBED ORDER

- 1) **Label** (Taped on outside of application package) (Appendix A)
- 2) Required Environmental Education Community-Based Organization Funding RFP No. 9333
  - Cover Sheet (Appendix B, page 1)
  - Environmental Education Community-Based Funding RFP Certification Form (Appendix B, page 2)
- 3) **Proposal Narrative** (Appendix C)
- 4) **Budget Forms and Budget Instructions** (Appendix D)

- 5) **Affidavits and Requirements** (Appendix E) (Only one copy of required attachments must be submitted as part of the original proposal):
  - Proposal Submittal Form
  - Lobbyist Registration for Oral Presentation **MUST BE NOTARIZED**
  - Subcontractor/Supplier Listing
  - Fair Subcontracting Practices
  - Affidavit D-1 **MUST BE NOTARIZED**
  - Form A-3 Acknowledgement of Addenda

### 6) Required Attachments (Only one copy of required attachments must be submitted as part of the original proposal)

- IRS Letter of Determination/Proof of 501(c)(3) not-for-profit status
- Current copy of organization's Certificate of Status from the Division of Corporations, Florida Department of State: www.SunBiz.org)
- Current Articles of Incorporation
- Current By-laws
- IRS Form 990 and proof of submission
- Most recent audit/financial statement and management letter, if available. (If not available, at a minimum, submission of organization's financial statement or bank statement.)
- Annual agency-wide operating budget
- Current Board of Directors List (Appendix F)
- Copies of the two (2) most recent independent site visit monitoring reports

Please submit a complete and signed original marked as such plus three (3) copies of your completed application to the Office of the Clerk, Stephen P. Clark Center, 111 NW 1st Street, 17th Floor, Miami, FL 33128 before 4:00 pm on Monday, May 1, 2019. All proposals should be submitted single-sided. Miami-Dade County will not review any FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Organization Funding proposals received after the submission deadline.

Please note: Failure to submit any of the Required Documents as listed above in Number 6, above, will cause the proposal to be considered non-responsive and the proposal will not be forwarded to the Evaluation/Selection Committee for review.

Please note that only the ORIGINAL, not the additional three copies, must contain ALL REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS (Number 5 and 6, above). Additionally, all proposals must be submitted single-sided.



### Appendix A

### **LABEL**

# FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

### **DELIVER PROPOSAL TO:**

Daniel T. Wall
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
GRANTS COORDINATION
C/O CLERK OF THE BOARD
111 NW 1 STREET, 17 FLOOR, SUITE 17-202
MIAMI, FL 33128

**AGENCY/ORGANIZATION NAME** 



### **Appendix B**

# FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

**Application Cover Sheet and Checklist** 



### **COVER SHEET AND CHECKLIST**

(Complete one Cover Sheet for the Entire Application Proposal Package)

Certification of eligibility to apply to Miami-Dade County, for FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Organization (CBO) Funding RFP No. 9333

# APPLICATION FOR FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CBO FUNDING RFP No. 9333

Name of Agency:	
Federal Tax ID Number:	
Street Address: (Street, City, State, Zip)	
Mailing Address (if different): (Street, City, State, Zip)	
Agency Phone:	
Agency Fax:	
Authorized Officer or Director:	
Email address:	
Program Name	Amount Requested

### FY 2018-19 Environmental Education Community-Based Funding RFP No. 9333

Please check the appropriate response for each to the following questions; then complete the certification at the end.

1)	Is your agency located in Miami-Dade Cou	nty?	
	YES	5	NO
2)	Have you included a copy of your organiand/or IRS Form 990?	zation's most recent	audit, and/or audited financial statements
	YES	6	NO
3)	Have you included your organization's Miss	sion Statement?	
	YES	5	NO
4)	Does your agency comply with the require against for any reason, including, but no handicap (disability) or age?	-	
	YES	5	NO
5)	Does your agency provide services within	Miami-Dade County?	
	YES	5	NO
6)	Have you attached an IRS letter of determine	nation documenting y	our organization's status as a 501(c)(3)?
	YES	6	NO
ma dis ap <sub>l</sub>	ertify that all of the information containe aterial omission or false information equalification of the Applicant(s) and the plication I, as an authorized representative they appear on the RFP.	contained in this is application. I fu	application constitutes grounds for rther understand that by submitting ar
	Signature		Title
	Print Name		Date
	Agency Name		Corporate Seal:

Miami-Dade County, FL



### **Appendix C**

# FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

**Proposal Narrative** 

# FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING - REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333 - Proposal Narrative

ORGANIZATION'S MISSION STATEMENT: Please include your organization's mission statement as the first part of your proposal narrative.

### 1. Statement of Need

### (One page maximum)

(20 points)

- a. Identify the compelling need, problem, or condition of the targeted area.
- b. Identify the specific neighborhood or demographic of this targeted area.
- c. Provide an estimate of the numbers of clients to be served and describe the proposed service approach/intervention.

### 2. Past Performance

### (One page maximum)

(-5 points)

Within the past three years, please state if your agency has:

- a. Satisfactorily met all its outcomes and performance measures in contracts between the agency and Miami-Dade County and/or other funding sources. If your agency has not met its performance measures or outcomes, identify the contract(s), the funding source(s) and the problem(s).
- b. Been required to submit a corrective action plan to the County and/or other funding sources. If so, identify the contract(s) and the funding sources(s). Was a corrective action plan submitted in a timely manner and was it approved by the funder? Was the corrective action plan implemented successfully?
- c. Had a contract prematurely terminated by a funder? What was the reason for the termination? Did you take the recommended corrective action steps to solve the problem(s)?

## 3. Organizational Capacity and Staffing Plan (Two page maximum)

(20 points)

- a. Briefly describe your agency's mission and goals and whether they are in line with addressing the statement of need.
- b. Identify your agency's past experience providing the proposed services or present a clear plan for developing the capacity to provide the proposed services.
- c. Demonstrate that sufficient administrative and management capabilities, experience, and internal support resources will be available to the program.
- d. Demonstrates cultural and linguistic competency to serve the client group and that personnel and/or subcontractors are culturally competent to deal with a diverse client population in terms of language, ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation, etc.
- e. Describe your agency's capacity to develop and/or maintain appropriate mechanisms and record-keeping activities to document the delivery of proposed services, keep track of measurable outcomes, and prepare program and fiscal reports.
- f. Describes your staff's experience, ability, and education to carry out proposed services.
- g. Provide how your agency is organized, how supervision will be provided for this program, the experience of program staff, how the agency plans to document and report services provided and related outcomes, and who will be responsible for completion of any program and fiscal reports required by Miami-Dade County to document the expenditure of FY 2018-19 Environmental Education CBO RFP funds.
- h. Describe your organization's system for collecting, maintaining, and reporting client and service delivery information. Include as part of your description the name(s) of

the person(s) responsible for collecting the data, the type of data, how it will be collected and reported.

### 4. Program Plan

### (Four page maximum)

(35 points)

- a. Describe your agency's knowledge of the community subject matter that will be addressed.
- b. Describe an effective strategy for meeting each of the Activity Requests described in the Scope of Services under which funding is sought.
- c. Your agency's project narrative should include a clear and detailed discussion of expected outputs, outcomes, and performance indicators.
- d. The narrative should provide your agency's demonstrated experience in providing programming consistent with the proposed Priority Area(s) as delineated in the relevant Scope of Services descriptions.
- e. Identify the activities and resources necessary to assure that the target population participate in program activities to the fullest extent possible.
- f. Provide assurance that the project manager and key staff will devote sufficient time and have the relevant education and/or practical experience.
- g. Describe the process(es) to be used to evaluate and monitor the quality of the services provided. You should include statistics or other data demonstrating past success of similar services, if provided in the past.
- h. Provide a schedule of hours of operation and location of service sites.
- i. Identify when and whose responsibility it is to collect and report programmatic and financial data.

## 5. Collaborations, Partnerships, and Coordination of Services (One page maximum)

(10 points)

- a. Describe your agency's existing collaborations, partnerships, or coordination of services with other organizations within the community, if any. Specifically explain how your agency will coordinate services with other Proposers in the community who are also providing services to this target population.
- b. Also, describe in detail, your organization's history of and ability to leverage and maximize other funding streams.
- c. Identify Federal, State, County or other sources of recent funding; list funding commitments received, applied for, planned to apply for; or, in the alternative, describe where funding has been refused, reduced or only partial funding received.

### 6. Miami-Dade County Required Budget Forms and a Budget Narrative (10 points)

All Proposers for RFP No. 9333 funds must complete Miami-Dade County's line item budget form for the proposed program and provide a narrative budget justification for the program where each line item expense is explained. A categorical line item budget and narrative budget justification for each direct and indirect cost associated with the proposed service must be submitted. Additionally:

- a. Your agency's budget is reasonable, allowable, and cost effective in relation to the activities to be undertaken.
- b. Accurately and thoroughly complete all required budget forms and provide required information in all fields included in these forms.
- c. Fully document in the Narrative Budget Justification how each line item cost was derived and how it correlates to the proposed services and numbers of clients to be served.

The budget forms and instructions are included in Appendix D.

## 7. Provision of Services to Reduce or Eliminate Pollution of Surface Water Bodies and Neighborhood Storm Sewer Systems (One page maximum) (5 points)

Proposer offers environmental education services focusing on reducing or eliminating sources of pollutants going into surface water bodies and neighborhood storm sewer structures.

### 8. Ability to Provide Services and Presentations (One page maximum)

(5 points)

Describe how your agency will provide services that offer an option to conduct presentations or appear at events for the funding department upon request to increase outreach and educational opportunities.



### **Appendix D**

# FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

Line Item Budget Form and Budget Narrative Justification Instructions

### Instructions for Completing Line Item Budget Form

- 1. In the box titled "Organization Name," please indicate the full legal name of the organization.
- 2. In the box titled "**Program Name**," please indicate the descriptive program name identified in the RFP narrative to which the Line Item Budget Form applies.
- 3. In the box titled "Budget Period" please indicate the time period during which the organization will spend funds to provide the service identified in the box titled "Program Name."
- 4. In the spaces provided under the column labeled "Object Class Categories," first, list all direct service personnel and fringe benefits for each proposed position. For each direct service staff member listed, indicate their position title, first initial (at a minimum), last name, and the percent at which the fringe benefits are calculated. Next, in the following order, list a) travel for direct service personnel, b) direct service supplies, c) direct service equipment, d) contractual direct services, and e) any other direct costs (please see 'Instructions for Preparing a Budget Justification' below for more information regarding allowable direct costs). Then, list all indirect/administrative personnel and their fringe benefits. For each indirect service/administrative staff member listed, indicate their position title, first initial (at a minimum), last name, and the percent at which the fringe benefits are calculated. Finally, list all other indirect costs.
- 5. In Column I. "County Funding This Award," indicate the amount of direct and indirect costs, by line item, which will be funded by County Funding for this award. Please note that the total amount of indirect costs listed in 'Column I.' cannot exceed 15% of the total award. For example, if the total amount of funds being requested is \$10,000, then the total for the indirect costs may not exceed \$1,500 (15% of the \$10,000 award). A detailed breakdown of individual indirect/administrative expenses is required.
- 6. In Column II. "County Funding All Other," <u>indicate all other County Funding that is expected</u>
  <u>to support the budgeted line items associated with this award, where appropriate</u>. Be sure all other County funding covers the same Budget Period as indicated in Item #4 above.
- 7. In Column III. "Federal Funding," Column IV. "City/State Funding," and Column V. "All Other Funding," indicate all funding, by category, which is expected to support the budgeted line items associated with this award, as appropriate. For each funding source, be sure the funding covers the same Budget Period indicated in Item #4 above.
- 8. In **Column "Total,"** indicate the <u>total cost to your organization</u> for each line item for the Budget Period indicated in Item #4 above for this program.
- 9. In the last column of the Line Item Budget Form, insert <u>the percentage</u> of each line item to be charged to this award. The percentage charged to this award equals the line item amount identified in **Column I., divided by** the total line item amount identified in **Column "Total"** for each line item (e.g., row in the worksheet).
- 10. Indicate the Total for this award in the space provided at the bottom of Column I. This number is the sum of all of the individual line items listed in Column I.

NOTE: FOR A LISTING OF ALLOWABLE DIRECT COSTS BY SERVICE CATEGORY,
PLEASE SEE THE BUDGET JUSTIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS.

ORIGINAL BUDGET	BUDGET MODIFICATION #1			I	LINE ITEM BUDGET FOR	М	] [	Date
	Organization Name		1		Program Name		]	Budget Period
		. 	II.	III.	IV.	V.	TOTAL: I V. Total Cost to Agency	I. / TOTAL % of Total
Object Class Catego	ories	County		st to Agency by Revenue Source Federal City/State All Other			Of Each Line Item	Percent of Total
,		This Award All Other		Total Total		Total	For the Budget Period	Charged to
DIRECT COSTS:		County Funding	County Funding	Federal Funding	City/State Funding	Other Funding		This Award
Personnel		_						
1. Position							-	
Fringes							-	
2. Position							-	
Fringes							-	
3. Position							-	
Fringes							-	
4. Position							-	
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7. Position							-	
Fringes							-	
Travel (describe in narrative)							-	
Supplies (describe in narrative)							-	
Equipment (describe	e in narrative)						-	
Contractual Services	es (describe in narrative)						-	
Other Direct Costs (	(describe in narrative)						-	
Other Direct Costs (	(describe in narrative)						-	
Other Direct Costs (	(describe in narrative)						-	
Other Direct Costs (	(describe in narrative)						-	
INDIRECT COSTS:								
Personnel		•						
1. Position							-	
Fringes							-	
2. Position							-	
Fringes							-	
Indirect Costs (describe in narrative)						-		
	Indirect Costs (describe in narrative)						-	
•	TOTAL AWARD:	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Requested By	Executive Director / Agency Designee Name		Approved By:	Board President / Vice President Name		
	Executive Director / Agency Designee Signature	 Date		Board President / Vice President Signature		Date
						Fiscal Approval (if needed)
Reviewed By:	: OMB Contracts Officer Signature	Date	Approved By:	OMB Contracts & Grants Administrator	Date	Accountant:
						Supervisor:



### **Appendix E**

# FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
AFFIDAVITS and REQUIREMENTS
(Must be submitted with Original Proposal)



## Form A-3 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDA

Instructions: Complete Part I or Part II, whichever is applicable.

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<b>PART I:</b> Listed below are the dates of issue for each with this solicitation.	h Addendum received in connection	1
Addendum #1, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #2, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #3, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #4, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #5, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #6, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #7, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #8, Dated	, 201	
Addendum #9, Dated	, 201	
PART II:  No Addendum was received in connection	on with this solicitation.	_
		_
Authorized Signature:	Date:	
Print Name:	Title:	
Firm Name:		



#### **AFFIDAVIT D-1**

Applicant Name:	
Address:	·····
Telephone Number:	
Pursuant to Miami-Dade County Resolution of his or her knowledge and belief, that:	tion No. R-630-13, the undersigned certifies, to the bes
members or board members:  (i) have been sued by a fundin obligations under a contract;  (ii) have been cited by a funding	either the Agency nor its directors, partners, principals ng source for breach of contract or failure to perform source for non-compliance or default under a contract; wsuit based upon a contract with a funding source.
Please list any matters that prohibit th explain how the matters are being resolution	e Agency from making the certifications required and ved (use separate sheet if necessary):
This is certified by my signature:	
Applicant's Signature	Print Applicant's Name Date
(Type of identification)	
Notary Public, State of	
Signature of Notary Public	Serial Number
Print or Stamp Name of Notary	Expiration Date:
Notary Seal:	



a detailed state subcontractors.	ment of its	policies and	d procedure	s (use s	eparate	sheet if	necessary	) for av	varding
	☐ NO SUI	BCONTRACT	ORS WILL B	E UTILIZE	ED FOR T	HIS CON	ITRACT		
		Signatur	e			Da	ate		



#### AFFIDAVIT OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY LOBBYIST REGISTRATION FOR ORAL PRESENTATION

(1) Solicitation Title:		Solicitation N	0.:
(2) Department:			
(3) Proposer's Name:			
Address:			Zip:
Business Telephone: ()	E-Ma	il:	
(4) List All Members of the Presenta	tion Team Who Will Be	Participating in the Oral Presen	itation:
Name	Title	Employed By	Email Address
	(ATTACH ADDITIONAL	SHEETS IF NECESSARY)	
The individuals named above are Regis	tered and the Registration	n Fee is <u>not</u> required for the Oral P	resentation ONLY.
Any person who appears as a representa technical review or similar committee must the time the response is submitted. The ir proposal with the Clerk of the Board prior to oral presentation, unless he or she is regis	be listed on an affidavit p ndividual or firm must subr o the oral presentation. An	rovided by the County. The affidavit s nit a revised affidavit for additional te ny person not listed on the affidavit or	shall be filed with the Clerk of the Board at am members added after submittal of the
Other than for the oral presentation, Propos decisions or recommendations of County p MUST register with the Clerk of the Board	ersonnel regarding this sol	icitation in accordance with Section 2-	
I do solemnly swear that all the foregoing fa of Miami-Dade County as amended.	acts are true and correct ar	nd I have read or am familiar with the	provisions of Section 2-11.1(s) of the Code
Signature of Authorized Representative: _		Title:	
STATE OF			
COUNTY OF			
The foregoing instrument was acknowledge	ed before me this		
bv	, a	, who is personal	llv known
by (Individual, Officer, Partner or Ag	ent) (Sole Proprietor, Co	prporation or Partnership)	,
to me or who has produced	as id	dentification and who did/did not take	an oath.
(Signature of person taking acknowledgem	ent)		
(Name of Acknowledger typed, printed or s	tamped)		
(Title or Rank) (Serial Number	if any)		Revised 1/2/14



# Miami-Dade County Procurement Management Services Proposal Submittal Form 111 NW 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Suite 1300, Miami, FL 33128

Solicitation No.	Solicitation Tit	le:			
Legal Company Name (include d/b/a if	applicable):	Federal Tax Identification Number:			
If Corporation - Date Incorporated/O	rganized:	State Incorporated/Organized:			
Company Operating Address:		City	State	Zip Code	
Company Contact Person:		Email Address:			
Phone Number (include area code):	Company's Internet Web Address:				
	ho has been convicted of a felon	rporation, partnership, joint venture y during the past ten (10) years sha ounty.			
Place a check mark here only if	Proposer has such conviction to dis	sclose to comply with this requirement.			
LOCAL PREFERENCE CERTIFICATION: For the purpose of this certification, a "local business" is a business located within the limits of Miami-Dade County (or Broward County in accordance with the Interlocal Agreement between the two counties) that has a valid Local Business Tax Receipt, issued by Miami-Dade County; has a physical business address located within the limits of Miami-Dade County from which business is performed; and contributes to the economic development of the community in a verifiable and measurable way. This may include, but not be limited to, the retention and expansion of employment opportunities and the support and increase to the County's tax base.					
Place a check mark here only if affirming Proposer meets requirements for Local Preference. Failure to complete this certification at this time (by checking the box above) may render the vendor ineligible for Local Preference.					
LOCAL CERTIFIED VETERAN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE CERTIFICATION: A Local Certified Veteran Business Enterprise is a firm that is (a) a local business pursuant to Section 2-8.5 of the Code of Miami-Dade County and (b) prior to proposal submission is certified by the State of Florida Department of Management Services as a veteran business enterprise pursuant to Section 295.187 of the Florida Statutes.					
☐ Place a check mark here only if must be submitted with this pr	- ·	rtified Veteran Business Enterprise.	A copy of the	certification	

SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE CONTRACT MEASURES (If Applica	nble)	
An SBE/Micro Business Enterprise must be certified by Small Business D in accordance with the applicable Commodity Code(s) for this Solicitatio (305) 375-2378 or access <a href="http://www.miamidade.gov/business/business-certified">http://www.miamidade.gov/business/business-certified</a> by proposal submission deadline, at contract award, and for the graduate from the SBE program during the contract may remain on the contract may remain on the contract may remain.	n. For certification info certification-programs duration of the contra	formation contact Small Business Development at <u>asp</u> . The SBE/Micro Business Enterprise must be
Is your firm a Miami-Dade County Certified Small Business Enterprise?	Yes	No 🗀
If yes, please provide your Certification Number:		
SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES WITH ACTIVITIES IN SUDAN LIST OR TH PETROLEUM ENERGY SECTOR LIST:	HE SCRUTINIZED CO	OMPANIES WITH ACTIVITIES IN THE IRAN
By executing this proposal through a duly authorized representative, the F with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities defined in sections 287.135 and 215.473 of the Florida Statutes. In the event to be considered for award of this solicitation, the Proposer shall execut initial this space: In such event, the Proposer shall furnish of the facts supporting any exception to the requirement for certification th agrees to cooperate fully with the County in any investigation undertaked applicable. The County shall have the right to terminate any contract resubmitted a false certification or to have been placed on the Scrutinized C Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List.	in the Iran Petroleum ent that the Proposer is that the Proposal throughtogether with its propat it claims under Second by the County to dissulting from this solice.	n Energy Sector List, as those terms are used and is unable to provide such certification but still seeks gh a duly authorized representative and shall also cosal response a duly executed written explanation ction 287.135 of the Florida Statutes. The Proposer etermine whether the claimed exception would be citation for default if the Proposer is found to have
The submittal of a proposal by a Proposer will be considered contract with the County in substantially similar terms to the p in this Solicitation and subject to its conditions, to enter into a	roposal offered ar	nd, if successful in the process set forth
Proposer's Authorized Representative's Signature:	Date	
Type or Print Name		



Signature of Bidder/Proposer

## SUBCONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER LISTING (Miami-Dade County Code Sections 2-8.1, 2-8.8 and 10-34)

Name of Bidder/Proposer: \_\_\_ \_FEIN No.  $\_$ In accordance with Sections 2-8.1, 2-8.8 and 10.34 of the Miami-Dade County Code, this form must be submitted as a condition of award by all Bidders/Proposers on County contracts for purchase of supplies, materials or services, including professional services which involve expenditures of \$100,000 or more, and all Proposers on County or Public Health Trust construction contracts which involve expenditures of \$100,000 or more. The Bidder/Proposer who is awarded this contract shall not change or substitute first tier subcontractors or direct suppliers or the portions of the contract work to be performed or materials to be supplied from those identified, except upon written approval of the County. The Bidder/Proposer should enter the word "NONE" under the appropriate heading of this form if no subcontractors or suppliers will be used on the contract and sign the form below. In accordance with Ordinance No. 11-90, an entity contracting with the County shall report the race, gender and ethnic origin of the owners and employees of all first tier subcontractors/suppliers. In the event that the recommended Bidder/Proposer demonstrates to the County prior to award that the race, gender, and ethnic information is not reasonably available at that time, the Bidder/Proposer shall be obligated to exercise diligent efforts to obtain that information and provide the same to the County not later than ten (10) days after it becomes available and, in any event, prior to final payment under the contract. (Please duplicate this form if additional space is needed.) Principal Owner Employee(s) (Enter the number of male and female owners (Enter the number of male and female by race/ethnicity) employees and the number of employees by race/ethnicity) Gender Race/Ethnicity Gender Race/Ethnicity **Business Name and** Scope of Work to Address of First Tier be Performed by **Principal** Asian/Pacific Islander Asian/Pacific Islander Native American/ Native Alaskan Subcontractor/ Owner Subcontractor/ Native American/ Native Alaskan Subconsultant Subconsultant Hispanic Hispanic Black Black Other White F Employee(s) **Principal Owner** (Enter the number of male and female (Enter the number of male and female owners employees and the number of employees by race/ethnicity) by race/ethnicity) Gender Race/Ethnicity Gender Race/Ethnicity Supplies/Material **Business Name and Principal** s/Services to be Address of First Tier Direct Native American/ Native Alaskan Owner Provided by Native American/ Native Alaskan Asian/Pacific Islander Asian/Pacific Islander **Supplier** Supplier Hispanic Hispanic Other М F F M Mark here if race, gender and ethnicity information is not available and will be provided at a later date. This data may be submitted to contracting department or on-line to the Small Business Development of the Internal Services Department at http://www.miamidade.gov/business-developmentcontracts.asp. As a condition of final payment, Bidder/Proposer shall provide subcontractor information on the Subcontractor Payment Report Sub 200 form which can be found at http://www.miamidade.gov/business/library/forms/subcontractors-payment.pdf. I certify that the representations contained in this Subcontractor/Supplier listing are to the best of my knowledge true and accurate.

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Date

Print Title

**Print Name** 



# Appendix F FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING RFP No. 9333 Board of Directors List

Name of Agency/Organization:	

Board Member Name and Address	Office Held (if any)	Race/Ethnicity and Gender	Length of Service on Board	Phone Number



#### **Appendix G**

## FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

## REQUIRED VENDOR REGISTRATION PACKAGE and VENDOR AFFIDAVITS FORMS

(Provided for information only, and should not to be submitted with Proposal)



1. NAME OF BUSINESS:

2a. COMPANY BUSINESS ADDRESS:

2c. PAYMENT REMITTANCE ADDRESS:

2b. MAILING ADDRESS:

#### VENDOR REGISTRATION PACKAGE

(Business Entity Registration Application)

#### Internal Services Department (ISD) **Procurement Management Services Division Vendor Services Section**

**SECTION 1:** GENERAL BUSINESS INFORMATION (pages 1-4)

#### FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (FEIN)

In order to establish a file for your firm, you must enter your firm's FEIN. This number becomes your "County Vendor Number".

Procure	ernal Services Department (ISD) ement Management Services Division Vendor Services Section  1st Street, Suite 1300, Miami, Florida 33128-1974	Please enter your Federal Employee Identification Number (FEII or if none, then enter the owner's Social Security Number (SSN).  FEIN		
<u>w</u>	Telephone: 305-375-5773  www.miamidade.gov/procurement	North America Classification S		
in person to will be ospective vendors any County contra	r complete in ink and forward package by mail or the address above. Strikethroughs with initials accepted. White-out will not be accepted. are required to complete a Vendor Registration Package prior to the award act. It is the vendor's responsibility to keep information current, complete ubmitting any updates to the ISD, Procurement Management Services, tion.	The North American Industry Classis standard used by the federal state business establishments for the pland publishing statistical data reconomy.	fication System (NAICS) is the tistical agencies in classifying urpose of collecting, analyzing elated to the U.S. business	
	The Vendor Registration Package is comprised oons must be completed and submitted. If a quest			
Section 2: N Section 3: N	General Business Information Vendor Affidavits Form (Requires Notarized Signature) Vendor Commodity Codes Selection Checklist Vendor Document Checklist and Additional Government	Pages 1-4 Pages 5-8 Pages 9-15 Forms Page 17		
CTION 1: G	ENERAL BUSINESS INFORMATION (pages 1-4)			
	SINESS:  of the entity, individual(s), partners, or corporation; followed by arvoices submitted to the County.	ny other name used to do business (DB/	A). This business name shall	
	Name of Entity, Individual(s), Partners	s or Corporation		
	Doing Business As (If same as above	e leave blank)		
	JSINESS ADDRESS: al address for the main office.			
	Street Address (P.O. Box Numbe	r is not permitted)		
City	State (U.S.A.)	Country	Zip Code	
MAILING ADD	PRESS: as mailing address only if different from above. (Leave blank if addre	ess is the same as above).		
	Street Address (or P. O. Box	Number)		
Ci	ity State (U.S.A.)	Country	Zip Code	
	MITTANCE ADDRESS:  ny address where payment of invoices is to be mailed. (Enter even if	same as above).		
	Street Address (or P.O. Box	Number)		
Ci	ity State (U.S.A.)	Country	Zip Code	

3.	. OTHER AFFILIATE: Enter name and address of Business Affiliate, i.e. parent company or subsidiary with the same Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) as firm submitting vendor application.						
	Parent Co	ompany		Subsidiary			
		Name	of Firm				
	Street	Address (P.O. Box 1	Number is not permitted)				
	City Sto	ate (U.S.A.)	Coun	itry	Zip Code		
4.	CONTACT PERSON: Enter your firm's contact person's name and title.						
	Mr. Ms. Mrs.						
	Fi	rst Name	MI	Last Na	me		
			Title:				
5.	FIRM'S TELEPHONE NUMBERS AND E-MAIL ADDRESS:  Enter your firm's telephone number(s) and include Miami-Dade County, long distance and 800 numbers if available, and the fax number for the contact person named above. Enter your firm's e-mail address. Solicitation notices will be e-mailed to this address. If no email address is available, access the Miami-Dade County Website at <a href="www.miamidade.gov/procurement">www.miamidade.gov/procurement</a> for solicitation opportunities.  Telephone Number:						
	Fax Number:  Toll Free Number:						
6.	TYPE OF BUSINESS ORGANIZATION: Place a checkmark next to the applicable item the requested for that item. If incorporated, a copy of form issued by the IRS identifying your business name company name and FEIN. If using a Social Security that trades in stock ownership in a public stock exchangistration and symbol. Refer to page 17 for comp	the company Certi e and Federal Empl Number (SSN), a c nange market, check	ficate of Incorporation ar loyer Identification Number opy of the Social Security of "Publicly Traded Corpo	nd IRS letter 147C, or any er (FEIN), shall be submitted v card shall be submitted. A	other preprinted IRS as verification of the also, if a corporation		
	Corporation – Incorporated in the State of:						
	Publicly Traded Corporation:	Stock Exchange Ma	rket of Registration:	Symbol:			
	Partnership:						
	Sole Proprietorship (One Individual Owner):  Not-for-Profit Organization:						
	Other (Specify):						
	Office (Specify):						
7.	YEARS FIRM HAS BEEN IN BUSINESS:						
	Less than 1 year	1 - 5 years	6 - 10 years	10+ years			

3. TYPE OF BUSINESS: (Indicate by checkmark and identify type of commodity and/or service)					
		Commodities	s/ Services		
Manufacturer or Producer					
Dealer or Distributor					
Maintenance or Repair					
Rental or Lease					
Construction Contractor					
Professional Services					
Other					
County employees, board membrapplication of any type to contract family is defined as spouse, dornounty may not award a contract County Commissioners.  If you answer yes to questions 9 Commission on Ethics and Publication to the officers or principals of you by the Miami-Dade County, Interconflict of Interest Opinion to: No Florida, 33130 or fax to (305) of the vendor to forward the County, Internal Services Depar	ers and elected officials to sact with Miami-Dade County nestic partner, parents, stepped to any covered person who are of 9b below, you are required from the County Commission of the County C	seek a conflict of interest of by the person or any mem parents, children and stepch to has not received a written ired to obtain a Conflict of ationship of the County emp COE is required prior to the recurrement Management S on on Ethics and Public Truste COE at (305) 579-2594 written Conflict of Interest	pinion prior to subriber of his or her in ildren. Pursuant to n ethics opinion or ethics opinion froloyee, board memore receipt or approve ervices Division. St., 19 West Flagler for further informatic Opinion from the	mittal of a bid, response or amediate family. Immediate the ordinance, Miami-Dade a waiver from the Board of the Miami-Dade County ober and/or elected official, al of the vendor application ubmit request for a written Street, Suite #820, Miami, tion. It is the responsibility	
Pa. ARE ANY OF THE OWNERS/PRI BOARD MEMBER OR MIAMI-DA information below. Use duplicate f section.  Name of Owner/Principal in the	DE COUNTY EMPLOYEE(S)? orm for multiple owners/princip	If "yes", indicate the name of	and complete the	Yes: No	
Miami-Dade Elected Official:		ite Elected:	Position Held:		
Miami-Dade Board Member:			Position Held:		
m. midmi-bade board member.	<u> </u>	Appointed:	<u> </u>		
	Name of Board Appointed to:				
III. Miami-Dade County Employee:	Yes No County E	mployee Hire Date:	Position Held:		
Miami-Dade County Employee (I.D. Numbe	er): Miam	i-Dade County Department wh	ere Employee works:		
Pb. ARE ANY IMMEDIATE FAMILY A COUNTY ELECTED OFFICIAL, I family is defined as spouse, domestiname and complete the Information and go to the next section.	<b>BOARD MEMBER OR MIAN</b> c partner, parents, stepparents, below. Use duplicate form for	<b>II-DADE COUNTY EMPLO</b> children and stepchildren. If "	YEE? Immediate yes", indicate the	Yes: No.	
Name of Owner/Principal in the					
Name of Immediate Family Men	nber of the Owners/Principa	ls in the Firm:			
1. Miami-Dade Elected Official:	Yes No Date	Elected:	Position Held:		
II. Miami-Dade Board Member:	Yes No Date Ap	ppointed:	Position Held:		
	Name of Board Appointed to:				
III. Miami-Dade County Employee:	Yes No County E	mployee Hire Date:	Position Held:		
Miami-Dade County Employee (I.D. Numb	er): Miam	i-Dade County Department wh	ere Employee works:		

#### **AFFIRMATIONS AND SIGNATURES**

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing statements are true and correct and include all of the material necessary to identify and explain the operation of the business described herein. The undersigned agrees to provide Miami-Dade County with current, complete and accurate information for each project contracted and for all proposed changes in any contractual agreement. Misrepresentations shall be grounds for terminating any contract.

Signed this (date):	 day of:	 20
Sign by:	Name of Firm:	
Print Name:	Title:	

Miami-Dade County



**PRINCIPALS** 

**OWNERS** 

#### VENDOR AFFIDAVITS FORM

(Uniform County Affidavits)

#### Internal Services Department (ISD) **Procurement Management Services Division Vendor Services Section**

The completion of the Vendor Affidavits Form allows vendors to comply with affidavit requirements outlined in Section 2-8.1 of the Code of Miami-Dade County. Vendors are required to have a complete Vendor Registration Package on file, including required affidavits, prior to the award of any County contract. It is the vendor's responsibility to keep all affidavit information up to date and accurate by submitting any updates to the ISD, Procurement Management Services Division, Vendor Services Section.

**SECTION 2:** VENDOR AFFIDAVITS FORM (pages 5-8)

If a percentage of the firm is owned by a publicly traded corporation or by another corporation, indicate below in the space "Other Corporations".

#### FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (FEIN)

In order to establish a file for your firm, you must enter your

Internal Serv Procurement Man	Number". Please enter your Federal Employee Identification Number (FEIN) or if none, then enter the owner's Social Security Number (SSN).											
Vendor S	FEIN											
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Telepho <b>www.miamid</b>												
completion of the Vendor Affidatements outlined in Section 2-8. We will be a complete Vendor Region to the award of any County contraction in the award of any County contraction in the contraction of the contraction of the contraction of the contraction of the complete services in the complete services of the complete s	mi-Dade County. Vendors are e, including required affidavits, 's responsibility to keep all ing any updates to the ISD,	classifying business establishments for the purpose of collecting, analyzing and publishing statistical data related to the U.S. business economy.										
TION 2: VENDOR AFFI	DAVITS FO	ORM (	pages 5-8)									
A) Name of Entity, Individual(s	), Partners or C	Corporat	ion B)	Doing Business As (If	same	e as	line <b>A</b> ,	lea	ve k	olank	)	
Street Address (P.O. Box Number	is not permitted	d)	City Sto	ate (U.S.A.)	C	ount	ry		-	Zi	p Code	
holding, directly or indirectly, fi a partnership, the foregoing inf	ve (5) percent ormation shall for the trusted corporations, of hereof, or any	t or mor be pro e and e or to co municip	each beneficiary of the trust. To ontracts with the United States onality of this State. Use duplicate	corporation. If the ontract or business trother foregoing disclor any department	contro ansac sure or a	act ctior req gen	or bus is wit uireme cy the	ines h a ents reo	s tros trus sho f, th	ansac t, the ıll no	tion is v forego t apply	with oing v to
FULL LEGAL NAME			TITLE	ADDRESS								
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					GEN	DER		R.A	CE /	ETHN	ICITY	
FULL LEGAL NAME	GAL NAME TITLE % OF OWNERSHIP			M	F	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian/Pacifi c Islander	Native American/ Alaskan Native	Other	
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**OTHER CORPORATIONS** 

#### 2. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT DISCLOSURE AFFIDAVIT

(County Ordinance No. 90-133, amending Section 2.8-1(d)(2) of the Miami-Dade County Code)

The following information is for compliance with all items in the aforementioned Section:

١.	Does your firm have a collective bargaining agreement with its employees?	Yes	No	
2.	Does your firm provide paid health care benefits for its employees?	Yes	No	

3. Provide a current breakdown (number of persons) in your firm's work force indicating race, national origin and gender.

	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		
	<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>	
White			
Black			
Hispanic			
Asian/Pacific Islander			
Native American/Alaskan Native			
Other			
Total Number of Employees			

**Total Employees** 

#### 3. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE CERTIFICATION

(Section 2-8.1.2(b) of the Miami- Dade County Code)

All persons and entities that contract with Miami-Dade County are required to certify that they will maintain a drug-free workplace and such persons and entities are required to provide notice to employees and to impose sanctions for drug violations occurring in the workplace.

In compliance with Ordinance No. 92-15 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, the above named firm is providing a drug-free workplace. A written statement to each employee shall inform the employee about:

- 1. Danger of drug abuse in the workplace
- 2. The firms' policy of maintaining a drug-free environment at all workplaces
- 3. Availability of drug counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs
- 4. Penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations

The firm shall also require an employee to sign a statement, as a condition of employment that the employee will abide by the terms of the drug-free workplace policy and notify the employer of any criminal drug conviction occurring no later than five (5) days after receiving notice of such conviction and impose appropriate personnel action against the employee up to and including termination. Firms may also comply with the County's Drug Free Workplace Certification where a person or entity is required to have a drug-free workplace policy by another local, state or federal agency, or maintains such a policy of its own accord and such policy meets the intent of this ordinance.

#### 4. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DISABILITY AND NONDISCRIMINATION AFFIDAVIT

(Article 1, Section 2-8.1.5 Resolution R182-00 Amending R-385-95 of the Miami-Dade County Code)

Firms transacting business with Miami-Dade County shall provide an affidavit indicating compliance with all requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (A.D.A.).

l, state that this firm, is in compliance with and agrees to continue to comply with, and assure that any subcontractor, or third party contractor shall comply with all applicable requirements of the laws including, but not limited to, those provisions pertaining to employment, provision of programs and services, transportation, communications, access to facilities, renovations, and new construction.

The American with Disabilities Act of 1990 (A.D.A.), Pub. L. 101-336, 104 Stat 327, 42 U.S.C. Sections 225 and 611 including Titles I, II, III, IV and V.

The Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. Section 794

The Federal Transit Act, as amended, 49 U.S.C. Section 1612

The Fair Housing Act as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 3601-3631

#### I, hereby affirm that I am in compliance with the below sections:

Section 2-10.4(4)(a) of the Code of Miami-Dade County (Ordinance No. 82-37), which requires that all properly licensed architectural, engineering, landscape architectural, and land surveyors have an affirmative action plan on file with Miami-Dade County.

Section 2-8.1.5 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, which requires that firms that have annual gross revenues in excess of five (5) million dollars have an affirmative action plan and procurement policy on file with Miami-Dade County. Firms that have a Board of Directors that are representative of the population make-up of the nation may be exempt.

#### 5. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DEBARMENT DISCLOSURE AFFIDAVIT

(Section 10.38 of the Miami-Dade County Code)

Firms wishing to do business with Miami-Dade County must certify that its contractors, subcontractors, officers, principals, stockholders, or affiliates are not debarred by the County before submitting a bid.

I, confirm that none of this firms agents, officers, principals, stockholders, subcontractors or their affiliates are debarred by Miami-Dade County.

#### 6. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY VENDOR OBLIGATION TO COUNTY AFFIDAVIT

(Section 2-8.1 of the Miami-Dade County Code)

Firms wishing to transact business with Miami-Dade County must certify that all delinquent and currently due fees, taxes and parking tickets have been paid and no individual or entity in arrears in any payment under a contract, promissory note or other document with the County shall be allowed to receive any new business.

I, confirm that all delinquent and currently due fees or taxes including, but not limited to, real and personal property taxes, convention and tourist development taxes, utility taxes, and Local Business Tax Receipt collected in the normal course by the Miami-Dade County Tax Collector and County issued parking tickets for vehicles registered in the name of the above firm, have been paid.

#### 7. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY CODE OF BUSINESS ETHICS AFFIDAVIT

(Article 1, Section 2-8.1(i) and 2-11(b)(1) of the Miami-Dade County Code through (6) and (9) of the County Code and County Ordinance No 00-1 amending Section 2-11.1(c) of the County Code)

Firms wishing to transact business with Miami-Dade County must certify that it has adopted a Code that complies with the requirements of Section 2-8.1 of the County Code. The Code of Business Ethics shall apply to all business that the contractor does with the County and shall, at a minimum; require the contractor to comply with all applicable governmental rules and regulations.

I confirm that this firm has adopted a Code of business ethics which complies with the requirements of Sections 2-8.1 of the County Code, and that such code of business ethics shall apply to all business that this firm does with the County and shall, at a minimum, require the contractor to comply with all applicable governmental rules and regulations.

#### 8. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY FAMILY LEAVE AFFIDAVIT

(Article V of Chapter 11, of the Miami-Dade County Code)

Firms contracting business with Miami-Dade County, which have more than fifty (50) employees for each working day during each of twenty (20) or more work weeks in the current or preceding calendar year, are required to certify that they provide family leave to their employees.

Firms with less than the number of employees indicated above are exempt from this requirement, but must indicate by letter (signed by an authorized agent) that it does not have the minimum number of employees required by the County Code.

I confirm that if applicable, this firm complies with Article V of Chapter 11 of the County Code, which requires that firms contracting business with Miami-Dade County which have more than fifty (50) employees for each working day during each of twenty (20) or more work weeks in the current or preceding calendar year are required to certify that they provide family leave to their employees.

#### 9. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY LIVING WAGE AFFIDAVIT

(Section 2-8.9 of the Miami-Dade County Code)

All applicable contractors entering into a contract with the County shall agree to pay the prevailing living wage required by this section of the County Code.

I confirm that if applicable, this firm complies with Section 2-8.9 of the County Code, which requires that all applicable employers entering a contract with Miami-Dade County shall pay the prevailing living wage required by the section of the County Code.

#### 10. MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DOMESTIC LEAVE AND REPORTING AFFIDAVIT

(Article 8, Section 11A-60 - 11A-67 of the Miami-Dade County Code)

Firms wishing to transact business with Miami-Dade County must certify that it is in compliance with the Domestic Leave Ordinance.

I confirm that if applicable, this firm complies with the Domestic Leave Ordinance. This ordinance applies to employers that have, in the regular course of business, fifty (50) or more employees working in Miami-Dade County for each working day during the current or preceding calendar year.

#### **AFFIRMATION**

I, being duly sworn, do attest under penalty of perjury that the entity is in compliance with all requirements outlined in these Miami-Dade County Vendor Affidavits. I also attest that I will comply with and keep current all statements sworn to in the above affidavits and registration application. I will notify the Miami-Dade County, Vendor Services Section immediately if any of the statements attested hereto are no longer valid. (Signature of Affiant) (Date) Printed Name of Affiant and Title **NOTARY PUBLIC INFORMATION** Notary Public -State of: State County of SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO (or affirmed) before me this day of He or she is personally known to me Or has produced identification Type of Identification Produced Signature of Notary Public (Serial Number) Print or Stamp of Notary Public Expiration Date Notary Public Seal (When applicable)



Miami-Dade County

## VENDOR COMMODITY CODE SELECTION CHECKLIST

## Internal Services Department, Procurement Management Services Division Vendor Services Section

111 NW 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Suite 1300, Miami, Florida 33128-1974 Telephone: 305-375-5773

www.miamidade.gov/procurement

Check the commodity codes below that identify those goods and services your company can supply. Once your Vendor Registration Package is processed, notification of solicitation opportunities for the commodities you select will be forwarded to your company. An update of your commodity selections can be made at any time by resubmitting a new Vendor Commodity Code Selection Checklist.

### FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (FEIN)

In order to establish a file for your firm, you must enter your firm's FEIN. This number becomes your "County Vendor Number". Please enter your Federal Employee Identification Number (FEIN) or if none, then enter the owner's Social Security Number (SSN).

## NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)

The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) is the standard used by the federal statistical agencies in classifying business establishments for the purpose of collecting, analyzing and publishing statistical data related to the U.S. business economy.

#### SECTION 3: CHECK THE ITEMS THAT APPLY TO YOUR BUSINESS (pages 9-15)

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			5. <b>A</b>	PPAREL,	UNIFORMS, GLOVES, SHOES, ETC.
1.	ADVERTIS	ING SPECIALTIES/PROMOTIONAL ITEMS		200-00	Clothing, Apparel, Uniforms and Accessories
	080-00	Badges, Emblems, Nametags, Plates, etc.		800-00	Shoes and Boots
	350-00	Flags, Flag Poles, Banners and Accessories		962-78	Sewing and Alteration Services
	578-84	Promotional and Advertising Items, Souvenirs		962-80	Shoe and Boot Repair
	962-33	Engraving Services: Awards, Trophies, etc.			
	962-37	Flagpole Services	6. <i>A</i>	APPLIANC	CES
	962-51	Laminating Services		045-00	Appliances and Equipment, Household Type
	962-52	Mapping Services		500-00	Laundry and Dry Cleaning Equipment, Accessories, Parts and Supplies
2.	AIR COND	OITIONING, HEATING, VENTILATION, CHILLER PLANTS			
	031-00	Air Conditioning, Heating and Ventilating Equipment,	7. A	RT, CRAI	FT, PAINTINGS, MUSIC, ENTERTAINMENT
		Parts and Accessories		232-00	Crafts, General
	740-00	Refrigeration Equipment and Accessories		233-00	Craft Supplies and Equipment
	962-23	Chemical Treatment Services of Boilers and Tower		580-00	Musical Instruments, Accessories and Supplies
		Water Plants		962-05	Amusement and Entertainment Services
3.	AIRCRAF1	AND AIRPORT EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES, SUPPLIES		962-63	Piano Tuning Services
	AND SERV			962-72	Restoration/Preservation Services of Antiques,
	035-00	Aircraft and Airport Equipment, Parts and Supplies			Costumes, Paintings and other Objects
	905-03	Aerial Patrolling Services (Not Survey)			
	905-05	Aerial Photography Services			SUAL EQUIPMENT, TV/BROADCAST AND PRODUCTION
	905-10	Aerial Surveys (Including Wildlife Censuses)	_ s		QUIPMENT
	905-12	Aircraft Crash Removal Services		803-00	Sound Systems, Components, Group Intercom, Public Address Systems
	905-14	Airplane/Helicopter Services (Not otherwise classified)		855-00	Theatrical Equipment and Supplies
	905-17	Airport Management Services		840-00	Television Equipment and Accessories
	905-20	Air Rescue and Transfer of Patients		040-00	relevision Equipment and Accessories
	905-25	Aerial Crop Dusting and Seeding Services (All Kinds)		AUTOMO	TIVE
	905-53	Pilot Training services	9.	AUTOMO	
	905-60	Removal Services of Rubber Deposits from Runways		025-00	Air Compressors and Accessories
	905-70	Aircraft Storage Space Services (Not Building Lease)		055-00	Accessories for Vehicles
	906-06	Airport Services (Lighting, Fueling, Navigational Aids, etc.)		060-00	Automotive Maintenance Items
				065-00	Automotive Bodies, Accessories and Supplies
	ANIMALS, SUPPLIES	LIVE - AND - DRUGS, FOOD, CARE SERVICES AND		070-00	Automotive Vehicles, Scooters, Trailers and related Transportation Equipment
	040-00	Live Animals		075-00	Automotive Shop Equipment and Supplies
	325-00	Feed, Bedding, Vitamins and Supplements for Animals		962-17	Bus and Taxi Services, Limousines and Vans
	080-75	Pet Identification Tags		962-62	Pneumatic Tube, Maintenance and Repair
	080-80	Wildlife Bands, Labels and Tags		962-84	Tire Shredding Services
	962-06	Animal Care, Animal Shelter Service, etc.		968-90	Vehicle Towing and Storage
				962-85	Glass Tinting and Coating Services (Automotive and

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		Buildings)		910-38	Asbestos Abatement
				910-46	Lead Based Paint Abatement
_	-	ONTAINERS, ACCESSORIES		910-60	Plumbing Services
	085-00	Bags, Bagging, Ties		918-00	Consulting Services
	100-00	Barrels, Kegs and Containers		925-07	Air Conditioning Professional Services
	320-00	Equipment and Supplies for Fastening, Packaging, Strapping and tying		962-16	Boring, Drilling, Testing and Sounding Services
	510-00	Laundry Bags, Supplies, Baskets, Trucks, Accessories		962-18	Cable Construction Services, Installation/Maintenance (Fiber, Optics, Communication, Computer)
11	DIIII DINI	G MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES		962-20	Septic Tank and Cesspool Cleaning and Maintenance Service
11.	010-00	· ···· · · = · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		962-39	Hauling Services
	135-00	Acoustical Tile, Insulating Materials, etc.		962-64	Power Line Construction, Installation and Repair
		Bricks and other Clay Products		962-96	Well Services (Including Oil, Gas & Water), Drilling,
	150-00	Builder's Supplies	_		Plugging, Consulting, Maintenance, etc.
	210-00	Concrete and Metal Curvets, Pilings, Septic Tanks, Accessories and Supplies		968-00	General Construction & Maintenance (Airport, Roadways, Utilities, Antenna Tower, Dredging Bridges, Demolition, Executing Westing and Romand, Sayar Meter/
	330-00	Fence Materials and Supplies			Excavating, Wrecking and Removal, Sewer /Water/ Wastewater, Public Works Constructions, etc.)
Ш	360-00	Floor Covering, Installation and Removal Equipment and Tools		968-20	Building Construction Contractor
П	440-00	Glass and Glazing Supplies		968-43	Golf Course Construction, Repair and Maintenance
П	540-00	Lumber and Related Products		968-77	Surveying (Not Aerial or Research)
	630-00	Paint, Wall Paper and Related Items		968-47	Inspection Services, Construction Type
	658-00	Pipe and Tubing		988-00	Roadside, Grounds, Recreational and Park Area Services
	659-00	Pipe Fittings		988-03	Athletic Field Maintenance
	670-00	Plumbing Equipment, Fixture and Supplies		988-14	Erosion Control Services
	745-00	Road and Highway Building Materials (Asphaltic)		988-15	Fence Installation and Repair
	750-00	Road and Highway Building Materials (Not Asphaltic)		988-20	Fire Break Services
	770-00	Roofing Materials		988-26	Flood Control Services
	670-00	Plumbing Equipment, Fixtures and Supplies		988-32	Grading (Except for Road Building)
	070 00	Training Equipment, Fixtures and Supplies		988-41	Irrigation System Construction
10	DI III DINI	OS AND STRUCTURES MORULAR FARRICATER AND		988-46	Landfill Services
12.	PREFAB	GS AND STRUCTURES – MODULAR – FABRICATED AND RICATED		988-52	Landscaping Design, Fertilizing, Planting, etc. (Not
	155-00	Modular, Prefabricated and Fabricated Buildings, Bridges, Shelters and other Structures		988-63	Grounds Maintenance or Tree Trimming)  Park Area Construction/Renovation
		Bridges, Officiers and other officialities		988-68	Paving and Repair of Parking Lots (Not Including
12	CHEMICA	LS, EPOXIES		000 00	Driveways and Roads)
13.	180-00	Chemical Raw Material		988-83	Swimming Pool Construction, Repairs, Renovations
	190-00	Chemicals and Solvents		988-86	Tennis and Sports court Repair and Renovation
	190-00				
	315-00	Cleaning Compositions, etc.  Epoxy Based Formulations for Adhesive, New Orleans,			CTION CONTRACTOR-TYPE ASSISTANCE (TEMPORARY EL AND WORKERS)
	005 00	etc.		964-00	Temporary Personnel, Laborers and Workers (All Types)
	885-83	Flocculants, Polymeric			
	505-00	Laundry and Dry Cleaning Compounds and Supplies	17	CONSTRI	UCTION FOURMENT LIGHT AND HEAVY BUTY
Ш	885-00	Water and Wastewater Treatment Chemicals	_		UCTION EQUIPMENT – LIGHT AND HEAVY DUTY
				635-00	Painting Equipment and Accessories
14.	AND SUP	NICATIONS/TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT		755-00	Asphalt and Concrete Handling Equipment and Parts
	725-00	Radio Communication, Telephone and		760-00	Equipment and Parts: Earth Handling, Grading, Moving, Packing, etc.
		Telecommunication Equipment, Supplies and Accessories		765-00	Other Road and Highway Equipment and Parts
	730-00	Radio Communication and Telecommunication Testing, Measuring and Analyzing Equipment and Accessories	18. <b>C</b>	ONSULTII	NG SERVICES
				918-04	Accounting, Auditing and Budget Consulting Services
15.	CONSTRI	JCTION CONTRACTORS AND SUB-CONTRACTORS		918-06	Administrative Consulting Services
, J.	906-00	Architect and other Professional Design Services		918-07	Advertising Consulting Services
	909-00	Building Construction Services		918-09	Agricultural Consulting Services
	910-00	Building Maintenance and Repair Services		918-12	Analytical Studies and Surveys, Consulting Services
	910-00	Air Conditioning Services		918-14	Appraisal, Consulting Services
ш	910-30	All Conditioning Oct vices	_		•

	918-19	Buildings, Structures and Components, Consulting Services	-	295-00	Elevators, Building Type
	918-26	Communications: Public Relations Consulting Services	24.	ENVIRON	NMENTAL SERVICE, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES
	918-28	Computer Consulting Services – Hardware	1 _		
	918-29	Computer Consulting Services – Software		962-40	Hazardous Materials Services
	918-31	Construction Consulting Services		962-68	Radioactive Waste Disposal Services
	918-38	Education and Training Consulting Services		988-56	Litter Removal Services, Including Beach Cleaning (Other than Buildings)
	918-41	Energy Conservation Consulting Services			3-7
	918-42	Engineering Consulting Services	25.	FACILITIE	S SUPPLIES, SUPPORT SERVICES AND EQUIPMENT
	918-43	Environmental Consulting Services		140-00	Broom, Brush and Mop Manufacturing Machinery and
	918-46	Feasibility Studies Consulting Services		145.00	Supplies
	918-49	Finance/Economics Consulting Services		145-00	Brushes
	918-52	Food Consulting Services		225-00	Cooler, Water Fountains (For Drinking Water)
	918-54	Furnishing Consulting Services		192-00	Cleaning Compositions, Detergents, Solvents, Strippers
	918-58	Governmental Consulting Services		365-00	Floor Maintenance Machines, Parts and Accessories
	918-62	Horticultural Consulting Services		485-00	Janitorial Supplies, General Line
	918-65	Human Relations Consulting Services		910-00	Building Maintenance and Repair Services
	918-69	Insurance Consulting Services		910-39	Janitorial Services and Custodial Services
	918-70	Inventory Consulting Services		910-81	Window Washing Services
П	918-75	Management Consulting Services		962-21	Cleaning Services, Steam and Pressure
	918-76	Marketing Consulting Services		962-85	Glass Tinting and Coating Services (Automobile and Buildings)
	918-78	Medical Consulting Services		988-82	Swimming Pool Maintenance (Including Water Treatment)
	918-81	Natural Disaster Consulting Services	1 "	900-02	Swiffining Fool Maintenance (including Water Treatment)
	918-85	Personnel/Employment Consulting Services	26.	FOOD-BE	VERAGES-TOBACCO PRODUCTS-ETC.
П	918-87	Purchasing Consulting Services		375-00	Foods, Bakery Products (Fresh)
	918-89	Real Estate/Land Consulting Services		380-00	Foods, Dairy Products (Fresh)
	918-93	Security/Safety Consulting Services		385-00	Foods, Freeze-Dried, Frozen and Prepared Ready-to-Eat
	918-95	Telecommunications Consulting Services		390-00	Foods, Perishable
	918-97	Utility Consulting Services: Gas, Water, Electric		393-00	Foods, Stable Grocery and Grocer's Miscellaneous Items
				660-00	Pipes, Tobaccos, Smoking Accessories, Alcoholic Beverages
19.		OAN, FINANCIAL, LEASING, INSURANCE, TITLE,		962-19	Cafeteria Services
		ALS, ABSTRACTS, REAL ESTATE		962-94	Bottled Water Services
	946-00	Financial Services			
	953-00	Insurance, All types	27.	FUEL, O	IL, GREASE AND LUBRICANTS
	962-09	Auctioneering Services		405-00	Fuel, Oil, Grease and Lubricants
	962-47	Insurance and Risk Management Services		962-58	Oil Removal Services, Used (To include Oil and Petroleum Spill Services)
20.		OCESSING EQUIPMENT, SOFTWARE AND SUPPLIES		962-61	Petroleum Exploration Services
	205-00	Computers and Information Processing Systems	00		UDE GUDEAUNG UDUGUGEDV INTERNAD DEGIGN
	250-00	Data Processing Cards and Paper	28.		URE, CURTAINS, UPHOLSTERY, INTERIOR DESIGN
Ш	920-00	Data Processing Services and Software		265-00	Draperies, Curtains, Upholstery
01	ELECTRIC	Al		420-00	Furniture: Cafeteria, Chapel, Dormitory, Household, Library, Lounge, School
21.				425-00	Furniture: Office
	280-00	Electrical Cables and Wires	1 💾	565-00	Mattress and Frame
Ц	285-00	Electrical Equipment and Supplies	1 💾	962-48	Interior Design/Decorator Service
00	FLECTRO	AUC FOLUDATAIT ANALYZEDS INDICATORS FTS		962-90	Upholstery Services (Other than Vehicles)
_		NIC EQUIPMENT: ANALYZERS, INDICATORS, ETC.			
П	220-00	Controlling, Indicating, Measuring, Monitoring and Recording Instruments and Supplies	29.	HARDWA	RE, TOOLS, PAINTS AND ACCESSORIES
	287-00	Electronic Components, Replacement Parts, Accessories		005-00	Abrasives
]		and Miscellaneous Electronic Equipment		445-00	Hand Tools (Powered and Non-Powered), Accessories and Supplies
				450-00	Hardware and Related Items
		20		460-00	Hose, Accessories and Supplies: Garden
23.	ELEVATO	K5	30.	INDUSTR	IAL EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES

	105-00	Bearings (Except Wheel Bearings and Seals)			Maintenance and Repair)
	110-00	Belts and Belting: Conveyor, Elevator, Power Transmission, V-Belts		962-54	Marine Buoys, Lights, etc., including servicing (Not Major Equipment)
	140-00	Manufacturing Machinery and Supplies: Broom, Brush,			Ечирпопу
	460-00	Mop  Hose, Accessories and Supplies: Industrial	36.	MASS TR	ANSIT (BUS, RAIL, PEOPLE'S MOVER)
	565-00	Manufacturing Machinery and Supplies: Mattress and		556-00	Transit Bus
	000 00	Frame		557-00	Transit Bus Accessories and Supplies
	895-00	Welding Equipment and Supplies		558-00	Rail Vehicles and Systems
				559-00 864-00	Rail Vehicle Parts and Accessories Train Control, Electronics
31.	KITCHEN,	BAKERY AND RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES		004-00	Train Control, Electronics
	090-00	Bakery Equipment, Commercial	37.		L AND HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND SERVICE
	160-00	Butcher Shop and Heat Processing Equipment			DING PHARMACEUTICALS, DRUGS AND BIOCHEMICALS)
	165-00	Cafeteria and Kitchen Equipment: Commercial		260-00	Dental Equipment and Supplies
	240-00	Cutlery, Dishes, Flatware, Glassware, Trays, Utensils, etc.		270-00	Drugs, Pharmaceuticals and Biological (For Human Therapeutic use)
	245-00	Dairy Equipment and Supplies		271-00	Drugs, Pharmaceuticals and Sets (For high Volume
	370-00	Food Processing and Canning Equipment and Supplies	_		Administration, Infusion, Irrigation, Tube Feeding)
		0 0 11		410-00	Health Care and Hospital Facility Furniture
32.	I A ROD	ATORY EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND SERVICE		430-00	Gases, Containers and Equipment for Medical and Lab
	175-00	Chemical Laboratory Equipment and Supplies		435-00	Germicides, Cleaners and Related Sanitation Products for Health Care
	193-00	Clinical Laboratory Reagents and Tests: Blood Grouping, Diagnostic, Drug Monitoring, etc.		465-00	Hospital and Surgical Equipment, Instruments and Supplies
	415-00	Laboratory Furniture		470-00	Hospital Equipment and Supplies: Mobility, Speech
	490-00	Laboratory Equipment and Accessories: Nuclear, Optical, And Physical		475-00	Impaired, Restraint Items Hospital, Surgical and Related Medical Accessories and
	493-00	Laboratory Equipment and Accessories: Biochemistry, Chemistry, Environmental, Science, etc.		625.00	Sundry Items
	495-00	Laboratory and Field Equipment and Supplies: Biology,		625-00 710-00	Optical Equipment, Accessories and Supplies  Prosthetic Devices, Hearing Aids, Auditory Testing
	400 00	Botany, Geology, Microbiology, Zoology, etc.	Ш	7 10-00	Equipment, Electronic Reading Devices, etc.
	962-22	Chemical Laboratory Services		948-00	Health Related Services
				875-00	Veterinary Equipment, Accessories and Supplies
33.		APING AND LAWN MAINTENANCE SERVICE, EQUIPMENT, ND SUPPLIES		898-00	X-Ray and other Radiological Equipment and Supplies (Medical)
	020-00	Agricultural Equipment, Implements and Accessories	38.	METAI	METAL FABRICATION, FOUNDRY CASTING, MACHINE
	335-00	Fertilizers and Soil Conditioners	30.	SHOP	METAL FABRICATION, FOUNDRY CASTING, MACHINE
	515-00	Lawn Maintenance Equipment, Accessories and Parts		400-00	Equipment and Supplies, Foundry Castings
	595-00	Nursery Stock, Equipment and Supplies		570-00	Metals: Bars, Plates, Rods, Sheets, Strips, Structural
	790-00	Seed, Sod, Soil, Inoculants			Shapes, Tubing and Fabricated Items
	968-88 988-36	Tree and Shrub Removal Services Grounds Maintenance: Lawn Mowing, Edging, Plant,		962-38	Galvanizing Services, Hot and Cold Dip, Plating Services
		Trimming, etc.		962-45	Industrial Electroplating Services
	988-88	Tree Trimming and Pruning Services		962-55	Metal Coating Services: Thermal, Spray and H.V.O.F.
	988-89	Weed and Vegetation Control Services		000.00	(High Velocity Oxy-Fuel)
				962-82	Silver Recovery Services
34.	ACCESSO ACCESSO	GOODS, LUGGAGE, PURSES, FABRIC, NOTIONS AND	00		
	520-00	Leather and Related Equipment Products, Accessories and	39.	MICROF 575-00	FICHE AND MICROFILMING SERVICES AND EQUIPMENT  Microfiche and Microfilm Equipment, Accessories and
	530-00	Supplies Luggage, Brief cases, Purses and Related Items			Supplies
	590-00	Notions and Related Sewing Accessories and Supplies	40.		LANEOUS SERVICES
25	MADINE	EQUIDMENT CUIDDIES AND SERVICE		962-31	Electrostatic Painting Services
JJ. □		EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND SERVICE  Roats Motors Marine and Wildlife Equipment and		962-36	Fireworks Display and Carnival Services
Ц	120-00	Boats, Motors, Marine and Wildlife Equipment and Supplies		962-46	Installation Services (Not otherwise classified)
	962-26	Diving Services		962-50	Leak Detection Services: Gas, Water, Chemical
_		-		962-59	Parking Services: Operation, Admission, Supervision
	962-53	Marine Equipment and Marine Life Services (Except		962-60	Party and Holiday Decorating Services

	962-69	Records Management and Disposal	42.	MONEY	MACHINES, FARE COLLECTION EQUIPMENT
	962-71	Religious Services		318-00	Fare Collection Equipment and Supplies, Money
	962-73	Restoration/Reclamation Services of Land and other Properties			Machines
	968-46	Incinerator Services	43.	MOTOR	S, PUMPS, COMPRESSORS
	578-35	Election Equipment and Supplies		025-00	Air compressors and Accessories
				720-00	Pumping Equipment and Accessories
41.	MISCELL	ANEOUS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES		929-61	Motor Rewinding and Repairing, Electric
	961-02	Administrative Services (All Kinds)		545-49	Motors and Engines, Industrial, All Types (Not
	961-04	Artistic Services			Automotive, Lawn or Marine)
	961-12	Codification Services of Government Codes		285-00	Motors and Parts (Fractional and Integral), Controllers, Relays, Switches, Starters, Coils, Brushes, etc.
	915-00	Communication and Media Related Services			relays, owitines, starters, colls, brusiles, etc.
	961-15	Concession Services, Vending Services-Mobile and Stationary	44.		G, STORAGE, TRANSPORTATION, DISPOSAL, REMOVAL
	961-17	Construction Management Services			ELIVERY SERVICE, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES
	961-19	Conservation and Resource Management Services		560-00	Material Handling and Storage Equipment and Accessories
	961-21	Cost Estimating Services		962-24	Courier/Delivery Service
	961-24	Court Reporting Services		962-25	Removal and Disposal of Dead Animals
	961-27	Decontamination Services		962-56	Moving Services
	961-29	Economic Impact Study Services		962-57	Moving Services, House, Portable Buildings, Trailers,
	961-30	Employment Agency and Search Firm Services (Except		295-50	Moving Walks and Parts
	064.30	for Temporary Personnel)		962-86	Transportation of Goods (Freight)
	961-32	Environmental Impact Study Services		962-95	Warehousing and Storage Services (Not Storage Space
	961-37	Fleet Management Services		002 00	Rental)
	961-39	Floral Designing and Arranging Services			
	961-41	Fuel Management	45.	OFFICE/S	SCHOOL/LIBRARY SUPPLIES
	961-43	Hydrological Services		015-00	Paper and Supplies for Office Machines
	961-45	Inspections and Certification Services		310-00	Envelopes, Plain or Printed
Ш	961-48	Laboratory and Field Testing Services (Not otherwise classified)		610-00	Carbon Paper and Ribbons
	961-50	Legal Services		615-00	Office Supplies, General
	961-51	Lobby Services		620-00	Erasers, Inks, Leads, Pens, Pencils, etc.
	961-53	Marketing Services		645-00	Paper (For Office and Printing Use)
	961-55	Mining Services (Including Consulting and Geological		715-00	Publications and Audio Visual Materials
		Services)		785-00	School Equipment and Supplies
	961-57	Musical Production Services		962-74	Re-inking Services for Ribbons
	961-60	Public Opinion Survey Services		956-00	Library Services, Subscriptions
	961-64	Real Estate Services			
	961-66	Sign Painting Services	46.	OFFICE E	EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND ACCESSORIES
	961-68	Sports Professional Services (Including Sports and Recreational Programs)		555-00	Marking and Stenciling Devices
	961-69	Testing and Monitoring Services (Air, Gas, Water)		600-00	Office Machines, Equipment and Accessories
	961-70	Tank Management Services, Storage (Including Underground)		605-00	Office Mechanical Aids, Small Machines and Apparatuses
	961-72	Transcription Services, Legal and Medical	47.	PARK A	ND PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT, SPORTING
	961-74	Transit Management and Operations Services			, SUPPLIES, ACCESSORIES, ETC.
	961-75	Translation Services		195-00	Clocks, Timers
	961-78	Travel Agency, Chartering and Tour Guide Services		650-00	Park, Playground, Recreational Area and Swimming Pool Equipment
	961-79	Travel Program Management Services		805-00	Sporting and Athletic Goods
	961-86	Veterinary Services		962-08	Athletic Training Services
	961-88	Weather Forecasting Services			
	961-90	Writing Services, All Kinds	48.	PERSON.	AL ITEMS AND BEAUTY CARE AND SUPPLIES
	961-94	Zoning, Land Use Study Services		095-00	Barber and Beauty Shop Equipment and Supplies
	999-99	Pre-Qualified Architects and Engineers		195-00	Clocks, Timers, Watches and Jeweler's and Watchmaker's Tools and Equipment

49.	PEST CO	NTROL SERVICE, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES		655-79	Recycled Photographic Equipment and Supplies
	675-00	Poisons: Agricultural and Industrial		745-68	Recycled Asphalt
	910-59	Pest Control Service and Termite Inspection		755-37	Asphalt Recycling Equipment
	988-72	Pest Control Services (Other than Buildings)		906-74	Recycling System Services
		•		962-70	Recycling Services (Including Collection)
50.	РНОТО	GRAPHIC EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND SERVICE			
	655-00	Photographic Equipment and Supplies	54.		OR LEASE – ALL TYPES: EQUIPMENT, SPACE, LAND,
				<b>LOT, ET</b> 971-00	Rental or Lease – Real Property, Hotel/Motel
51.	PRINTIN	IG EQUIPMENT, MACHINE SUPPLIES AND ACCESSORIES		97 1-00	Accommodations, Exhibit Booth, etc.
	700-00	Printing Plant Equipment, Accessories, Machine Supplies and Maintenance		975-00	Rental or Lease – Equipment, Tools, Appliances, Furniture, Vehicles, Instruments, Machinery, etc.
52.	PRINTIN	IG SERVICES	55.	REPAIRS	S, MAINTENANCE AND RECONDITIONING
	125-00	Bookbinding Supplies		928-00	Automobiles Trucks, Trailers, Buses, etc.
	255-00	Decals and Stamps		929-00	Agricultural, Industrial, Marine and Heavy Equipment
	300-00	Embossing and Engraving		931-00	Appliances, Athletic, cafeteria, Furniture, Musical
	310-00	Envelopes			Instruments
	395-00	Continuous Forms: Snap-outs, Computer Forms		934-00	Laundry, Lawn, Painting, Plumbing and Spraying Equipment
	860-00	Tickets, coupon Books, Sales Books, Strip Books, etc.		936-00	General Equipment
	908-00	Bookbinding, Re-binding and Repairing		938-00	Hospital, Laboratory and Testing Equipment
	962-14	Blueprinting Services		939-00	Office and Photographic Equipment, Radios and TV
	965-00	Printing Preparations, Etching, Photoengraving, Preparation of Mats, Negatives and Plates			Sets
	966-00	Printing, Publishing, Silk Screening, Typesetting		940-00	Railroad and Track Equipment
	915-76	Reproduction (Copy Machines)	<i>5 (</i>		CURRUE AND ORGANIZATION
	956-20	Copying Services	<i>5</i> 6.		SURPLUS AND OBSOLETE ITEMS
				998-00	Sale of Surplus and Obsolete Items
53.	RECYCLI SERVICE	ED AND RECYCLABLE MATERIALS, PRODUCTS AND	<i>57</i> .	SECURIT	Y AND SAFETY EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND SERVICE
	100-67	Containers, Recycling		340-00	Fire Protection Equipment and Supplies
	310-60	Envelopes, Recycled Paper		345-00	First Aid and Safety Equipment and Supplies
	395-51	Continuous Forms, Recycled, All Types		550-20	Flares and Fuses
	405-87	Recycled Petroleum Products		680-00	Police Equipment and Supplies
	410-68	Recycled Health care and Hospital Furniture		962-65	Protection Services (Not Including Buildings)
	415-57	Recycled Laboratory Furniture (All Types)		990-00	Security, Fire, Safety and Emergency Services
	420-81	Recycled Furniture for Cafeteria, Chapel, Dormitory,		990-05	Alarm Services
	425-64	Household, Library, Lounge, School (All Types)		990-10	Armored Car Services
	440-62	Recycled Office Furniture (All Types) Recycled Glass Products		990-22	Card Access Security Services
	450-64	Recycled Hardware and Rubber Products		990-25	Crime Prevention Services
	465-81	Recycled Hospital and Surgical Equipment		990-27 990-30	Crossing Guard Services Disaster Relief Services
	470-58	Recycled Mobility, Speech Impaired and Restraint		990-30	Driver's License Services
	475-72	Items  Recycled Hospital Accessories and Sundry Equipment		990-37	Emergency Medical and Ambulance Services (Excluding Fire Services)
ш	47072	and Supplies		990-41	Fingerprinting Services
	520-61	Recycled Leather Products		990-41	Fire and Safety Services
	540-77	Recycled Lumber		990-46	Guard and Security Services
	578-64	Recycling Equipment, Machines and Supplies		990-52	Investigative Services
	610-33	Recycled Carbon Paper		990-67	Patrol Services
	610-34	Recycled Ribbons		990-70	Polygraph Testing Services
	615-73	Recycled Office Supplies		990-77	Safety Training and Awareness Services (Highway
	620-94	Recycled Pens and Pencils			Safety, Boating, Seat Belt, etc.)
	640-66	Recycled Paper, Plastics and Styrofoam Products (Disposable Type)		990-80	Surveillance Services
	645-00	Recycled Paper Stock	58.	SIGNS.	SIGNAGE AND TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES
	650-48	Recycled Recreational and Park Equipment		550-00	Markers, Plaques, Signs and Traffic Control Devices
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	968-80	Traffic Sign Installation
	968-81	Traffic Sign Maintenance and Repair
	968-82	Traffic Signal Installation
	968-83	Traffic Signal Maintenance and Repair
59.	SOCIAL	AND COMMUNITY SERVICES
	964-00	Temporary Personnel and Workers (All Types)
50.	WATERWO	ORKS AND SEWAGE UTILITIES
	890-00	Water Supply and Sewage Treatment Equipment
	962-91	Utility Locator Service (Underground)
	962-92	Video Scanning Services of Sewers, /Waterwells, etc.
	968-00	General Construction & Maintenance (Airport, Roadways, Utilities, Antenna Tower, Dredging Bridges, Demolition, Excavating, Wrecking and Removal, Sewer /Water/ Wastewater, Public Works Constructions, etc.)
	968-65	Pipeline Construction and Repair
	968-68	Sewer and Storm Drain Construction
	968-69	Sewer Maintenance and Repair
	968-73	Storm Drain Cleaning, Repair and Sludge Removal Services
	968-93	Well Pointing Services (De-watering)
	968-94	Waterproofing Systems and Repair Work
	968-95	Wastewater Treatment Plant, Operations, Testing, Maintenance
	968-96	Water System, Mains and Service Line Construction and Repair Service

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Miami-Dade County

## VENDOR CHECKLIST OF DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED

## Internal Services Department, Procurement Management Services Division Vendor Services Section

111 NW 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Suite 1300, Miami, Florida 33128-1974 Telephone: 305-375-5773

www.miamidade.gov/procurement

### FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (FEIN)

In order to establish a file for your firm, you must enter your firm's FEIN. This number becomes your "County Vendor Number". Please enter your Federal Employee Identification Number (FEIN) or if none then enter the owner's Social Security Number (SSN).

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CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)

The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) is the standard used by the federal statistical agencies in classifying business establishments for the purpose of collecting, analyzing and publishing statistical data related to the U.S. business economy.

NAICS Code	
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SECTION 4:	CHECKLIST	OF DOCUMENTS	TO BE SUBMITTED

	<b>Submit copy of current Local Business Tax Receipt</b> (formerly the Miami-Dade County Occupational License) for businesses physically located in Miami-Dade County. Contact the Miami-Dade Tax Collector's Office at <a href="www.miamidade.gov/taxcollector">www.miamidade.gov/taxcollector</a> or contact:
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#### Miami-Dade County Tax Collector's Office, Local Business Tax Section

140 West Flagler Street, Room 101, Miami, Florida, 33130 Telephone: (305) 270-4949 Fax: (305) 372-6368

#### Submit copy of Certificate if your company is under one of the following:

- Corporation
- Trademarks
- Limited Partnerships
- Limited Liability Company
- Limited Liability & General Partnerships
- Fictitious Business Name(s), if required

**Note:** Miami-Dade County will confirm the validity of Certificates with the applicable state authority. For companies located in Florida and registered with the Florida Department of State, Division of Corporations, the company's Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) must be posted on the Florida Division of Corporation's website. To confirm that your FEIN is posted, visit the State website at <a href="https://www.sunbiz.org">www.sunbiz.org</a> Under "Document Search", press "Inquire by Name" or "Inquire by Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN)" to produce the corresponding report.

If your company's Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is not posted, contact the Florida Department of State, Division of Corporations and request that your company FEIN be added to your file posted on the web. Requests must be provided on your company's letterhead and reference the document number assigned when your company was registered. Submit your request via email at <a href="mailto:corphelp@dos.state.fl.us">corphelp@dos.state.fl.us</a>, or contact the agency at 1-850-245-6052 for additional information.

#### Submit the original of <u>one</u> of the following documents that apply to your entity or business.

- W-9 Request for Taxpayer ID Number and Certification (document and instructions attached) or one of the following:
- W-8ECI Form Certificate of Foreign Person's Claim for Exemption from Withholding on Income Effectively Connected With the Conduct of a Trade or Business in the United States. Obtain a form and instructions from <u>www.irs.gov</u>
- W-8BEN Certificate of Foreign Status of Beneficial Owner for United States Tax Withholding. Obtain a form and instructions from www.irs.gov
- W-8EXP Certificate of Foreign Government or Other Foreign Organization for United States Tax Withholding. Obtain a form and instructions from <u>www.irs.gov</u>
- W-8IMY Certificate of foreign Intermediary, Foreign, Flow-Through Entity, or Certain U.S. Branches for United States Tax Withholding. Obtain a form and instructions from www.irs.gov

Submit copy of IRS letter 147C, verifying your business name and FEIN or any other preprinted IRS form issued by the IRS
identifying your business name and FEIN.

Submit copy of Social Security Card – If registering under your name, Fictitious Business Name(s) and FEIN is not available.



### Miami-Dade County INTERNAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PROCUREMENT MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION

## NOTICE OF REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING THE USE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS

Effective October 1, 2007, the Florida Legislature adopted new requirements under Section 119.071(5) of the Florida Statutes, relating to the collection and dissemination of Social Security Numbers by all "Agencies" in Florida. Under the new requirements, an agency may not collect an individual's Social Security Number unless the agency has stated in writing the purpose for its collection.

Please be aware that the Miami-Dade County Internal Services Department, Procurement Management Services Division (County) collects Social Security Numbers from individuals, in lieu of a Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN), if a FEIN has not been issued by the Internal Revenue Service for the individual/firm registering as a vendor with the County.

In order to establish a file for your firm, you must provide your firm's Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN). If no FEIN exists, the Social Security Number of the owner or individual must be provided. This number becomes your "County Vendor Number". To comply with Section 119.071(5) of the Florida Statutes relating to the collection of an individual's Social Security Number, be aware that DPM requests the Social Security Number for the following purposes:

- Identification of individual account records
- To make payments to individual/vendor for goods and services provided to Miami-Dade County
- Tax reporting purposes
- To provide a unique identifier in the vendor database that may be used for searching and sorting departmental records

If you have any questions concerning the use of your Social Security Number, you may contact the Internal Services Department, Procurement Management Services Division, Vendor Services Section at (305) 375-5773.



## Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Internal	neverlue Service					
	Name (as shown or	n your income tax return)	-			
Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above					
	Check appropriate box for federal tax classification:  Individual/sole proprietor					
Print or type c Instructions	☐ Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ►					
P	U Other (see instructions) ►  Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)  Request		ster's name and address	(optional)		
See <b>Spe</b>	City, state, and ZIP	2 code				
	List account number	List account number(s) here (optional)				
Par	Taxpa	yer Identification Number (TIN)				
Enter	your TIN in the ap	propriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name" line	Social security numb	er		
to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see <i>How to get a</i>				-		
	page 3.	A Constitution of the state of	Employer identification	on number		
	Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.					
Part	II Certifi	cation				
Under	penalties of perju	ıry, I certify that:				
1. The	1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and					
Ser	2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and					
3. I ar	3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).					
becau interes genera instruc	se you have failed at paid, acquisition	ons. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you do to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions on abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you	, item 2 does not app dividual retirement arr	y. For mortgage angement (IRA), and		
Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person					

#### **General Instructions**

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

#### **Purpose of Form**

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- 1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
  - 2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

**Note.** If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S. person.** For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

Special rules for partnerships. Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.

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The person who gives Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States is in the following cases:

- The U.S. owner of a disregarded entity and not the entity,
- The U.S. grantor or other owner of a grantor trust and not the trust, and
- The U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

**Foreign person.** If you are a foreign person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 (see Publication 515, Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities).

Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien. Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payee has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items:

- 1. The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.
  - 2. The treaty article addressing the income.
- 3. The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.
- 4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.
- 5. Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

**Example.** Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinese student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an exemption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that exemption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity not subject to backup withholding, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8.

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS a percentage of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, tax-exempt interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

#### Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

- 1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,
- 2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 3 for details),
  - 3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,
- 4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or
- 5. You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See the instructions below and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9.

Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 1.

#### **Updating Your Information**

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an exempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the future from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information if you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or if you no longer are tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account, for example, if the grantor of a grantor trust dies.

#### **Penalties**

**Failure to furnish TIN.** If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

**Criminal penalty for falsifying information.** Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

**Misuse of TINs.** If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

#### **Specific Instructions**

#### Name

If you are an individual, you must generally enter the name shown on your income tax return. However, if you have changed your last name, for instance, due to marriage without informing the Social Security Administration of the name change, enter your first name, the last name shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

If the account is in joint names, list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of the form.

**Sole proprietor.** Enter your individual name as shown on your income tax return on the "Name" line. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA)" name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

**Partnership, C Corporation, or S Corporation.** Enter the entity's name on the "Name" line and any business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA) name" on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Disregarded entity. Enter the owner's name on the "Name" line. The name of the entity entered on the "Name" line should never be a disregarded entity. The name on the "Name" line must be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income will be reported. For example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a domestic owner, the domestic owner's name is required to be provided on the "Name" line. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity's name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line. If the owner of the disregarded entity is a foreign person, you must complete an appropriate Form W-8.

**Note.** Check the appropriate box for the federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on the "Name" line (Individual/sole proprietor, Partnership, C Corporation, S Corporation, Trust/estate).

Limited Liability Company (LLC). If the person identified on the "Name" line is an LLC, check the "Limited liability company" box only and enter the appropriate code for the tax classification in the space provided. If you are an LLC that is treated as a partnership for federal tax purposes, enter "P" for partnership. If you are an LLC that has filed a Form 8832 or a Form 2553 to be taxed as a corporation, enter "C" for C corporation or "S" for S corporation. If you are an LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner under Regulation section 301.7701-3 (except for employment and excise tax), do not check the LLC box unless the owner of the LLC (required to be identified on the "Name" line) is another LLC that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. If the LLC is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner, enter the appropriate tax classification of the owner identified on the "Name" line.

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**Other entities.** Enter your business name as shown on required federal tax documents on the "Name" line. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on the "Business name/ disregarded entity name" line.

#### **Exempt Payee**

If you are exempt from backup withholding, enter your name as described above and check the appropriate box for your status, then check the "Exempt payee" box in the line following the "Business name/disregarded entity name," sign and date the form.

Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends.

**Note.** If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

The following payees are exempt from backup withholding:

- 1. An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2),
  - 2. The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities,
- 3. A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities,
- 4. A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities, or
- 5. An international organization or any of its agencies or instrumentalities.

Other payees that may be exempt from backup withholding include:

- 6. A corporation,
- 7. A foreign central bank of issue,
- 8. A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States
- 9. A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission,
  - 10. A real estate investment trust,
- 11. An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940,
  - 12. A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a),
  - 13. A financial institution.
- 14. A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian, or
- 15. A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 15.

IF the payment is for	THEN the payment is exempt for
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt payees except for 9
Broker transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 5 and 7 through 13. Also, C corporations.
Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt payees 1 through 5
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 1	Generally, exempt payees 1 through 7 <sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

#### Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

**Enter your TIN in the appropriate box.** If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see *How to get a TIN* below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, the IRS prefers that you use your SSN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (see *Limited Liability Company (LLC)* on page 2), enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). Do not enter the disregarded entity's EIN. If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

**Note.** See the chart on page 4 for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

How to get a TIN. If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local Social Security Administration office or get this form online at <a href="https://www.ssa.gov">www.ssa.gov</a>. You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at <a href="https://www.irs.gov/businesses">www.irs.gov/businesses</a> and clicking on Employer Identification Number (EIN) under Starting a Business. You can get Forms W-7 and SS-4 from the IRS by visiting IRS.gov or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

**Note.** Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

**Caution:** A disregarded domestic entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

#### Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if item 1, below, and items 4 and 5 on page 4 indicate otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on the "Name" line must sign. Exempt payees, see Exempt Payee on page 3.

**Signature requirements.** Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 3, below, and items 4 and 5 on page 4.

- 1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.
- 2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983. You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.
- **3. Real estate transactions.** You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney, and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

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- **4. Other payments.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).
- 5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

#### What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
Individual     Two or more individuals (joint account)	The individual The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account '
Custodian account of a minor     (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)	The minor <sup>2</sup>
a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee)     b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The grantor-trustee <sup>1</sup> The actual owner <sup>1</sup>
Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual	The owner <sup>3</sup>
6. Grantor trust filing under Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (see Regulation section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(A))	The grantor*
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
Disregarded entity not owned by an individual	The owner
A valid trust, estate, or pension trust     Corporation or LLC electing     corporate status on Form 8832 or     Form 2553	Legal entity <sup>4</sup> The corporation
Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization	The organization
<ul><li>11. Partnership or multi-member LLC</li><li>12. A broker or registered nominee</li></ul>	The partnership The broker or nominee
13. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	The public entity
14. Grantor trust filing under the Form 1041 Filing Method or the Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 2 (see Regulation section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(B))	The trust

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

**Note.** If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

#### **Secure Your Tax Records from Identity Theft**

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, social security number (SSN), or other identifying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other crimes. An identity thief may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a refund.

To reduce your risk:

- · Protect your SSN,
- Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identity theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or wallet, questionable credit card activity or credit report, contact the IRS Identity Theft Hotline at 1-800-908-4490 or submit Form 14039.

For more information, see Publication 4535, Identity Theft Prevention and Victim Assistance.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a system problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

#### Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes.

Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in an attempt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal detailed information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to *phishing@irs.gov*. You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration at 1-800-366-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at: *spam@uce.gov* or contact them at *www.ftc.gov/idtheft* or 1-877-IDTHEFT (1-877-438-4338).

Visit IRS.gov to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

#### **Privacy Act Notice**

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secured property; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS, reporting the above information. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. possessions for use in administering their laws. The information also may be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section 3406, payers must generally withhold a percentage of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties may also apply for providing false or fraudulent information.

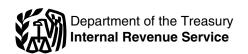
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or "DBA" name on the "Business name/disregarded entity" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>List first and circle the name of the trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see *Special rules for partnerships* on page 1.

<sup>\*</sup>Note. Grantor also must provide a Form W-9 to trustee of trust.

## Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9



(Rev. January 2011)

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

#### What's New

New checkboxes. Generally, for any sale of a covered security acquired by an S corporation (other than a financial institution) after December 31, 2011, brokers will be required to report gross proceeds and basis information to S corporations and may not treat them as exempt recipients. New tax classification checkboxes have been added for S corporation and Trust/estate. The Form W-9 is revised to allow S corporations sufficient time to provide new certifications to brokers indicating their non-exempt status. Also, disregarded entity was removed as a tax classification for limited liability companies.

#### Reminders

- The backup withholding rate is 28% for reportable payments.
- The IRS website offers TIN Matching e-services for certain payers to validate name and TIN combinations. See *Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) Matching* on page 4.

## How Do I Know When To Use Form W-9?

Use Form W-9 to request the taxpayer identification number (TIN) of a U.S. person (including a resident alien) and to request certain certifications and claims for exemption. (See *Purpose of Form* on Form W-9.) Withholding agents may require signed Forms W-9 from U.S. exempt recipients to overcome any presumptions of foreign status. For federal purposes, a U.S. person includes but is not limited to:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States.
- Any estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

A partnership may require a signed Form W-9 from its U.S. partners to overcome any presumptions of foreign status and to avoid withholding on the partner's allocable share of the partnership's effectively connected income. For more information, see Regulations section 1.1446-1.

Advise foreign persons to use the appropriate Form W-8. See Pub. 515, Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities, for more information and a list of the W-8 forms.

Also, a nonresident alien individual may, under certain circumstances, claim treaty benefits on scholarships and fellowship grant income. See Pub. 515 or Pub. 519, U.S. Tax Guide for Aliens, for more information.

#### **Electronic Submission of Forms W-9**

Requesters may establish a system for payees and payees' agents to submit Forms W-9 electronically, including by fax. A requester is anyone required to file an information return. A payee is anyone required to provide a taxpayer identification number (TIN) to the requester.

Payee's agent. A payee's agent can be an investment advisor (corporation, partnership, or individual) or an introducing broker. An investment advisor must be registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940. The introducing broker is a broker-dealer that is regulated by the SEC and the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., and that is not a payer. Except for a broker who acts as a payee's agent for "readily tradable instruments," the advisor or broker must show in writing to the payer that the payee authorized the advisor or broker to transmit the Form W-9 to the payer.

**Electronic system.** Generally, the electronic system must:

- Ensure the information received is the information sent, and document all occasions of user access that result in the submission;
- Make reasonably certain that the person accessing the system and submitting the form is the person identified on Form W-9, the investment advisor, or the introducing broker:
- Provide the same information as the paper Form W-9;
- Be able to supply a hard copy of the electronic Form W-9 if the Internal Revenue Service requests it; and
- Require as the final entry in the submission an electronic signature by the payee whose name is on Form W-9 that authenticates and verifies the submission. The electronic signature must be under penalties of perjury and the perjury statement must contain the language of the paper Form W-9.



For Forms W-9 that are not required to be signed, the electronic system need not provide for an electronic signature or a perjury statement.

For more details, see the following.

- Announcement 98-27, which is on page 30 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 1998-15 at <a href="https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb98-15.pdf">www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb98-15.pdf</a>.
- Announcement 2001-91, which is on page 221 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 2001-36 at <a href="www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb01-36.pdf">www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb01-36.pdf</a>.

## Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN)

Form W-9 (or an acceptable substitute) is used by persons required to file information returns with the IRS to get the payee's (or other person's) correct name and TIN. For individuals, the TIN is generally a social security number (SSN).

However, in some cases, individuals who become U.S. resident aliens for tax purposes are not eligible to obtain an SSN. This includes certain resident aliens who must receive information returns but who cannot obtain an SSN.

These individuals must apply for an ITIN on Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, unless they have an application pending for an SSN. Individuals who have an ITIN must provide it on Form W-9.

#### **Substitute Form W-9**

You may develop and use your own Form W-9 (a substitute Form W-9) if its content is substantially similar to the official IRS Form W-9 and it satisfies certain certification requirements.

You may incorporate a substitute Form W-9 into other business forms you customarily use, such as account signature cards. However, the certifications on the substitute Form W-9 must clearly state (as shown on the official Form W-9) that under penalties of perjury:

- 1. The payee's TIN is correct,
- 2. The payee is not subject to backup withholding due to failure to report interest and dividend income, and
  - 3. The payee is a U.S. person.

You may not:

- 1. Use a substitute Form W-9 that requires the payee, by signing, to agree to provisions unrelated to the required certifications, or
- Imply that a payee may be subject to backup withholding unless the payee agrees to provisions on the substitute form that are unrelated to the required certifications.

A substitute Form W-9 that contains a separate signature line just for the certifications satisfies the requirement that the certifications be clearly stated.

If a single signature line is used for the required certifications and other provisions, the certifications must be highlighted, boxed, printed in bold-face type, or presented in some other manner that causes the language to stand out from all other information contained on the substitute form. Additionally, the following statement must be presented to stand out in the same manner as described above and must appear immediately above the single signature line:

"The Internal Revenue Service does not require your consent to any provision of this document other than the certifications required to avoid backup withholding."

If you use a substitute form, you are required to provide the Form W-9 instructions to the payee only if he or she requests them. However, if the IRS has notified the payee that backup withholding applies, then you must instruct the payee to strike out the language in the certification that relates to underreporting. This instruction can be given orally or in writing. See item 2 of the *Certification* on Form W-9. You can replace "defined

below" with "defined in the instructions" in item 3 of the *Certification* on Form W-9 when the instructions will not be provided to the payee except upon request. For more information, see Rev. Proc. 83-89,1983-2 C.B. 613; amplified by Rev. Proc. 96-26, which is on page 22 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 1996-8 at <a href="www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb96-08.pdf">www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb96-08.pdf</a>.

#### TIN Applied for

For interest and dividend payments and certain payments with respect to readily tradable instruments, the payee may return a properly completed, signed Form W-9 to you with "Applied For" written in Part I. This is an "awaiting-TIN" certificate. The payee has 60 calendar days, from the date you receive this certificate, to provide a TIN. If you do not receive the payee's TIN at that time, you must begin backup withholding on payments.

Reserve rule. You must backup withhold on any reportable payments made during the 60-day period if a payee withdraws more than \$500 at one time, unless the payee reserves an amount equal to the current year's backup withholding rate on all reportable payments made to the account.

**Alternative rule.** You may also elect to backup withhold during this 60-day period, after a 7-day grace period, under one of the two alternative rules discussed below.

**Option 1.** Backup withhold on any reportable payments if the payee makes a withdrawal from the account after the close of 7 business days after you receive the awaiting-TIN certificate. Treat as reportable payments all cash withdrawals in an amount up to the reportable payments made from the day after you receive the awaiting-TIN certificate to the day of withdrawal.

**Option 2.** Backup withhold on any reportable payments made to the payee's account, regardless of whether the payee makes any withdrawals, beginning no later than 7 business days after you receive the awaiting-TIN certificate.



The 60-day exemption from backup withholding does not apply to any payment other than interest, dividends, and certain payments relating

to readily tradable instruments. Any other reportable payment, such as nonemployee compensation, is subject to backup withholding immediately, even if the payee has applied for and is awaiting a TIN.

Even if the payee gives you an awaiting-TIN certificate, you must backup withhold on reportable interest and dividend payments if the payee does not certify, under penalties of perjury, that the payee is not subject to backup withholding.

If you do not collect backup withholding from affected payees as required, you may become liable for any uncollected amount.

## Payees Exempt From Backup Withholding

Even if the payee does not provide a TIN in the manner required, you are not required to backup withhold on any payments you make if the payee is:

1. An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2);

- 2. The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities;
- 3. A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities;
- 4. A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities; or
- 5. An international organization or any of its agencies or instrumentalities.

Other payees that may be exempt from backup withholding include:

- A corporation;
- 7. A foreign central bank of issue;
- 8. A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States;
- 9. A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission;
  - 10. A real estate investment trust;
- 11. An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940;
- 12. A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a);
  - 13. A financial institution;
- 14. A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian; or
- 15. A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947.

The following types of payments are exempt from backup withholding as indicated for items 1 through 15 above.

**Interest and dividend payments.** All listed payees are exempt except the payee in item 9.

**Broker transactions.** All payees listed in items 1 through 5 and 7 through 13 are exempt. Also, C corporations are exempt. A person registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 who regularly acts as a broker is also exempt.

**Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends.** Only payees listed in items 1 through 5 are exempt.

Payments reportable under sections 6041 and 6041A. Only payees listed in items 1 through 7 are generally exempt.

However, the following payments made to a corporation (including gross proceeds paid to an attorney under section 6045(f), even if the attorney is a corporation) and reportable on Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, are not exempt from backup withholding.

- Medical and health care payments.
- Attorneys' fees.
- Payments for services paid by a federal executive agency. (See Rev. Rul. 2003-66, which is on page 1115 of Intenal Revenue Bulletin 2003-26 at <a href="www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb03-26.pdf">www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb03-26.pdf</a>.)

## Payments Exempt From Backup Withholding

Payments that are not subject to information reporting also are not subject to backup withholding. For details, see sections 6041, 6041A, 6042, 6044, 6045, 6049, 6050A, and 6050N, and their regulations. The following payments are generally exempt from backup withholding.

#### Dividends and patronage dividends

- Payments to nonresident aliens subject to withholding under section 1441.
- Payments to partnerships not engaged in a trade or business in the United States and that have at least one nonresident alien partner.
- Payments of patronage dividends not paid in money.
- Payments made by certain foreign organizations.
- Section 404(k) distributions made by an ESOP.

#### Interest payments

- Payments of interest on obligations issued by individuals. However, if you pay \$600 or more of interest in the course of your trade or business to a payee, you must report the payment. Backup withholding applies to the reportable payment if the payee has not provided a TIN or has provided an incorrect TIN.
- Payments described in section 6049(b)(5) to nonresident aliens.
- Payments on tax-free covenant bonds under section 1451.
- Payments made by certain foreign organizations.
- Mortgage or student loan interest paid to you.

#### Other types of payment

- · Wages.
- Distributions from a pension, annuity, profit-sharing or stock bonus plan, any IRA, an owner-employee plan, or other deferred compensation plan.
- Distributions from a medical or health savings account and long-term care benefits.
- Certain surrenders of life insurance contracts.
- Distribution from qualified tuition programs or Coverdell ESAs.
- Gambling winnings if regular gambling winnings withholding is required under section 3402(q). However, if regular gambling winnings withholding is not required under section 3402(q), backup withholding applies if the payee fails to furnish a TIN.
- Real estate transactions reportable under section 6045(e).
- Cancelled debts reportable under section 6050P.
- Fish purchases for cash reportable under section 6050R.



After 2011, backup withholding will apply to certain payment card transactions by a qualified payment card agent under section 6050W.

#### **Joint Foreign Payees**

If the first payee listed on an account gives you a Form W-8 or a similar statement signed under penalties of perjury, backup withholding applies unless:

- 1. Every joint payee provides the statement regarding foreign status, or
- 2. Any one of the joint payees who has not established foreign status gives you a TIN.

If any one of the joint payees who has not established foreign status gives you a TIN, use that number for purposes of backup withholding and information reporting.

For more information on foreign payees, see the Instructions for the Requester of Forms W-8BEN, W-8ECI, W-8EXP, and W-8IMY.

## Names and TINs To Use for Information Reporting

Show the full name and address as provided on Form W-9 on the information return filed with the IRS and on the copy furnished to the payee. If you made payments to more than one payee or the account is in more than one name, enter on the first name line of the information return only the name of the payee whose TIN is shown on Form W-9. You may show the names of any other individual payees in the area below the first name line on the information return.



For more information on the names and TINs to use for information reporting, see section J of the General Instructions for Certain Information

Returns.

#### **Notices From the IRS**

The IRS will send you a notice if the payee's name and TIN on the information return you filed do not match the IRS's records. (See *Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) Matching,* later.) You may have to send a "B" notice to

the payee to solicit another TIN. Pub. 1281, Backup Withholding for Missing and Incorrect Name/TIN(s), contains copies of the two types of "B" notices.

## Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) Matching

TIN Matching allows a payer or authorized agent who is required to file Forms 1099-B, DIV, INT, K, MISC, OID, and/or PATR to match TIN and name combinations with IRS records before submitting the forms to the IRS. TIN Matching is one of the e-services products that is offered and is accessible through the IRS website. Go to IRS.gov and enter e-services in the search box. It is anticipated that payers who validate the TIN and name combinations before filing information returns will receive fewer backup withholding (CP2100) notices and penalty notices.

#### **Additional Information**

For more information on backup withholding, see Pub. 1281.



#### **Appendix H**

## FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

#### MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

(Provided for information only, and should not to be submitted with Proposal)

	BID NO: BID TITLE:
COLLUSION AFFID (Code of Miami-Dade County Section 2-8.1.1 and	d 10-33.1) (Ordinance No. 08-113)
BEFORE ME, a Notary Public, personally appeared who being duly sworn states:	(insert name of affiant)
I am over 18 years of age, have personal knowledge an owner, officer, director, principal shareholder and of this contract.	
I state that the bidder of this contract:	
□ is not related to any of the other parties bidding contractor's proposal is genuine and not sham of of any person not therein named, and that the co- or solicited any other proposed to put in a sh corporation to refrain from proposing, and that the collusion to secure to the proposer an advantage	r collusive or made in the interest of on behalf intractor has not, directly or indirectly, induced fam proposal, or any other person, firm, or the proposer has not in any manner sought by
OR	
☐ is related to the following parties who bid in the below:	e solicitation, which are identified and listed
Note: Any person or entity that fails to submit this executed In the event a recommended contractor identifies related shall be presumed to be collusive and the recommended of that presumption is rebutted by presentation of evidence management of such related parties in the preparation and parties shall mean bidders or proposers or the principals, co have a direct or indirect ownership interest in another bidd which a parent company or the principals thereof of one (1 ownership interest in another bidder or proposer for the san collusive shall be rejected.	parties in the competitive solicitation, its bid contractor shall be ineligible for award unless as to the extent of ownership, control, and submittal of such bids or proposals. Related rporate officers, and managers therefore who er or proposer for the same agreement or in ) bidder or proposer have a direct or indirect
By: Signature of Affiant	, 20 Date
Printed Name of Affiant and Title	/////
Printed Name of F	Firm

Address of Firm

	BID NO: BID TITLE:	
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO (or affirmed) being 20	<del></del> ·	;
He/She is personally known to me or has presented identification.	(Type of identification)	_ as
Notary Public, State of		
Signature of Notary Public	Serial Number	
Print or Stamp Name of Notary	Expiration of Commission Date	
Notary Seal:		



### Appendix I

# FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

**Due Diligence Checklist** 

#### **DUE DILIGENCE CHECKLIST**

DUE DILIGENCE ITEM	COMPLIANT	NON- COMPLIANT	NOT APPLICABLE
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL			
VENDOR REGISTRATION DOCUMENTS, AFFIDAVITS AND APPLICABLE LICENCES			
INSURANCE AND/OR BONDS			
SBD VIOLATIONS REPORT			
FLORIDA CONVICTED VENDOR LIST			
FEDERAL SAM (f/k/a CONTRACTOR DEBARMENT REPORT)			
FEDERAL SAM (f/k/a DELINQUENT CONTRACTORS)			
GOAL DEFICIT MAKE-UP REPORT			
SUSPENDED CONTRACTORS FLORIDA SUSPENDED CONTRACTORS			
FEDERAL SAM (f/k/a FEDERAL EXCLUDED PARTIES LIST SYSTEM)			
SUDAN-IRAN AFFIDAVIT			
STATE OF FLORIDA CORPORATIONS (SUNBIZ)			
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS INFORMATION SYSTEM			
A&E TECHNICAL CERTIFICATION REPORT			
PRE-QUALIFICATION REPORT			
WEB SEARCH FOR COMPLIANCE AND PERFORMANCE RECORD (BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU)			
REFERENCE CHECKS FOR CONTRACTS SIMILAR IN SCOPE			
TAX RETURNS, FINANCIAL STATEMENTS(AUDITED), PROFORMA STATEMENTS AND OTHER FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS			
LOCAL PUBLIC RECORDS SEARCH (CLERK OF COURTS)			
DUNN & BRADSTREET FINANCIAL REPORTS			
PUBLIC ACCESS TO COURT ELECTRONIC RECORDS (PACER)			

I certify that I have completed the due diligence search required through Resolution #R-630-13 on the previously mentioned agency, and that the information mentioned above is correct.

Contracts Officer:		
Date:		



### **Appendix J**

## FY 2018-19 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION (CBO) FUNDING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 9333

**Draft Agreement** 

#### FY 2018-19 Environmental Education CBO Grants

☐ Cost-based

#### **AGREEMENT**

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and between Miami-Dade County, a polit	cal subdivision	of the State of	Florida, th	rough its
Office of Management and Budget, Gran	ts Coordination	division (herein	nafter refer	red to as
"County," "OMB-GC" or "OMB"), having its	principal office	at 111 NW 1st	t Street, 22	nd Floor,
Miami, Florida 33128, and	, a corpo	ration organized	d and exist	ing under
the laws of the State of Florida, having it	s principal office	e at		
(hereinafter referred to as "Provider"), sta	tes conditions a	and covenants	for the ren	dering of
environmental education services (hereinaf	er referred to as	"Services") for t	the County.	-

WHEREAS, the Provider provides or will develop services of value to the County and has demonstrated an ability or desire to provide these services; and

WHEREAS, the County is desirous of assisting the Provider in providing those services and the Provider is desirous of providing such services; and

WHEREAS, the County has appropriated grant funds for the proposed services;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS

The following words and expressions used in this Agreement shall be construed as follows, except when it is clear from the context that another meaning is intended:

- a) The words "Agreement," "Contract," or "Contract Documents" shall mean collectively these terms and conditions, the Scope of Work (Attachment A), and the Budget Documents (Attachment B) and all other attachments hereto, as well as all amendments or budget modifications issued hereto.
- b) The words "Contract Manager" shall mean Miami-Dade County's Director of the Office of Management and Budget ("OMB") or the Director's designee, or the duly authorized representative designated to manage the Contract.
- c) The word "Days" shall mean Calendar Days, unless otherwise specifically noted.
- d) The word "Deliverables" shall mean all documentation and any items of any nature submitted by the Provider to the County's Contract Manager for review and approval pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.
- e) The words "directed," "required," "permitted," "ordered," "designated," "selected," "prescribed," or words of like import to mean, respectively, the direction, requirement, permission, order, designation, selection, or prescription of the County's Contract Manager; and similarly the words "approved," acceptable," "satisfactory," "necessary," or words of like import to mean, respectively, approved by, acceptable to, satisfactory

- to, equal or necessary, in the sole discretion of the County's Contract Manager.
- f) The words "Effective Term" shall mean the date on which this Agreement is effective, including start date and end date
- g) The words "Extra Work," "Change Order," or "Additional Work" shall mean resulting in additions, deletions, or modifications to the amount, type, or value of the Work and Services as required in this Agreement, as directed and/or approved by the County.
- h) The words "gap funds" shall mean the last remaining funds needed to ensure funding for the total project cost.
- i) "HIPAA" means Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.
- j) The words "Scope of Work" shall mean the document appended hereto as Attachment A, which details the work to be performed by the Provider.
- k) The word "subcontractor" or "subconsultant," shall mean any person, entity, firm, or corporation, other than the employees of the Provider or contractors working in a programmatic role for the Provider, who furnishes labor toward, or who performs some aspect of, the Scope of Work or the administrative aspects described in this Agreement.
- I) The words "Work," "Services," "Program," or "Project" shall mean all matters and things required to be done by the Provider in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.
- m) The word "review" shall mean inspection of original documentation and retention of copies of such documents associated with the administrative, fiscal, and programmatic functions of the Program(s) supported by Miami-Dade County General Funds.
- n) The terms "administrative budget" or "indirect budget" shall refer to costs that are not tied to the direct provision of Services funded under this Agreement. These costs may include: 1) the portion of payroll of the Provider's salaried administrative personnel and/or or payment for the administrative (non-program) portion of duties executed by Provider's subcontracted administrative personnel (i.e., executive directors, agency heads, management and business consultants, information technology (IT) consultants); 2) overhead costs not related to the direct provision of Services (i.e., administrative office space and related maintenance, utilities and supplies, insurance, advertising, marketing and fundraising costs, staff training, accounting and tax preparation services, and audit fees); and 3) clerical or other administrative personnel who do not directly provide services to clients pursuant to this Agreement (i.e., administrative assistants, database clerks, etc.).
- o) The term "arm's length transaction" shall refer to any transaction in which the buyers and sellers of a product or service act independently and have no relationship to each other to ensure that both parties in the transaction are acting in their own self-interest and are not subject to any pressure or duress from the other party.
- p) The term "related party transaction" shall refer to a business deal or arrangement between two parties who are joined by a special relationship (family member or relative, stockholder, related corporation) prior to the deal or arrangement.

- q) The term "program income" shall refer to the income received by the Provider directly from the activities funded under this Agreement, or generated as a result of the use of the County's General Fund award.
- r) The term "programmatic role" shall mean an employee or contractor of the Provider who is regularly and continuously funded under this Agreement to work with clients and provide direct Services pursuant to the Scope of Work.
- The terms "administrative costs" or "overhead costs" or ("administrative and overhead costs") shall mean costs that are not directly related to or used specifically for the client services contemplated in this Agreement. These costs include, but are not limited to, rent for administrative space and related utilities, payroll of management, administrative and clerical personnel that do not directly serve clients in the course of their general work responsibilities, insurance, office supplies that are not used by clients for program activities, audit fees, accounting/bookkeeping salaries or fees, database maintenance, including staff that enters, updates and/or analyzes data, information technology support, software and licenses, janitorial fees that are not incurred for services to the clients, human resources costs, including payroll costs and background screenings required for personnel, subcontractors and volunteers, and capital equipment for general office use, including copiers (or copier leases), scanners, furniture, computers (if not used by clients for a core activity pursuant to this agreement),

#### ARTICLE 2. AMOUNT PAYABLE

Subject to available funds, the maximum provisional amount payable for services rendered under this contract shall not exceed:

\$

Name of Program

Both parties expressly acknowledge availability of funding under this contract is at the County's sole discretion. Both parties agree that should County funding be reduced, the amount payable under this Contract may be proportionately reduced at the sole discretion and option of the County.

All services undertaken by the Provider before the County's execution of this Contract shall be at the Provider's risk and expense.

It is the ongoing responsibility of the Provider to maintain sufficient financial resources to meet expenses incurred during the period between the provision of Services and payment by the County.

#### ARTICLE 3. EFFECTIVE TERM

Both parties agree that this is a twelve-month contract and that the effective term of this Agreement shall commence on March 1, 2019, and terminate at the close of business on February 29, 2020, regardless of when this Agreement is executed.

#### ARTICLE 4. SCOPE OF WORK

The Provider shall render services in accordance with the Scope of Work, incorporated herein and attached hereto as Attachment A. The Scope of Work must clearly indicate the time frames for the delivery of each of the funded services.

The Provider shall implement the Scope of Work in a manner deemed satisfactory to the County. Any modification or amendment to the Scope of Work shall not be effective until approved by the County and the Provider in writing.

#### ARTICLE 5. BUDGET SUMMARY

The Provider agrees that all expenditures or costs shall be made in accordance with the Budget, which is attached herein and incorporated hereto as Attachment B. Pursuant to Resolution No. R-630-13 of the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners, the Provider will also submit a project budget which shall be sufficiently detailed to show: (i) the total project cost; (ii) the amount of funds to be used for administrative and overhead costs; (iii) whether the County funds will be gap funds; (iv) any profit to be made by the Provider; and (v) the amount of funds devoted toward the provision of the desired Services or activities.

The Provider may request budget modifications to amend the budget in Attachment B during the term of this Agreement. Budget modification requests must be submitted to OMB-GC no later than thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of this Agreement, or August 31, 2019.

The Provider may shift funds between existing line items in Attachment B: 1) without a budget modification, if the change to the line item does not exceed fifteen percent (15%); or 2) with a budget modification requested by the Provider's designated representative as stated on the Authorized Signature Form attached hereto, and approved by the OMB-GC, if the changes to a line item exceed fifteen percent (15%). A budget modification is also required in order to add new line items. Budget modifications will also be required for any personnel changes, including changes in titles, roles, and compensation, or for employees vacating positions and being replaced by a different employee.

In no event shall the budget under this Agreement include total administrative costs in excess of fifteen percent (15%) of each program allocation under this Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in accordance with Resolution No. 700-13 of the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners, the Provider shall also ensure that no more than twenty-five percent (25%) of the Provider's administrative budget may be paid from Miami-Dade County General Funds unless this requirement is waived by a majority vote of the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners.

#### ARTICLE 6. INDEMNIFICATION BY PROVIDER

A. If the Provider is a Government Entity. Subject to the limitations of section 768.28, Florida Statutes, as may be amended, Provider shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents, and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses, or damages, including attorney's fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents, or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to, or resulting from the performance of this Agreement by the Provider or its employees, agents, servants, partners, principals or subcontractors. Additionally, Provider shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits, or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable, including appellate

proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorney's fees which may issue thereon, subject to the limitations of section 768.28, Florida Statutes, as may be amended. Provider expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection required by this Agreement or otherwise provided by Provider or self-insurance shall in no way limit the responsibility to indemnify, keep, and save harmless and defend the County or its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities as herein provided.

- B. **All Other Providers.** Provider shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents, and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses, or damages, including attorney's fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents, or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to, or resulting from the performance of this Agreement by the Provider or its employees, agents, servants, partners principals, or subcontractors. Additionally, Provider shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits, or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable, including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorney's fees which may issue thereon. Provider expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection required by this Agreement or otherwise provided by Provider shall in no way limit the responsibility to indemnify, keep, and save harmless and defend the County or its officers, employees, agents, and instrumentalities as herein provided.
- C. **Term of Indemnification.** The provisions of Article 6 shall survive the expiration or termination of this Contract.

#### ARTICLE 7. INSURANCE

Applicability of this section of the Agreement affects Providers whose combined total award for all Services funded under this Agreement exceed a \$25,000 threshold, as well as Providers whose total dollar value of all County contracts exceeds \$25,000. If the Provider's original total combined award is less than \$25,000, but the Provider receives additional funding from the County during the contract period which makes the total combined award exceed \$25,000, then the requirements of this section shall apply automatically at that time.

A. **If the Provider is a Government Entity.** If the Provider is the State of Florida or an agency or political subdivision of the State as defined by section 768.28, Florida Statutes, the Provider shall furnish the County, upon request, written verification of liability protection in accordance with section 768.28, Florida Statutes. Nothing herein shall be construed to extend any party's liability beyond that provided in section 768.28, Florida Statutes. The Provider shall also furnish the County, upon request, written verification of Worker's Compensation protection in accordance with Florida Statutes, Chapter 440.

#### B. All Other Providers.

**Minimum Insurance Requirements:** Certificates of Insurance. The Provider shall submit to Miami-Dade County, c/o Office of Management and Budget (OMB), 111 N.W. 1st Street, 22nd Floor, Miami, Florida 33128-1994, original Certificate(s) of Insurance indicating that, upon execution of this Agreement or on the date commencing the effective term of this Agreement, whichever is earlier, insurance coverage has been obtained which meets the requirements as outlined below:

1. All insurance certificates must list the COUNTY as "Certificate Holder" in the following manner:

Miami-Dade County 111 N.W. 1st Street, Suite 2340 Miami, Florida 33128

- 2. Worker's Compensation Insurance for all employees of the Provider as required by Florida Statutes, Chapter 440.
- Commercial General Liability Insurance in an amount not less than \$300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.
   Miami-Dade County must be shown as an additional insured with respect to this coverage.
- 4. Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned, and hired vehicles used in connection with the Work provided under this Agreement, in an amount not less than \$300,000\* combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.
  - \*NOTE: For Providers supplying vans or mini-buses with seating capacities of fifteen (15) passengers or more, the limit of liability required for Auto Liability is \$500,000.
- 5. Professional Liability Insurance in the name of the Provider, when applicable, in an amount not less than \$250,000.
- 6. All insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:
  - a) The company must be rated no less than "A-" as to management, and no less than "Class VII" as to financial strength, according to the latest edition of Best's Insurance Guide published by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey, or its equivalent, subject to the approval of the COUNTY's Risk Management Division

OR

b) The company must hold a valid Florida Certificate of Authority as shown in the latest "List of All Insurance Companies Authorized or Approved to Do Business in Florida," issued by the State of Florida Department of Financial Services.

#### C. Other Provisions.

Compliance with the foregoing requirements shall not relieve the Provider of its liability and obligations under this Section or under any other section of this Agreement.

The County reserves the right to inspect the Provider's original insurance policies at any time during the term of this Agreement.

Failure to Provide Certificates of Insurance. The Provider shall be responsible for assuring that the insurance certificates required in conjunction with this Section remain in force for the duration of the effective term of this Agreement (October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019). If insurance certificates are scheduled to expire during the effective term, the Provider shall be responsible for submitting new or renewed insurance certificates to the County prior to expiration.

In the event that expired certificates are not replaced with new or renewed certificates which cover the effective term, the County may suspend the Agreement until such time as the new or renewed certificates are received by the County in the manner prescribed herein; provided, however, that this suspended period does not exceed thirty (30) calendar days. Thereafter, the County may, at its sole discretion, terminate this Agreement.

#### ARTICLE 8. <u>STAFFING REQUIREMENTS</u>

The Provider shall maintain an organizational structure and adequate programmatic, administrative, and support staff sufficient to fulfill its obligations under this Agreement. The Provider shall ensure that employees responsible for program compliance have sufficient qualifications and experience, and receive appropriate grant administrative and program compliance training. Funded personnel shall occupy positions and perform duties consistent with their assigned job descriptions. The Provider shall report to the County, on a monthly basis, any staffing changes affecting the funded program(s), including funded employee(s) separation, termination, new hires, and change in duties/positions.

In the event the County determines that the Provider's staffing levels do not conform to those in the approved Scope of Work and Budget, the County will advise the Provider in writing and the Provider will have thirty (30) calendar days to remedy the identified staffing deficiencies. Failure to comply may result in the suspension of payments until the deficiencies are corrected. In addition, if, after the remedy period, staffing levels still do not conform to those in the Scope of Work and Budget, the County may, in its sole discretion, modify and/or reduce the amount(s) budgeted for Provider's personnel costs under this Agreement.

#### ARTICLE 9. PROOF OF LICENSURE AND BACKGROUND SCREENING

A. <u>Licensure</u>. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal, state, or local laws, regulations, ordinances, or resolutions requiring the Provider to be licensed or certified to provide services or to operate the facilities outlined in the Scope of Work, and shall furnish to the County a copy of all required current licenses or certificates within sixty (60) days of execution of this Agreement. Examples of services or operations requiring licensure or certification include, but are not limited to, childcare, day care, nursing homes, and boarding homes.

The County shall not disburse any funds until it is provided with such licenses or certificates. Failure to provide the licenses or certificates within sixty (60) days of execution of this Agreement may result in termination of this Agreement at the County's sole discretion.

B. <u>Background Screenings</u>. As a requirement of this Agreement, even if such screening is not otherwise required by applicable law, the Provider agrees to ensure that employees, subcontractors, volunteers, and independent contractors that work directly with, or who may come into direct contact with, youths under 18 years of age, persons ages 65 years

old and older, persons of any age that have disabilities, victims of domestic violence, and/or any vulnerable persons, as defined by section 435.02, Florida Statutes, as may be amended, satisfactorily complete and pass Level 2 background screening conducted through an appropriate screening agency before working or volunteering with such persons.

Additionally, as a requirement of this Agreement, even if such screening is not otherwise required by applicable law, the Provider agrees to: (1) conduct pre-employment criminal background screenings of all its County-funded employees, subcontractors, volunteers, and independent contractors who are providing Services in accordance with this Agreement prior to commencing Services to clients in accordance with the Scope of Work; (2) to update those background checks at least once every five (5) years; and (3) to maintain documentation of the criminal background screening on file. The Provider will permit only employees, subcontractors, volunteers, and independent contractors with satisfactory criminal background screenings to provide Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Where applicable, Provider agrees to comply with all federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and resolutions regarding any and all background screenings of its employees, volunteers, subcontractors, and independent contractors, including, but not limited to: Florida Statutes, Chapters 39, 393, 394, 397, 402, 408, 409, 413, 429, 430, 435, 775, 782, 787, 800, 826, 827, 943, 984, 985, 1012; Sections 26-37 through 26-39, 2-8.6.5, and 8A-281 through 8A-287 of the Code of Miami-Dade County; Titles 58, 59, 63 and 65 of the Florida Administrative Code. The Provider shall also comply with Section 943.059, Florida Statutes, regarding court-ordered sealing of criminal history records, and Section 943.0585, Florida Statutes, regarding court-ordered expunction of criminal history records, as may be amended and applicable. Provider's failure to comply with any applicable laws, regulations, ordinances and resolutions regarding background screening of employees, volunteers, subcontractors, and independent contractors is grounds for a material breach and termination of this contract at the sole discretion of the County.

The Provider shall furnish the County with a Background Screening Affidavit (Attachment E) as proof that it is in compliance with the foregoing provisions. In the event the Provider fails to furnish such proof to the County, the County shall not disburse any further funds and this Contract may be subject to termination at the sole discretion of the County.

#### ARTICLE 10. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. The Provider agrees to abide by and be governed by the Miami-Dade County Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance codified at Section 2-11.1 et al. of the Code of Miami-Dade County ("County Code"), as amended, as well as with section 617.0832, Florida Statutes, as amended, regarding director conflict of interests, which are incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein, in connection with the Provider's contract obligations hereunder.

Additionally, the Provider agrees to:

- 1. Prohibit members of the Provider's board of directors from directly or indirectly receiving any funds paid by the County to the Provider under this Agreement.
- 2. Prohibit members of the Provider's board of directors from voting on matters relating to this Agreement which may result in the board member directly or indirectly receiving funds paid by the Provider under this Agreement.

- 3. Prohibit members of the Provider's board of directors from voting on any matters relating to this Agreement if they are related to the person or entity seeking a benefit from the Provider.
- 4. Prohibit employees of the Provider from directly or indirectly receiving any funds paid by the County to the Provider under this Agreement, with the exception of the employee's salary and fringe benefits or portion of the employee's salary and fringe benefits included in Attachment B.
- 5. Maintain a written nepotism and conflict of interest policy that applies to hiring, providing services to clients, and procuring supplies or equipment.
- 6. Immediately disclose and justify in writing to the OMB-GC any business transactions between the Provider on one side, and its board member(s) or its staff on the other side, as well as all related-party transactions with shareholders, partners, officers, directors, or employees of any entity that is doing business with the Provider that are funded, partially or entirely, under the Agreement with the County, or are in any way related to the County-funded program.
- 7. Implement procedures to protect against fraud and co-mingling of funds in regards to credit card purchases, if credit cards are utilized by the Provider.
- 8. All transactions associated with this Agreement that do not meet the criteria of an arm's length transaction must be immediately disclosed and justified in writing to the OMB-GC.
- 9. Ensure that, at the time this Agreement is entered into and for the duration of this Agreement, no employee or person in the position of authority for the Provider who exercises any function or responsibilities in connection with this Agreement (including, but not limited to, any board member, officer, manager, or supervisor employed by the Provider), is receiving any of the Services funded under this Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, any employee, board member, officer, manager, or supervisor employed by the Provider who does not exercise any function or responsibilities in connection with this Agreement and who is eligible to receive any of the Services may utilize such Services if he/she can demonstrate that he/she does not have direct responsibility or role over the Service and that such utilization is permissible pursuant to Section 2-11.1 et al. of the County Code.

NOTE: "Indirectly" for purposes of this Section includes payment of funds paid by the County to the Provider under this Agreement which are ultimately paid to an organization in which the Provider's employee or board member has a "controlling financial interest," meaning, (1) ownership, directly or indirectly, of ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding capital stock in any corporation, or (2) a direct or indirect interest of ten percent (10%) or more in a firm, partnership, or other business entity or nonprofit organization.

If the County determines the Provider has breached this Section, the County shall suspend payment until the matter has been resolved to the County's satisfaction.

The County may request an opinion from the Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust regarding questions arising under this Section.

#### ARTICLE 11. CIVIL RIGHTS

The Provider agrees to abide by Chapter 11A of the County Code, as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, sex, familial status, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, status as a victim of domestic violence, dating violence or stalking, pregnancy, age, ancestry, national origin, disability, or source of income; Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment and public accommodation; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, 42 U.S.C. § 6101, as amended, which prohibits discrimination in employment because of age; the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. § 794, as amended, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability; the Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1201 et seq., which prohibits discrimination in employment and public accommodations because of disability; the Federal Transit Act, 49 U.S.C. § 1612, as amended; and the Fair Housing Act, 42 U.S.C. § 3601 et seq. It is expressly understood that the Provider must comply with such Acts and provide proof of compliance to the County, when requested. If the Provider or any owner, subsidiary, or other firm affiliated with or related to the Provider is found by the responsible enforcement agency, the Courts, or the County to be in violation of these Acts, the County may, in its sole discretion, conduct no further business with the Provider.

Any contract entered into based upon a false affidavit shall be voidable by the County. If the Provider violates any of the Acts during the term of any contract the Provider has with the County, such contract shall be voidable by the County, even if the Provider was not in violation at the time it submitted its affidavit.

The Provider agrees that it is in compliance with the Domestic Violence Leave, codified as § 11A-60 et seq. of the Miami-Dade County Code, which requires an employer, who in the regular course of business has fifty (50) or more employees working in Miami-Dade County for each working day during each of twenty (20) or more calendar work weeks to provide domestic violence leave to its employees.

Failure to comply with this local law may be grounds for voiding or terminating this Agreement or for commencement of debarment proceedings against Provider.

#### ARTICLE 12. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT

Any person or entity that performs or assists Miami-Dade County with a function or activity involving the use or disclosure of "individually identifiable health information" (IIHI) and/or "Protected Health Information" (PHI) shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) of 1996, the Miami-Dade County Privacy Standards Administrative Order, and any other applicable laws regarding confidential information. HIPAA mandates for privacy, security, and electronic transfer standards include, but are not limited to:

- 1. Use of information only for performing services required by the contract or as required by law:
- 2. Use of appropriate safeguards to prevent non-permitted disclosures;
- 3. Reporting to Miami-Dade County of any non-permitted use or disclosure;
- 4. Assurances that any agents and subcontractors agree to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Provider and reasonable assurances that IIHI/PHI will be held confidential:
- 5. Making Protected Health Information (PHI) available to the customer;

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- 6. Making PHI available to the client for review and amendment; and incorporating any amendments requested by the client as may be required by law;
- 7. Making appropriately redacted PHI and other records available to Miami-Dade County for an accounting of disclosures; and
- 8. Making internal practices, books, and other appropriately redacted records related to PHI available to Miami-Dade County for compliance audits.

PHI shall maintain its protected status regardless of the form and method of transmission (paper records and/or electronic transfer of data). The Provider must give its clients written notice of its privacy information practices, including specifically, a description of the types of uses and disclosures that would be made with PHI. Provider must post, and distribute upon request to service recipients, a copy of the County's Notice of Privacy Practices.

#### ARTICLE 13. NOTICE REQUIREMENTS

The Provider agrees to notify the County of any changes that may affect the County supported program(s) under this Agreement within ten (10) days from the date of such a change's occurrence.

It is also understood and agreed between the parties that any written notice addressed to OMB-GC, which is delivered by U.S. Mail or emailed to OMB-GC, and any written notice addressed to the Provider, which is delivered by U.S. Mail or by email, shall constitute sufficient notice to either party.

All notices required or permitted under this Agreement which are delivered by U.S. Mail shall be deemed sufficiently served if delivered by Registered or Certified Mail, with return receipt requested; or delivered personally; or delivered via fax or by email. All notices to the County shall be delivered to the following address:

#### (1) To the County

ATTENTION: Daniel T. Wall

**Assistant Director** 

Office of Management and Budget – Grants Coordination

111 NW 1st Street, 22nd Floor

Miami, FL 33128-1902 Phone: (305) 375-4742 Fax: (305) 375-4049 Email: dtw@miamidade.gov

#### (2) To the Provider

Name of Person Title Name of Agency Address City, State Zip Code Phone: (305)

Fax: (305) Email: Either party may at any time designate a different mail or email address and/or contact person by giving written notice as provided above to the other party.

#### ARTICLE 14. AUTONOMY

Both parties agree that this Agreement recognizes the autonomy of the contracting parties and implies no affiliation between the contracting parties. It is expressly understood and intended that the Provider is only a recipient of funding support and is not an agent or instrumentality of the County. Furthermore, the Provider's agents and employees are not agents or employees of the County.

#### ARTICLE 15. SURVIVAL

The parties acknowledge that any of the obligations in this Agreement, including but not limited to Provider's obligation to indemnify the County, will survive the term, termination, and cancellation hereof. Accordingly, the respective obligations of the Provider and the County under this Agreement, which by nature would continue beyond the termination, cancellation or expiration thereof, shall survive termination, cancellation or expiration hereof.

#### ARTICLE 16. BREACH OF AGREEMENT: COUNTY REMEDIES

- Breach. A breach by the Provider shall have occurred under this Agreement if: (1) the Provider fails to provide the Services outlined in the Scope of Work or fails to meet expected performance levels within the effective term of this Agreement and in the sole discretion of the County; (2) the Provider ineffectively or improperly uses the County funds allocated under this Agreement; (3) the Provider does not furnish the Certificates of Insurance required by this Agreement or as determined by the County's Risk Management Division; (4) if applicable, the Provider does not furnish the County proof of licensure/certification or proof of background screening; (5) the Provider fails to submit, or submits incorrect or incomplete (a) proof of expenditures to support disbursement requests or advance funding disbursements, or (b) detailed reports of expenditures or final expenditure reports; (6) the Provider does not submit, or submits incomplete or incorrect, required reports, or submits reports that indicate that expected performance levels are not being met; (7) the Provider refuses to allow the County access to records or refuses to allow the County to monitor, evaluate, and review the Provider's program; (8) the Provider discriminates under any of the laws outlined in Article 11 of this Agreement; (9) the Provider attempts to meet its obligations under this Agreement through fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement; (10) the Provider fails to correct deficiencies found during a monitoring, evaluation, or review within the specified time as described in communication from OMB-GC; (11) the Provider fails to issue prompt payments to small business subcontractors or follow dispute resolution procedures regarding a disputed payment; (12) the Provider fails to submit the Certificate of Corporate Status, Board of Directors Requirements, or proof of tax status, as required by Article 20 of this Agreement; (13) the Provider fails to meet any of the terms and conditions of the Miami-Dade County Vendor Registration, including any and all required County affidavits, or the State Affidavit (Attachment D-1); or (14) the Provider fails to fulfill in a timely and proper manner any and all of its obligations, covenants, agreements and stipulations in this Agreement. Waiver of breach of any provisions of this Agreement shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other breach and shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms of this Agreement.
  - B. County Remedies. If the Provider breaches this Agreement, the County may

pursue any or all of the following remedies:

- 1. The County may terminate this Agreement by giving written notice to the Provider of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof. In the event of termination, the County may: (a) request the return of all finished or unfinished documents, data studies, surveys, drawings, maps, models, photographs, reports prepared and secured by the Provider with County funds under this Agreement; (b) recapture a proportionate amount of County funding or seek reimbursement of County funds allocated to the Provider under this Agreement; (c) terminate or cancel any other contracts entered into between the County and the Provider. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such termination, including attorney's fees.
- 2. The County may suspend payment in whole or in part under this Agreement by providing written notice to the Provider of such suspension and specifying the effective date thereof, at least five (5) days before the effective date of suspension. If payments are suspended, the County shall specify in writing the actions that must be taken by the Provider as condition precedent to resumption of payments and shall specify a reasonable date for compliance. The County may also suspend any payments in whole or in part under any other contracts entered into between the County and the Provider. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such suspension, including attorney's fees. The County may also, in the County's sole discretion, recapture a proportionate amount of funding if expected performance levels under this Agreement are not met by Provider in the County's sole discretion.
- 3. The County may seek enforcement of this Agreement including but not limited to filing an action in a court of appropriate jurisdiction. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such enforcement, including attorney's fees.
  - 4. The County may debar the Provider from future County contracting.
- 5. If, for any reason, the Provider should attempt to meet its obligations under this Agreement through fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement, the County shall, whenever practicable, terminate this Agreement by giving written notice to the Provider of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof at least five (5) days before the effective date of such termination. The County may terminate or cancel any other contracts which such individual or entity has with the County. Such individual or entity shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such termination or cancellation, including attorney's fees. Any individual or entity who attempts to meet its contractual obligations with the County through fraud, misrepresentation, or material misstatement may be debarred from County contracting for up to five (5) years.
  - 6. Any other remedy available at law or equity.
- C. **Authorization to Terminate Agreement.** The County Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to terminate this Agreement on behalf of the County.
- D. Failures or waivers to insist on strict performance of any covenant, condition, or provision of this Contract by the County shall not be deemed a waiver of any rights or remedies, nor shall it relieve the Provider from performing any subsequent obligations strictly in accordance with the term of this Agreement. No waiver shall be effective unless in writing and signed by the parties. Such waiver shall be limited to provisions of this Agreement specifically

referred to therein and shall not be deemed a waiver of any other provision. No waiver shall constitute a continuing waiver unless the writing states otherwise.

E. **Damages Sustained.** Notwithstanding the above, the Provider shall not be relieved of liability to the County for damages sustained by the County by virtue of any breach of the Agreement, and the County may withhold any payments to the Provider until such time as the exact amount of damages due the County is determined. The County may also pursue any remedies available at law or equity to compensate for any damages sustained by the breach. The Provider shall be responsible for all direct and indirect costs associated with such action, including attorney's fees.

#### ARTICLE 17. <u>TERMINATION BY EITHER PARTY</u>

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Article 16, both parties agree that this Agreement may be terminated for convenience and without cause by either party hereto by written notice to the other party of such intent to terminate at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such termination. The County Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to terminate this Agreement on the behalf of the County.

#### ARTICLE 18. PAYMENT PROCEDURES

The County agrees to pay the Provider for services rendered under this Agreement pursuant to the attached Scope of Work (Attachment A) based on the payment schedule, the line item budget, or both, which are incorporated herein and attached hereto as Attachment B. Payment shall be made in accordance with procedures outlined in Attachment B-1 and, if applicable, the Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance No. 94-40). The payment structure for this Agreement is noted on the upper left-hand corner of this contract. Further guidance on the payment process and requests for payment may be found in Attachment B-1.

#### ARTICLE 19. ALLOWABLE AND PROHIBITED USE OF FUNDS

- A. **Allowable Use of Funds.** The Provider shall use the funds under this Agreement to cover the expenses included in, and under the terms and conditions defined in, the program budget(s) in Attachment B to this contract. The Provider agrees that all sources and uses of the funds in the Provider's bank account where County funds paid pursuant to this Agreement are deposited shall be related to the Provider's official business activities and program operations.
- B. **Unallowable Expenses.** County funds paid pursuant to this Agreement shall not be used for expenses of or related to: expenses of a personal nature, political and sectarian activities, lobbying, legal fees, financial investment services, investments, financing costs, bank fees, debt, mortgages, loans, lines of credit, credit cards, interest payments, late fees or other penalties, regulatory fines or penalties, tax fees, penalties, or liens, or for activities prohibited by federal, state or local law, or for any expense(s) not allowable pursuant to the Provider's program budget(s) and corresponding budget justification(s) in Attachment B to this contract and pursuant to the Scope of Work, as determined in the sole discretion of the County.
- C. Adverse Actions or Proceeding. The Provider shall not utilize County funds to retain legal counsel for any action or proceeding against the County or any of its agents, instrumentalities, employees, or officials. The Provider shall not utilize County funds to provide legal representation, advice, or counsel to any client in any action or proceeding against the

County or any of its agents, instrumentalities, employees, or officials.

- D. **Religious Purposes.** County funds shall not be used for religious purposes.
- E. **Commingling Funds.** The Provider shall not commingle funds provided under this Agreement with funds used for purposes other than those listed in this Agreement. The Provider shall establish an internal tracking mechanism, which may include establishment of general ledger funds or accounts, to segregate financial activity related to this Agreement.
- F. **Program Income and Fundraising**. On a monthly basis, the Provider shall track, record, and disclose to OMB-GC any program income, or fundraising collections, from or related to the program(s) funded under this Agreement. The Provider shall use such program income or fundraising collections to cover expenses for the County funded program(s). The Provider's audits shall contain a Program Income Schedule, if program income or fundraising collections are accrued, detailing program income and fundraising collections realized under this Agreement and copies of said schedule will be provided to the County.

## ARTICLE 20. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS, RECORDS, REPORTS, AUDITS, MONITORING, REVIEW, REPORT CARDS, AND TRAINING

- A. Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services Registration. If applicable, pursuant to Chapter 496, Florida Statutes, known as the Solicitations of Contributions Act, the Provider must register with the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and submit to the OMB-GC proof of registration upon request.
- B. **Board of Director Requirements.** The Provider shall ensure that the Provider's Board of Directors is apprised of the programmatic, fiscal, and administrative obligations under this Agreement funded through County Funds by passage of a formal resolution authorizing execution of this Agreement with the County. Said resolution shall, at a minimum, list the name(s) of the Board's President, Vice President, and any other persons authorized to execute this Agreement on behalf of the Provider, and reference the program(s) and dollar amounts in the award, as may be amended. A copy of this corporate resolution must be submitted to the County prior to contract execution. A current list of the Provider's Board of Directors and officers must be included with the submission, and must include the title, place of employment, if applicable, and contact information, which at a minimum includes e-mail addresses and phone numbers, for each Board member.

In addition, through the official signed minutes of its Board meetings, the Provider must also maintain proof that it has been sharing the results of all County monitoring reports with its Board at meetings where a quorum of its Board is achieved. The Provider shall furnish the County with copies of the minutes of such Board meetings. These minutes may be redacted to show only those portions of the meeting relating to this Agreement and County monitoring reports.

C. **Proof of Tax Status.** The Provider is required to submit to the County the following documentation: (a) The I.R.S. tax exempt status determination letter; (b) the most recent I.R.S. Form 990 or I.R.S. Form 990-N; (c) the annual submission of I.R.S. Form 990 or I.R.S. Form 990-N within six (6) months after the Provider's fiscal year end; (d) IRS Form 941 - Quarterly Federal Tax Returns within thirty-five (35) days after the quarter ends and if the Form 941 or RT-6 reflects a tax liability, proof of payment must be submitted within forty-five (45) days after the quarter ends.

- D. **Business Application.** The Provider shall be a registered vendor with the County's Department of Procurement Management for the duration of this Agreement. It is the responsibility of the Provider to file the appropriate Vendor Application and to update the Application file for any changes for the duration of this Agreement, including any option years.
- E. **Accounting Records.** The Provider shall institute internal fiscal controls and shall keep books and accounting records which conform to the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) in the United States, and identify the County funds and the related expenditures, and income. Subject to, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary in, Article 20, Section R, Public Records, all such records will be retained by the Provider for not less than five (5) years beyond the term of this Agreement, and shall be made available for review upon request from County authorized personnel. The Provider shall reconcile its bank statements within a month after they become available from the bank as attested by the dates, and the signatures or initials of the staff preparing, reviewing, and approving the monthly bank reconciliations. The Provider's checks shall be signed by two authorized check signors as required by the Miami-Dade Administrative Order 3-15.
- F. **Financial Audit.** If the Provider has or is required to have an annual certified public accountants opinion and related financial statements, the Provider agrees to provide these documents and any management letter and related responses to the OMB-GC within the earlier of thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of the auditor's report or nine (9) months after the end of the Provider's fiscal year, for each year during which this Agreement remains in force or until all funds received pursuant to this Agreement have been so audited, whichever is later. In the event that the documents provided under this section contain deficiencies or other matters of concern, the Provider shall provide to the County for review any additional documentation to address the County's concerns. What constitutes a deficiency and/or matter of concern shall be determined in the County's sole discretion. Failure to address concerns pursuant to this section to the County's satisfaction shall be a breach of this contract.
- G. Access to Records: Audit. The County reserves the right to require the Provider to submit to an audit by an auditor of the County's choosing or approval, and to review any independent audit performed on the Provider for reasons of compliance with funding requirements of any other governmental agency or financial institution. The Provider shall provide access to all of its records which relate to this Agreement at its place of business during regular business hours. The Provider agrees to provide such assistance as may be necessary to facilitate their review or audit by the County to ensure compliance with applicable accounting and financial standards.
- H. Quarterly Reviews of Expenditures and Records. The County Commission Auditor may perform quarterly reviews of Provider expenditures and records. Subsequent payments to the Provider shall be subject to a satisfactory review of Provider records and expenditures by the County Commission Auditor, including but not limited to, review of supporting documentation for expenditures and the existence of sufficient documentation to support eligible expenditures. The Provider agrees to reimburse the County for ineligible expenditures as determined by the County Commission Auditor.
- I. **Quality Assurance** / **Recordkeeping.** The Provider shall maintain, and shall require that the Provider's subcontractors and suppliers maintain complete and accurate program and fiscal records to substantiate compliance with the requirements set forth in the Scope of Work. Subject to, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary in, Article 20, Section R, Public Records, the Provider and its subcontractors and suppliers shall retain such records,

and all other documents relevant to the services furnished under this Agreement, for a period of five (5) years from the expiration date of this Agreement.

The Provider agrees to participate in evaluation studies, quality management activities, Corrective Action Plan activities, and analyses carried out by or on behalf of the County to evaluate the effectiveness of client service(s) or the appropriateness and quality of care/service delivery. Accordingly, the Provider shall permit authorized staff involved in such efforts the right of access to the Provider's premises and records.

- J. **Confidentiality Requirements.** The Provider shall establish and implement policies and procedures that ensure compliance with the following security standards and any and all applicable state and federal statutes and regulations for the protection of confidential client records and electronic exchange of confidential information. "Confidential" shall be used in this section to describe information that is confidential under applicable law. The policies and procedures must ensure, at a minimum, that:
  - (1) There is a controlled and secure area for storing and maintaining active confidential information and files, including but not limited to medical records;
  - (2) Confidential records are not removed from the Provider's premises, unless otherwise authorized by law or upon written consent from the County;
  - (3) Access to confidential information is restricted to authorized personnel of the Provider, the County, and/or the United States Office of the Inspector General;
  - (4) Records are not left unattended in areas accessible to unauthorized individuals;
  - (5) Access to electronic data is controlled;
  - (6) Written authorization, signed by the client, is obtained for release of copies of client records and/or information. Original documents must remain on file at the originating provider site;
  - (7) An orientation is provided to new staff persons, employees, and volunteers. All employees and volunteers must sign a confidentiality pledge, acknowledging their awareness and understanding of confidentiality laws, regulations, and policies;
  - (8) Procedures are developed and implemented that address client chart and medical record identification, filing methods, storage, retrieval, organization and maintenance, access and security, confidentiality, retention, release of information, copying, and faxing.
- K. **Progress Reports.** The Provider shall furnish the OMB-GC with monthly progress/performance reports in accordance with the activities and goals detailed in Attachments A and G of this Agreement. The reports shall explain the Provider's progress for the month and, in the event that its activities are seasonal, must clearly indicate when specific

services and related expenditures will occur. The data should be quantified when appropriate. A corrective action plan must accompany all progress reports that indicate that the Provider is not meeting its expected service goals or expected performance levels. The final progress report shall be due no later than thirty (30) days after the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

- L. **Client Records.** The Provider shall maintain a separate individual client file for each client/family served, where appropriate. This client file shall include all pertinent information regarding case activity. At a minimum, the client file shall contain referral and intake information, treatment plans, and case notes documenting the dates services were provided and the type of service provided. These client files shall be subject to the audit, monitoring and inspection requirements under Article 19, Sections G, H, I, J, K, L, and M, and any other relevant provisions of this Agreement.
- M. **Monitoring: Management Evaluation and Performance Review.** The Provider agrees to permit County authorized personnel to monitor, review, and evaluate the program/work which is the subject of this Agreement.

Subject to applicable law, the OMB-GC will also have the right to inspect original documentation regarding administrative, fiscal, and programmatic matters and may retain copies of such documentation for verification purposes. Documentation includes but is not limited to employee time records that document work hours spent on direct and indirect duties within the County funded program(s), and documentation to show consistency and adherence in implementing the County funded program(s) in accordance with the line item budget pursuant to Attachment B of this agreement.

The OMB-GC shall monitor fiscal, administrative, and programmatic compliance with all the terms and conditions of the Agreement. The Provider shall permit the OMB-GC to conduct site visits, client assessment surveys, and other techniques deemed reasonably necessary to fulfill the monitoring function. A report of the OMB-GC's findings will be delivered to the Provider and the Provider will rectify all deficiencies cited within the period of time specified in the report. If such deficiencies are not corrected within the specified time frame, the County may suspend payments or terminate this Agreement. The OMB-GC may conduct one or more formal management evaluation and performance reviews of the Provider. Continuation of this Agreement or future funding is dependent upon satisfactory follow up on any corrective action deemed necessary by OMB-GC on the part of the Provider.

Pursuant to Resolution No. R-630-13 of the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners, Provider agrees the County Mayor or Mayor's designee may make unannounced, on-site visits during normal working hours to the Provider's headquarters and/or any location or site where the services contracted for are performed.

If the County suspends or stops payment to Provider after advising Provider of concerns arising from Provider's performance, Provider's management of County-funded or County-partially funded programs, or Provider's compliance with any of the terms of this Agreement, and if the Provider continues to provide services pursuant to this Agreement, the Provider shall do so at its own risk. The Provider understands and agrees that Provider may not be reimbursed or may not receive further payments under this Agreement in the event the County suspends or stops payment to Provider as described in this paragraph.

N. Required Training. The County reserves the right to require the Provider to

attend mandatory training at any time. The County shall notify the Provider in writing of any such required trainings.

O. **Report Cards.** In accordance with Resolution No. R-142-15 of the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners, OMB-GC will issue a Community Based Organization (CBO) Report Card every six (6) months, or as otherwise may be required at the County's sole discretion, to track the Provider's status and progress. Ratings will be applied to the areas of Outcomes and Administration/Contract Compliance and specific assessments will include a three (3) tiered scale of:

(a) Green - "Meeting Goals/Compliant"

(b) Yellow - "Caution"(c) Red - "Concern"

#### Ratings for Deliverables/Program Achievement:

Ratings for Deliverables/Program Achievement will be based on monthly progress reports and sample testing by OMB-GC of the Provider's records and applied to the Outputs and the Primary Performance Indicator, as identified and described in the Scope of Work (Attachment A), as follows:

(a) Green - On track to reach 100% of stated goal(b) Yellow - On track to reach 85-99% of stated goal

(c) Red - On track to reach less than 85% of stated goal

#### Ratings for Administration/Contract Compliance:

Ratings for Administration/Contract Compliance will be based on the annual written monitoring site visit report issued by OMB-GC and the corrective action plan submitted by the Provider and approved by the County.

At the start of the contract period, ratings will be assigned as follows:

(a) Green - Contract executed

(b) Yellow - Provider in good standing but contract not executed

(c) Red - Prior year contract closeout not complete

After due diligence is conducted, the contract is executed, and the annual written monitoring site visit report has been issued, ratings will be assigned as follows:

(a) Green - Five (5) or fewer findings(b) Yellow - More than five (5) findings

(c) Red - Contract or payment suspended

The County may, at its sole discretion, terminate and/or suspend the contract and/or suspend payment at any time due to any single instance of, or to any number of, serious or significant finding(s) or issue(s) including, but not limited to:

- (a) Lack of fiscal documentation
- (b) Lack of client records or program documentation
- (c) Health or safety concerns
- (d) Required background checks or licenses not completed or current
- (e) Monies owed to the IRS or another government entity without an approved re-

- payment plan
- (f) Lack of or a lapse in required insurance
- (g) Repeat finding(s) from a prior year

Seriousness and significance of findings and issues shall be determined at the County's sole discretion.

Once a corrective action plan is submitted by the Provider and approved by the County, a rating of yellow may be changed to green, at the County's sole discretion, and a rating of red may be changed to yellow, at the County's sole discretion. A rating of red will not be changed directly to green at any time during the contract period.

The Provider will be notified in writing of proposed rating(s) and will have no more than ten (10) days from the date of the notice to submit a brief response to OMB-GC that will be attached to the final CBO Report Card. There is no appeals process for individual ratings or the CBO Report Card.

- P. **Disaster Plan/Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP).** The Provider shall develop and maintain an Agency Disaster Plan/COOP ("Plan"). At a minimum, the Plan will describe how the Provider establishes and maintains an effective response to emergencies and disasters, and must comply with any Emergency Management related Florida Statutes applicable to the Provider. The Disaster Plan/COOP must be submitted to the OMB-GC no later than thirty (30) days after the execution of this Agreement and is also subject to review and approval of the County in its sole discretion. The Provider will review the Plan annually, revise it as needed, and maintain a written copy on file at the Provider's site.
- Q. **Disposition of Equipment Purchased with County Funding.** The Provider shall maintain equipment purchased with County funding and with a purchase value of \$1,000.00 or greater until such equipment has reached its useful life and has been fully depreciated by the Provider. If the equipment is functional beyond this point and the Provider has the means to obtain a replacement of the equipment, the Provider is encouraged to donate the equipment to clients, if appropriate, or to other service providers in need of such equipment. The Provider must ensure that any confidential information that may be stored in equipment/devices has been cleared prior to the donation taking place. Donations of equipment should be reported in the Provider's final report.
- R. **Public Records.** Pursuant to Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes, if the Provider meets the definition of "Contractor" as defined in Section 119.0701(1)(a), the Provider shall:
- (1) Keep and maintain public records that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by the County in order to perform the service;
- (2) Upon request from the County's custodian of public records identified herein, provide the County with a copy of the requested records or allow the public with access to the public records on the same terms and conditions that the County would provide the records and at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in the Florida Public Records Act, Miami-Dade County Administrative Order No. 4-48, or as otherwise provided by law;
- (3) Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the

duration of this Agreement's term and following completion of the services under this Agreement if the Provider does not transfer the records to the County; and

(4) Upon completion of the Contract, transfer, at no cost, to the County all public records created, received, maintained and/or directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are in possession of the Provider, or keep and maintain such public records. If Provider transfers all public records to the County upon completion of the Contract, the Provider shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Provider keeps and maintains the public records upon completion of the Contract, the Provider shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the County, upon request from the County's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the County.

For purposes of this Article, the term "public records" shall mean all documents, papers, letters, maps, books, tapes, photographs, films, sound recordings, data processing software, or other material, regardless of the physical form, characteristics, or means of transmission, made or received pursuant to law or ordinance or in connection with the transaction of official business of the COUNTY.

Provider's failure to comply with the public records disclosure requirement set forth in Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes shall be a breach of this Agreement. In the event the Provider fails to meet any of these provisions or fails to comply with Florida's Public Records Laws, the Provider shall be responsible for indemnifying the County in any resulting litigation and the Provider shall defend its claim that any public record is confidential, trade secret, or otherwise exempt from inspection and copying under Florida's Public Records Laws.

In the event the Provider does not comply with the public records disclosure requirement set forth in Section 119.0701 of the Florida Statutes, the County may, at the County's sole discretion, avail itself of any of the remedies for breach set forth under this Agreement or available at law or equity.

IF THE PROVIDER HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE PROVIDER'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE COUNTY'S CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:

Miami-Dade County
Office of Management and Budget-Grants Coordination
111 N.W. 1st Street, 22nd Floor
Miami, Florida 33128
Attention: Meighan Alexander

Email: Meighan.Alexander@miamidade.gov

ARTICLE 21. <u>AUDITS AND INTERNAL REVIEWS BY THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT</u> AND BUDGET, OFFICE OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY INSPECTOR GENERAL AND THE

#### **COMMISSION AUDITOR**

The Provider understands that it may be subject to an audit, random or otherwise, by the Office of the Miami-Dade County Inspector General or an Independent Private Sector Inspector General retained by the Office of the Inspector General, or the County Commission Auditor. The Provider may also be subject to an internal review, random or otherwise, by the OMB-GC.

Office of the Inspector General. The attention of the Provider is hereby directed to the requirements of Section 2-1076 of the County Code in that the Office of the Miami-Dade County Inspector General (IG) shall have the authority and power to review past, present and proposed County programs, accounts, records, contracts and transactions. The IG shall have the power to subpoena witnesses, administer oaths and require the production of records. Upon ten (10) days written notice to the Provider from IG, the Provider shall make all requested records and documents available to the IG for inspection and copying.

The IG shall have the power to report and/or recommend to the Board of County Commissioners whether a particular project, program, contract or transaction is or was necessary and, if deemed necessary, whether the method used for implementing the project or program is or was efficient both financially and operationally. Monitoring of an existing project or program may include reporting whether the project is on time, within budget and in conformity with plans, specifications, and applicable law. The IG shall have the power to analyze the need for, and reasonableness of, proposed change orders.

The IG may, on a random basis, perform audits on all County contracts throughout the duration of said contract (hereinafter "random audits"). This random audit is separate and distinct from any other audit by the County. Grant recipients are exempt from paying the cost of the audit which is normally  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1% of the total contract amount.

The IG shall have the power to audit, investigate, monitor, oversee, inspect, and review the operations, activities and performance and procurement process including, but not limited to, project design, establishment of bid specifications, bid submittals, activities of the contractor, its officers, agents and employees, lobbyists, County staff and elected officials in order to ensure compliance with contract specifications and detect corruption and fraud.

The IG is authorized to investigate any alleged violation by a Provider of its Code of Business Ethics, pursuant to Section 2-8.1 of the County Code.

The provisions in this section shall apply to the Provider, its subcontractors, and their respective officers, agents, and employees. The Provider shall incorporate the provisions in this section in all contracts and all other agreements executed by its subcontractors in connection with the performance of this Agreement. Any rights that the County has under this Section shall not be the basis for any liability to accrue to the County from the Provider, its subcontractors, or third parties for such monitoring or investigation of for the failure to have conducted such monitoring or investigation and the County shall have no obligation to exercise any of its rights for the benefit of the Provider, its contractors or third parties.

Nothing in this Agreement shall impair any independent right of the County to conduct audit or investigative activities. The provisions of this section are neither intended nor shall they be construed to impose any liability on the County by the Provider or third parties.

#### ARTICLE 22. SUBCONTRACTORS AND ASSIGNMENTS

- A. **Subcontracts.** The parties agree that no subcontract agreement will be made or let in connection with this Agreement without the <u>prior</u> written approval of the OMB-GC in its sole discretion, which shall not be unreasonably withheld. In the event approval is granted by the County, and subject to the conditions below, a copy of the approved fully executed Subcontractor agreement(s) must be furnished to OMB-GC in order for Subcontractor expenses to be paid under this Agreement. With respect to any subcontract or subcontractor, the Provider agrees as follows:
  - 1) If the Provider will cause any part of this Agreement to be performed by a Subcontractor, before entering into any subcontract hereunder, the Provider will inform the Subcontractor fully and completely of all provisions and requirements of this Agreement relating either directly or indirectly to the Services to be performed. The provisions of this Agreement will apply to such Subcontractor and its officers, agents and employees in all respects as if it and they were employees of the Provider; and the Provider will not be in any manner thereby discharged from its obligations and liabilities hereunder, but will be liable hereunder for all acts and negligence of the Subcontractor, its officers, agents, and employees, as if they were employees of the Provider. The services performed by the Subcontractor will be subject to the provisions hereof as if performed directly by the Provider.
  - 2) The Provider, before making any subcontract for any portion of the services, will state in writing to the County the name of the proposed Subcontractor, the portion of the Services which the Subcontractor is to perform, the place of business of such Subcontractor, and such other information as the County may require. The County will have the right to require the Provider not to award any subcontract to a person, firm, or corporation disapproved by the County in its sole discretion.
  - In order to qualify as a Subcontractor satisfactory to the County in its sole discretion, in addition to the other requirements herein provided, the Subcontractor must be prepared to prove to the satisfaction of the County that it has the necessary facilities, skill and experience, and ample financial resources to perform the Services in a satisfactory manner. To be considered skilled and experienced, the Subcontractor must show to the satisfaction of the County in its sole discretion that it has satisfactorily performed services of the same general type which is required to be performed under this Agreement.
  - The County shall have the right to withdraw its consent to a subcontract if it appears to the County that the subcontract will delay, prevent, or otherwise impair the performance of the Provider's obligations under this Agreement. Provider shall furnish to the County copies of all subcontracts between Provider and Subcontractors and suppliers hereunder. Within each such subcontract, there shall be a clause for the benefit of the County permitting the County to request completion of performance by the Subcontractor of its obligations under the subcontract, in the event the County finds the Provider in breach of its obligations, the option to pay the Subcontractor directly for the

performance by such subcontractor. Notwithstanding, the foregoing shall neither convey nor imply any obligation or liability on the part of the County to any subcontractor.

- B. **Assignments.** The parties agree that no assignment will be made or let in connection with this Agreement without the <u>prior</u> written approval of the OMB-GC in its sole discretion, which shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- C. If this Agreement involves the expenditure of \$100,000 or more by the County and the Provider intends to use subcontractors to provide the services listed in the Scope of Work (Attachment A) or suppliers to supply the materials, the Provider shall provide the names of the subcontractors and suppliers on the form attached as Attachment J. Provider agrees that it will not change or substitute subcontractors or suppliers from those listed in Attachment J without prior written approval of the County.
- D. **Prompt Payments to Subcontractors.** The Provider shall issue prompt payments to subcontractors that are small businesses (meaning annual gross sales of \$750,000 or less with its principal place of business in Miami-Dade County) and shall have a dispute resolution procedure in place to address disputed payments. Pursuant to the County's Sherman S. Winn Prompt Payment Ordinance (Ordinance No. 94-40), Section 2-8.1.4 of the County Code, Administrative Order No. 3-19, and the Florida Prompt Payment Act, payments must be made within thirty (30) days of receipt of a proper invoice. Failure to issue prompt payments to small business subcontractors or adhere to dispute resolution procedures may be grounds for suspension or termination of this Agreement or debarment.

#### ARTICLE 23. PURCHASES

The Provider will request three (3) quotes for all single-item purchases that are partially or fully funded by the County and valued at \$1,000 or above, and maintain documentation of all three (3) requests and associated documentation, including quotes received, on file. Provider will also obtain quotes for any professional services partially or fully funded by the County in connection with this agreement.

#### ARTICLE 24. LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Provider agrees to comply, in accordance with applicable professional standards, with the provisions of any and all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, resolutions, and rules which may pertain to the Services required under this Agreement, including but not limited to:

- a) Miami-Dade County Florida, Department of Business Development Participation Provisions, as applicable to this Agreement.
- b) Chapter 11A, Article 3 of the County Code. All Providers and Subcontractors performing work in connection with this Agreement shall provide equal opportunity for employment and services without regard to race, creed, religion, color, sex, familial status, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression, status as a victim of domestic violence, dating violence or stalking, pregnancy, age, ancestry, national origin or disability. The aforesaid provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment advertising; layoff or termination;

rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Provider agrees to post in a conspicuous place available for employees and applicants for employment, such notices as may be required by the Dade County Equal Opportunity Board or other authority having jurisdiction.

- c) "Conflicts of Interest," Section 2-11 of the County Code, and Ordinance No. 01-199, as well as the Miami-Dade County False Claims Ordinance.
- d) "Debarment," Section 10-38 of the County Code.
- e) Miami-Dade County Ordinance No. 99-5, codified at 11A-60 et. seq. of the County Code pertaining to complying with the County's Domestic Leave Ordinance. Failure to comply with this local law may be grounds for voiding or terminating this Agreement or for commencement of debarment proceedings against Provider.
- f) Part III, Ch. 2, Art. 1 and Ch. 11A of the County Code, and any payment and performance bond requirements if applicable under the Florida Statutes and F.A.R. 52.222 if applicable.
- g) Miami-Dade County Ordinance No. 99-152, prohibiting the presentation, maintenance, or prosecution of false or fraudulent claims against Miami-Dade County.
- h) "Drug-free workplace requirements for contractors and entities transacting business with Miami-Dade County," Section 2-8.1.2 of the County Code.
- i) "Nondiscrimination," Section 2-8.1.5 of the County Code, and the Aspirational Diverse Workforce Policy in Resolution No. R-1106-15 of the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners.
- j) The Provider will not use products or foods containing "pink slime," as defined in Resolution No. 478-12 of the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners, in food that is provided or served pursuant to this Agreement.
- k) For congregate and/or home-delivered meal programs, the Provider agrees to furnish proof that it is meeting all applicable local, State, and Federal food safety and hygiene requirements.
- Provider shall also develop and implement a written Code of Business Ethics and Conduct that will consist of a training program and an internal control system that:
  - a. Are suitable to the size of the Provider and extent of its involvement in government contracting,
  - b. Facilitate timely discovery and disclosure of improper conduct in connection with government contracts, and
  - c. Ensure corrective measures are promptly instituted and carried out.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, Provider shall not be required pursuant to this Agreement to take any action or abstain from taking any action if such action or

abstention would, in the good faith determination of the Provider, constitute a violation of any law or regulation to which Provider is subject, including but not limited to laws and regulations requiring that Provider conduct its operations in a safe and sound manner.

#### ARTICLE 25. MISCELLANEOUS

- Publicity. It is understood and agreed between the parties hereto that this Α. Provider is funded by Miami-Dade County. Further, by the acceptance of these funds, the Provider agrees that events funded by this Agreement shall recognize and adequately reference the County as a funding source. The Provider shall ensure that all publicity, public relations, advertisements and signs recognizes and references the County for the support of all contracted activities. This is to include, but is not limited to, all posted signs, pamphlets, wall plaques, cornerstones, dedications, notices, flyers, brochures, news releases, media packages, promotions, and stationery. The use of the official County logo is permissible for the publicity stated herein and must adhere to the standards purposes established https://www.miamidade.gov/branding/logo.asp. Provider shall submit sample or mock up of such publicity or materials to the County for review and prior approval, which shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Provider shall ensure that all media representatives, when inquiring about the activities funded by this contract, are informed that the County is its funding source.
- B. **Governing Law and Venue.** This Agreement is made in the State of Florida and shall be governed according to the laws of the State of Florida. Venue for this Agreement shall be Miami-Dade County, Florida.
- C. **Modifications.** Any alterations, variations, modifications, extensions, or waivers of provisions of this Agreement including, but not limited to, amount payable and effective term shall only be valid when they have been reduced to writing, duly approved and signed by both parties and attached to the original of this Agreement.

The County and Provider mutually agree that modification of the Scope of Work, schedule of payments, billing and cash payment procedures, set forth herein and other such revisions may be made as a written amendment to this Agreement executed by both the parties.

The County Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to make modifications to this Agreement as described herein on behalf of the County.

The Office of the Inspector General shall have the power to analyze the need for, and the reasonableness of proposed modifications to this Agreement.

- D. **Counterparts.** This Agreement is executed in three (3) counterparts, and each counterpart shall constitute an original of this Agreement.
- E. **Headings, Use of Singular and Gender.** Paragraph headings are for convenience only and are not intended to expand or restrict the scope or substance of the provisions of this Agreement. Wherever used herein, the singular shall include the plural and plural shall include the singular, and pronouns shall be read as masculine, feminine, or neuter as the context requires.
- F. **Pre-condition to County's Execution of this Agreement.** The Provider acknowledges that prior to the County Mayor or Mayor's designee executing this Agreement, the OMB-GC shall engage in a due diligence effort and review ("the Due Diligence Effort and Review")

which includes but is not limited to researching background information on the Provider, ensuring the Provider is not in non-compliance with other County contracts, and reviewing the Provider's Scope of Work, budget, affidavits, responses to affidavits and any other proposed or required attachments to this Agreement. If the County, through the OMB-GC, in consultation with the County Mayor or Mayor's designee is concerned regarding findings of the Due Diligence Effort and Review, the County Mayor or Mayor's designee shall present findings of the Due Diligence Effort and Review to the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners with the County Mayor or Mayor's designee's recommendation as to how to proceed, and the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners shall then direct the County Mayor or Mayor's designee whether or not to execute this Agreement with Provider by taking action on the recommendation. All services undertaken by the Provider before the County's execution of this Agreement shall be at the Provider's risk and expense.

- G. **No Third Parties.** The parties expressly agree there are no intended or unintended third party beneficiaries to this Agreement.
- H. **Sovereign Immunity.** Nothing in this contract shall be considered a waiver of sovereign immunity.
- I. **Review of this Agreement.** Each party hereto represents and warrants that they have consulted with their own attorney concerning and participated in the drafting of each of the terms contained in this Agreement. No inference, assumption, or presumption shall be drawn from the fact that one party or its attorney prepared this Agreement. It shall be conclusively presumed that each party participated in the preparation and drafting of this Agreement.
- J. **Totality of Agreement** / **Severability of Provisions.** This Agreement and Attachments, with it recitals on the first page of the Agreement and with its attachments as referenced below contain all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties:

Attachment A: Scope of Work

Attachment B: Line Item Budget

Attachment B-1: Payment Procedures

Attachment C: Collusion Affidavit

Attachment D: Due Diligence Affidavit

Attachment D-1: State Public Entities Crime Affidavit

Attachment E: Background Screening Affidavit

Attachment F: Monthly Payment Request

Attachment G: Monthly Progress Report

Attachment H: Closeout Report

Attachment I: Authorized Signature Form

No other Agreement, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement shall be deemed to exist or bind any of the parties hereto. If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid or void, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected thereby if such remainder would then continue to conform to the terms and requirements of applicable law and ordinance.

#### SIGNATURES APPEAR ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement, and its associated attachments, effective as of the contract date herein above set forth.

NAME OF AGENCY	MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
By: Name: Title: Date:	By: Name: Jennifer Moon Title: Mayor's Designee Date:
Attest:  Authorized Person OR Notary Public	Attest: HARVEY RUVIN, Clerk Board of County Commissioners
Print Name: Title:	By: Print Name:
Corporate Seal OR Notary Seal/Stamp:	